29th November - Nepal: Travellers

Penyaj and Kathmandu (Birds)

Black Kite 11
Brahminy Kite 1
Raptor (sp) 2
Red-Headed Vulture 1
Herons 2 (♀)
Redstart 1.
Red-Rumped Swallow 1+0
Brown Shrike 1

White-Capped Redstart*

Red Stonechat 2

Jim Hall
20th November Kathmandu Valley
along the Bagmati River near the
- bicycles
Indian Pond Heron 2
Cattle Egret c.1.5
Black Kite c.20
Steppe Eagle c.4
Buzzard 2
Red-tail c.14
Little Ringed Plover - P
Grey Heron Larwing c.8
White-breasted Kingfisher 2
Hoopoe 2
Small Skylark * c.60
I could see virtually no difference
between this species and the Red
Skylark.
Richard’s Pipit c.7
Rose-breasted Pipit * 2
About Water Pipit size, upperparts
very heavily streaked, thick buff
supercilium, un-marked buff tail
black moustachial, heavy streaked
breast and flanks, no trace of an
orange, call very Water Pipit-like
large Pied Wagtail 2
Plain Sand Martin c.120
Pied Stonechat 2
Stonechat P
Long Tailed Shrike 3-
Black-headed Rose
Tibetan Shrike * 1
Brown Shrike 1
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1st-2nd December--Rathnamala
Cycled to Godavari both Days
Some sites visited around Rathn
Sheep
Budhmilkothi
Nagarjun
Balej
Swamy Bhutan
Monastery

Phulchoki

City

Phulchoki

Godavari

Indian Pond Heron 5
Cattle Egret 10
Black Kite 35
Spurrou hawk 1+
Buzzard 2
Steppe Eagle 2+
Restrel
Kauri Pheasant 4
Quite good views of 1 pair, red,
\^ bluish-black with red face
and short white bars on mantle
arched tail, \$ brown with red
patch
White-breasted Kingfisher 2
Spotted Pheasant
Grey-Headed Woodpecker

Said to be the same species as in Europe; this species in Nepal are larger and more to note.

Lesser-Yellow-Naped Woodpecker
Little Swift c 100
Red-Rumped Swallow c 40
Long-Tailed Shrike c 14
Tibetan Shrike 1
Brown Shrike 1
Black Drongo c 15
Common Myna c 150
Jungle Myna 3 +
Jungle Crow c 15
Dark-Cuckoo Shrike 1
Long-Tailed Minivet c 5
Scarlet Minivet 1 +

Both these species are very small in size, plumage and calls, the spotted secondaries of Scarlet red in flight are conspicuous if the viewer is right.

Common Lora 1
Black Bubal 12
White-Bellied Yuhina 14
Orange-Crested Flycatcher
Yellow-Bellied Fantail 5
Yellow-Browed Warbler c 20
Redstart 18 - ace
Yellow-Eyed Warbler 14
Grey-Headed Warbler * 10
Wow! A really thrilling moment I found this large, bulky Thrush from the ground track and then to get good photos of it perched, the body is golden-brown and bold black crescent shaped markings above and below, striped black and under-wing seen briefly.

**White's Thrush**

**Tickell's Thrush**

**Chestnut-bellied Nuthatch**

**Velvet-fronted Nuthatch**

**Olive-Backed Pipt**

**Fire-breasted Flowerpecker**

**Yellow-cheeked Tit**

**White-eye**
3rd December Around Swanmore

Black Rite c.12
White-Breasted Kingfisher 1
Red-Vented Bulbul 1
Orange-Goat-tailed Flycatcher 1
Red-Breasted Flycatcher 1
Yellow-Bellied Fantail 2
Olive-Backed Pipit 1
Magpie Robin 1
Oriental Warbler 1

Very much as I expected encon this species to be, first heard cam bac and then seen moving through vegetation close to the ground.

Phyllosc very prominent buff super.

Yellow-Browed Warbler 1
Pallas' Warbler 2

Blyth's Crowned Warbler *c.3

An excellent Phyllosc, larger than Browed, big orange bill is immense distinction but also brighter than species brightest of all on the buff - yellow supercilium and wing underparts whitish with a slight flush on the breast and greyish flanks.

Yellow-Checkered Tit 1
Great Tit 1
3rd December—Fields along Baze.

Little Egret 2
Black-shouldered Kite 2
Black Kite c.20
Sparrowhawk 1
Buzzard 2
Lange-billed Buzzard 1

Excellent comparison’s had with both species seen soaring together; leg much bigger, longer urged; plumage bird i.e. pale about head, breast with darker belly, under wing coverts with whitish feathers and black contrasting edge to tips. Upper parts uniform dark brown a small white flash in the pre-Steppe Eagle 1
Booted Eagle 1

Dark phase, superb views, brilliant noticeably smaller than nearby. On upperparts uniformly dark brown paler about the head, on under side area on ‘shoulders’ and a pale bar on the greater coverts cinnamon with a darker bar at might make it still an immature wise un-marked except for off bars near base in the centre and coverts of similar color to flight feathers quite a bit paler.

Restrel 2
Grey Herons, Reg. 13
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4th December  Travelling Between  

and Peshawar then 1 hour to  

River at Peshawar.  

White-Necked Stork 2  

Black Stork 2  

Raptor (sp) 17  

Vulture (sp) 6  

Egyptian Vulture 3  

Kestrel 14  

Acipiter (sp) 2  

[SPOTTED DOVE*]  

White-Breasted Kingfisher 4  

HIMALAYAN SWIFTLET* c 20  

Indian Roller 2  

Red-Rumped Swallow c 25  

Plain Sand Martin c 100  

Long-Tailed Shrike 5  

Common Myna c 250  

Jungle Myna c 10  

Red-vented Bulbul c 25  

White-Capped Redstart 1  

Plumbeous Redstart* c 4 (all  

Red Stonechat 3  

BLUE- WHISTLING THRUSH* 1  

BROWN DIPPER* 1  

Wallcreeper 5  

Mimic (sp) c 8
5th December—Around Pokhara

Up at dawn I was well repaid with breathtaking views of the Himalayas, particularly prominent were Dhaulagiri (8167), Annapurna II (7937), Machapuchare (6997) and Manaslu (8166).

Black Kite c15
Bonelli’s Eagle 1 —ad.
White-Tailed Eagle 1 —imm.
Superb views both in flight and ground.

Himalayan Griffon Vulture 1

A very large Griffon not much larger than Black Vulture, adult has a bulky head and neck, and wings are almost as long as body. Head also pale.

Red-Headed Vulture 1 +
White-Backed Vulture c5
Egyptian Vulture c20
Restrel 1

Red-Wattled Lapwing 1
River Lapwing 11

Indian Roller 3

Hoopoe 2

Small Skylark 7

Himalayan Swiftlet c75
Plain Sand Martin c25
Red-Rumped Swallow c10
Long-Tailed Shrike c3
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The Jomosom Trek

A unique experience walking seeing how the hill people live, they have done for 1000s of years. Less society more. The people. Accommodation is hard to be transported by donkey or horse. Hotels' forte Rs. 2 or 3 a night. Jomosom is the deepest in the world with Dhaulagiri to the west and east.

6th December Trekking Between

and Naudanda

Naudanda (1,400)

Sukhet (1,100)

Hyangga (900)

Indian Pond, Heron 2
Black Kite c15
Sparrowhawk 1
Buzzard 1
Bonelli's Eagle 1 - ad.
Steppe Eagle 1
Black Vulture c3
Himalayan Griffon Vulture c25
Hamerkop c3
Red-Headed Vulture 1
White-Backed Vulture 2
Least 3
Common Snipe 2
Common Sandpiper 2
Green Sandpiper 1
Kingsfisher 1
Coppersmith Barbet 1
Himalayan Swiftlet c120
Long-Tailed Shrike 1
Drongo (sp) 4
LESSER-RACKET-TAILED DRONGO
Black Drongo c5
Common Mynah c10
Jungle Mynah c25
HIMALAYAN TREE-PIE 3
House Crow c10
Jungle Crow c20
White-Checkered Bulbul 2
Red-Vented Bulbul c35
Black Bulbul c10
BLUE-WINGED MINA 2

The Nepal Field Guide is so
I couldn't suss out what this
was at first.
Orange-Gorged Flycatcher 1
Grey-Headed Flycatcher 1
Yellow-Bellied Fantail c4
WHITE-THROATED FANTAIL 1
ASHY-THROATED WARBLER 1

A pleasingly obvious Phyllosc
good the grey face and breast
yellow belly were obvious.
Yellow-Browed Warbler c4
ORANGE-BARRED WARBLER 1
perhaps mistaken for yellow-Breasted Warbler, no prominent head-wings-bar—usually distinctly or another good feature sometimes the variable amount of white tail. Calls quite often, a very Brownish 'ksi-ksi' repeated non-Pallas' Warbler c3
Yellow-Eyed Warbler c4
Grey-Headed Warbler 2
Magpie Robin 2
HOOGSON'S REDSTART* 1 (b)
Quite like European Redstart
White-Capped Redstart 5
Plumbeous Redstart c8
Pied Stonechat c6
Blue-Whistling Thrush c3
Yellow-Cheeked Tit 4
Wallcreeper 1
Olive-Backed Pipit c6
Richard's Pipit 4
Rose-Breasted Pipit c60
Large Pied Wagtail 1
CINNAMON SPARROW* 5
CRESTED BUNTING* 3
December Trekking Between

Chandrakot (1530)       Lumbi (1560)

Burthanti

Modi Khola

Bhurmodi Khola

Block kite  e8
Sparrowhawk  1
Steppe Eagle  1+
Black Vulture  2
Himalayan Griffon Vulture  c12
Red-Headed Vulture  2+
Egyptian Vulture  1
Ravens  c3
Rufous Turtle Dove  *1

A dark appearing Dove not particularly big and bulky at
alone and dark underwing not
identification feature. The tips
tail are grey not white and
patch is also grey.
GREATER PIED KINGFISHER  *2
Not seen perched, obvious on
markings on upper parts
Himalayan Swiftlet  3
Nepal House Martin  *5
hooks smaller than the regular Ho
dark under tail; obvious and
throat noticeable at reasonable
Distance (sp)  2
Jungle Mynah 2
Himalayan Tree-Pe 12
Jungle Crow c.5
Long-Tailed Minivet 2
Minivet (sp) 2
White-Cheeked Bulbul 3
Red-vented Bulbul c.20
Black Bulbul c.20
Semirufus Babbler (sp) 1
But it must have been Stresemann's WHITE-CRESTED LAUGHING-TIT
Good value birds, break out in a chorus of laughter at regular striking plumage as well.
Red-Billed Keel-billed "* 20
Stripe-throated  Sinatra * c.8
Blue-winged Maka 1
Yellow-Naped Yuhina * c.1
Orange-Gorgetted Flycatcher 1
Grey-Headed Flycatcher 1
Yellow-Bellied Fantail c.6
White-Throated Fantail 1
Chestnut-Headed Tanager * 2
Brown-Hill Prinia * 2
Ashy-Throated Warbler 3
Orange-Breasted Warbler 1
Pedlar's Warbler c.15
Yellow-Eyed Warbler c.4
Grey-Headed Warbler 3
Magpie Robin 1
White-Capped Redstart c.3
Plumbeous Redstart * c.5
Little Forktail * 1
stand on spray-lashed rocks near pecking for food, several almost got knocked off balance, tail short and only slightly forked. Bush-Chaffinch 1 (A)
Blue Whistling-Thrush 2
Brown Dipper 1
Yellow Cheeked Tit 1
Olive Backed Puff 8
White Eye 5
Cinnamon Sparrow 3
8th December - Trekking Between Borkhantii and Uleri

Uleri (2070)

Turkedhunge G.T.

Hille (147)

Bhunagdi

Khola

Black Kite 2
Bonelli's Eagle 1 - ad
Steppe Eagle 1
Himalayan Griffon Vulture 3
Hammergiller 1
Red-Headed Vulture 2+
Red-tailed 2
Crag Marten 1
Nepal House Martin c 150
Lesser-Racket-Tailed Drongo 1
Ashy Drongo* 3

At last good views, shaped like D. but underparts are grey as to black.

Common Mynah 2
Jungle Crow c 6
long-Tailed Minivet 2
Scarlet Minivet c 4
White-Checkered Bulbul 1
Scaly-Breasted Wren-Babbler

Excellent little bud bobbing near fixed legs from about 2 yards.
Black-Chinned Babbler *3

Would-Chinned Laughing-Thrush

probably the bird of the trip. They quickly became aware of my, and disappeared after brief view was proved later with other 6.

if you went quietly, they usually appear and some good views were seen the most striking feature was a small and not rufous brown patch.

Chestnut-Throated Shrike-Bunting

Stripe-Throated Swan 3

Blue-Winged Mina 2

Yellow-Naped Yuhina 1

White-Bellied Yuhina 1

Chestnut-Headed Tit-Babbler

Orange-Forgotten Flycatcher 2

Grey-Headed Flycatcher 2

Small Niltava 1 (d)

Yellow-Bellied Fintail 8

Chestnut-Headed Tasia 2

Ashy-Throated Warbler 62 +

Pallas' Warbler 30

Blyth's Crowned Warbler 1

Yellow-Eyed Warbler 15

Grey-Headed Warbler 16

Chestnut-Crowned Warbler

Very much like Asky-Throated Warbler with chestnut foreche.

Blue-Fronted Redstart *1 (d)

White-Capped Redstart 6

Plumbeous Redstart 10
Slaty-Backed Forktail * 3
Spotted Forktail * 1
Both of these species are really handsome birds the best feature of the long, deeply-forked and arched tail, the call of Spotted to be identical to that of Blue Tit.

Grey-Bush Chat 2
Blue Whistling Thrush 4
Brown Darter 1
Green-Backed Tit * 4
Yellow-Headed Tit 5
Chestnut-Bellied Nuthatch 1
Velvet-Fronted Nuthatch 4

Tree-creeper (sp) 1
Olive-Backed Pipt 3
Grey Wagtail P
Albus Wagtail P
Large Red Wagtail 1
Fire-Breasted Flower-pecker 1 (d)
FIRE-TAILED SUNBIRD *c 3

All 8 = N.B.P.

Green-Tailed Sunbird *1 (d)
Scarlet-Breasted Sunbird *1 (d)
White-eye c 3
9th December Trekking Badea
and Choropani

Sparrowhawk 1
Himalayan Griffin Vulture 4
Lammergeier 2
Hen Harrier 1
Scary-Bellied Woodpecker* 1 (d)
Darjeeling Pier Woodpecker* 1(0)
Himalayan Swiftlet c 15
Jungle Crow c 12
Long-Tailed Minivet 2
Streaked Laughing-Thrush* 6
Red-Headed Laughing-Thrush* 6

Ace birds, excellent reaction you were close-by, this species generally of very dark appearance, red crown and black throat, dull patch in the wings.

