E.A. 1913-15
Ornithology
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FIELD NOTE BOOK

CROCKER LAND EXPEDITION

1913 - 1915

× Common
★ Casual
† Rare
? Questionable
ø Range or home unknown

2 Colymbus holboellii ★
Holboell's grebe.

3 C. auritus ★
Horned grebe.

7 Gavia immer ×
Common Loon

8 G. adamsi †
Yellow-billed Loon.

9 G. arctica ×
Black-throated Loon.

10 G. stellata ×
Red-throated Loon.

11. Fratercula arctica arctica †
Puffin

13a F. a. naumanni †
Large billed Puffin

12 Lunda cirrhata †
Tufted Puffin

27 Cepphus grylle ?
Black Guillemot

28 Cepphus mandti ★ ✓
Mandt's Guillemot

30 Uria troille troille ×'
Murre

31 Uria lomvia lomvia ×' ✓
Brünnich's Murre

32 Alca torda ?
Razor-billed Auk

33 Plautus impennis ?
Great Auk.

34 Alle alle × ✓
Dovekie

35 Megalestris skua ×
Skua

36 Stercorarius pomarinus ×'
Pomarine Jaeger

37 S. parasiticus × ✓
Parasitic Jaeger

38 S. longicaudis × ✓
Long-tailed Jaeger

39 Pagophila alba × ✓
Ivory Gull.

40 Rissa tridactyla tridactyla ✓ ×
Kittiwake

42 Larus hyperboreus × ✓
Glaucous Gull.

43 L. leucopterus ×
Iceland Gull

45 L. kumlieni ×
Kumlien's Gull.

47 L. marinus ✝
Great black-backed Gull

50 L. affinis ✝
Siberian Gull

51 L. argentatus ✝?
Herring Gull

54 L. delawarensis ?
Ring-billed Gull

61 Rhodostethia rosea ✝
Ross's Gull

62 Xema sabini ★ ✓
Sabine's Gull

70 Sterna hirundo ×
Common Tern

71 S. paradisæa × ✓
Arctic Tern

86 Fulmarus glacialis glacialis × ✓
Fulmar

88 Puffinus borealis ?
Cory's Shearwater

90 Puffinus puffinus ?
Manx Shearwater

95 Puffinus griseus ?
Sooty Shearwater.

101 Bulweria bulwer ✝
Bulwer's Petrel

117 Sula bassana
Gannet ?

119 Phalacrocorax carbo ?
Cormorant.

130 Mergus serrator * ✓
Red-breasted Merganser

132 Anas platyrhynchos ✓
Mallard

136 Mareca penelope ?
European Otidgeon.

139 Nettion carolinense ?
Greenwinged Teal.

143 Dafila acuta ?
Pintail

144 Marila affinis ✓
Lesser Scaup Duck

152 Clangula islandica ✓
Barrow's Golden-eye

153 Charitonetta albeola ✓
Bufflehead.

155 Histrionicus histrionicus ✓
Harlequin Duck

156 Camptorhynchus labradorius ?
Labrador Duck

157 Polysticta stelleri ?
Steller's Eider.

159 Somateria mollissima borealis X
Northern Eider.

160 Somateria dresseri √X
American Eider

162 Somateria spectabilis √ X
King Eider

164 Oidemia ~~deglandi~~ fusci ?
Velvet Scoter.

166 O. perspicillata ?
Surf Scoter

169a Chen hyperboreus nivalis √ +

169.1 C. caerulescens Ø
Blue Goose

171 Anser albifrons albifrons ?'
European White-fronted Goose.

171.1 A. fabalis
Bean Goose ?'

171.2 Anser brachyrhynchus ?
