

daily by a varying flock of Cedarbirds, sometimes fifty or more, a few Bluebirds, several Robins, and a couple of Juncos. The abundant ivy berries were the principal attraction. My rooms were a little further than across the street from this spot. Directly in front of the house were several maples and on one of these two or three twigs nearest my windows and a trifle lower were broken and dripping. The Waxwings discovered this and several times I noticed two of them busy at these twigs while two or three others sat patiently awaiting their turn. A careful examination with field glasses at that close range showed them to be drinking sap. Their motions were those of drinking. I could see no small insects there, and even if there had been the Waxwings could have cleaned them up in a few minutes, but they were busy there for long periods. I never saw any of the other species follow the Cedarbird's example. While my first two Waxwings for the year were seen on March 18 out in the country, all that I saw after that date for several weeks were in town, the first flock of fifty appearing March 30.

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NOTES ON CHESTER COUNTY, PENN., BIRDS FOR 1905. King Rail (*Rallus elegans*). A female was captured by some school boys, May 4, near Howelville, one mile north of Berwyn. It had been wounded, probably the same day, and not recovered by the hunter. The boys discovered it and ran it down. It is possible that it might have bred in the locality as the ovaries contained several partly developed eggs.

American Coot (*Fulica americana*). On November 1, a male was found dead near Green Tree, probably having flown against the telegraph wires.

Bartramian Sandpiper (*Bartramia longicauda*). On the evening of August 18, I received an immature female probably of a local brood, which was secured the same day in the Chester valley, one mile north of this place. Owing to the growing scarcity of this bird in this locality it is worthy of mention.

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TWO MORE BARN OWL (*Strix pratincola*) RECORDS FOR SENECA COUNTY, OHIO. On the morning of August 30, a woman came to my house to have a Barn Owl mounted which was shot on the previous day about five miles north of Tiffin. A few weeks later a local photographer showed me a photograph he had taken two years ago of a Barn Owl which had been shot at Green Springs at the north-eastern end of the county and mounted then and there. Being unfamiliar with the name of the bird he asked me