

## WELCOME TO NEW MEMBERS

It is particularly gratifying to welcome to membership in the Alabama Ornithological Society 14 new members who joined at the Dauphin Island meeting. We are indebted to Dan Holliman who brought an enthusiastic group of graduate students and another instructor from the University and to Dr. Gaillard, who has been stirring up interest in Mobile. On another page he will introduce some of our new members from that area.

We welcome:

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## CHRISTMAS COUNT DATES

The National Audubon Society has set the dates for the Christmas Bird Counts from Wednesday, December 20, 1961 to Monday, January 1, 1962. We are hoping that there will be several new count areas this year.

## THE BANDERS' CORNER

As of November 19, 1541 birds of 80 species have been banded at Brownsboro in 1961. Since August 30 (last date reported previously in Birdlife), the following have been banded:

Saw-whet Owl-----	1	Black & White Warbler----	1
Downy Woodpecker-----	1	Nashville Warbler-----	1
Yellow-shafted Flicker	1	Tennessee Warbler-----	10
Acadian Flycatcher----	2	Myrtle Warbler-----	2
Eastern Wood Pewee----	1	Magnolia Warbler-----	16
Blue Jay-----	11	Chestnut-sided Warbler---	1
Purple Finch-----	22	Bay-breasted Warbler----	1
Goldfinch-----	29	Palm Warbler-----	1
Grasshopper Sparrow---	1	Prairie Warbler-----	1
White-throated Sparrow	83	Ovenbird-----	5
Chipping Sparrow-----	9	Kentucky Warbler-----	1
Field Sparrow-----	45	Hooded Warbler-----	1
Slate-colored Junco---	84	Canada Warbler-----	6
Song Sparrow-----	7	American Redstart-----	4
Swamp Sparrow-----	1	Catbird-----	6
Fox Sparrow-----	6	Brown Thrasher-----	9
Red-eyed Towhee-----	11	Carolina Wren-----	2
Cardinal-----	11	Winter Wren-----	1
Rose-breasted Grosbeak	6	Brown Creeper-----	1
Indigo Bunting-----	4	Tufted Titmouse-----	4
Scarlet Tanager-----	2	Carolina Chickadee-----	2
Summer Tanager-----	1	Golden-crowned Kinglet---	1
Cedar Waxwing-----	1	Ruby-crowned Kinglet----	7
Red-eyed Vireo-----	2	Wood Thrush-----	8
Yellow-throated Vireo-	2	Gray-cheeked Thrush-----	7
White-eyed Vireo-----	4	Swainson's Thrush-----	7
Phoebe-----	2	Hermit Thrush-----	16
		Robin-----	1

Returns include 4 White-throated Sparrows, 2 Slate-colored Juncos, and 2 Song Sparrows. All of these returns were banded during the winter of 1960-61.

---JIM AND MARGARET ROBINSON