Pink-footed goose.

173 Branta bernicla glaucogastra ✓x
Brant

175. Branta leucopsis ?
Barnacle Goose

180 Olor columbianus ?
W. whistling Swan

181 O. buccinator ?
Trumpeter Swan.

179 O. Cygnus ?
W. hooping Swan

214 Porzana carolina ?
Sora

213 P. porzana ?
Spotted Crake

217 Crex crex ?
Corn Crake

220 Fulica atra ?
European Coot

221 Fulica americana ?
Coot

222 Phalaropus fulicarius × ✓
Red Phalarope

223 Lobipes lobatus × ✓
Northern Phalarope.

229 Gallinago gallinago ?
European Snipe.

231 Macrorhamphus griseus griseus ?
Dowitcher

234 Tringa canutus × ✓
Knot

235 Arquatella maritima maritima ×
Purple Sandpiper.

239 Pisobia macutata * ✓
Pectoral Sandpiper.

240 P. fuscicollis ?
Whiterumped Sandpiper.

242 P. minutilla ?
Least Sandpiper.

248 Calidris leucophaea ✗ ✓
Sanderling

252
~~27~~ Limosa limosa ?
Black-tailed Godwit

256 Helodromas solitarius solitarius ?
Solitary Sandpiper

260 Machetes pugnax ?
Ruff or Reev

267 Numenius phaeopus ?
Whimbrel

270 Squatarola squatarola ✓
Black-bellied Plover ?

272 Charadrius dominicus dominicus ?
Golden Plover

274 Aegialitis semipalmata ?
Semi-palmated Plover

275 A. hiaticula ?
Ringed Plover. ✓

283 Arenaria interpres interpres ✓
Turnstone

301 Lagopus lagopus lagopus ×
Willow Ptarmigan

302a Lagopus rupestris reinhardi ?
Reinhardt's Ptarmigan

351 Haliaeetus albicilla
Gray Sea Eagle.

353 Falco islandus ✓
White Gyrfalcon

354 Falco rusticolus rusticolus ?
Gray Gyrfalcon

354a. Falco rusticolus gyrfalco ×
Gyrfalcon

356 Falco peregrinus anatum ?
Duck Hawk

376 Nyctea nyctea × ✓
Snowy Owl

486 Corvus corax principalis ✓ ×
Northern Raven

527 Acanthis hornemanni hornemanni? ✓
Greenland Redpoll

528 Acanthis linaria rostrata .?
Greater redpoll

534 Plectrophenax nivalis nivalis ✓ ×
Snow Bunting

536 Calcarius lapponicus lapponicus ✓ ×
Lapland Longspur

765a Saxicola oenanthe leucorhoa

List of birds observed in North-east Greenland, by "Danmark-expeditionen til Grønlands Nordøstkyst 1906-08 as recorded by A. L. V. Mauricke in Vol. V. # 1. Separate from Meddelelser om Grønland 45

1. Fulegula marila ϕ
   Measured. Few notes.
   2 birds seen.
2. Pagonetta glacialis +
   Measured. Good notes.
   Common.
3. Somateria mollissima +
   Measured Fair notes
   Common.
4. Somateria spectabilis +
   Measured Good notes
   Common.
5. Mergus serrator ● +
   No notes
   1 bird seen
6. Anser torquatus typicus ⊕
   Measured. Few notes
   Several seen in migration

* nesting - found. not found ⊛
+ probably nesting
ϕ accidental visitors
v only on pack ice and rarely.

