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Collection Overview

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Descriptive Entry

This accession consists of field notes, research, and catalogue records created or maintained by Roger B. Clapp. Clapp worked in the Biological Survey Unit, Patuxent Wildlife Research Center, United States Geological Survey from 1970 until his retirement in December of 2011. (In 1989, the Biological Survey Unit was called the Biological Survey Group, National Ecology Research Center, United States Fish and Wildlife Service.) His research interests included hole-nesting birds, birds of Virginia, and birds of the Pacific Ocean.

The majority of these records relate to his earlier work with the Pacific Ocean Biological Survey Program (POBSP). These records consist of field notebooks created by Clapp and others conducting a biological survey of islands in the Pacific Ocean (see Record Unit 245). A small portion of this collection consists of catalogue records, manuscripts, and field notes of birds in Virginia and Florida. Materials include field notebooks and manuscripts.

Names and Subject Terms

This collection is indexed in the online catalog of the Smithsonian Institution under the following terms:

Subjects:

Biology -- Fieldwork
Birds
Pacific Ocean Biological Survey Program
Scientific surveys

Types of Materials:

Field notes
Manuscripts

Names:

Clapp, Roger B.
Patuxent Wildlife Research Center

Geographic Names:

Florida
Islands of the Pacific
Virginia

Container Listing

Box 1

- Box 1 of 2 Fleet Ocean Tug (ATF) Trip no. 2: Hawaii, 6/7/1963-6/25/1963; Phoenix Islands, 7/6/1963-7/16/1963
- Box 1 of 2 ATF Trip no. 3: Phoenix Islands, 10/9/1963-11/20/1963
- Box 1 of 2 Catalogue for Midway Atoll: Specimens, Banding, Daily Records, 12/1/1963-12/20/1963
- Box 1 of 2 Operation Record for Kure Island (Book I), 12/9/1963-2/20/1965
- Box 1 of 2 Banding and Recovery for Kure Island (Book II), 1/15/1964-6/28/1964
- Box 1 of 2 ATF Trip no. 4: Phoenix Islands and Line Islands, 2/8/1964-4/3/1964
- Box 1 of 2 Southern Island Cruise (SIC) ATF Trip no. 5: Phoenix Islands and Line Islands, 6/5/1964-7/22/1964
- Box 1 of 2 SIC ATF Trip no. 5: Howland Island, 7/22/1964-7/25/1964
- Box 1 of 2 SIC ATF Trip no. 6: Phoenix Islands and Line Islands, 10/7/1964-11/11/1964
- Box 1 of 2 SIC ATF Trip no. 6: Phoenix Islands and Line Islands Band Book, 11/11/1964-11/28/1964; Jarvis Island Cats, 11/15/1964-11/18/1964
- Box 1 of 2 SIC ATF Trip no. 7: Phoenix Islands, Line Islands, and Tokelau Islands Band Records, 2/1/1965-3/13/1965
- Box 1 of 2 SIC ATF Trip no. 7: Line Islands Band Records, 3/14/1965-3/18/1965
- Box 1 of 2 SIC Trip no. 8: Howland Island, Phoenix Islands, and Line Islands Returns and Recoveries, 5/14/1965-7/1/1965
- Box 1 of 2 SIC Trip no. 9: Howland Island, Phoenix Islands, and Baker Island, 9/16/1965-10/30/1965
- Box 1 of 2 SIC Trip no. 11: Baker Island, Howland Island, Phoenix Islands, and Line Islands Banding, Returns, and Recoveries, 2/5/1966-3/14/1966
- Box 1 of 2 SIC Trip no. 12: Howland Island, Phoenix Islands, and Line Islands Banding, Returns, Recoveries, Nest Counts, and Shorebird Counts, 3/31/1966-5/16/1966
- Box 1 of 2 Island Catalogue of Specimens, 6106-6200, 6401-6519, 6/1966
- Box 1 of 2 SIC Trip no. 14: Baker Island, Phoenix Islands, Howland Island, and Line Islands, 7/12/1966-8/17/1966