Yellow-Naped Yuhina c 4
Siberian-Throated Yuhina* c 10
Black-Capped Sibia* c 10
Yellow-Bellied Finktail 1
Ashy-Throated Warbler c 5
Orange-Barred Warbler 2
Pallas' Warbler 1
Grey-Headed Warbler 3
Red-Flanked Bluetail* 3 (10)

Strange, deep 'Klik' call given by bird watches you...
Little Forktail 1
Blue-Whistling Thrush 15
Green-Backed Tit 2
GREY-CRESTED Tit 14
RUFOUS-BREASTED BLACK Tit 1
YELLOW-BROWED Tit 7

Rather an obscure species could
off as a Warbler - a mixed bird
Yellow-Brow almost non-existent
Crown is a good identification
plumage almost entirely green.
STELZER'S TREECREEPER 1

Thick whitish supercilium can
to enclose the eye-covets. is
fixed mark with this species.
WHITE-BROWED Tit-BABBLER 3

Yet another species which for
1. couldn't sort out at first, it is
throwing the fields guide away.
Alpine Accentor 4

PINK-BROWED ROSEFINCH 8 (10)

Huge, among supercilium in both
pink in 6, brown in 0
Alpine Accentor 4
10th December

Woods around Chhoropani

Superb early morning views from Painbasa Ghoropani were back of Dhanga and the Annapurna Himal. Machapuchare, meaning in Nepalese a really fascinating mountain. From Hill you realise why it is known as Machapuchare.

Sparrowhawk 1
Buzzard 2
Black Vulture 1
Himalayan Griffon Vulture 2
Lammergeier 2
Racoon 1
Partridge (sp) 1 - prob Common
Scaly-Bellied Woodpecker 1
Darjeeling Red Woodpecker 1(?)
NUTCRACKER 2
Jungle Crow 10
WHITE-SPOTTED LAUGHING-THRUSH

Paying to say the least, could be seen while I was watching 10 yards away, pausing frequently at me, what a brilliant family.
BLACK-FACED LAUGHING-THRUSH
White-Browed Tit-Babbler  8
White-Browed Bush-Robin* 1 (♀)
Red-Flanked Bluetail 1
Rufous-Bellied Bush-Robin* 1 (♀)

Excellent views of a striking bird identical to R.F. Bluetail except for the entirely rufous underparts. May be a Westward extension of species range.

Blue-Headed Redstart* 2 (♂)

How can this species be a Redstart when there isn't a trace of red? Where another habit of this species in Redstart-like is to gather into small flocks.

Blue-Fronted Redstart 3

White-Throated Redstart* 1 (♂)

Blue-Whistling Thrush 3

Black-Throated Thrush 1

Mistle Thrush 1

Grey-Crested Tit 8

Rufous-Breasted Black Tit 5

Cool Tit 1

Yellow-Browed Tit 7

Stolziczka's Tree-Creeper 3

Rosefinch (sp) 5 (all ♀)

Later experiences showed that were probably beautiful.

Spot-Winged Rosefinch* 2 (♂ ♀)

Single birds, ♀ is like large Redstart but the secondary spots are quite noticeable as they are on the
11th December: Trekking between Ghi and Tokopani.

Tokopani (1220)

- Sparrowhawk 1
- Himalayan Griffon Vulture c.5
- Hammergiller 1
- Red-Headed Vulture 1
- Racket-tail 2
- Pigeon (sp) 1
- Darjeeling Red Woodpecker 1
- Nepal House Martin c.50
- Long-Tailed Shrike 1
- Common Mynah 3
- Himalayan Tree-Pie 1
- Jungle Crow c.10
- White-Cheeked Bulbul c.15
- Red-Vented Bulbul 2
- Black-Headed Babbler 3
- Laughing Thrush (sp) 2
- Stripe-Throated Swa 6
- Black-Capped Sibia c.12
- Yellow-Bellied Fantail 3
- A very skulking species difficult to good views of. Phylloscopus like in appearance with dull greenish and buffy yellow superciliu and undertails, the tail is long and...
Ashy-shouldered Warbler 4
Yellow-Browed Warbler 2
Pallas’ Warbler 3
Orange-Breasted Warbler 1
Grey-Headed Warbler 3
Blue-Fronted Redstart c10
White-Capped Redstart c5
Plumbeous Redstart c6
Little Forktail 2
Blue-Whistling Thrush c7
Rufous-Breasted Accentor* 1
Excellent look! There’s so much plumage wise with the rufous sun and breast patch, typical Accentor upperparts, and also much streaking underparts.
Green-Backed Tit c15
Rufous-Breasted Black Tit 2
Grey-Crested Tit 3
Yellow-Browed Tit 1
Red-Headed Tit* c5
White-Tailed Nuthatch* 1
Quite like the regular Nuthatch plumage and the white in centre usually only noticeable when viewed from above.
Stolarz’s Treecreeper 2
Olive-Backed Ptarm 1
Nepal Sunbird 1(♂)
Sandbeck Bredail Sunbird 1(♂)
Cinnamon Sparrow c. 15
Dark Rosefinch c. 16 (♂) *
breast. It is rather nondescript quite a dark brown with white streaking only on mantle, a good mark is the thick buffy-orange bars caused by pale feather edging.

Rock Bunting 8
Little Bunting 6
49. 12th December: Trekking Between
and Ghursa

Ghursa (1950)

1. Sparrowhawk
2. Buzzard
3. Golden Eagle
4. Himalayan Griffon Vulture c.10
5. Hen Harrier
6. Redfined c.5
7. Partridge (sp) 1 - prob. Chukar?
8. Crag Martin c.10
9. Common Mynah c.8
10. Jungle Crow c.25
11. White-Cheeked Bulbul c.10
12. Yellow-Naped Yuhina c.6
13. RED-VENTED YUHINA* 3
14. Black-Capped Sibia 1
15. Yellow-Bellied Fantail 2
16. Abertant-Bush Warbler 1
17. Brown Hill-Primel
18. Yellow-Eyed Warbler 2
19. Grey-Headed Warbler 3
20. Blue-Headed Redstart 1(8)
21. Blue-Fronted Redstart 1
22. White-Capped Redstart 1
23. Ambeaua Redstart 1
24. Buff-Winged Forktail 1
50. Brown Dippers 3
Green-Backed Tit 15
Yellow-Cheeked Tit 1
Red-Headed Tit 2
Wallcreeper 1
Olive-Backed Pipit 6
Sumbul (sp) 1(?)
Rock Bunting c. 20
13th December

Travelling between

and Tukuche

Tukuche (2580)
Kalopani (2550)
Hele (2)

Sparrowhawk 1
Black Vulture 1
Himalayan Griffon Vulture c10
Hamerger 1

YELLOW-BILLED BLUE-MAGPIE*2
Nutcracker c10
Jungle Crow c10
White-cheeked Bulbul c15

Streaked Laughing-Thrush 6

VARIAGATED LAUGHING THRUSH

GREEN-SHRIKE BABBLER*3

Another species which could
looked in a mixed bud party
as proportionately thick and un
like.

Streaked-throated Swan 2
Yellow-Naped Yakma c15

Streaked- throated Yakma c15
White-Browed Tit-Babbler c8

Black-Capped Sibia c10

Ashy-Throated Warbler 1

Pallas' Warbler ch

Grey-Headed Warbler h

Red-flanked Bluetail 1(8)

Lot
Rocky Bump... 10
Nestled beside this cramped, crowding scene is a
surprise and below concerning elsewhere Below.
and beyond it can be found an object 

By the colomber nose is now

Or is discernible from the

Beetle-rose, Rosemary, 12 - 3.

And, wearing my

Locket of silence

On the East which is now

Crowned distinction in the cross

Himalayan Treeceeser A

Scolloes Treeceeser

Woolseeser

White-Tailed Nuthatch c. 3
Red Headed TT c. 7
Villow-Breasted TT c. 2
Green-Breasted TT c. 20
Green Opee 3
Black Throated Hummer 1
Blue-Whistling Thump 1
Spotted Forktail 1
Plum-Browed Redstart 1
White-Capped Redstart 2
Blue-Fronted Redstart 1
14th December: Trekking Between

and Jamoson

Going North from Tukche the trees are more and the trees are smaller, finally around Jamoson it is almost like a desert with the quite similar to that of the West. Being the deepest valley in the world the wind is considerable up the valley in a Northerly direction from about 11 a.m. every day. Today indeed just a wind-swept has a number of birds species obviously up here.

Ruddy Shelduck 2
Black Vulture 1
Himalayan Griffon Vulture c.10
Lammergeier 2+
incorporating the first one I've seen on the ground.
Golden Eagle 2
Falcons (sp.) 1

Seen at quite a distance on flying away, the flight looked remarkably like a Kestrel's but the was completely blockish. I heard of melanistic Kestrel's but
Green Sandpiper 2
Chaffinch c.350
Stoliczka's Tit-Warbler 2

Wow, an amazing species with incredible and very unusual coloration. This species has a Rufous crown and pale upperparts, lacking the blue, long rump, and violet underparts. Female. Blue-Headed Redstart* (♀)

With a Rufous rump only. Butterfly's Redstart* (♂)

V.G.V. A striking bird with a crown, also told from W.C. Redstart. Large white wing patch and large bar at base of tail. On a bar that runs side to side.

Blue Whistling Thrush 2
Brown Accentor* 5

Green-Backed Tit 4

Wallcreeper c.8
Beautiful Rosyfinch c.6 (2♂)

Little Bunting c.8
Rock Bunting c.8

Tree Sparrow c.50
Himalayan Griffon Vulture c.12
hammer-gnawer 3
Redrook 1
Jungle Grouse 5
Raven 2
Gerald's Redstart 3 (20)
Brown Accentor c.15
Wallcreeper 3
Red-fronted Serin c.35

Very fugitive and difficult to get views of only 1 bud seen was the red forehead other birds in generally very dark appearance.

Hodgson's Mountain Finch c.15
Tree Sparrow P.
Rock Bunting c.20
16th December: Mukhnoth-Thor and back to Mukherath

Golden Eagle. 1 - ad.
Himalayan Griffon Vulture. c 15 hammergeese
TIBETAN SNOWCOCK. 7

Has to be the bird of the trip. At about 14,750 ft (4,500 m) height to get closer, had to ‘climb’ the slope, it took me about 20 min to climb about 25 metres, having kept a good pace they were and looked over a ridge. To be rewarded with seeing their beautiful feet to about 25 yards, they noticed immediately and came up hill to distance calling softly. Restaurant unnecessary. The fact that I was not properly acclimatised to the altitude and the effort of climbing the slope left me completely exhausted. Drained that I couldn’t continue up the pass only staggered back 1/2 mile. This was a very fitting 200th to the trip.

Snow Pigeon. * 25 *

Excellent birds with a dark head, white mantle and dark wings, the tail is dark with a band half-way dark, the underparts completely white giving the bird a pale appearance when viewed.
Chough c. 250
Alpine Chough c. 10
Raven 3
Red-Throated Thrush 1
(see notes 14th December)
Enderstedt's Redstart 2+(22)
Robin Accentor 5
V.G.V. really tame
Stobiazza's Tit-Warbler c. 5
Tree Sparrow P.

EASTERN GREAT ROSEFINCH c. 2

Nearly Tree Sparrow's in size and less crown and mantle both quite his streaked, underparts red with some flecks particularly on the breast.
Mountain-Finch (sp) c. 25

In flight only
17th December  - Trekking Between Markovina and Morphon
Himalayan Fork-tailed Drongo 2
Verraux's Eagle-Owl 3
Skylark's Tit-Seeder 4
Hodgson's Redstart 1 (♂)
Cardinal's Redstart 7 (♂)
Blue Whistling Thrush 1
Red-Throated Thrush 3 (♂)
I noted a complete breeding plumage with rufous spotted throat and also a rufous supercilium surprisingly the tail is of a split
Robin Accentor 2
Brown Accentor 15
Wallcreeper 1
'Alba' Wagtail 10
I can't even try to work out
received these birds belong to, that
of these birds presumably ♂'s
backs, the call was also very
Red-Footed Serin 1000
Good value, the whole hill
alive with them and some other
views were obtained though very
breeding plumage 3
Eastern Great Roserush 3 (♂)
Rock Bunting 10
18th December - Trekking Between and Chimaiyak

Sparrowhawk 1
Buzzard 1
Golden Eagles 1 - ad
Himalayan Griffon Vulture c 12
Lammergeyer 1
Red-tail 1
Snow Parquet c 30
Tibetan Shrike 1
Nutmegger 2
Cough c 150
Jungle Crow 2
White-Check Bulbul 4
Streaked Laughing-Thrush c 18
Variegated Laughing-Thrush 5
Red-Headed Laughing-Thrush
Yellow-Naped Yuhina c 20
Strape-Throated Yuhina c 10
White-Browed Tit-Babbler 2
Block-Capped Sibia c 10
Yellow-Bellied Fantail 3
Ashy-Throated Warbler 1
Pallas' Warbler 1
Tricolor's Tit-Warbler 3
White-Browed Bush-Robin 1(?)
Red-Fronted Blueebird 3
Blue-Headed Redstart c 8
Hodgson's Redstart 2 (1 of)
Blue-Fronted Redstart 4
Gould's Redstart 1 (1 of)
White-Capped Redstart 2
Blue-Whistling Thrush 1
Black-Headed Thrush c.55
Buffle-Headed Accentor 2
Brown Accentor 1
Green-Backed Tit c.20
Red-Headed Tit c.6
White-Tailed Nuthatch c.6
Wall creeper 1
Olive-Backed Pipit 1
Chaffinch 2
Himalayan Goldfinch c.25

Not very good views.

Beautful Rosefinch c.25
Little Birding 1
Rock Birding c.12
19th December - Trekking Between Intepani

Steppe Eagle 1
Himalayan Griffon Vulture c.15
Hammerkop 2+
Red-Headed Vulture 2+
Hoe Hammer 2
Red-billed 8
Crag Martin 10
Tibetan Shrike 1
Common Mynah 5
Jungle Crow c.15
White-Cheeked Bulbul c.15
Black-Chinned Babbler 2
Streaked Laughing Thrush 2
Red-Headed Laughing Thrush 2
Yellow-Browed Warbler 1
Pallas' Warbler 2
Yellow-Eyed Warbler 4
Grey-Headed Warbler 8
Hodgson's Redstart 1
Blue-Fronted Redstart 3
White-Capped Redstart c.6
Plumbeous Redstart 8
Little Forktail 2
Spotted Forktail 2
Grey Bush-Chat 2
Blue-Whistling Thrush c.10
Brown Dipper 2
Green-backed Tit c.12
Red-Headed Tit 2
White-Tailed Nuthatch 2
Olive-Backed Redstart 2
62. Pink-Browed Rosefinch c.5 (18)
Spot-Vented Rosefinch 1 (9)
Rock Bunting c.12
20th-21st December - Tatapani.

