

RECOVERIES OF RINGED BIRDS

Several sea birds ringed as nesting adults in previous years were caught at the same sites in 1953: two Fulmars ringed in 1952; a Kittiwake ringed in 1947, and one ringed in 1951; two Guillemots of 1951 and one of 1952. The 1947 Kittiwake must have been at least eight years old. Numerous other auks and Kittiwakes bearing rings were seen, but could not be caught.

Nine 1953 Shag nestlings had been recovered by the end of the year, one in Pembrokeshire, two N. Cornwall, three S. Cornwall, one S. Devon and one Finistère. Recoveries from earlier years are listed below.

A Whitethroat ringed on Jersey 17th August 1952, was caught in the Terrace Trap 6th May 1953.

Some other recoveries:—

Species	Ring No.	Ringed Date		Date Recovered	Place Recovered
		As	Ringed		
Shearwater	AT 6193	A	27/6/50	7/5/53	Baie d'Audierne, Finistère
Cormorant	510400	N	26/6/53	7/9/53	Ste. Marie du Mont, Manche
Shag	508933	N	8/7/52	-/3/53	Braunton, N. Devon
Shag	508934	N	8/7/53	-/11/53	Salcombe, S. Devon
Shag	505059	N	13/7/48	4/10/53	Falmouth, Cornwall
(Ringed by R. H. Poulding)					
Woodcock	239107	A	31/10/51	11/10/53	Nr Aalesund, Norway
Gt Black-back	407791	N	9/6/52	15/2/53	Bude, Cornwall
Herring-Gull	AF 7256	N	30/6/53	end/8/53	Ilfracombe, N. Devon
Herring-Gull	AF 1437	N	24/6/53	15/9/53	Swansea
Kittiwake	365007	—	-/7/52	20/6/53	Abererch, Nr Pwllheli
Kittiwake	362580	N	26/7/51	16/8/53	Portland Bill, Dorset
Kittiwake	364688	N	8/7/52	end/11/53	On ship, 30 m. S. of Cork
Razorbill	AX 8237	N	19/7/51	3/3/53	Genoa, Italy
Razorbill	AT 10459	N	8/7/52	27/2/53	Genoa, Italy
Razorbill	AT 10762	N	24/6/53	18/8/53	Braunton, N. Devon
Razorbill	AT 10764	N	24/6/53	6/11/53	Faro, Algarve, Portugal
Guillemot	AT 10445	N	8/7/52	6/1/53	Marseilles, France
Guillemot	AT 10552	—	-/7/52	22/11/53	Nr Rye, Sussex
Guillemot	AX 8067	A	18/7/51	25/11/52	Douarnenez, Finistère
Guillemot	AX 7827	A	5/7/51	22/2/53	Treyarnon Bay, N. Cornwall
Guillemot	AX 7880	N	15/7/51	4/12/53	Whitsand Bay, S. Cornwall
Guillemot	AX 7849	N	15/7/51	12/3/53	Winsford, Somerset
Guillemot	AX 8076	N	18/7/51	2/4/53	Rame Head, Cornwall
Guillemot	AT 6121	A	13/7/47	-/5/53	Castle Martin, Pembroke
Guillemot	AT 6220	A	14/7/50	23/5/53	Freshwater East, Pembroke
Guillemot	AT 10929	N	4/7/53	16/8/53	Chesil Beach, Dorset
Raven	407780	N	17/4/51	10/6/53	Winsford, Somerset
Blackbird	R 8708 1st W.	W.	15/11/52	10/2/53	St Just in Roseland, Cornwall
Meadow Pipit	JV 836	N	3/6/53	27/12/53	Aviero, Portugal
Spotted Flycatcher	B 27099	J	15/9/53	mid/10/53	Nr Rabat, Morocco
Starling	R 8586	A	22/10/52	-/6/53	Delfstrahuizen, Holland
Starling	X 38481	A	15/2/53	28/10/53	Nr Nieuport, Belgium
Starling	X 38563	A	24/2/53	mid/12/53	Delabole, Cornwall