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TWO BIG GOLD STARS GO TO GEORGE DORSEY! George, who is a member of the faculty at Darlington School, was named by Rome Star Student, Henry Linton Smith, Jr., as his Star Teacher. Later they were selected as Star Student and Teacher of the Seventh District. Early in April they will go to Athens where the Star Student and Teacher of the State will be chosen. Congratulations to George on this honor.

THE NATURAL HISTORY CLUB, in the valley area of West Point - Pine Mountain, is continually growing. The club at last report had thirty-nine members. Dr. Julian Dusi, of Auburn University, is at the helm, Grace Whiteman is Vice President and Sue Chambliss is Secretary.

TO WIN SHAUGHNESSY - our very best wishes in his new position as Curator of Natural History at the State Museum, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania. We will miss Win's interest and enthusiasm at G. O. S. and the Callaway Gardens.

AUDUBON CAMPS for the 1961 season sound better than ever! Get your reservation in right away and be assured of a never-to-be-forgotten vacation.

CATHERINE CLARK REPORTS FROM ST. SIMONS that the Sea Island Company has recently published a list of Birds of Sea Island, St. Simons Island and Glynn County. The list, very attractively done, indicates permanent, summer, winter residents, transient and rare birds. Copies are free for the asking.

HILTON HEAD ISLAND was the scene of a meeting of the Carolina Bird Club in January. A number of G. O. S. members from Augusta, Milledgeville, and Sandersville enjoyed the meeting with the Carolina folks.

EDITH AND DR. FRED CRENSHAW (formerly of Rome) send interesting news from their home at Oregon Audubon Society Sanctuary, not far from Portland. The Sanctuary consists of some thirty acres of woodland with good trails, a creek, and a lake. The Crenshaws are furnished a home on the Sanctuary grounds where also is located Audubon House, used for meetings which they arrange. Other duties include keeping the trails open and membership up to date. A grand set-up for a grand couple!

DR. ROBERT NORRIS is at the present teaching (on a temporary basis) at the University of Puerto Rico, Mayaguez. We would enjoy news of his birding and other activities there.

JOTTINGS: HAROLD PETERS is in New York where he is preparing a paper which he will present at the New Jersey Mosquito Extermination Association in Atlantic City. BEN MAULSBY and GEORGE DORSEY, of Rome, will appear on the program at the meeting of the Atlanta Bird Club on April 11. MILTON HOPKINS, Editor of The Oriole, is just back from Mexico where he added a number of species to his life list. LEE MARSHALL, graduate of Auburn, is now in charge of the Nature Education Program at Callaway Gardens. GORDON ANDERSON was recently the recipient of a beautiful gold watch upon completion of twenty-five years at the Rome plant of the Celanese Corporation of America. MRS. MAY WOODY, world traveler of Atlanta, is off on another extensive trip.

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