Tatapani in Nepalese means 'dove'. The dove-shaped springs are situated next to Rati Gondaki about a mile below Tatapani.

Sparrowhawk 1+
Bonelli's Eagle 2 - ads
Lammergeier 1+
Red-Headed Vulture 1
Slaty-Headed Vulture *12
Long-Tailed Minivet 18
Brown-Hill Pigeon 4
Ashy-Throated Warbler 1
Pallas' Warbler 1
Grey Bush-Chat 3 (2♀)
Blue Rock Thrush 1♀
Little Forktail 1
Wallcreeper 1
22nd December. Trekking Between Tengboche and Phaplu.

A long, hard day's walk up the way and not helped by the fact that I was feeling really ill. It probably is a coincidence that the night I drank some water that was boiled and filtered.

Sparrowhawk 1
Buzzard 3
Bonelli's Eagle 1 and hammer-gener
Red-Headed Vulture 1
Kestrel 1
GREAT HIMALAYAN BARBET *
Owling Red Woodpecker 1(c)
Crag Martin c 25
Nepal House Martin c 45
Common Mynah c 20
Jungle Crow c 15
Long-Tailed Minivet c 10
White-Checkered Bulbul 2
Red-vented Bulbul 3
Henry Barwing *
Striped Throated Yuhina c 4
Black-Capped Sibia c 12
Orange-Gorgetted Flycatcher 1
Yellow-Bellied Fantail 3
Ashy-Throated Warbler 4
Yellow-Browed Warbler 3
Orange-Bared Warbler 1
Pepper's Warbler c 15
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23rd December: Trekking Between and Brestbanti

largest bird party yet encountered
Buzzard 1
Bonelli's Eagle 2 - ads.
Black Vulture 1 +
Himalayan Griffon Vulture c.10
Lammergeier 1 +
Red-Headed Vulture 1
Hen Harrier 2 (♂ ♀)
Hobby (sp) 2

Seen only distantly dashing about
typical Hobby fashion high up on hillside.

Kestrel 1

Streak-Headed Parakeet c.25
BARRIO OYSTER

A long over-due post. Out of the rather good, barred doke and light including the focial disc except marked white in the centre of the ring.

Fisher 1
Great Himalayan Barbet 1
Oriental Red Woodpecker 2
Himalayan Swiftlet c.12
Crag Martin c.10
Nepal House Martin c.30
Ashy Drongo c.5
Common Myna 2
Jungle Crow c.20
Long-Tailed Minivet 1
White-Checkered Bulbul c.8
Black Bulbul c.10
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Some birds were seen when viewed...
Green-Backed Tit c10
Grey-Crested Tit 2
Yellow-Browed Tit c10
Red-Headed Tit c5
White-Tailed Nuthatch 2
Stockarco's Tree Creeper 3
Olive-Backed Pipt 1
Fir-Tailed Sunbird 1(♀) ?
Identified on refuge barge to H and Kail.
Nepal Sunbird 2 (♂ ♀)
♂ only identified by being with
Sunbird (sp) 2 (♀)
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Black Bulbul  35
Black-Cheeked Babblers  1
White-Crested Laughing-Thrush  1
Stripe-Throated Sunbird  5
Yellow-Naped Yuhina  12
Orange-Breasted Flycatcher  1
Pygmy-Blue Flycatcher  *1(d)

While sitting on a shaded room butt suddenly appeared so close, I couldn't put my bins on it, a Flycatcher—blue on head and neck with a paler supercillum and below, wings and back brown, throat first it might be Snowy-Browed but after seeing that species it was this.

Yellow-Bellied Finktail  4
Abercrombie's Bush-Warbler  4
Brown Hill-Pitta  1
Ashy-Throated Warbler  3
Pallas' Warbler  12
Yellow-Eyed Warbler  4
Grey-Headed Warbler  6
Red-Flanked Bluetail  1
Blue-Headed Redstart  1
White-Capped Redstart  1
Numerous Redstarts  5
Little Forktail  1
Shyly-Backed Forktail  2
Chestnut-Breasted Rock-Thrush  1

Easily told from Blue R.T by the brown face-patch, also pale-brown breast, breast more red-
Brown Dipper  2
Green-Backed Tit  2
Yellow-Checked Tit  1
Red-Headed Tit  2
Tree-Creeper (sp)  1
May have been Sukkim?
Olive-Backed Puff  c12
Five-Tailed Sumbul  1(2)
Scarlet-Breasted Sumbul  c14 (3)
25th December: Trekking between Nolitha and Pokhara. 1 hour at Pokhara.

Little Egret 6
Black Kite 2
Sparrowhawk 1
Long-Legged Buzzard 1
White-Tailed Eagle - umm.
Black Vulture 1
Himalayan Griffon Vulture c.8
Red-Headed Vulture 2
White-Backed Vulture c.3
Egyptian Vulture c.15
Red-tailed 2
Indian Roller 1
Great Himalayan Barbet 1
Himalayan Swiftlet c.8
Crag Martin c.8
Red-Rumped Swallow c.20
Nepal House Martin c.35
Black Drongo c.10
Common Mynah c.25
Jungle Mynah c.10
Green Magpie 1
RED-BILLED BLUE-MAGPIE* 2
Himalayan Tree-Pie c.5
Jungle Crow c.120
White-Cheeked Bulbul c.2
Red-Headed Bulbul c.15
Black Bulbul c.10
BEAUTIFUL Niltava* 2 (♂♀)

* is like several other species

For the first time he had been allowed...
and the small blue neck-patch usually be seen with close scrutiny.

Grey-Headed Flycatcher 1
Ashy-Throated Warbler 1
Yellow-Browed Warbler 1
Orange-Barred Warbler 2
Pollock's Warbler c10
Yellow-Eyed Warbler c4
Grey-Headed Warbler c5
Mangroove Robin 3
Blue-Fronted Redstart 1
White-Capped Redstart 2
Red Stonechat 1
Stonechat P
Blue-Whistling Thrush c6
Brown Dipper 1
Yellow-Bellied Fantail 2
Yellow-Cheeked Tit 4
Orange-Backed Pipit 5
Richard's Pipit c10
Rose-Breasted Pipit 6
'Alba' Wagtail P
Great Crested Grebe 3
Little Egret c.12
Cattle Egret c.20
White-Tailed Vulture 1

I’m rapidly taking this bird to heart, was watching it soaring when suddenly it dropped and some Rites and Crows and flailed carrying something in its talons being mobbed mercilessly by the birds, it landed and excellently were obtained on the ground.

Egyptian Vulture 26 +
Temmuck’s Stint 2
Spotted Dove 3
White-Breasted Kingfisher 1
Jungle Mynah c.40
Blue-Rock Thrush 1(?)
Rose-Breasted Pipit c.6
Large Red Wagtail 1
27th-28th-29th (morning) December
Begnas Lake and Adjacent Area

- Vegetation and Water Line
- Forested Hill-sides

Great Crested Grebe c.20
Little Grebe c.6
Little Green Heron* 1
Indian Pond Heron c.25
Cattle Egret c.20
Intermediate Egret 2
Little Egret c.8
White-Necked Stork c.4
Black Stork c.21
Mallard c.50
Tufted Duck 6
Black Rake c.10
Sparrowhawk 1 +
Buzzard 1
Crested Serpent Eagle* 1

A striking and obvious raptor and first indication of its presence
White-Tailed Eagle 1 - ad.
Osprey 1
Himalayan Griffon Vulture c 20
Hammergeier 1
Red-Headed Vulture 2 +
White-Backed Vulture c 5
Egyptian Vulture 2
Hen Harrier c 5
Marsh Harrier 1 +
Kestrel 2
Quail 2
Red-j. Pheasant 2 (both f)
White-Breasted Waterhen 1
Purple Gallinule 10
Bronze-Winged Jacana 1
Red-Wattled Lapwing c 14
Common Sandpiper 1
Rosy-Tailed Dove 2
Spotted Dove c 9
Emerald Dove* 1 (0) - V. G. V.
Slaty-Headed Parakeet 6
Cuckoo (sp) 1
Either Common Hawk or Large couldn't get to grips with it
Bearded Vulture 1
Indian Roller 2
Lesser Pied Kingfisher 1 +
Kingfisher c 5
White-Breasted Kingfisher c 8
Blue-Throated Barbet 1
Grey-Capped Pygmy Woodpecker
Grey-Headed Woodpecker 2
Lesser-Capped Backed Woodpecker
Lesser G. B., very noisy behaviour usually picked up on call.

Fulvous-Breasted Red Woodpecker
Himalayan Swiftlet c. 250
Pomacent Sand Martin c. 15
Swallow N.
Red-Rumped Swallow c. 30
Nepal House Martin c. 40
Long-Tailed Shrike 1
Hair-Crested Drongo* 2 + *

Distinctive but the hair-like crest from the base of the bill is variable and even when it is, seen very indistinct.
Black Drongo c. 10
Ashy Drongo 1
Bronzed Drongo c. 6
Grey-Headed Mynah* 3
Jungle Mynah c. 40
Indian Tree-Pie c. 6
Himalayan Tree-Pie c. 5
House Crow c. 4
Jungle Crow c. 12
Lora Cockoo-Shrike c. 4
Long-Tailed Minivet c. 20
Scarlet Minivet 2 + 
Black-Headed Bulbul* 3
White-Cheeked Bulbul c. 20
Red-Vented Bulbul c. 12
Black Bulbul c. 15
Ashy Bulbul* 2
White-Browed Scimitar-Babbler

Voir sentimentale, 2 par call.
Superciliarium, pure white underparts contrast nicely with dark upperparts.

**Spotted Babblers**

* One of the hardest birds on the island to get good views of, spend much of the day on the ground, plumage-wise has the appearance of a small Thrush. The crest rufous with a long pale supercilium and spotted underparts.

**Blue-Winged Munia**

3

**Orange-Crested Flycatcher**

* 2

**Slaty-Blue Flycatcher**

2 (♂7)

A small Flycatcher, ♂♂ distinguished by a rufous tail which is regularly, usually close to or on the ground.

**Snowy-Browed Flycatcher**

Small Niltava 1 (♂)

**Beautiful Niltava**

1 (♂)

**Gray-Headed Flycatcher**

♂ 3

**Yellow-Bellied Fantail**

♂ 8

**White-Throated Fantail**

1

**Slaty-Breasted Teiia**

* 2

**Fan-Tailed Warbler**

♂ 6

**Taylor's Warbler**

3

**Smoky Warbler**

* 1

No real identification problem between this species and any others I have seen, the closest is Banana Owlet. On first appearance a very dark upperparts sooty-brown darker and bolder, very indistinct short plume on the upperparts.
brownish - buffy - yellow very uniform
on, though or darker on. Blanks
some birds there is a slight m
effect, legs darker brown. Call we
from Dusky being an almost di
'clip' as opposed to 'tac'. On all
seen the habitat is right next
often just above water; often on
similar debris in the water so got
can be obtained.

Dusky Warbler 1
Yellow - Banded Warbler 20
Pallid Warbler 10
Blyth's - Crowned Warbler 2
Yellow - Eyed Warbler 6
Grey - Headed Warbler 4
Blue-throat 1
Stone-chat P.
Magpie Robin 10
Grey Bush - Chat 1
Great Tit 2
Black - Backed Forktail * 1
Chestnut - Bellied Nuthatch 2
Velvet - Fronted Nuthatch 1
Olive - Backed Pipit 8
Richard's Pipit 15
Rose - Breastebd Pipit 40
Grey Wagtail 6
Alba Wagtail P
Citrine Wagtail 3
Large Red Wagtail 1
Scarlet - Breastebd Sunbird 3 (23)
White - eye !
29th December (afternoon) Pokhar
(Birds’ included)

Black Kite c 15
Sparrowhawk 1
Bonelli’s Eagle 1 - ad.
White-Tailed Eagle 1 - imm.
Black Vulture c 6
Himalayan Griffon Vulture c 15
Red-Headed Vulture 2
White-Backed Vulture c 5
Egyptian Vulture c 15
Alpine Swift 4
Lesser Whitethroat 1
Yellow-Browed Warbler 2
Chiffchaff 2
Grey Bush-Chat 1
Scarlet-Breasted Sunbird 2

30th December - Travelling Between

and Kathmandu

Black Kite c 25
Steppe Eagle 1
Buzzard 2
[Crested Tree-Swift]*3
Red-Rumped Swallow c 75
Warbling-rose"
31st December - 1st January

Vethalagaweti to Nagavana base

1st day walked up the footpath
ridge to the top, 2nd day along
road up to c. 5,000ft.
Block Rate c. 5
Bukka (sp)
Poor views, underports not seen, no
large, pale patch on primaries
been upload?
Bonelli's Eagle 2 - ads.
Steppe Eagle 2 +
Redjet 1
Rufij Pheasant 3 (all d) - see
Red Jungle Fowl (1)

The field guide makes no mention
them occurring at this altitude
might be introduced
LARGE GREEN - BILL ED MALCOH
SPOTTED OWLET 3
At last! seen after dusk
on telegraph wires.
Blue - Throated Barbet 5
Spotted Piculet 2
Long - Tailed Shrike 3
Tibetan Shrike 1
Red - Billed Blue Magpie 3
Himalayan Tree-Pie 8
Scarlet Minivet 2
Long - Tailed Minivet 2
White - Cheeked Bulbul c. 15
Red - Vented Bulbuls c. 25
Spotted Babbler 4
Rusty-Checkered Scimitar-Babbler 20
Black-Chinned Babblers 4
Red-Billed Leach's 4
White-Eyed Fulvetta 6
Orange-Gorgetted Flycatcher 3
Slaty-Blue Flycatcher 2 (both 1)
Yellow-Bellied Fantail 4
Chestnut-Headed Tanager 1
Aberrant Bush-Warbler 6
Queens-Capped Bush-Warbler 1
A very dark Warbler not as skulking as Aberrant Bush, rufous crown, underparts grey with a paler
Prinia (sp) 1
Ticket's Warbler 1
Quicker distinctive, has a bright lower mandible and prominent supercilium, underparts yellow with a grey suffusion on the "sp" call seems to be quicker distinguisushing
Yellow-Browed Warbler 3
Orange-Baired Warbler 2
Rudders Warbler c35
Guthri's Crowned Warbler 2
Yellow-Eyed Warbler c7
Grey-Headed Warbler c12
Chestnut-Crowned Warbler 1
Red-Flanked Bluetail 1
Mistle Thrush c8
Spotted Forktail 1
Grey Bush Chat 2
Tiwari Thrush 5
VGY
Yellow-Checked Tit 4
Red-Headed Tit 3
Fire-Breasted Flower-pecker 3
Nepal Sunbird 1
Sunbird (sp) 3
White-eye 20
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3rd Tawang-Kathmandu Valley

To Gorkha.

