

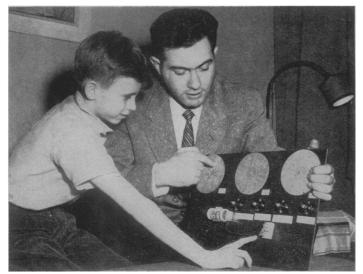
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#### ORNITHOLOGY

#### Millions of Birds Begin **Annual Fall Migration**

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➤ SOME of the migrating birds have already begun their long journey, often covering thousands of miles, south for the winter.

The photograph on the cover of this week's Science News Letter shows snow geese feeding at the Sacramento, Calif., wildlife refuge maintained by the U. S. Department of the Interior's Fish and Wildlife Service.

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