7 Anser leucopsis ⊛
Measured. Good notes.
Many seen. Nesting place on cliff.

8 Lagopus mutus ✱
Measured. Good notes & photos.
Many seen. Plumages studied

9 Colymbus septentrionalis ✱
Measured. Good notes.
Common. Habits noted

10 Colymbus glacialis ∅
Seen seen; but few notes.

11 Fulmarus glacialis ⊛
Measured; good notes.
Common. Notes on proportion of light & dark

12 Aegialitis hiaticula ✱
Measured. Good notes
Common. Notes on habits

13 Strepsilas interpres ✱
Measured. Good notes
Common. Notes on habits

14 Tringa maritima ∅ +
Measured; ~~Few~~ notes
~~Common~~ Rare. Habits in mating & breeding

15 Tringa canutus ⊛
Measured. Good notes on habits in breeding and mating time
Common - about 30 pairs

16 Tringa alpina ✱
Measured Good notes.
Common. Habits noted.

17 Calidris arenaria ✱
Measured. Good notes & photos.
Common. Nesting habits noted.

18 Phalaropus fulicarius ✱
Measured. Good notes & photos.
Common. Nesting habits described.

19 Larus leucopterus +
Few notes.
Not common.

20 Larus glaucus ✱
Measured. Fair notes.
Common.

21 Larus tridactylus ⊛
Few notes.
Rare.

22 Larus eburneus ✱
Measured. Good notes & photos.
Numerous. Nesting habits recorded

23 Larus sabini ✱
Measured. Good notes & photos
Common. Nesting habits noted.

24 Sterna macrura ✱
Measured. Fair notes & photo
Common.

25 Lestris longicauda ✱
Measured. Good notes & photo
Common. Nesting habits described

26 Lestris parasitica ∨
Doubtful.

27 Lestris pomatorhina ∨
One seen.

28 Cepphus grylle ✱
Measured. Few notes.

29 Uria arra +
Measured Few notes

30 Mergulus alle ∨
Measured. Few notes.

31 Alca torda ✱ ϕ
One seen.

32 Falco gyrfalco ✱
Measured. Good notes.
Common but not numerous. Nesting

33 Nyctea nivea ⊛
Measured Good notes
Common. General habits

34 Corvus corax ⊛
Measured. Fair notes
Common

35 Saxicola ornanthe +
Measured. Few notes

36 Cannabina linaria ϕ +
Measured. Few notes.
Rare.

37 Emberiza lapponica ϕ
Very few notes.

38 Emberiza nivalis ✱
Measured. Fair notes & photo.
Most common.

Mannichi's notes are good and deserve considerable study. In many cases he gives much information about American birds some of which are but little known. His notes on Pinnga cauntus and Calidris leucophaea are particularly good. His descriptions and paintings of the plumages of the ptarmigan are unique – if it be Richardson's ptarmigan that he describes, and I suppose it is. On the whole it is the best account I have found anywhere, of the habits and habitats of these high arctic forms, of which we have many representatives here.

Observations on Time of Submergence of Little Auks and Murres Diving. Off Cape Wolsingham, August 11, 1913. Ekblaw-Observer Tanquary recorder.

Little Auks				Murres.	
No.	Time	No	Time	No	Time
6	23 sec.	5	35	2	17
2	32 "	30	30	2	13
1	45 "	15	27	1	15
40	15 "	#1	68		
3	35 "	2	15	# Shot at with	
8	17 "	3	18	.22 rifle.	
11	22 "	2	45		
16	25 "	10	17		
4	20 "	15	20		
4	17 "	1	17		
1	22 "	2	16		
2	25	15	25		
4	22	2	25		
3	17	6	28		
2	42	20	22		
1	30	12	29		
1	20	200	93		
1	17	7	32		
3	17	20	23		
2	20	27	29		
#	~~45~~	# 73	60		
4	17	50	38		
3	30	60	45		
2	35	20	27		
2	45	30	35		
2	40	4	19		