Indian Pond-Heron 2
Black Kite c.8
**BLACK EAGLE** 1 - V.G.V.

On first appearance quite Aquila
but more buoyant moving back
and forwards over trees more like
Hermine, plumage very dark with
yellow eye, when banking pale to
be seen.

Steppe Eagle 1
Red-tail 1
Spotted Owl 1
White-Breasted Kingfisher 3
Blue-Throated Barbet 1
Small Skylark c.8
Little Swift 1
Plain Sand Martin c.20
Long-Tailed Shrike 3
Brown Shrike 1

Black Oropendola c.12
Common Mynah c.35
Jungle Crow c.15
P**IEO**-FLYCATCHER SHRIKE** c.10

Long-Tailed Minivet 4
Black Bulbul c.25
White-Bellied Yuhina c.4
Orange-Forgetted Flycatcher c.5
Snow-Browed Blue- Flycatcher 3
Grey-Headed Flycatcher 1

Adj.: Bullfinch 3
Yellow-Eyed Warbler  c6
Grey-Headed Warbler  c10
Magpie Robin  3
Red Stonechat  4
White's Thrush  3
Excellent views of all birds along
some track as where I kicked. I
think there's something about this and
which you have a chance of seeing
British which gives you an extra lift.
Tickell's Thrush  3
Yellow-Checkered Tit  c6
Chestnut-Bellied Nuthatch  c5
Velvet-Fronted Nuthatch  2
Oliver-Backed Pipit  c55
Large Red-Wageant  2
White-eye  c.4.
Birding here in really superb forest, mostly much heavy rain and one day heavy snow above about 7500 ft.

Indian Pond Heron

Cattle Egret

Mountain Hawk-Eagle

Looks smaller than it probably is short but broad wings, but long and heavily barred.

Black Eagle

Pigeon (sp)

Distant flight: views.

Long-tailed Cuckoo-Dove

Excellent views perched, generally as appearance with green sheen on the back of neck: tail strikingly long and length of body, both wings and tail with black.

Red-billed Turtle-Dove

Spotted Dove 2

Great Himalayan Barbet

Blue- throated Barbet

Darjeeling Red Woodpecker

Brown-fronted Red Woodpecker

 Rufous Billed Sapsucker

Tibetin Shrike

Ashy Drongo 2
Jungle Mynah * c. 5
Black-Throated Jay * c. 10
Himalayan Treecreeper c. 15
Jungle Goshawk c. 6
Scared Monarch 2
Orange-Bellied Chloropsis * c. 3
White-Checked Bulbul c. 20
Striated Bulbul * c. 15
Red-vented Bulbul c. 25
Black Bulbul c. 150
Orange-Bellied Bulbul * c. 5
Striated-crested Simitar Babble
Ruby-Checked Simitar Babble 4
Black-crested Babble 3
White-Throated Laughing-Thrush * c. 12
Striated Laughing-Thrush * c. 12
White-greened Laughing-Thrush 5
Rufous-crested Laughing-Thrush
Grey-sided Laughing-Thrush * c. 11
Red-headed Laughing-Thrush c. 1
Red-billed Leiothrix c. 15
Hoary Barwing 1
Stripe-throated Swallow c. 8
Blue-winged Motacilla 1
Yellow-billed Yuhina c. 15
Rufous-vented Yuhina 2
White-bellied Yuhina 1
White-browed Titi Babble c. 8
White-eyed Fulvetta c. 6
Black-capped Sibia c. 125
Orange-gorgeted Flycatcher c. 10
Breedi Side-Nesters 2
White-Throated Fantail 2
Chestnut-Headed Teal 1
Aberrant Bush-Warbler 2
Ashy-Throated Warbler c.4
Orange-Bordered Warbler c.75
Pallid's Warbler c.1.5
Yellow-Eyed Warbler c.5
Grey-Headed Warbler c.10
Chestnut-Crowned Warbler c.10


taylorbird 2
Rede Flaked Bluebird 4 (3♂)
GOLDEN Bush Robin *1♂* *

Gong by the Nepal Field Guide. this was a ♀ but later experts showed it was a ♀ , dull yellow-dark mask through the eye. Def. hardest bird of the trip to get. ♀, deep call once learned vs. dist. male. Robin c.5
Hodgson's Redstart c.6
White-Capped Redstart 2
Palmers Redstart 1
Chestnut-Bellied Rock-Thrush 2
White-Collared Blackbird c.6

Acc. buds, seen at about 8,500' snow, identical in size and shape, regular Blackbird, ♀ brown with white collar.

Blue-Wheeled Thrush c.6
Black-Throated Thrush 2
Green-Backed Tit c.7
Yellow-Checkered Tit c.10
90. 

Velvet-Fronted Nuthatch 1
White-Tailed Nuthatch 5
Sikkim Trecreeper*3
Olive-Backed Redstart c. 20
Fire-Breasted Flowerpecker c. 5
Nepal Sunbird c. 8
Fire-Tailed Sunbird * c. 6
Black-Breasted Sunbird*1(d)

Good bird, excellent colour scheme: black breast, purple-glossed head, tail and a small rufous patch on mantle.

White-eye c. 25
Spot-Winged Grosbeak* 25 (c)

Some quite good views obtained. ♂ dark with a huge, stout bill, a white belly yellow. ♀ with yellow supercilium, dark head, underpart yellow streaked, spots on secondaries but both sexes have conspicuous patch in the centre of the wing.

Common Rosefinch c. 30 (12 d)
Red-Vented Siskin - Bubble - c
9th January Travelling Between

and Rossitten

Sitting in the front seat of the
many birds were seen which I
have missed otherwise. (Birds)

Little Cormorant 2
Purple Heron 1
Indian Pond Heron c 80
Cattle Egret c 250
Intermediate Egret c 10
Little Egret c 225
Openbill Stork 6
White-Necked Stork 6
Lesser Adjutant Stork 7
Black-Shouldered Kite 1
Black Kite c 50
Buzzard 1
White-Eyed Buzzard 1
Steppe Eagle 1

Griffon Vulture 4
White-Backed Vulture c 30
Vulture (sp) c 80
Egyptian Vulture 2
Marsh Harrier 1
HARRIER (sp) 1
Racket-tail 2

Ace vulture, all birds seen from
in early morning feeding at roo
Spotted Dove c.15
Pawkeet (sp) c.125
Golden-Backed Woodpecker (sp)
Lark (sp) c.120
[Crested Tree-Swift*3]
Swift (sp) c.12 – prob. Himalayan
Alpine Swift c.12
Red-Rumped Swallow c.250
Brown Shrike 1
Racket-Tailed Drongo (sp) 1
Pied Mynah c.50
Jungle Mynah c.35
Large Cuckoo-Shrike 3
Jungle Babblers c.20
White's Thrashers 1
Feeding at roadside

10th January Travelling Between
and Ilam (Birds in)

Lesser Adjutant Stork 9
Buteo (sp) 3
Raptor (sp) 5
Hun Harrier 1
Harrier (sp) 1
Restrel 3
Himalayan Swiftlet c.50
[Crested Tree-Swift*] 1
I'm not kicking this bird into
my shoes on it.
Hair-Crested Drongo 1
10th (afternoon)-11th January

and Wallring N. end of town.

Black Kite 1
Red-crested 1
Rufous-Turkey Dove 2
Slaty-Headed Parakeet 2
Barred Owl 1

Large Golden-Backed Woodpecker 1
Fulvous-Bearded Red Woodpecker 1
Little Swift c. 20
Crag Martin 3
Red-Rumped Swallow c. 6
House Martin c. 25
Nepal House Martin c. 20
Tibetan Shrike 2
Brown Shrike 1
Ashy Orongo 1+
Common Mynah c. 25
House Crow c. 40
Jungle Crow c. 8

White-Checkered Bulbul 4
Red-vented Bulbul c. 15
Spotted Babbler 2
White-Browed Scrub-Finch-Babbler
Rusty-Checkered Scrub-Babbler

Tingle Babblers c. 20
Red-Breasted Flycatcher 2+
Grey-Headed Flycatcher 2+

Star Belly Prinia c. 20
Brown Hill-Prinia 2

Taylorbird c. 4
94.

Yellow-Browed Warbler  c5
Yellow-Eyed Warbler  2
Grey-Headed Warbler  1
Yellow-Breasted Warbler 2

Magpie Robin  chr
Grey Bush-Chat  2
Great Tit  2
Olive-Backed Pipit  c10
Purple Sandpiper  1
White-eye  c7
Common Rosefinch  1(d)
12th January. Walking Between

Chisapani

Chisapani

Mai Khola

Cross-bill 1 (♀)
Acapiter (♂) 1
Buzzard 2
Crested Serpent Eagle 1
Rexrel 1+
River Loaing 1*

Just as I reached the Mai Khola, they flew upstream and around in the river out of sight, with excitement! I ran up there and they had landed and were not far away, with excellent views. Much to need an observation. Feed water in the middle of the river.

Rufous-Tailed Dove - 10
Alexandrine Parakeet 6*

Larger than Ring-Necked moorhen patchy, quite obvious, deeper calls.

Ring-Necked
Large - Green-Billed Malkoha
Indian Roller - 1

Blue-Bearded Bee-Eater 1*

Un-Bee-Eater-like habits of some flowering Silk-Cotton trees so Blue-Throated Barbet 2
Ernie.

Wryneck 1
Grey-Capped Pygmy Woodpecker
Lesser Yellow-Naped Woodpecker
Large Golden-Backed Woodpecker
Fulvous-Breasted Red Woodpecker
Little Swift 1
CREATED TREE-SWIFT* 1
Alpine Swift 1
Red-Rumped Swallow 14
Nepalese House Martin c. 35
Long-Tailed Shrike 2
Tibetan Shrike 2
Brown Shrike 1
Maroon Oriole 1 (?)
Hairy-Crested Drongo c. 12
Bronzed Drongo 4
Common Myna c. 40
HILDE MynaH* 1
Jungle Crow c. 8
Large Cuckoo-Shrike 4
LARGE WOOD-SHRIKE* c. 6
Scarlet Minivet c. 15
Common Iora 2
GOLDEN-FRONTED CHLOROPSIS
Orange-Bellied Chloropsis 3
Black-Headed Bulbul c. 6
White-Checkered Bulbul 2
Red-vented Bulbul c. 15
WHITE-THROATED BULBUL* 3
Ashy Bulbul 2
White-Browed Scimitar-Babbler
Chestnut-Throated Shrike-Babbler
About 4,000 ft below the summit
Blue-Winged Minta c6
White-Bellied Yuhina 3
Red-Breasted Flycatcher 4
Beautiful Niltava 1
**BROOK'S FLYCATCHER** 4
Quite distinctive with a cone of grey head, whitish throat and rufous tail near the ground.
Grey-Headed Flycatcher c 12
Yellow-Bellied Funtail c 10
Grey-Breasted Prinia c 25
Taylordril 1
Asky-Throated Warbler 1
Greensh Warbler 2
Yellow-Browed Warbler 2
Pallas's Warbler c 12
Blyth's Crowned Warbler c 10
Yellow-Eyed Warbler 2
Grey-Headed Warbler c 10
Cheeked Crowned Warbler 2
Yellow-Bellied Warbler 1
WHITE-RUMPED SHANK* 1 (d)
Smart bird, V. G. V., long tail and white rump and white edge and white rump and white edge and white rump and white edge in flight.
Magpie Robin c 5
White-Capped Redstart 1
Rumbleous Redstart c 14
Grey Bush-Chat 5
Blue Rock Thrush 2
Blue Whistling Thrush 2
Bristle-thrush 2
Olive-Backed Pipit \( c.20 \)

Sandpiper (sp) \( 1(?) \)

Puffin \( 2 \)

1st in full breeding plumage: mainly a shiny blue-black all over with a small yellow patch on flanks.

White-eye \( c.20 \)

**STREAKED SPIDER-HUNTER** *5*

Acc, with long, slightly decurved heavily streaked appearance; 5 have bright orange.

**SHARP-TAILED MUNIA** *15*
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Ravenous and can be picked from Ring-Necked Parakeet's call.

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It is a rather unnatural looking body gray with bright blue wing and tail.

Red-Winged Bush-Bark 2
 Rufous-winged bunting as it flies.
 Sand-bark c6
 Crested Tree-Swift c4
 Himalayan Swiftlet c75
 Pink Swift c6
 Alpine Swift c20
 Plain Sand Martin c50
 Red-Rumped Swallow c30
 Swallow P.
 Nepali House Martin c30
 Tibetan Shrike 3
 Long-Tailed Shrike c5
 Brown Shrike 9
 Black-Headed Oriole c10
 Maroon Oriole 2

Greater Racket-Tailed Drongo

Everything about these birds is the whole shape topped by the curving back over the head and least the long wispy-like tail spatulate at the ends which great care not to knock against branches.

Hair-Crested Drongo c60
 Ashy Drongo c2
 Black Drongo c25
 Bronzed Drongo c12
 Grey-Headed Mynah c12
 Red Mynah c50
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Yellow-breasted Babbler* 2
Largeteckled Laughing-Thrush

Not very good views, unfortunately for a Gurney's, thickness of brush seen which should make it this one to lesser white corners to tail

Red-breasted Flycatcher 12
Snow-browed Blue Flycatcher 16
Beautiful Niltava 1(d)
Brook's Flycatcher 9
Grey-headed Flycatcher 17

Fan-tailed Warbler 3
Taylor-bird 10
Tickell's Warbler 1
Dusky Warbler 1
Greyish Warbler 3

Yellow-browed Warbler 2
Pallas' Warbler 4

Blyth's Crowned Warbler 12
Yellow-faced Warbler* 14

2 sightings in a mixed bush party of views, readily identifiable yellow throat and under tail coverts white belly also has a black line through crown

Yellow-crowned Warbler 5
Yellow-bellied Warbler 3

Bluethroat 1

Stonechat 1

White-rumped Shama 16

Magpie Robin 13

White-Capped Redstart 1

Black-breasted Fantail 6
Blue-Headed Rock Thrush* 1 (2)
Great Tit P.
Checkered-Bellied Nuthatch c.1
Velvet-Fronted Nuthatch c.8
Olive-Backed Pipit c.8
Richards' Pipit c.5
Grey Wagtail c.4
Alba Wagtail P.
Citrine Wagtail c.3
Large Pied Wagtail 1
Ruby-Cheeked Sunbird* 1
Quite good views but sex not
dark mask through the eye and
from the throat down to the low
Shoebilled Spider-lizard c.8
White-eye 4
Sharp-Tailed Myna c.15
Spotted Myna 6
15th January Travelling between

(Birds Included)

Great White Egret 1
Oparbill Stork 7
White-Necked Stork 2
Lesser Adjutant Stork 5
Black-Shouldered Kite 1

White-Faced Buzzard 2

Steppe Eagle 1

(Pied Harrier* 1) 4

Seen from bus, about 2 miles

Oomal (see notes 16th Jan)
Emerald Dove 1(3)

Crested Tree-Swift 1

Black-Headed Oriole 1(3)
15th (afternoon) - 16th January 1850
on East Side of River

Great Crested Grebe c.4
Little Grebe c.8
Cormorant P
Little Cormorant c.20
Purple Heron c.5
Grey Heron P.
Indian Pond Heron c.25
Cattle Egret c.50
Great White Egret 2
Intermediate Egret c.25
Little Egret c.45
Open-billed Stork c.15
White-Necked Stork 2+
Black Stork 1
Black-Necked Stork 1
Lesser Adjutant Stork c.4
Black Ibis c.30
Lesser Whistling Duck 1000+
Ruddy Shelduck c. 30
Pink-footed c. 3000
Teal c. 125
Gadwall c. 75
Mallard P
Wigeon P
Shoveler P
Spatbill Duck c. 25
Falcated Teal * c. 11 (5♀)

Note: very close calls and not seen flight, about the same size as a Gadwall head looked dark with feathers stretching back towards neck white and body grey; not well enough to see differences with Eiders.

