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**AFFILIATED SOCIETIES**

THE GEORGIA ORNITHOLOGICAL SOCIETY completed a major project on March 15 with the publication of "Birds of Georgia. A Preliminary Check-list and Bibliography" (University of Georgia Press), the first complete check-list and bibliography that has been compiled for the state. The Society plans to follow this technical publication with a popular bulletin on common birds of the state to supply the demands of schools, Boy Scouts, 4-H Clubs, garden clubs, and others. Thus the Society is devoting its energies to compiling and publishing material designed to stimulate active interest in ornithology.

Despite the fact that all the younger and most active members of the Society have been in the armed services, the Society has maintained its membership and improved its financial position during the past year. Publication of the *Oriole* has continued. A spring meeting, consisting of a business session, a field trip, and the showing of colored movies by Thomas D. Burleigh, was attended by about 45 members.—EUGENE P. ODUM, *President*