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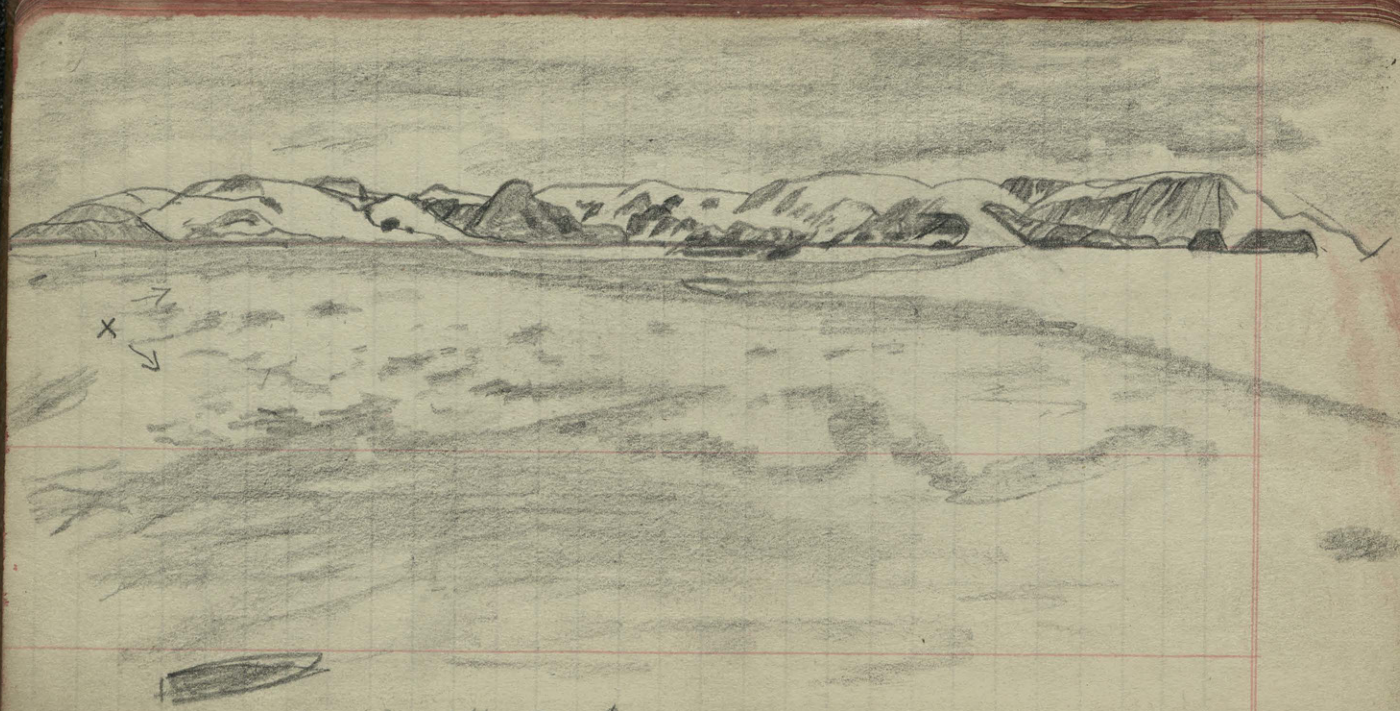


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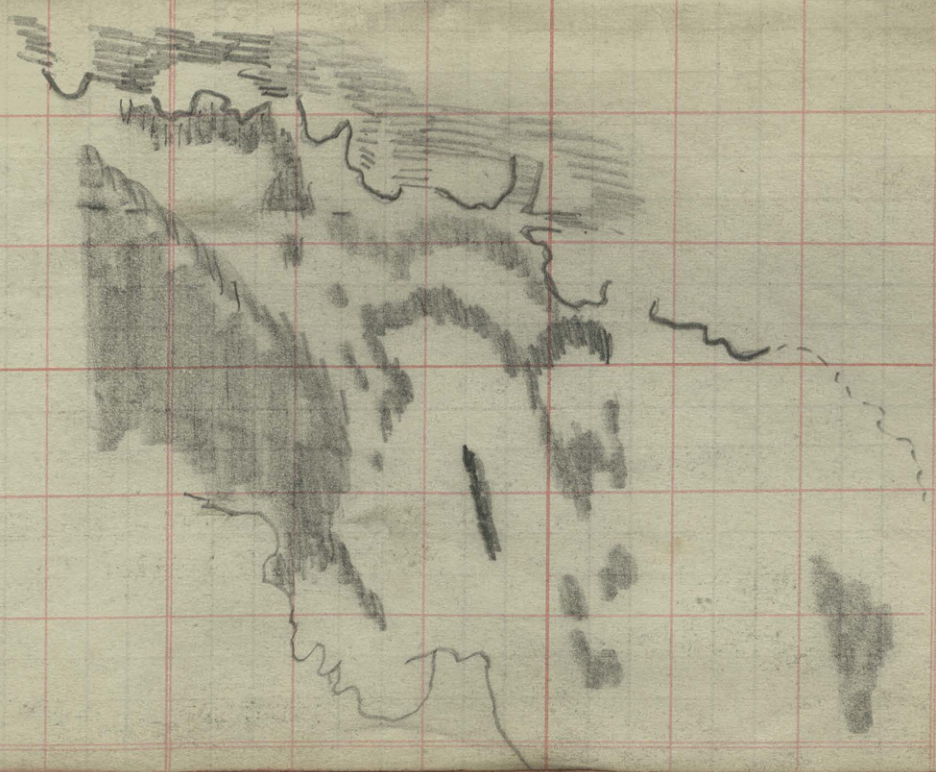
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Glacier along Tanquary
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