

SUMMARY BIRD REPORT FOR SHIANT ISLANDS 21st JUNE – 5th JULY 1980

Fulmar:	
Manx Shearwater:	Seen offshore from Rough I. Possible prospected burrow found on Mary I.
Storm Petrel:	A total of 285 ringed, 1 previous year retrap, and 15 controls from 10 catches on both House and Rough Is. Tape lure used, but obviously many more birds present than in previous years.
Gannet:	
Shag:	
Heron:	1, House I. (no date)
Eider:	4 females and 5 young.
Golden Eagle:	2 (♀/imm), Rough I., virtually daily.
Peregrine:	2 females, House and Rough Is.
Oystercatcher:	11+
Snipe:	House and Rough Is. Nest found.
Curlew:	2, House I., fairly regularly.
Arctic Skua:	Seen daily.
Great Skua:	Singles seen regularly, with two on one occasion.
G.B.B.Gull:	
Common Gull:	Present on House I.
L.B.B.Gull:	
Herring Gull:	
Kittiwake:	
Common/Arctic Tern:	1, House I. (no date, and no specific identification)
Guillemot:	See detailed counts.
Razorbill:	See detailed counts.
Black Guillemot:	6, House and Rough Is.
Puffin:	See detailed counts.
Rock Dove:	2, House I.
Collared Dove:	1, House I., seen on two dates.
Swift:	1, House and Rough Is. (no date)
Skylark:	
House Martin:	1, House I. (no date)
Meadow Pipit:	
Rock Pipit:	Numbers down again on previous years.
Wren:	
Black Redstart:	1 male, Rough I. (no date)
Wheatear:	1 pair and 1 juvenile, House I. 1 male and 1 juvenile, Rough I.
Raven:	Pair with three juveniles.
Hooded Crow:	
Starling:	
Twite:	3, House and Rough Is.

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