Pochard c. 6
Tufted Duck P
Ferruginous Duck c. 15
Cotman Teal 6
Sneer 1 (♀)
Crossbills 8 (all ♂)
Black-shouldered Kite 1+
Black Kite c. 15
Accipiter (sp) 1
White-Tailed Eagles 2
Adult and probably a sub-adult had a distinctly two-tone tail feathers having white centres ed seen well on the ground.
Osprey 1+
Grebe Youngness 2
He-Harrier 2 +
Pied Harrier*1(6)
A very striking Harrier in size probably most like Hen with a black and breast and also a black streak of the wing and wing-tips damage gray with whitish under.
Harrier (sp) 1 - mm d
Marsh Harrier c 15
Redstart 2
Moorhen 1
Coot c 10
Purple Gallinule c 60
Bronze-winged Jacana c 70
Red-wattled Lapwing c 8
Lapwing c 20
Roo Lapwing c 10
Curlow c 100
Greenshank P
Green Sandpiper P
Common Sandpiper P
Common Snipe 3
Temminck's Stint 1
GREAT STONE PIEKER*3
Looks larger than Stone Curlew appearance, bill black with a y base and conspicuous black patch head. Not seen in flight.
GREAT BLACK HEADED GULL*1 -
Looked big but about Great Black Back Didn't look at it very closely.
Black-headed Gull c 100
Brown Headed Gull c 8
Gull-Billed Tern  c. 5
Whiskered Tern  c. 5
Indian River Tern  c. 15
Black-Billed Tern  c. 7
Common Tern  P
Collared Dove  P
Spotted Dove  c. 10
Large Conul  c. 14
Indian Roller  c. 3
Hoopoe  c. 3
Lesser Reed-Kingfisher  c. 8
Kingfisher  c. 7
White-Breasted Kingfisher  c. 5
Little Green Bee-Eater  c. 15
Red-Winged Bush-Hawk  c. 6
Sand-Hawk  14
Plain Sand-Martin  c. 40
Swallow  P
Red-Rumped Swallow  c. 5
Long-Tailed Shrike  c. 3
Brown Shrike  c. 3
Black Orange  c. 25
Grey Headed Mynah  c. 6
Sterling  2
Pied Mynah  c. 80
Common Mynah  c. 6
Bank Mynah  c. 120
Indian Tree-Pie  2
House Crow  c. 150
Red-Whiskered Bulbul  1
Red-vented Bulbul  c. 10
Red-Breasted Flycatcher  c. 2
For-Tailed Weaver  c. 1
Sandoz, Mune & G
Purple Swamp

Chinook Salmon 1 0

Flower, Migrant & 15

Rose-breasted 1 18

Green Heron &

Blue Footed Boobie -

Alta Rock Triangle 1

Red Squirrel 6

Beach

Gull

Yellow-Billed Wadder 3

Greenlette Wader 1

Gull

0

Sandhill Wader 2

Trolley Wader 2 +

Accross campground

I'm surprised we didn't see

Phil's Rock Walker

(3) Rock Walker

with/without & Blake's presence. Also

wonder if birds presence &

some of Simon's character to call

spacious pole surface

uppers become ledge, spreaded

A large holted with a long pole

Stretcher Marsh Wader

2
17th-18th January Rozi Barrage

Scale of River

Reedy Channel

\[W = \text{marsh}, \quad \text{Fields}, \quad \_\_ = \text{roads}, \quad \text{Sand Bank}\]

Great Crested Grebe c.4
Little Cormorant c.15
Purple Heron c.6
Indian Pond Heron c.1+0
Cattle Egret c.4+0
Great White Egret c.4+
Intermediate Egret c.35
Little Egret c.4+5
Openbill Stork c.15
White-Necked Stork c.3
Black Stork 2
Black-Necked Stork 1+
Lesser Adjutant Stork c.5
White Ibis 3
Spoonbill 85
Lesser Whistling Duck 1000+
Red-knobbed Duck 1200
Pintail Ab.
Spotbill Duck c.6
Grey Lag Goose 8
Black-shouldered Kite 14
Black Kite c.12
Cape Gull (sp) 2
Steppe Eagle 1
Spotted Eagle 1 -ad.
White-Tailed Eagle 1
Osprey c.3
Black Vulture c.3
Griffon Vulture c.15
White-Backed Vulture c.50
Egyptian Vulture c.3
Harrier 2 (♂ ♀)
Pallid Harrier 1(?)
Red Harrier 1♂
Marsh Harrier c.12
Large Falcon (sp) 1
Peregrine or Laggar? poor views
Heat haze.
Red-Headed Martin ♀1(d)
Flushed past close to the group
typical Merlin fashion of ! similarity
to the regular Merlin though.
upper-parts, red crown very obvious
Kestrel c.4
Grey Partridge 2
Ruddy Crake 2*
Brant - Wintered 2
River Lapwing c.6
Wood Sandpiper 1
Temmick's Stint c.30
Sage (sp) 1

Finished, looked heavily built and
have been solitary.

Great-Black-Headed Gull 5

Birds coming into summer plumage
with black over top of head

with black band around it, on
black along trailing edge of pin
glees green.

Brown-Headed Gull c.10

Cropian Tem. c.3

Gull-Billed Tem. c.10

Indian River Tem. c.15

Black-Billed Tem. c.10

Whiskered Tem. 2

Spotted Dove 1

Large Cormorant c.5

Spotted Oystercatcher 1

Indian Roller 2

Hoopoe c.6

Lesser Red-Kingfisher c.8

Kingfisher P

White-Breasted Kingfisher c.5

Little Green Bee-Eater c.30

Wryneck 3

Ashy-Crowned Finch-Lark * c.6

A very smart bird

Red-Winged Bush-Lark c.10
Plain Sand Martin 75
Red-Rumped Swallow 50
Long-Tailed Shrike 5
Brown Shrike 2
Black Drongo 15
Red Myna 120
Common Myna 8
Bank Myna 200
Jungle Crow 1
House Crow 100
Red-vented Bulbul 6
**Striated Babbler** 8
Fan-Tailed Warbler 5
Purua (sp) 8
Yellow-Bellied Purua 8
Striated Marsh Warbler 6
Clamorous Reed Warbler 3
Blyth's Reed Warbler 2
Paddfield Warbler 3
Acrocephalus (sp) 2
Swarthy Warbler 3
Dusky Warbler 6
Blackthroat 30
Magpie Robin 1
Pied Stone-chat 4
Olive-Backed Pipit 10
Tree Pipit 5
Richard's Pipit 12
Rose-Breasted Pipit 20
Citrine Wagtail 20
Large Pied Wagtail 10
Purple Sunbird 1
Yellow-breasted Bunting 50
19th January 1919 to Kevit Inji

didn't and walked back to Ber (on east side of river)

Little Cormorant  25
Purple Heron  3
Gray Heron  3
Indian Pond Heron  30
Cattle Egret  100
Great White Egret  3
Intermediate Egret  15
Little Egret  25
Open-bill Stork  25
White-Necked Stork  6
Black-Necked Stork  1
Lesser Adjutant Stork  3
Black Ibis  30
Ruddy Shelduck  50
Lesser Whistling Duck  1000
Portoid Ab.

Ferruginous Duck  17
Black-Shouldered Kite  2
Black Kite  10
Sparrowhawk  1
White-Eyed Buzzard  1

The main reason for doing this today was to look for this species
I had seen from the bus on the
palace twice and sure enough t
now, V.G.V were obtained—pale eyes
When flying away from you look
Admirer-Like.
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Red Mynah  c 250
Common Mynah  c 10
Bank Mynah  c 12
Indian Tree-Pie  2
House Crow  c 75
Jungle Crow  3
Red-vented Bulbul  4
Perna (sp)  c 12
Towhee  4
Striated Marsh-Warbler  7
Blyth's Reed-Warbler  2
Paddy-Field Warbler  2
Acrocephalus (sp)  1

Note: in the Nepal F.G. but look to S.E. Asia guide the closest thing.
Black-Browed Reed: The bird had
superb tail—bordered above and below
black, warm brown—white.
Upperparts quite warm brown again;
some dark streaking, wings darker;
had a rufous buff wash, especially
when dark. Call a fairly soft 'tyk
first for Nepal.
Tickell's Warbler  2
Greikey Warbler  2
Dusky Warbler  2
Blackthroat  c 25
Black Redstart  2
Magpie Robin  1
Red Stonechat  c 6
Olive-Backed Pipit  c 8
Richards Pipit  c 15
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20th January Travelling Between

Barrage and Smaa (Buds' walk)
- Cattle Egret: 250
- Lesser Adjutant Stork: 2
- Steppe Eagle: 1
- Repret: 3
20th (a.m.) - 21st January

Kathmandu

Village

Forest

India

The highlight of this stay was the encounter with a mixed Woodpecker:

Black Kite
Ring-Necked Parakeet - 250
Alexandrine Parakeet - 10
Blossom-Headed Parakeet - 20

The smallest Nepal Parakeet, distinct high pitched 'twit' call

Long-Tailed Nightjar

Finished from ground and very dramatic.

Poorly Woodpecker
Small Scaly-Bellied Woodpecker
Grey-Headed Woodpecker
Large Yellow-Naped Woodpecker
Lesser Yellow-Naped Woodpecker
Large Golden-Backed Woodpecker
Fulvous-Breasted Red Woodpecker
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Indian Pond Heron c 30
Cattle Egret c 75
Intermediate Egret 2
Little Egret c 60
All the Egrets roosted in a big
the main street of Hetaura.
Black 118 c 8
Black Kite c 20
Acapulco (sp) 1+
Buzzard c 3
Crested Serpent Eagle 2
Steppe Eagle 2
Griffon Vulture c 5
White-Backed Vulture 2+
Harrier 1
White-Breasted Waterhen 1
Red Wattled Lapwing 3

= Woodland
122.

Green-shank P
Green Sandpiper P
Common Sandpiper P
Temmick’s Stint c.6
Spotted Dove c.1
Alexandrine Parakeet c.40
Ring-Necked Parakeet c.35
Blossom-Headed Parakeet c.25
Common Hawk-Creeper*
Brown Fish Owl*

Excellent views of the bird sitting in a tree with a fish in its beak.

Eagle Owl size, eyes yellow, tuft of head not as long as in Eagle.

Underparts brown with dark Indian Roller c.10

Kingfisher P
White-Breasted Kingfisher c.1

Linedated Barbet 1

Grey-Capped Pygmy Woodpecker 3

Large Golden-Backed Woodpecker
Lesser Golden-Backed Woodpecker
Fulvous-Breasted Red Woodpecker

Little Swift c.250

Crested Tree-Swift c.15

Alpine Swift c.100

Plain Sand Martin c.5

Swallow P.

Red-Rumped Swallow c.50

Nepalese House Martin c.300

Long-Tailed Shrike c.4

Tibetan Shrike c.4
Yellow-Browed Warbler  6
Pallas’s Warbler  8
Blyth’s-Crowned Warbler  8
Grey-Headed Warbler  5
Chestnut-Crowned Warbler  1
Warbler (sp)

Certainly something I haven’t seen may have been a Spotted Bush-
Bluetroat 2
Siberian Rubythroat 1 (d)

Much more striking than any field
shows, the bird popped up in a patch
of tall vegetation so close that I
wasn’t sure what it was straight away and
immediately. A description is hardly
possible. White-Capped Redstart 2
Plumbeous Redstart  30
Little Forktail 1
Black-Backed Forktail 1
Stonechat  P
Red Stonechat  ch
Blue-Whistling Thrush  2
Black-Headed Thrush  1
Great Tit  P
Chestnut-Bellied Nuthatch  4
Wallcreeper  1
Olive-Backed Pipit  20
Richard’s Pipit  8
Grey Wagtail  P
Alloa’ Wagtail  N.
Large Red Wagtail  8
Sumbul (sp)  1 (f)

Vie.
25th January
Travelling between 
and Rathmander (Buds included)

Buzzard 4

Vulture (sp) 1

Forktail (sp) 1

26th-27th-28th January
Rathman

No birding but saw

Peregrine Falcon 1

Red-Head 1

Had Rs. 1100 stolen from my hotel on the 27th (about £39)
29th January Helicopter Trekking Bengal

Sundarghat and Pati Banjyang

Pass (2440)

Mukhorka (1890)

Pati Banjyang

Sundarghat (1265)

Main Forest Areas.

Black Kite 1
Sparrowhawk 2
Buzzard 3
Raptor(s) 1
Her. Harrier 1♂
Kestrel 1
Ashy-Wood Pigeon * c.120

A single flock seen flying around several minutes, dark grey appearance, distinctly pale head.

Rufous-Turtledove 2
Stately-Headed Parakeet 7
Darjeeling Pied Woodpecker 1♂
Little Swift 1
Nepal House Martin c.20
Long-Tailed Shrike 2
Common Mynah c.6
Jay 2

Trez race of this species in the entire head orange-buff with black lozenges.

