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Red-necked Phalarope

Aug 30, 93

10:30 AM

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Location - Ash pond at Brunner's Dr. York Co.

This Phalarope was at about 50 ft distance and was feeding in the shallow water in the company of a Solitary Sandpiper.

It was seen for about 10 minutes in bright sunshine. The binoculars I was using are Zeiss 15x60. I went for a camera but when I returned both birds had departed together.

James Beath a long time local birder was also present. This will be the only report submitted.

Description - The first things I noticed were the long thin bill, chestnut on the neck including the sides there of & the buff parallel streaks on the sides of back. Next I saw that the only white was on the throat which eliminated all other Phalaropes. A closer look revealed the grayish head & back of neck.

Although the bill was long & thin it was not as long as the Wilson's which I see nearly every year. All the colors of this bird were bright & distinct showing it to be an ad. ♀.

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Voting Tabulation - Round # 1 of

Species: **Red-necked Phalarope (Phalaropus lobatus)**

Date of Sighting: **30 April 1993 to 30 April 1993**

Location: **BRUNNER'S ISLAND**

County: **YORK**

Observer(s): **Al Spiese**

Date of Submission: **1993**

Submitted by: **Al Spiese**

Written Description: **YES** Photo: **NO** Specimen: **NO**

Recording: **NONE**

Member	Class I	Class II	Class III	Class IV	Class V			Abstain
					A	B	C	
F. Haas			X					
N. Pulcinella			X					
E. Kwater			X					
R. Ickes			X					
G. McWilliams			X					
P. Schwalbe			X					
J. Skinner			X					
TOTALS			7					
DECISION			X					

Comments:

Signature (Secretary):

F. C. Haas

Date:

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