- Box 1 of 2 SIC Trip no. 15: Island Catalogue, 6692-6772, 9/10/1966-10/13/1966
- Box 1 of 2 SIC Trip no. 19: Phoenix Islands, Line Islands, and Howland Island Banding Catalogue, 6/14/1968-7/17/1968
- Box 1 of 2 Band Catalogue: Oahu and Kauai, 11/1963-4/1969
- Box 1 of 2 District of Columbia (D.C.) Miscellaneous Catalogue, 10528-11381, 5/1962-3/1969

Box 2

- Box 2 of 2 Washington Skin Catalogue: School Collection, 1964-1968
- Box 2 of 2 Cross Reference Catalogue I: 0001-1900, 5000-6000, 10000-11000, 20000-21000, 25000-26000, 30000-31000, 40000-41000
- Box 2 of 2 Cross Reference Catalogue II: 15000-15075, 110000-110519, 26000-26411, 197800-197820, 105000-105229, 140000-140700
- Box 2 of 2 Cross Reference Catalogue III: 1900-2980, 6000-7200, 11000-11385, 50000-50240, 51980-52219, 53000-53073, 55055-55058
- Box 2 of 2 Red-footed Booby Color Phases, 1964-1965
- Box 2 of 2 Red-footed Booby Color Phases, 1966
- Box 2 of 2 Fanning Island, 6/18/1968-6/22/1968
- Box 2 of 2 Moku Manu Island, 4/11/1969-4/13/1969
- Box 2 of 2 Great Falls, Virginia, 5/10/1969-5/30/1969; Canton Island, 4/11/1969-4/13/1969 (also includes a bird count at an unknown location, 8/23/1968, and an order list for birds of Necker Island) Canton Island, 4/14/1971-4/18/1971 (also includes notes on Enderbury Island and Hull Island)
- Box 2 of 2 Enderbury Island, 4/18/1971-4/21/1971
- Box 2 of 2 Enderbury Island, 4/22/1971-4/26/1971; Sydney Island, 4/23/1971; Birnie Island, 4/26(?) /1971; Hull Island, 4/26/1971; Canton Island, 4/26/1971-4/27/1971
- Box 2 of 2 Canton Island, 5/28/1973-6/19/1973
- Box 2 of 2 Birnie Island, 5/30/1973-6/18/1973 (also includes notes on Canton Island)
- Box 2 of 2 Enderbury Island, 5/31/1973-6/1/1973 (also includes notes on Hull Island)
- Box 2 of 2 Canton Island and Hull Island, 6/4/1973-6/6/1973
- Box 2 of 2 Sydney Island, 6/7/1973-6/9/1973

Box 2 of 2	Enderbury Island, 6/11/1973-6/15/1973
Box 2 of 2	Canton Island, 3/19/1975-3/20/1975; Enderbury Island, 3/20/1975, 4/2/1975; Birnie Island, 3/20/1975-3/22/1975
Box 2 of 2	Canton Island, 3/23/1975-3/24/1975, 3/25/1975-3/27/1975; Hull Island, 3/24/1975-3/25/1975; Enderbury Island, 3/25/1975; Gardner Island, 3/27/1975-3/30/1975 (also includes rats recorded on Enderbury Island, 9/30/1974)
Box 2 of 2	Canton Island, 3/30/1975-3/31/1975; McKean Island, 3/31/1975-4/1/1975
Box 2 of 2	Canton Island, 4/11/1975; Data on Lost Data
Box 2 of 2	Daily Logbook, 12/15/1988-5/18/1989
Box 2 of 2	Daily Logbook, 5/20/1989-6/18/1989
Box 2 of 2	Daily Logbook, 6/18/1989-6/23/1989
Box 2 of 2	Daily Logbook (Banding Record), 7/8/1989-8/5/1989
Box 2 of 2	Daily Logbook, 6/25/1989-12/30/1989
Box 2 of 2	Florida, 10/19/1989-10/31/1989