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LITTLE GREBE: (3) POKHARA NOV 17TH 1993.

CORMORANT: (PRESENT) CHITWAN NOV 15TH 1993.

POND HERON: COMMON IN ALL AREAS VISITED.

LITTLE EGRET: " " " " " ROOST OF MANY 100'S CENTRAL KATHMANDU. NOV.

GREAT WHITE EGRET: (1) NOV 9TH KATHMANDU VALLEY, (1) NOV 14TH CHITWAN.

INTERMEDIATE EGRET: CHITWAN NOV 14TH, POKHARA NOV 19TH.

LITTLE EGRET: KATHMANDU VALLEY NOV 9TH, CHITWAN NOV 14TH.

NIGHT HERON: (1) 1ST WINTER CHOGAR GORGE NOV 28TH.

BLACK STORK: (1) LUMBINI DEC 2ND

LESSER ADJUTANT: (1) ONCE UPON RIVER NOV 14TH.

MALARD: (1000) POKHARA PHOWA TAL NOV 19TH.

POHARA: (650) POKHARA PHOWA TAL NOV 19TH

HONEY BUZZARD (Ptilorhynchus?): (1) CHITWAN NOV 15TH, (1) NAGAJUNG NOV 21ST, (1) CHOGAR GORGE NOV 28TH

BLACK KITE: COMMON IN ALL AREAS VISITED.

GOSHAWK: (1) NOV 5TH ABOVE KATHMANDU.

SPARROWHAWK: (1) NOV 10TH, 11TH, 12TH, (2) NOV 9TH ABOVE KATHMANDU, (1) CHITWAN NOV 15TH.

STEEL BUZZARD: (4) POKHARA PHOWA TAL NOV 19TH, (1) POKHARA NOV 21TH

BOOTED EAGLE: (1) SIKHARA NOV 23RD, (2) CHOGAR AREA NOV 28TH, (1) LUMBINI DEC 2ND. ALL DARK PHASE BIRDS.

STEPPE EAGLE: NOTED OFTEN IN KATHMANDU VALLEY. ALSO (1) LUMBINI DEC 2ND.

SPOTTED EAGLE: (2) NAGAJUNG NOV 21ST.

AQUILA EAGLE: (2) POKHARA NOV 15TH

BLACK EAGLE: (NONE) OFTEN ALONG KATHMANDU VALLEY.

HIMALAYAN GRIFFIN: (2) POKHARA NOV 17TH

WHITE-BELLIED VENTURE: (50) LUMBINI DEC 2ND.

ENGLISH WRENCH: (1) AD POKHARA NOV 19TH.

PIED HARRIER: (1) DEC 1ST/2ND LUMBINI

PEREGRINE FALCON: (1) TAKING HOSE CLOS KATHMANDU NOV 6TH, (1) POKHARA NOV 17TH

KESTRIS: (1) KATHMANDU NOV 20TH, (1) CHOGAR GORGE NOV 28TH.

KAREJ PHEASANT: (5) POKHARA NOV. 12TH

BLUE PHEASANT: (COMMON) CHITWAN NOV 15TH

SARUS CRANE: (3) LUMBINI DEC 2ND

WHITE-BELLIED WATWITTEL: (COMMON) KATHMANDU AREA, (NONE) CHITWAN NOV 16TH

COOT: (3) ON LAKE POKHARA WAS ONLY RECORD.

RED WATTLED DROVER: (3) ON RIVER IN CHITWAN NOV 16TH

RIVER PLOVER: (4) BARUNT GAON NOV 17TH.

LITTLE RUMPLED FLOWER: (1) ALONG RAFTI, CHITWAN NOV 14TH, (FEW) BASANT GAUN NOV 28TH.

GREENSHANK: (1) ALONG RAFTI, CHITWAN NOV 14TH/15TH

GREENSWALLOW: (6) CHITWAN NOV 28TH

WOODSWALLOW: (1) CHITWAN NOV 16TH

COMMON SANDPIPER: (1) CHITWAN NOV 28TH

TEMPLE SPURGEON: (2) ALONG RAFTI, CHITWAN NOV 14TH

BLACK-HEADED GULL: (1) CHITWAN ON RAFTI, NOV 16TH.

YELLOW-NECKED GREEN PIGEON: (1000) KUMBHINI, DEC 2ND

ROCK DOVE: COMMON.

