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These are the contents of the local list of birds in the Province of Ontario, as far as the collection of the specimens is concerned. The list is not, however, a complete one, as it does not include the birds which have been introduced into the Province since the year 1862. It is to be regretted that the progress of our knowledge is not a continuous one, but that there have been periods of comparative stagnation, and that there have been periods of rapid advancement.

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