Jungle Crow c.5
Orange-Bellied Chlorisqua 2
Red-vented Bulbul c.15
Rusty-Checkered Scrub-Babbler
Streaked Laughing-Thrush c.5
Red-Tailed Minla 2
Streak-Throated Swallow c.4
Blue-Winged Minla 1
Yellow-Naped Yuhina c.8
Streak-Throated Yuhina c.12
Black-Capped Silva c.15
Orange-Gorgetted Flycatcher c.5
Yellow-Bellied Fantail 1
Ashy-Throated Warbler c.8
Orange-Banded Warbler 3
Pallas' Warbler 2+
Yellow-Eyed Warbler 3
Grey-Headed Warbler 4
Red-Flanked Bluetail 4 (2♂)
Golden BIsh-Bish 1 (♂)

Almost impossible to put my brush bright yellow as a Golden One.
Magpie Robin 1
Blue-Headed Redstart c.5
Blue-Fronted Redstart c.20
White-Capped Redstart 4
Plumeless Redstart 3
Chestnut-Bellied Rock-Thrush 2
White-Colored Blackbird 3 (1♂)
Grey-Winged Blackbird 3
Blue Whistling Thrush 2
Black-Throated Thrush c.60
Brown Dippers 3
Green-Backed Tit c.8
Yellow-Oxpecker 6
White-Tailed Nuthatch 6
Olive-Backed Pipit 20
Yellow-Bellied Flowerpecker
A large Flowerpecker, 3 a very
bushy with a black head and
a broad white line down the
rest of underparts bright yellow.
version of it.
Fire-Breasted Flowerpecker 2
Nepal Sunbird 1
White-eye 10
Hodgson's Mountain-Finch 125
Common Rosefinch 12
Pink-Browed Rosefinch 3 (all ?)
little Bunting 2
30th January Trekking Between Puli and End Bayesian Pass (2170)

Chelelang (2170)

Puli Banyang (1770)

- man forest areas

Sparrowhawk 2+
Buzzard 1
Eurasian Eagle 1
Himalayan Griffon Vulture 3
Hir. Harrier 1(f)
Kestrel 1
Spotted Pigeon 1
Gray Martin 2
Nepal House Martin c5
Long-Tailed Shrike 2
Mourning Dove 1(o)
Common Myna 2
Red-Billed Blue Magpie 4
Jungle Crow c10
Long-Tailed Minivet c10
White-Cheeked Babul c70
Rufous-Naped Babul 2
Rufus Cheeked Scrub-Babblers Black-Chinned Babblers 3
Streaked Hangul-Thrush 2
White-Throated Hangul-Thrush 1

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*Feeding in an Alder as the regular Hodgson's Mountain-Finch, c.175*

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31st January - From Calc Banyang to Khutungang.

Pass (2520)

Cal. Banyang (2130)

Khutungang (2470)

- Mango forest

Took much snow on ground to get through Pati.

Bare Legged Buzzard 3
Together, 2 'normal' phase; birds a very dark one with paler pupil.

Aquila (sp) 1
Haw Harrier 1 (d)

Ashy Wood Pigeon 10

Puffins - Turtle Dove 1

Darjeeling Red Woodpecker 2

Yellow-Billed Blue Magpie c. 7

Jungle Crow c. 100

White-Cheeked Bulbul c. 5

Streak-Headed Scimitar-Babbler 3

Rusty-Headed Scimitar-Babbler 2

White-Throated langi-langi - Thush 2

Variegated langi-langi - Thush c. 8

Red-Headed langi-langi - Thush 1

Stepe-Throated Swa 3

Yellow-Naped Yuhma 2

Stepe-Throated Yuhma c. 25

Puffins - Vireos Yuhma c. 15

Banksian Swiftlet c. 25
Orange-Backed Flycatcher 2
Orange-Baired Warbler c10
Gray-Headed Warbler 1
Red-Flanked Bluetail c6
Blue-Headed Redstart c18
Blue-Flanked Redstart c15
White-Collared Blackbird c8
Blue-Winged Thrush 2
Black-Throated Thrush c100
Marrow-Backed Accentor 2
Green-Backed Tit c8
Red-Backed Tit 3
Red-Headed Tit c12
Coal Tit 1
Wren 2
White-Tailed Nuthatch 2
Tree Creeper (sp) 1
Down-Backed Pipit 1
Nepal Shrike 2
White-eye 1
**WHITE-WINGED GROSBEAK** *c4* (1+1+1+)

Good views, quite similar to Spot plumage wise, female a paler

**WHITE-WINGED GROSBEAK** *c4* (1+)

Spike-Headed Rosefinch 1(+)
Really gripping watching this bird
range while it was pecking

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range while it was pecking

Common Rosefinch 1(*)
Vargated Laughing-Thrush c 6
White-Spotted Laughing-Thrush 1
Red-Headed Laughing-Thrush 1
Block-Faced Laughing-Thrush 1
FIRED-TAILED MYZORNIS 1

The Passmore of the tip, plump with a bright red edged black beak, a red unifus patch on the head. The bird particularly favored one hollow, moss-covered Oak and by its quietness would feed unconcerned yards range. It would disappear up the tree and when I went 'back' immediately came into view, stare several seconds and disappear again.

Hoary Barwing 2
Stepe-Throated Swa 3
Stepe-Throated Yukwa c 3
Red-Necked Yukwa c 5
White-Browed Tit-Babbler c 15
Black-Capped Sibia c 5
Aberrant Bush-Warbler 2
Ashy-Throated Warbler 1
Orange-Breasted Warbler c 20
Pallas' Warbler 1
Yellow-Eyed Warbler 1
Grey-Headed Warbler 2

Jungle Crow c 100
Yellow-Billed Blue-Magpie c 7
Goldcrest 2
White-Browed Bush-Robin 1
Red-Flanked Bluetail c 11
Red-Billed Starling 2
Blue-Headed Redstart 1
Blue-Fronted Redstart c. 22
White-Capped Redstart 4
Plumbeous Redstart 5
Little Forktail 1
Slaty-Breasted Forktail 1
Spotted Forktail 1
Chestnut-Billed Rock-Thrush 1 (0)
White's Thrush 1
White-Collaried Blackbird c. 8
Blue-Whistling Thrush c. 18
Black-Throated Thrush c. 20
Himalayan Accentor 1
 Rufous-Breasted Accentor 2
Green-Backed Tit c. 6
Red-Headed Tit c. 5
White-Tailed Nuthatch c. 5
Olive-Backed Pipit 4
Five-Breasted Flowerpecker 1
Nepal Sunbird c. 17
Hodgson's Mountain-Finch c. 60

Beautiful Rosefinch c. 12

WHITE-BROWED ROSEFINCH 6 (0)
Another mis-named species the c.
v. pink, the end looking of white
head is turned to a certain-

JUVENILE ROSEFINCH 7

Tame and easily watched, bill
and pinfeather throat of Rosefinch, all
showed a strong dark brown
with conspicuous dark streaks.
Yellow rings. 2 mm. q.
136.

Forward and breast though less than all birds rest of underparts gray with no streaking.

Rock Bunting c.6

Little Bunting c.5
3rd February Trekking Between Tonke Kying and Semathang

Tonke Kying (2675)

Main Forest Areas

Sparrowhawk 2
Buzzard 1
Mountain Hawk-Eagle 1 +
Har-Harrier 1 +
Restruel 1
Snow Pigeon c 30
Ashy Wood Pigeon 6

Some quite good views perched:
Yellow-Billed Blue Magpie c 6
Jungle Crow c 10
Block Bulbul c 17
Streaked Hanglung-Thrush c 10
White-Throated Hanglung-Thrush c 10
White-Spotted Hanglung-Thrush c 10
Red-Headed Hanglung-Thrush c 10
Block-Faced Hanglung-Thrush c 10
Fire-Tailed Megacoma 1

Yesterday's bird, I just had to
again
Hoary Barwing 3
Stripe-Throated Yuhina c 20
Red-Vented Yuhina c 5
White-Browed Tit-Babbler c 12
Black-Capped Sibia c 35
Orange-Breast Weaver c 12
Grey-Headed Warbler  1
Red-Flanked Bluetail  c.5
Blue-Headed Redstart  2
Blue-Flanked Redstart  c.15
Blue-Whistling Thrush  3
Black-Throated Thrush  c.40
Red-Throated Thrush  c.4+
All 2' in .P. b.p.
Rufous-Breasted Accentor  1
Red-Headed Tit  1
White-Tailed Minivet  1
Olive-Backed Pipit  91
Nepal Sunbird  c.9
Inkdoor Sunbird  c.20
Rosefinch (sp)  l(9)
Poor views, prob. Spot-Winged
Beautiful Rosefinch  c.7
Hodgson's Mountain-Finch  c.75
14th February

Walking Between...

and Teramang

Sermathang (2675)

Ruksu
(1280)

Man Forest Areas.

Indian Pond Heron 2

Cattle Egret 2

Little Egret c 6

White-Necked Stork - 6

Black Kite c 4

Sparrowhawk 1 +

Crested Serpent-Eagle 1

Steppe Eagle 2

Horned Harrier 1(0)

Kestrel c 3

Swin Pigeon c 80

Rufous Turtle Dove 2

Slaty-Headed Parakeet 5

Himalayan Swiftlet c 100

Red-Rumped Swallow 1

Nepal House Martin c 75

Long-Tailed Shrike 1

Black Drongo 1

Common Mynah 3

Yellow-Billed Blue Magpie c 8

Jungle Crow c 30

Long-Tailed Minivet 2

Large Cuckoo Shrike 1

White-Checkered Bulbul 10
5th February. Trailing Between Tamanjang and Pati Banjjang.

Tamanjang (940)

Cattle Egret c. 30
Black Rta c. 4
Crested Serpent-Eagle - 1
Acaptor (sp) - 1
Egyptian Vulture - 1
Kestrel c. 5
Rufous Turtle Dove 2
Slaty-Headed Parakeet 5
Little Swift 2
Himalayan Swiftlet 2
Red-Rumped Swallow c. 8
Long-Tailed Shrike 1
Black Drongo c. 4
Common Mynah c. 10
Red-Billed Blue Magpie 3
Himalayan Tree-Par 6
Jungle Crow c. 12
Large-Cuckoo Shrike 2
Scarlet Minivet c. 8
White-Cheeked Bulbul c. 12
Red-Veiled Bulbul 3
Yellow-Bellied Fantail c. 5
Borneo Hill-Pitta 1
Tawny-browed 2
Olive-backed Woodpecker 1
140

Paulss’ Warbler – c 12
Blue-Fronted Redstart – 1
White-Capped Redstart – c 3
Rufous Redstart – 1
Slaty Backed Forktail – 2
Spotted Forktail – 1
Grey Bush Chat – 3
Black-Throated Warbler – 1
Olive-Backed Pigeon – c 12
Hoatzin – Goldfisher – c 20
At last good views
Lattler Bee-eater – c 40
Black Kite c. 15
Buzzard 1
Red-tail 1
Rufous Turtle Dove 4
White-breasted Kingfisher 1
Coppersmith Barbet 1
Darjeeling Red Woodpecker 2
Little Swift c. 8
Plain Sheld Train 10 c. 8
Red-rumped Swallow c. 6
Long-tailed Shrike 1
Common Myna c. 30
Himalayan Tree-Pie 1
House Crow c. 30
Jungle Crow c. 12
Long-tailed Monkey 2
White-checkered Bulbul 2
Red-veiled Bulbul 4
Rufous-bellied Bulbul 14
Black Bulbul 5
Streaked Laughing-Thrush 1
White-throated Laughing Thrush 1
Yellow-naped Yuhina 2
Streak-throated Yuhina c. 20
Black-capped Sibia c. 10
Orange-gorgetted Flycatcher 1
Scarlet-nitker 2 (both 2)
Yellow-bellied Fantail 1
Ashy-throated Warbler 1
Yellow-faced Vireo 1
Dallas' Warbler 3
Grey-Headed Warbler 4
Red-Faced Blackbird c.6
Golden Bush-Robin 1
Maggie Robin 3
Blue-Headed Redstart c.5
Blue-Fronted Redstart c.12
White-Capped Redstart 3
Amphibous Redstart c.8
Little Forktail 1
Pied Stonechat 1
White-Collared Blackbird c.7
Grey-Winged Blackbird 3
Blue-Whistling Thrush 1
Black-Throated Thrush c.40
Brown Dipper 2
Mossy-Breasted Accentor 33
Green-Backed Tit c.8
White-Tailed Nuthatch 3
Olive-BACKED Pipit 4
Richard's Pipit 1
Yellow-Bellied Flower-pecker 1
Scarlet-Breasted Sunbird 1
Hodgson's Mountain-Finch c.100
Common Rosefinch 1(8)
Racket-Tailed Rosefinch c.15 (20)
Rock Bunting 1
Little Bunting c.25
8th February — Kathmandu Valley to Nagajung
Along the forest road not going 5000.

**Black Rite** c 8
**Buzzard** 1 +
**Steppe Eagle** c 3
**Hen Harrier** (6?)
**Red-tail** 3
**Red-j Pheasant** c 9

Some really excellent views obtained.

**Eagle Owl** 1
Seen just before dusk at roosted up by the ‘bibi’ call.

**Spotted Owl** 1
**Spotted Picalet 2**
**Little Swift** c 15
**Long-Tailed Shrike** 1
**Ashy Orango** 3
**Common Mynah** c 25
**Red-Billed Blue Magpie** 1
**Himalayan Tree Pie**
**House Crow** c 250
**Long-Tailed Minnet** 3
**White Cheeked Bulbul** 3
**Red-vented Bulbul** c 35
**Black Bulbul** c 20
**Streaked-Headed Scimitar Babble**
**Rusty Cheeked Scimitar Babble**
**Black Chinned Babble** c 12
**White-Eyed Fulvetta** c 1?
Dusky-Blue Flycatcher - 1 (f)
Habernut-Bush Warbler - 3
Taylordl 1
Dusky Warbler - 2
Yellow-Browed Warbler - 3
Orange-Breasted Warbler - 3
Pallas’ Warbler - 12
Blyth’s-Grounded Warbler - 6
Yellow-Eyed Warbler - 6
Gray-Headed Warbler - 10
Chestnut-Grounded Warbler - 1
Suberam Rubythroat - 1 (f)
Red Flanked Bluetail - 1
Gray Bush-Chat - 2
White’s Thrush - 1
Chestnut-Bellied Nuthatch - 2
Sharp-Tailed Minia - 5
11th February Around Tala Bazaar

1½ hours to dusk (E. edge of

Indian Pond Heron c. 30
Cattle Egret c. 25
Little Egret 2+
Openbill Stork 3
Black Ibis 1
Ruddy Shelduck 4
Black-Shouldered Kite 2
Black Kite c. 10
Buteo (sp) 1 - prob. Long-hem.
White-Backed Vulture 1
Harrier (q) 1
Marsh Harrier 1
Temminck's Stint 1
Common Sandpiper 2
Green Sandpiper 1
Spotted Dove 2
Ringing-Necked Pigeon c. 350
Indian Roller 2+
Heisserer Pied Kingfisher 2
White-Bearded Kingfisher 1
Red-Winged Bush-Lark 1
Little Swift c. 8
Red-Rumped Swallow c. 15
Long-Tailed Skimmer 1+
Black Drongo c. 8
Pied Mynah c. 8
Common Mynah c. 40
Jungle Mynah c. 4
Indian Tree-Pie 1
Homing Pigeon c. 25
Stonechat P.
Red Stonechat 3
Olive-Brecked Rock P. 2+
Rose-Breasted 3 P.
'Alta' Wagtail P.
Gritty Wagtail 6
Grey Wagtail 1
Large Red Wagtail 2+
Yellow-Breasted Bunting 300
12th February Chitwan: Walked from Bharatpur to Sauraha, then along Rapti River.