RUFOUS THROAT DOVE: (NOTED) PHULCHOWKI, NOV 12TH.

SPOTTED DOVE: (NOTED) CHITWAN, KARTHIK VALLEY, KUMBHINI.

ANERAS: (NOTED) CHITWAN NOV 14TH-16TH.

RUBY-N-PARAKEET: (NOTED) IN AN AREA.

BLOSSOM-HEADED PARAKEET: NABHA ONLY DEC 2ND.

GREATER COUCAL: (COMMON) CHITWAN NOVEMBER.

SPOTTED LITTLE OWL: (1) ROOSTED IN TREE CENTRAL KATHMANDU NOV 5TH-21ST, (1) KUMBHINI DEC 2ND.

LITTLE SWIFT: (COMMON) KATHMANDU.

PIED KINGFISHER: (COMMON) ON RAFTI, CHITWAN NOV 16TH, (NOTED) POKHARA NOV 19TH

COMMON KINGFISHER: (1) NOV 14TH, 16TH ON RAFTI, CHITWAN, (NOTED) NOV 19TH POKHARA, DEC 2ND KUMBHINI.

WHITE THROATED KINGFISHER: (COMMON)

LITTLE GREEN BEE EATER: (5) CHITWAN NEPAL NOV 14TH.

HOOPOE: (NOTED) CHITWAN NOV 14TH-16TH.

BLUE THROATED TROGLODITE: (1) POKHARA NOV 18TH, (1) MONKEY TEMPLE KATHMANDU NOV 5TH

COBBERSMITH TROGLODITE: (PRESENT) CHITWAN, POKHARA NOV. (COMMON) KUMBHINI DEC 2ND

SPECKLED FICUS: (1) NOV 15TH GODAVARI BOTANICAL GARDENS, KATHMANDU JAWAY.

ANFUS WOODPECKER: (1) CHITWAN NOV 14TH.

GREY HEADED WOODPECKER: (1) POKHARA NOV 17TH

HIMALAYAN GREY-BACKED WOODPECKER: CHITWAN NOV 14TH

LONG TAILED BLOOMBILL: (1) POKHARA NOV 18TH.

BROWN THROATED SANDHARTIN: OVER RAFTI, CHITWAN NOV 13TH-16TH.

SWALLOW: (NOTED) THROUGHOUT.

RED RUMPLED SWALLOW: (NOTED) POKHARA DEC 15TH, 17TH, (NOTED) BASANT GAUN NOV 15TH, KUMBHINI DEC 2ND.

GREY BACKED SHRIKE: GODAVARI BOTANICAL GARDENS NOV 15TH, (1) BASANT GAUN NOV 15TH.

LONG TAILED SHRIKE: (NOTED) THROUGHOUT.

BROWN SHRIKE: (1) LUMBINI DEC 2ND - 1962A.

LAVINE SPECIES: SEE NOTE (1) TIMKI, KATMANDU VALLEY 29TH NOV.

BLACK-HEADED-BEARD: (1) CHITWAN NOV 11TH 1962.

MAGNOL OROLOE: (1) FORKHARA NOV 15TH, (1) PHULCHOWKI NOV 12TH.

BLACK DRONGO: (NOTED) AS NOT UNCOMMON THROUGHOUT.

WHITE BELLIED ORONGO: (1) LUMBINI DEC 2ND.

ASIAN PIED STERLING: (SMALL FLOCK) AROUND SAHARA CAMPUS NOV 15TH-17TH.

COMMON MYNA: COMMON.

JUNGLE MYNA: (NOTED) REGULARLY NOT AS COMMON AS ABOVE.

EURASIAN JAY: (10) ONE FLOCK PHULCHOWKI NOV 12TH.

GREEN MAGPIE: (1) FORKHARA NOV. 15TH.

RED BILLED BLUE MAGPIE: (2) FORKHARA NOV 15TH. ○

RUFOUS TREEFLE: (NOTED) CHITWAN NOV 14TH, GOPEWALI BOTANICAL GARDENS NOV 25TH.

GREY TREEFLE: (3) SUREBURI NOV 6TH, (NOT UNCOMMON) NAGAJUVU NOV 10TH, NOV 21ST.

HOUSE CROW: VERY COMMON. BIG ROOST CENTRAL KATMANDU BISS c. 2500. NOV.

