

Howard County Bird Club

A Chapter of the Maryland Ornithological Society (MOS)

Field Trip: Saturday, June 25, 2011

Trip Leader: Dr. Earle Havens, Curator of rare books and manuscripts, Johns Hopkins Libraries

Date of Trip: Saturday, June 25, 2011

Location: Garrett Library of Evergreen House

Details: A chance to see:

- Audubon's double elephant folio of the *Birds of North America*, (1827-1838)
- Chromolithographically illustrated portfolio volumes representing the many ornithological surveys of exotic corners of the world of John Gould
- and more

Number on trip: 10

Birds seen in volumes in the library:

- Harlequin Duck – 3
- Carolina Parakeet – 5
- Black-billed Cuckoo – 2
- Ivory-billed Woodpecker – 1
- Pileated Woodpecker – 1
- Red-bellied Woodpecker – 1
- Hairy Woodpecker - 1
- Northern Flicker – 1
- Red-headed Woodpecker – 2
- Passenger Pigeon – 1
- White-crowned Pigeon – 1
- Bobolink – 1
- Brown-headed Nuthatch – 1
- Rainbow Lorikeet – 1
- Twelve-wired Bird of Paradise - 1
- Princess Helena's Coquette – 1
- Shrike species - 3
- and many, many more...

Birds seen outside the library:

- Red-tailed Hawk – 1
- House Wren – 1
- American Robins
- Gray Catbirds

But what was outside was not the purpose of this trip!

Comments:

Trip arrangements by Jim Lubitz

Bird lists by Kurt Schwarz