Narayanghat-Tadi

Ford
Swan

Rapti

Chitwan N.P.
- Main Forest Areas
- Grassland
- Shrub

Cormorant. P
Grey Heron P
Indian Pond Heron c 30
Cattle Egret c 45
Intermediate Egret c 6
Little Egret c 10
Open-billed Stork 2
White-Necked Stork 2+
Black Stork 1
Black Ibis 2
Reddy Shelduck c 10
Pintail 3
Black Shouldered Kite c 3
Black Kite c 12
White-Eyed Buzzard 1
Osprey 1
Black Vulture 2
Long-Billed Vulture c10
White-Billed Vulture c10
Heron 1(8)
Red Heron 1(8)
Marsh Heron c1-
Redshank 2+
Redshank 2
Red Junglefowl 2 (8)
Red-Wattled Lapwing c10
Lapwing 3
Little Ringed Plover P
Temminck's Stint c10
Greenshank c10
Redshank c10
Spotted Redshank 2
LITTLE PRATINCOLE c6
Great-Black-Headed Gull 1
Indian River-Tern 1+
Black-Bellied Tern c3
Red-Tailed Dove c15
Collared Dove P
Spotted Dove c35
Ringo-Necked Parakeet c1+00
Alexandrine Parakeet c60
Rose-Beaked Parakeet c80
Blossom-Headed Parakeet c35
Jungle Owlet

Quite similar to Barred but dia-
ports completely barred, offers per-
tinuous from reasonable re-

Lesser Red Kingfisher...c. 6
Kingfisher P
White-Breasted Kingfisher...c. 6
Little Green Bee-Eater...c. 15
Large Golden-Backed Woodpecker
Fulvous-Breasted Red Woodpecker
Ashy-Crowned Finch-Lark...c. 4
Red-Winged Bush-Lark...c. 12
Sand-Lark...c. 5
Pom-Sand Martin...c. 150
Swallow P
Long-Tailed Shrike...c. 8
Hair-Crested Oropendola...c. 5
Black Oropendola...c. 30
Ashy Wood Swallow...c. 3
Grey-Headed Mynah...c. 8
Pied Mynah...c. 20
Bank Mynah...c. 20
Common Mynah...c. 200
Jungle Mynah...c. 50
Indian Tree-Pie...c. 5
House Crow...c. 20
Jungle Crow...c. 10
Red-Headed Bulbul...c. 15
Jungle Babbler...c. 20
Red-Breasted Flycatcher...3
Storky-Blue Flycatcher...1 (♀)
Grey-Breasted Prinia...c. 12
Taylor's...2
Chiffchaff...P
Yellow-Browed Warbler...2
Cinereous Rubythroat...2 (both ♀)
Blackthroat...9
Stonechat N.
Red Stonechat c. 12
Black-Throated Thrush 1
Chestnut-Bellied Nuthatch 1
Olive-Backed Pipit c. 8
Richard's Pipit c. 12
Rose-Crested Pipit c. 30
'Alba' Wagtail N.
'Flava' Wagtail P.
Citrine Wagtail c. 7
Grey Wagtail 1
Large Red Wagtail c. 10
Purple Sandpiper 2
Common Rosefinch c. 20
Yellow-Breasted Bunting c. 300

Most birds flying over and into
just before dusk.
13th-14th February Chirwan: R. R. Forrest of Sawaha

Battler Green Heron 1
Indian Pond Heron 140
Cattle Egret 20
Intermediate Egret 6
Little Egret 6
Open-billed Stork 5
White-Necked Stork 1
Black Stork 1
Lesser Adjutant Stork 2
Black Ibis 4
Ruddy Shelduck 60
Duck (sp) 50
Distant Flight prob Lesser Whistling Duck.

Black-Shouldered Kite 1
Black Kite 12
Honey Buzzard 2
Accipiter (sp) 3

White-Eyed Buzzard 1
Crested Serpent-Eagle 2
Steppe Eagle 1
Osprey 2
Black Vulture 1
Long-Billed Vulture 10
White-Becked Vulture 40
Horned Vulture 1
Marsh Harrier 2
 Peregrine Falcon 1
Kestrel 2
Crested 15
Criake (sp) 1
White-Breasted Waterhen 3
Red-Wattled Lapwing c.12
River Lapwing c.7
Stone Curlew 2
Little Frigatebird c.5
Great-Black-Headed Puff 2 - ad
Indian River-Tern 2
Black-Bellied Tern 1
Yellow-Footed Green Pigeon c.10
Rufous-Turtle Dove c.40
Red-Turtle Dove c.10
Spotted Dove c.75
Alexandrine Parakeet c.25
Ring-Necked Parakeet c.200
Rose-Breasted Parakeet c.100
Blossom-Headed Parakeet c.35
Common Hawk-Cuckoo 2+
Large Green-Billed Malkoha 2
Large Coucal c.5
Jungle-Odor  c.3
Indian Roller c.6
Hoopoe c.3
Lesser Pied Kingfisher c.10
Greater Pied Kingfisher 1
Kingfisher P
Striated Billed Kingfisher 1
White-Breasted Kingfisher c.7
Little Green Bee-Eater  c.10
Indian Pied Hornbill *1
Giant Hornbill *1

Wow! a huge, almost grotesque
mone-the-less awe-bird, surprisingly
'whoosh' on the down-stroke and a
shriek up, audible at a long distance.

Barbet 2

Capped Pygmy-Woodpecker 2
Large Golden-Backed Woodpecker 2
Lesser Golden-Backed Woodpecker 2
Fulvous-Breasted Red Woodpecker 1

Sand-hawk 2

White-Rumped Needletail

Quite good views of birds over small
but chunkier than hawks with both white rump and belly
very square-ended appearance withable look in tail. May be the
Nepalese record?

Blyth's White-Rumped Swift

Distinctly larger looking than hawks
flight less fluttering, white rump pale

Crested Tree-Swift 2

Plain Sand Martin 200

Red-Rumped Swallow 5

Tibetan Shrike 1

Long-Tailed Shrike 12

Black-Headed Oriole 1

White-Bellied Drongo 4

Hair-Crested Drongo 40

Black Drongo 50

Grey-Headed Jay 6

Common Mynah 100

Red Mynah 2

Bird Mynah 50
Indian Tree-Parrot 12
House Crow 8
Jungle Crow 6
Large Cuckoo-Shrike 14
Ox-eye Cuckoo-Shrike 1
Small Munia 3
Golden-fronted Chloropsis 1
Common Iora 8
Red-Whiskered Bulbul 140
Red-vented Bulbul 140
Spotted Babbler 2
Yellow-breasted Babbler 3
Red-breasted Flycatcher 5
Brook's Flycatcher 1
Grey-headed Flycatcher 3
Yellow-bellied Fantail 1
Four-tailed Wabler 2
Grey-breasted Prinia 12
Yellow-bellied Prinia 1
Taylor-bird 1
Blyth's Reed-wabler 1
Dusky Warbler 1
Greenish Warbler 1
Yellow-browed Warbler 1
Blyth's Counted Warbler 6
Yellow-eyed Warbler 1
Blackback 15
Magpie Robin 5
Red Stonechat 15
Black-throated Thrush 4
Chestnut-bellied Nuthatch 4
Velvet-fronted Nuthatch 3
Stonechat 25
Rose-Breasted Pipit c. 10
Citrine Wagtail 1
'Alba' Wagtail N.
'Flavescens' Wagtail c. 250

None of these birds were around the day but just before dusk the flock collected in a field near Sarr before flying into the Park.

Large Pied Wagtail c. 5
Purple Sunbird c. 8
White-eye c. 12
Baya Weaver c. 20

Weavers are Sparrow-like birds but longer and heavier-streaking on the underparts.
15th February  
Chitwan: Between Ganga and Pachra Camp, river and 
Forest

Indian Pond Heron c 20
Little Egret c 6
Intermediate Egret c 3
Open-billed Stork c 7
White-Necked Stork 4
Black Stork 1
Lesser Adjutant Stork c 3
Black Ibis c 5
Ruddy Shelduck c 10
Black-Shouldered Kite 2
Black Kite c 8
Honey Buzzard 2 +
Sparrowhawk 1 +
Accipiter (sp) 1
Crested Serpent Eagle 1
Steppe Eagle 1
GREY-HEADED FISHING-EAGLE* 1

Seen well perched and in flight
a large looking broad-winged eagle
with white underparts dark on breast, white
and black tail dark with a white base.

Osprey 1

Hawk Vulture  c 3
Long-Billed Vulture c 5
White-Backed Vulture  c 35
Peregrine Falcon 1

Peafowl  c 5
Red Jungle Fowl 1
White-Breasted Waterhen c5
BROWN CRAKE*2
Shaped more like Moorhen than penguin completely dark brown
Red Wattled Lapwing 2
River Lapwing c4
Yellow-Footed Green Pigeon c 60
Red-Legged TinEye Dove c 20
Spotted Dove c 30
Emerald Dove 1
Ring-Necked Parakeet c 75
Alexandrine Parakeet 2 c 20
Rose-Breasted Parakeet c 60
Blossom-Headed Parakeet c 5
Large Green-Billed Malkoha 1
Large Concol c 5
Jungle Oystercatcher 1
Bittern c4
Lesser Pied Kingfisher c4
Stark-Billed Kingfisher 1
White-Breasted Kingfisher 2
Little Green Bee-eater c 15
Hawk 1
Large Golden Backed Woodpecker 2
Lesser Golden Backed Woodpecker 1
Fulvous-Breasted Red Woodpecker 2
Plain Sand Martin c 40
Long-Tailed Shrike c 5
Black-Headed Oystercatcher 6
Hour-Crested Drongo c 8
Black Drongo c 15
Grey-Headed Jay c 7
158.

Red Mynah 4
Common Mynah c.50
Bank Mynah c.15
Jungle Mynah c.50
Indian Tree-Rc. c.8
House Crow c.20
Jungle Crow c.8
Large Cuckoo-Shrike 1
Oak Cuckoo - Shrike 1
Common Iora c.5
Red-Whiskered Bulbul c.4
Red-Vented Bulbul c.25
Spotted Babbler 2
Jungle Babbler c.6
Red-Breasted Flycatcher c.6
VERDITER FLYCATCHERS* 1(4)
Grey-Headed Flycatcher 1
Rufous Prinia* 1

Distinctive, with a grey common
mantle with very strong rufous on
wings and underparts
Plain (sp) c.3 - prob. Plain
Taylorbird c.6
Blyth’s Reed Warbler 2
Tickell’s Warbler 1
Garden Warbler 1
Oxley Warbler 1
Yellow-Browed Warbler c.5
Yellow-Eyed Warbler 1
Blue-throat c.7
Magpie Robin & c.5
Red-vented Tit c.5
Chestnut-Bellied Nuthatch 1
159.

Rose-Breasted Pipit c. 4
Citrine Wagtail 2
Large Red Wagtail c. 6
Purple Sunbird c. 6
Spotted Myna 1
Common Rosefinch c. 5
16th-17th February Cheltenham, Eng
National Park

Slept in a tree house inside Parke overlooking a clearing in forest. Had 20 yard views of a with baby at dusk.

Indian Pond Heron c.25
Little Egret c.20
Intermediate Egret 2+
Openbill Stork c.4
White-Necked Stork c.7
Black Stork c.3
Black Ibis c.7
Black Shouldered Kite 1
Black Kite c.15
Honey Buzzard c.14
Long-legged Buzzard 1
Ace, views, hanging in the air of overhead, usual plumaged bird.
White-Eyed Buzzard 1
Crested Serpent Eagle 2
Steppe Eagle c.3
Gregg’s Hared-Headed Fishing-Eagle 1
Osprey 2+
Black Vulture c.3
Red-Headed Vulture 1
White-Backed Vulture c.30
Long-Billed Vulture c.8
Egyptian Vulture 2
Hen Harrier 1(?)
Marsh Harrier 1
Black Francolin 1 (a)
Peafowl 3
Red Junglefowl c. 6
White-Breasted Waterhen 1
Red-Wattled Lapwing 1
Ternsuck's Stint 4
Great Black-Headed Gull c. 3 - (1)
Black-Headed Gull 2
Indian Runner-Tern 1
Yellow-Footed Green Pigeon c. 30
 Rufous-Turtle Dove c. 6
Red-Turtle Dove 1
Spotted Dove c. 30
Fischer's Dove c. 4
Ring-Necked Parakeet c. 100
Alexandrine Parakeet c. 30
Rose-Breasted Parakeet c. 50
Blossom-Headed Parakeet c. 15
Common Hawk-Cuckoo 1
Large Green-Billed Malkoha 1
Large Coucal 1
Jungle Oriet 1
Long-Tailed Nightjar c. 3 - 4
Indian Roller c. 6
Lesser Pied Kingfisher 2+
White-Breasted Kingfisher 1
Little Green Bee-Eater c. 20
Grey-Capped Pygmy Woodpecker 1
Lesser-Yellow-Naped Woodpecker 3
Large Golden-Backed Woodpecker
Fulvous-Breasted Pied Woodpecker
Sand-Hawk c. 3
Plain Swiftlet Martin c. 100
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A smart bird, one of the most Barbets, with a chestnut cap, supercilium, and dark mask to the eye, proportionately large black underparts, mainly white.

- Jingle Barbler: 1
- Red-Breasted Flycatcher: 5
- Verditer Flycatcher: 1 (§)

My favourite Flycatcher, it is a bright blue all-over with a white line in front of the eye.