JUNGLE CROW: COMMON BUT LESS NUMEROUS THAN HOUSE CROW.

SHORT-BILLED MINIVET: A FEW WITH FLOCK OF W.L.F. MINIVET PHULCHOWKI NOV 12TH.

LONG-TAILED MINIVET: (1) SUREBURI NOV 6TH, (2) PHULCHOWKI NOV 12TH, (NOTED) GOPEWALI BOTANICAL GARDENS NOV 25TH.

COMMON IORA: COMMON CHITWAN NOV 14TH-16TH.

RED WHISKERED BULBUL: (NOTED) OFTEN THROUGHOUT.

WHITE CHEEKED BULBUL: (COMMON) KATMANDU VALLEY.

RED-VENTED BULBUL: (COMMON).

MOUNTAIN BULBUL: (1) SUREBURI NOV 6TH, (2) SUREBURI NOV 23RD.

BLACK BULBUL: FLOCK OF 1000 BIRDS GOPEWALI BOTANICAL GARDEN NOV 25TH.

RUSTY CHECKED SCIMITAR CATALP: (NOT UNCOMMON) SUREBURI NOV 23RD, (2) GOPEWALI BOTANICAL GARDEN NOV 25TH.

BLACK CRINED BABBLER: (EXCEEDINGLY RARE) GREEN NOV 25TH.

COMMON BABBLER: LUMBINI DEC 2ND.

JUNGLE BABBLER: (COMMON) CHITWAN NOV 14TH-16TH.

WHITE THROATED WINGED TITMUSH: PHULCHOWKI NOV 12TH.

WHITE CRESTED WINGED TITMUSH: (FLOCK OF 200) NAGAJUVU NOV 10TH, 21ST. PHULCHOWKI NOV 12TH.

RUFUS CRINED WINGED TITMUSH: PHULCHOWKI NOV 12TH.

BLUE WINGED WINGED TITMUSH: (3) BIRDS PHULCHOWKI NOV 12TH.

WHITE BROWED STRIPE BABBLER: PHULCHOWKI NOV 12TH.

BLACK CAPPED SIBIA: PHULCHOWKI NOV 12TH.

RED GEORGE FOX ATTED: (FEW) PACHPATI WATH NOV 10TH, (COMMON) GODEVEDI BOT. CAMPEN NOV 25TH.

SMALL NISTAVA: (1) SHEDEBUI NOV 23RD, (1) GODEVEDI BOT. CAMPEN NOV 25TH.

GREY HEADED PSYTTALUS: (1) NIMHAI CHIMWAI, NOV 18TH, (1) KIMPA, (1) GODEVEDI BOT. CAMPEN NOV 25TH.

YELLOW BELLIED FANAIL: (2) NOV 16TH SHEDEBUI, (1) GODEVEDI NOV 25TH

WHITE THROATED PHOENIX: (1) NEAR LITK NAGAJUNGI.

GREY BELLED TESSA: (1) NOV 10TH NAGAJUNGI

CHESTNUT HEADED TESSA: (4) NOV 17TH PANCHOWKI

STRIATED PHOENIX: (1) SHEDEBUI NOV 23RD.

TANAGER: (COMMON) KATMANDU VALLEY THROUGHOUT, (NOTED) CHITWAN NOV 14TH-16TH.

CHIFFCHAFF: (1) CHITWAN NOV 15TH.

DUSKY WABLER: (1) TIMRI K.V. NOV 29TH.

ORANGE-BANDED LEAF WABLER: (COMMON) NAYABASE, PHULCHOWKI, SHEREBUI, NOV.

YELLOW BROWED WABLER: (COMMON) KATMANDU VALLEY

PALM WABLER: (COMMON) THROUGHOUT IN NEARLY NUMEROUS TREES ABOVE KATHMANU VALLEY.

DAYTIME CROWNED WABLER: (FEW) SHEDEBUI NOV 6TH, (FEW) PANCHOWKI NOV 12TH.

GREEN SPURTHED WABLER: (FEW) SHEDEBUI NOV 6TH, PANCHOWKI NOV 12TH, SHEREBUI NOV 23RD.

GREY HOODED WABLER: (COMMON)

CHESTNUT CROWNED WABLER: (FEW) PANCHOWKI NOV 12TH

BLACK-FACED WABLER: (FEW) PANCHOWKI NOV 12TH, (2) GODEVEDI NOV 25TH.

