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## SOME NEW BIRD RECORDS IN THE PALNI HILLS, SOUTH INDIA

In the last week of October 1954, I had the opportunity of making a small collection of birds around Shembaganur, 6,000 ft. elevation in the Palni Hills. These have been identified by the Society and I am informed that the following are not listed by Fairbank and Terry from this area (Stray Feathers Vol. 5, Pp. 387-410 & Vol. 10, Pp. 467-480):

Microtarsus poioicephala in foothills ca. 1000'.

Rhipidura aureola compressirostris. (In the Eastern Ghats Report, JBNHS, Vol. 36, Pp. 92, Whistler doubted Fairbanks's record since the latter had omitted R. pectoralis).

Strix i. indranee Astur t. trivirgatus Accipiter nisus nisosimilis

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