- Rufes-Capped Bush-Warbler: 1
- Grey-Breasted Prinia: 8
- Taylorbird: 6
- Red-Breasted Warbler: 2
- Red-Capped Warbler: 0
LARGE-BILLED WARBIRD* ch.
Quietly obvious, bill noticeably larger
heavily with orange lower mandible
like Greenish, prominent supercilium
1 wing bar
Yellow-Browed Warbler 2
Blyth’s-Greened Warbler c 5
Blue-throat 2
White-Rumped Shama 1
Stonechat N.
Red Stonechat 1
Maggie Robin c 4
Chestnut-Bellied Nuthatch c 5
Oliver-Backed Pipit c 25
Richard’s Pipit c 4
Rose-Breasted Pipit c 8
’Flava’ Wagtail c 250
Citrine Wagtail 1
Large Red Wagtail 2
Purple Sunbird c 8
White-eye c 7
Common Rosefinch c 30
Yellow-Breasted Bunting c 100
Indian Pond Heron  c. 25
Cattle Egret  c. 20
Little Egret  c. 20
Intermediate Egret  c. 12
Great White Egret  1
Open-bill Stork  1
White-Necked Stork  2 +
Black Stork  1
Black Ibis  c. 4
Ruddy Shelduck  c. 30
Black-Shouldered Kite  2 +
Black Kite  c. 10
Honey Buzzard  2 +
Sparrowhawk  1
Crested Serpent Eagle  3
Steppe Eagle  2 +
Osprey  2 +
Black Vulture  1
White-Backed Vulture  c. 20
Long-Billed Vulture  c. 5
Har Harro  c. 3
Red Harrier  1(d)
Marsh Harro  c. 3
Pinfowl  c. 10
Red-Wattled Lapwing  c. 6
River Lapwing  c. 6
Temminck’s Stint  c. 10
Stilted Pindicola  c. 15
Black-Headed Pintail  2 – 3 ds.
Common River Tern  2
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Blue-throat ch 1
Magpie Robin 2
Pied Stonechat ch 1
Black-Throated Thrush 1
Olive-Backed Pipit c.8
Richard's Pipit c.10
Rose-Breasted Pipit c.20
Citre Wagtail c.3
Large Pied Wagtail c.10
Purple Wren 2
Common Rosefinch c.20
Crested Bunting 1
Yellow-Breasted Bunting c.250
19th February. Walking between S... and T... Past one bus
(Birds included)

Cattle Egret c30
Lesser Adjutant Stork 2
Black Ibis c12
Black Kite c12
Long-Legged Buzzard 1
Steppe Eagle 1
White-Backed Vulture c30
Red-Heron 1 (a)
Sand-Hawk 4+
Little Swift c150

Little + Cattle Egrets roosting
21st February Kathmandu Valley
Along the Bagmati River near A

Birds included

Black kite 15
Sparrowhawk 1
Buzzard 1
Long-legged Buzzard 1
Sparrow Eagle 2
Egyptian Vulture 1
Red-tailed 2
Brown-headed Lapwing c. 10
Spotted Dove 2

Short-Tailed Hawk 1
Plain Sand Martin c. 40
Richard’s Pipit c. 4
Rose-Breasted Pipit 1

22nd February Kathmandu
Met Paul Dukes in Kathma
22nd February  Katehmandu Valley
En Negarang (along road out
and 1/2 mile through the Gate)

Black Kite  c.65
Buzzard 1
White-Backed Vulture  c.3
Long-Billed Vulture  c.5
Red-tail  2+
Ruby-Necked 3
Rufous-Turke Dove 1
Large Sheep-Billed Malkoha 1
Eagle Owl 1

On exactly the same perch as
2 weeks ago.
White-Backed Kingfisher 3
Red-Rumped Swallow  c.10
Long-Tailed Shrike 2
Red-Billed Blue-Magpie 1
House Crow  c.125
Long-Tailed Munia  2
Red-Vented Bulbul  c.25
Rusty-Checkered Star-ted Babble-
Black-Headed Babble  c.12
Red-Breasted Flycatcher 1
Orange-Gorgetted Flycatcher  c.3
Slaty-Blue Flycatcher 1(?)
Beautiful Niltava  1(?)
Gray-Headed Flycatcher  c.6
Yellow-Bellied Fantail  c.3
Abnormal Bush Warbler 1
Rufous-Capped Bush Warbler 1
Taylor Warbler 2+
Yellow-Browed Warbler 1
Orange-Breasted Warbler 8
Pallas' Warbler 12
Yellow-Eyed Warbler 4
Grey-Headed Warbler 6
Chestnut-Crowned Warbler 1
Red-Flanked Bluetail 1
Golden Bush Robin 1
Magpie Robin 5
Pied Stonechat 1
Black-Throated Thrush 3
Yellow-Cheeked Tit 3
Red-Headed Tit 6
Olive-Backed Pipit 5
Richard's Pipit 2
White-eye 10
21st - 25th February Kathmandu

Black kite 3
Crested Serpent Eagle 1
Mountain Hawk Eagle 1
Steppe Eagle 1
Black Eagle 2 +
Red Headed Vulture 1 +
Kestrel 1
Hill Partridge (sp) 1
Really frustrating! Found and balled briefly on ground but not identified to the book a Hill Partridge seen at this altitude c 8000 would be but if you believe that you'll anything.

Red Pheasant 3
Darjeeling Red Woodpecker 1
Hive Swift c 40
Himalayan Swiftlet 2
Red Rumped Swallow c 5
Nepal House Martin c 30
Common Myna - c.10
Jungle Crow - c.8
Large Cuckoo - Shrike - 2
Long-Tailed Minivet - c.10
Red-vented Bulbul - c.20
Red-Headed Laughing- Thrush - c.4
CABBAGE FLYCATCHER - 3
A striking, but rather blatant
bird with bright chestnut markings
and heavily barred flanks, and
bright green on the wings.
Red-Winged Shikra - Babbler - 2
Green Shrike - Babbler - 1
Sedge-Throated Swallow - 2
Sedge-Throated Yuhina - 2
Rufous-vented Yuhina - c.8
Chestnut-Headed Tit - Babbler - 1
White-Browed Tit - Babbler - c.18
Hoary Barwing - c.4
Black-Capped Sibia - c.45
Orange - Gorgeted Flycatcher - 1
Grey-Headed Flycatcher - 1
Orange- Barred Warbler - c.25
Grey-Headed Warbler - c.6
Black-Faced Warbler - 3
Goldcrest - 1
Red-Flanked Bluetail - 1
Golden Bunting - Robin - 1 (st)
Magpie Robin - c.4
Blue-Fronted Redstart - 1
White-Collared Blackbird - 2
Grey-Winged Blackbird - 1
Blue-Winged Whitethroat - 1
Green Barbet - 1
Red-Headed Tit 1
Yellow-Browed Tit 14
White-Tailed Nuthatch 2
Sixteen Tringa 2
Olme-Backed Pipit c 10
Nepal Sandpiper c 15
Dark Rosefinch c 17 (all 9)
26th February  Redbrowns
Night Heron 1

27th February  Cycled to the
Rotan  (Birds unlisted)

Accipiter (sp) 1
Steppe Eagle 1
White-Boeked Vulture c.7
Little Swift c 75
Red-Breasted Flycatcher 1
Blyth's Reed Warbler 1
Yellow-Browed Warbler 2
Olive-Boeked Pipit 1
Greylag Goose 1
White-eye 1
28th February Travelling between
and Pokhara

(Birds' included)

Raptor (sp) c 10
Lommergeier 1 - probable
Red-Headed Vulture 1
Egyptian Vulture 2
Indian Roller 3
Himalayan Swiftlet c 20
Red-Rumped Swallow c 30
Nepal House Martin c 20
Black Drongo c. 7
Common Mynah c. 25
Jungle Mynah c. 60
Red-Billed Blue-Magpie 1
Himalayan Tree-Pie 1
House Crow c. 150
Jungle Crow c. 25
Large Cuckoo-Shrike 1
White-Cheeked Bulbul 2
Red-vented Bulbul c. 10
Flycatcher (sp) 1
May have been Rufous-Tailed
Red-Breasted Flycatcher 1
Starky Blue Flycatcher 1(3)
Beautiful Niltava 1(3)
Taylorbird 1
Yellow-Browed Warbler c. 6
Pallas's Warbler 2+
Yellow-Eyed Warbler 2
Magpie Robin c. 5
Hodgson's Redstart 1(3)
White-Capped Redstart 3
Plumbeous Redstart c. 7
Grey-Bush Chat 1(3)
Pied Stonechat c. 10
Blue Whistling Thrush c. 4
Brown Dipper 1
Hodgsonia 1
Olive-backed Pipit c. 9
Richard's Pipit 1
Purple Sunbird 3
Sharp-Tailed Munia 1
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Asiatic Bulbul 3
Spotted Babbler 3
Black-Chinned Babbler 2
Rusty-Checkered Scrub-babbler
White-Crested Hologram-Thrush
Orange-Gorged Flycatcher 3
Blue-Blue Flycatcher

Excellent views obtained looking on it, like Verditer but with a belly, also buffy primaries a distinction from that species.

Yellow-Bellied Fantail 2
Oxeye Warbler 1
Large-Billed Warbler 1
Yellow-Browed Warbler 2
Paddled Warbler c 20
Blyth's Crowned Warbler 1
Yellow-Eyed Warbler c 15
Gray-Headed Warbler 1
Cicereon Rubythroat 1(3)
White-Capped Redstart 2
Plumbeous Redstart 2
Red Stonechat c 8
Blue-Whistling Thrush c 8
Yellow-Checked Tit c 7
Wallcreeper 3
Richard's Pipit c 15
3rd March Around Pokhara
(Birds included)

Black Kite c15
Crested Serpent Eagle 1
Steppe Eagle 2+
Black Vulture 2
Himalayan Griffon Vulture c 3
Lammergeier 2
Red-Headed Vulture 2+
White-Backed Vulture c 30
Long-Billed Vulture 1
Egyptian Vulture c 25
Harrower (sp) 1(?l) - prob. Pallid
Restrel c 3
Spotted Ouke 2
Long-Tailed Nightjar 1
White-Breasted Kingfisher 3
Hair-Crested Dromgo 3
Great Himalayan Bunting 1
Large Pied Wagtail 1
Little Bunting 2
Kathmandu Kathmandu Valley
Phewa Lake (second largest lake in
India, c. 750 ft)
An excellent day, baring the
school was league

Botanical
Garden's

school

Forest

Village

Quarries

Forest

Black kite 1
Bösra* 1(d)
Good close views when noted
Throat, shape and dark crown

Accipiter (sp) 2
A pair together? probably the B
later, striking size difference, if
flying in circles with curious j
wing-beats

Crested Serpent Eagle 2
Mountain Hawk-Eagle 1

Black Eagle 2

Pigeon (sp) 7

Barred Owl 1

Golden-throated Barbet 1

Spotted Piculet 1

Little Swift c. 5

Red-rumped Swallow c. 5
ORDER OF BIRDS

ORDER: PICIFORMES

1. Cross-billed Finch
2. Cross-billed Tanager
3. Cross-billed Lark
4. Cross-billed Woodpecker
5. Cross-billed Thrush
6. Cross-billed Warbler
7. Cross-billed Sparrow
8. Cross-billed Titmouse
9. Cross-billed Robin
10. Cross-billed Wren

ORDER: TITIFORMES

11. Titmouse
12. Tit
13. Titlark
14. Titmouse
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19. Titlark
20. Titmouse

ORDER: FALCONIFORMES

21. Falcon
22. Kestrel
23. Peregrine Falcon
24. Harrier
25. Falcon
26. Kestrel
27. Peregrine Falcon
28. Harrier
29. Falcon
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ORDER: CISTICOLIDAE

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ORDER: SHRIKES

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Magpie Robin 1
White-Capped Redstart 2
Spotted Flicker 2
Gray-Vented Blackbird 1
Best views so far:
Blue-Whistling Thrush 2
Green-Backed Tit 2
Yellow-Checkered Tit c.3
Red-Headed Tit c.12
Yellow-Browed Tit 1
Cheeknut-Bellied Nuthatch 2
Fire-Breasted Flowerpecker c.5
Fire-Tailed Sunbird c.6
Nepal Sunbird 1(?)
Black-Breasted Sunbird 1(?)
Sunbird (sp) c.5 (??)
White-eye c.4
Spotted-Winged Grosbeak c.25
In flight only.
The March Kathmandu Airport

Watching and Walking along the River near the Airport

(Birds included)

Black Kite c.20
Sparrowhawk 1
Buzzard 1
Buteo (sp) 1
Steppe Eagle c.3
White-Backed Vulture c.35
Long-Billed Vulture 1+
Racket-tail c.3
Spotted Dove c.10
Blue-Throated Barbet 1+
Small Skylark c.15
Long-Tailed Martin c.6
Beautiful Niltava 1(d)
Verditer Flycatcher 1(d)
Grey-Headed Flycatcher c.3
Yellow-Bellied Fantail 1
Yellow-Browed Warbler c.3
Pallas' Warbler c.6
Yellow-Eyed Warbler 1
Black-Throated Thrush 3
Chestnut-Bellied Nuthatch 1
Olive-Backed Pipit c.5
Richard's Pipit c.8
Five-Breasted Flowerpecker 1
White-eye c.6
Bengal Weaver c.25
Cattle Egret c.25
Black Kite c.15
Acaptor (sp) 1
Crested-Serpent Eagle c.4
Banded Eagle 1 - dark
Indecent close views may have been seen on 3rd December.
Steppe Eagle 1
White-Backed Vulture c.35
Rustrel 2
Rufous-Turtle Dove 2
Chestnut-Headed Bee-Eater 3
Must be summer visitors to the hill
Little Swift c.120
Hum-Bowed Shrike 2
Himalayan Treecreeper 2
Banded Minivet 3
White-Checked Bulbul c.8
Red-vented Bulbul c.12
Rusty-Checked Sunbird-Babul-Babbler
Black-Chinned Babblers 1
Orange-Goletted Flycatcher 3
Salty Blue Flycatcher 3 (1♀)
Small Niltara 1(♀)
Yellow-Bellied Fantail 1
Altant-Bush Warbler 2
Taylor-bird 1
Thick-Billed Warbler 1
Yellow-Browed Warbler c.10
Collins Warbler c.8
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11th March: Kathmandu and along Bagneti River. (Buds included)
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13th March. Kathmandu Valley. City Birdwalk: Kathmandu and the Zoo (Birds included)

Night Heron 4
Great White Egret 1
Black Kite 30
Accipiter (sp) 1
Rooded 1
Red-Breasted Flycatcher 1
Verditer Flycatcher 1(fl)
Yellow-Browed Warbler 7
Crested Bunting 1

17th March. Annapurna Range. Kathmandu to Bhaktapur. (Birds included)

Great White Egret 1
Black Kite 50
Long-Billed Vulture 1
Rooded 3
Small Skylark 20
Long-Tailed Shrike 5
Four-Tailed Warbler 10
Richard's Pipit 10
Hume's Goldfinch 4
30th March: Traveled Between K
and Pothowar
(Buds included)
Cattle Egret c.100
Black Kite c.25
Buzard 2
White-Backed Vulture / Vulture (sp) 1
Kestrel 1
Rufous-Tailed Turtle Dove 1
Chestnut-Headed Bee-Eater 6
Alpine Swift 2
Grey-Headed Mynah c.4
Red Store-chat c.20
Crested Bunting 1

21st March: Travelling Between Pok
Indian Border at Swatani (Buds included)
Black Kite c.25
Vulture / Raptor (sp) c.40
Egyptian Vulture 7
Kestrel 2
Rufous-Necked Pochard c.2500
Abundant over Swatani at dusk next morning.
Little Green Bee-eater 1
Alpine Swift c.10
White-Capped Redstart 1
Blue-Whistling Thrush 2