WHITE-TAILED RUBY THRUSH: (1) (1) SMALL VILLAGE CLOSE TO SAUKHA CHIMWAI NOV 16TH.

ASIAN MAGPIE BOLLIN: (COMMON).

BLAKE PEWEE: (2) PANCHOWKI NOV 12TH, (FEW) POKHARA NOV 19TH.

HINDUSTAN REQUINETS: (2) GODEVEDI NOV 25TH, (2) CHOWK GORE NOV 25TH

PURPLES REQUINETS: (COMMON) ON ROAD SYSTEMS.

LITTLE FANAIL: (1) NOV 28TH CHOWK GORE.

SPOTTED FANAIL: (1) NOV 18TH POKHARA.

COMMON SPURTHED: (NOTED) THROUGHOUT.

PIED CINCINNAT: (NOTED) THROUGHOUT.

GREY BUNNAT: (2) NOV 12TH PANCHOWKI.

WHITE CAPPED REDSTART: (COMMON) ON RIVERS/STREAMS.

BLUE WHISTLING THRUSH: (FEW) NOV 12TH PANCHOWKI, (FEW) NOV 18TH POKHARA.

WHITES THRUSH: (1) NOV 10TH NAGAJUNGI.

GREAT TIT: (COMMON) ESPECIALLY KATHMANDU VALLEY

GREEN BACKED TIT: (2) SHEOPUKI NOV 16TH

BLACK NODDED TIT: (COMMON)

BLACK THROATED TIT: (COMMON)

CHESTNUT BELLEDED NUTHATCH: (FEW) PHUNCHOBIKI NOV 12TH, (NOTED) CHITWAN NOV 15TH-16TH, GOOEWARI NOV 15TH

VELVET FRONTED NUTHATCH: (COMMON) CHITWAN NOV 15TH-16TH, (NOTED) BOHARA NOV 18TH

WALL REPER: (2) CHOBARE NOV 25TH

KUSKY FAJURED TREE CREEPER: (LOTS) GOOEWARI BOG GARDEN NOV 29TH

ORIVE BACKED P.P.T.: (LOTS) CHITWAN NOV 13TH-16TH, (LOTS) KATHMANDU VALLEY

RICHMOND P.P.T.: (NOT UNCOMMON) KATHMANDU VALLEY

CRANE WINGTAIL: (1) CHITWAN NOV 16TH

GREY WINGTAIL: (NOT UNCOMMON)

WHITE WINGTAIL: (COMMON)

WHITE BROWED WINGTAIL: (FEW) CHOBAR NOV 18TH

MRS SPURDS SUNBIRD: (1) NOV 12TH PHUNCHOBIKI

GREEN TAILED SUNBIRD: (LOTS) ON 'FLOUSSING-SPEERY' SHEOPUKI NOV 23RD

BLACK THROATED SUNBIRD: (2) SHEOPUKI BOTANICAL GARDEN NOV 25TH

FIRE TAILED SUNBIRD: (FEW) NOV 23RD SHEOPUKI, NOV 12TH PHUNCHOBIKI

WHITE EYE: (COMMON) OFTEN WITH *Phloscofius* WEBBERS KATHMANDU VALLEY

HOUSE SPALOW: (COMMON)

TRICE SPALOW: (COMMON)

AVANAT: (FEW) HUMBNI REGION

SPOTTED MINIA: (COMMON) KATHMANDU VALLEY, CHITWAN

Dear Sis,

Please find enclosed a species list from a recent trip / undertook to Nepal (and later N India). Unfortunately I was prevented from undertaking a few of the planned secondary, so the notes are mainly from in and around the Kathmandu valley. When I mention Chitwan please take this to mean the area around Sauraha village. I hope the records will be useful and I send them to you in response to your request in OLC Bulletin 18 / hope I am not late.

I also include two (what I loosely term) drawings. The sketch was the Timi individual and is direct from my notebook. The other is as per unidentified and is a copy from my notebook. I originally believed it to be Snowy browed Flycatcher. Please forgive the scribbled notes by these notes as until this trip I was unacquainted to doing field notes as a job means to identify a species. If you wish I can be contacted at the address below.

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Yours faithfully,

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