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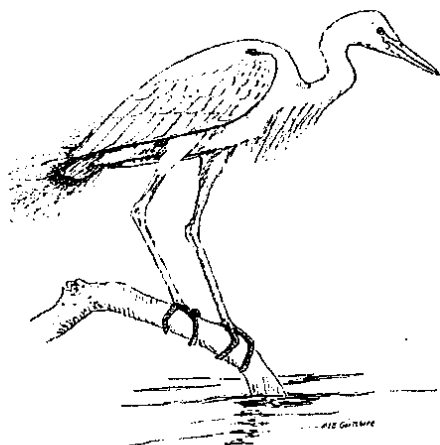
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EDITORIAL POSTSCRIPT

After production of this issue had commenced I received a copy of 'Comparative Nomenclature of Nigerian Birds for the Amateur' by J.B.Heigham, 26 pp., 1975, published by the author. Mr Heigham has very kindly sent a complimentary copy to all Individual Members of the Society. Most members will already possess or have fairly easy access to 'Mackworth-Praed & Grant' and perhaps 'Bannerman', which has been somewhat displaced by 'M-P & G'; but very few members have

been able to refer to C.M.N.White's nomenclature (1960-1965). Heigham's most valuable booklet lists the scientific and English names used by all three of these authorities.

Mr J.H.Elgood's forthcoming 'Check-List of the Birds of Nigeria', to be published in book form, will doubtless become the standard nomenclature, to which contributors to the Bulletin will be asked to adhere. Mr Heigham's 'Comparative Nomenclature' does not make recommendations where a bird species has been given alternative scientific or English names by preceding authorities, and pending the publication of Elgood's check-list contributors to the Bulletin are asked to follow White's sequence and scientific nomenclature, and Mackworth-Praed & Grant's English names.

Ed.