A Fourth lot of Bird-skins from Manchuria¹

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Mr. K. Mizuno has collected the following skins in Manchuria and sent me for identification. Among this collection, *Siphia mugimaki*, *Hemigurzetta enlophotes* and *Porzana fusca erythrothorax* seem to be new to the avifauna of Manchuria.

Family LANIIDÆ.

1. *Lanius sphenocercus sphenocercus* Cabanis.

♀ ad., Godôkô, 8. x. 1931 (no. 16). Wing 122; tail 142.5; tarsus 32.5; exposed culmen 17; entire culmen 29 mm.

This fine skin of the autumn plumage has its sides of body washed with pale greyish rosy.

Family MUSCICAPIDÆ.

2. *Siphia mugimaki* (Temminck).

♂ ad., Chinkô-zan, 13. v. 1930 (no. 17). Wing 75 mm.

♀, Godôkô, 19. v. 1931 (without number). Wing 68.5 mm.

This ♂ skin has its plumage very fine while the ♀ is duller and somewhat faded.

Family TURDIDÆ.

3. *Saxicola torquata stejnegeri* (Parrot).

♀ ad., Godôkô, 15. x. 1931 (no. 18). Wing 66.5 mm.

Family CUCULIDÆ.

4. *Hierococcyx fugax hyperythrus* (Gould).²

♀ juv., Godôkô, 27. v. 1931 (no. 15). Wing 193 mm.

1) Cf. "Tori," Vol. vii, no. 32, pp. 184-187 (Dec, 1931).

2) Cf. Stresemann, J. f. O., 1930, p. 308.

Family STRIGIDÆ.

5. *Strix uralensis* [? *japonica* or ? *nikolskii*].

♀ juv., Ichimenha (一面坡), N. Manchuria, 14. vii. 1931 (no. 20).
Wing 298, tail 195 mm.

This young specimen has much greyer quills and rectrices than in *japonica* from Hokkaido, Korea and Chôshun in S. Manchuria, but other parts of body still with juvenile downy feathers, so that I cannot determine the subspecific name.

Family FALCONIDÆ.

6. *Accipiter nisus nisosimilis* (Tickell).

♂ juv., Godôkô, S. x. 1931 (no. 14). Wing 205 mm.

This young ♂ of the form has very distinct rufous margins to the feathers on head, upper mantle, rump, upper tail-coverts and wing-coverts; the underparts, except chin and throat, are also strongly barred or mottled with rufous and dark brown; tail-feathers margined with cinnamon-rufous.

Family ARDEIDÆ.

7. *Hemigalazetta eulophotes* (Swinhoe).

♂ (juv.?), Nanshi (南市), 11. x. 1931 (no. 21). Wing 248; tarsus 91; exposed culmen 76.5; tail 84 mm.

Upper mandible and tip (29 mm.) of lower mandible black (with extreme tip horny); basal half of sides of upper mandible and basal two-thirds of lower mandible yellow (from a month older skin).

The nuchal crest of this specimen is very short, only 39 mm. in length.

This is probably the first time that the egret is recorded from Manchuria, though it is known from Ussuri in summer.

Family ANATIDÆ.

8. *Querquedula querquedula* (Linnæus).

♂ ad. (breeding plumage), Ryôga, 3. iv. 1931 (no. 7). Wing 185 mm.

Underparts especially the chest is very strongly stained with rusty.

9. *Nyroca rufa baeri* (Radde).

♀ ad., Eikô, 24. iii. 1928 (no. 3). Wing 198 mm.

♂ ad., Ryôga, 3. iv. 1931 (no. 1). Wing 207 mm.

This pochard is one of the rarest diving ducks in Japan, but it seems to be not very rare in S. Manchuria.

10. *Nyroca fuligula* (Linnaeus).

♀ ad., no loc. and no date (no. 6). Wing 190 mm.

♀ juv., Eikô, 28. iii. 1927 (no. 5). Wing 190 mm.

11. *Nyroca marila mariloides* (Vigors).

♀ ad., Yalu River, 1. iv. 1931 (no. 4). Wing 205 mm. With of white patch near base of bill 14 mm. Back with rather distinct vermiculations.

12. *Bucephala clangula clangula* (Linnaeus).

♀ juv., Ryôga, 24. iii. 1928 (no. 2). Wing 202 mm.

Underparts is very distinctly stained with rusty, especially so on the chest.

Family SCOLOPACIDÆ.

13. *Erolia alpina sakhalina* (Vieillot).

♂ ad. hiem., Nanshi, 11. x. 1931 (no. 9). Wing 115. exposed culmen 36 mm.

Family CHARADRIIDÆ.

14. *Pluvialis apricarius fulvus* (Gmelin).

♂ juv., Santô Rôtô (三頭浪頭), 15. ix. 1931 (no. 13). Wing 167.5 mm.

Family LARIDÆ.

15. *Chlidonias leucoptera* (Temminck).

♀ juv. in 1st plumage. Yalu River, 14. ix. 1931 (no. 8). Wing 194, tail 71.5; tarsus 18; exposed culmen 23 mm.

Family RALLIDÆ.

16. *Rallus aquaticus indicus* Blyth.

♀ ad., Yûgakuji, vi. 1927 (no. 10). Wing 139 mm.

17. *Porzana fusca erythrothorax* (Temm. & Schl.).

♀ ad., Yûgakuji, 10. vii. 1927 (no. 12). Wing 107 mm.

This specimen has a very pale vinous-red chest. It seems to be faded in this season (July).

18. *Porzana paykullii* (Liungh).

♂ ad., Shichidôkô (安東七道溝), 6. vi. 1929 (no. 11). Wing 129.5 mm.

Chest very deep cinnamon rufous and sides of chest deep reddish chestnut.

19. *Gallix cinerea* (Gmelin).

♂ ad., Suigenchi at Antô, 3. vi. 1928 (no. 21). Wing 207; culmen including shield 63 mm.

♀ juv., Rokudôkô, 4. viii. 1931 (no. 22). Wing 161; culmen including shield 41 mm.

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齋 藤 源 三 郎

47. マ ヒ ワ

渡り鳥にして年に依りて、多數渡來するときと、極少數の渡來することあり。

大正 13 年、多數渡來す。

昭和 3 年、少數渡來す。

同 14 年、少數渡來す。

同 4 年、同。

同 15 年、同。

同 5 年、同。

昭和 2 年、多數渡來す。

48. カ ハ ラ ヒ ワ

方言。カラヒワ (長生、印旛、千葉、東葛飾、夷隅) カラヒヤ (印旛、千葉) カラヒバ (長生、安房) コロヒワ (市原) キョロヒハ (市原) 以上は何れも訛れるもの。ヒワ (山武) 略せるもの。カハラヒバリ (君津) 河原に棲むために。

鳴聲。ジェンー、ジェンー (長生) チイ、チイ (安房)。

棲息多し、千葉市の如き人家稠密なる所にて庭園に來りて營巢する。昭和二年千葉市七二六木村直樹氏の庭の梅樹に營巢して、三羽巢立す。

昭和四年某日千葉市七二六中村氏のアヲギリの庭木に、巢立つて間もない