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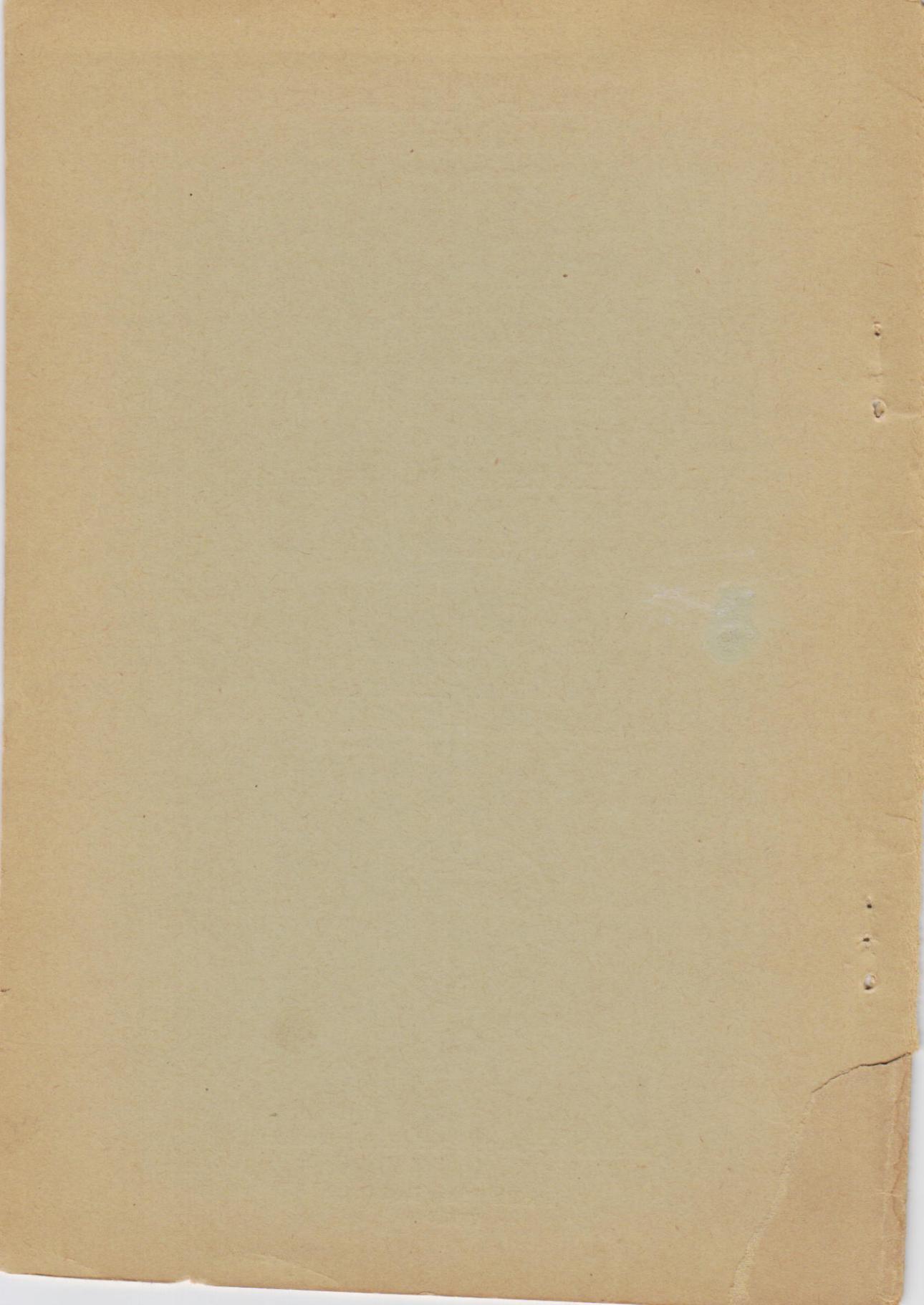
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## **PREFACE**

This "Bibliography" has been compiled in an attempt to bring together the vast volume of literature on the vertebrate fauna of the Middle-Eastern countries (excluding Egypt), so far published as separate works or in various scientific journals.

Although the "Zoological Record" was the main source of information for works published from 1864 to 1951, many more titles were added by reference to original papers and more recent scientific periodicals; thus bringing this compilation, in some cases at least, up to 1953 and part of 1954. In many instances, however, brief annotations were included for the benefit of the user.

As a matter of convenience, this work will be published in four separate parts: (I) Mammals, (II) Birds, (III) Reptiles and Amphibians, and (IV) Fishes.

The region covered by this literature represents an interesting assemblage of Indian, European, and African faunas, since it lies at the cross-roads of the three continents. As a geographical region it includes the Kingdom of Iraq in the centre, and the neighbouring countries of the Middle-East area: Iran to the east; Turkey to the north; the Arab countries of Syria, Lebanon, Palestine and Jordan to the west; and the Arabian Peninsula of Saudi Arabia, Yemen, Hadhramaut, Oman, etc., to the south. A classified index by countries is given at the end of each part.

The main body of this work was prepared in 1952 at the library of the University of Michigan's Museum of Zoology, where complete series of the Zoological Record and various scientific journals are available. I am particularly indebted to the Librarian and Curators of the said Museum for their kind help and encouragement. Many

additions, however, were included since then, through recent publications received by the library of the Iraq Natural History Museum.

The compiler, in his endeavour to make this bibliography as complete and authentic as possible, urges all who are directly interested in the fauna of this region to send in any corrections or additions which they think of value for later publication.

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In this part, as in those to follow, the compiler's wording and notes are inserted between square brackets.

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and personal and social development of the people, the progressive, progressive, though still conservative.

And now we have a situation where we are faced with a large number of people who have been brought up in environments that make them feel that they can do no wrong.

And with that kind of environment, it is difficult to get them to see that they have made mistakes.

And so, I would like to say that the most important thing we can do is to continue our work and our efforts to teach people the importance of education, of learning, of growing, of becoming better people. And we must continue to do this, because if we do not, we will lose our country.

And we must also remember that our country is not perfect, and we must always strive to make it better.

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## مقدمة

لا بد للباحث المحقق عن حيوانات قطر من الاقطار أن يلم أولاً بالمصادر الاصلية من كتب ومقالات نشرت مستقلة أو في بطون المجلات العلمية ، قديماً وحديثاً ، ليطلع على ما سجله الباحثون من قبله من ملاحظات واكتشافات هامة عن حيوانات ذلك القطر بالذات ، وهو يصرف في سبيل ذلك الوقت الطويل في امهات دور الكتب العلمية حيث تتوفر مجموعات كاملة من مجلات التاريخ الطبيعي .

وقد عنيت اثناء دراستي في جامعة مشيكان عام ١٩٥٢ باستقصاء المصادر عن الحيوانات الفقيرية للعراق والاقطار المجاورة له – وهي المنطقة التي عرفت بالشرق الاوسط – مستفيضاً من مكتبة متحف علم الحيوان بالجامعة المذكورة حيث توفر الكتب والمجلات القديمة والحديثة في مواضيع التاريخ الطبيعي ، واستطعت بعد الجهد المتواصل أن اسجل كل ما وقع تحت نظري من مراجع تخص هذه المنطقة ، مع المعلومات الضرورية عن تاريخ نشرها واسم المجلة التي ظهر فيها البحث وعدد الصحف ونشرت في كثير من الحالات الى مضمون البحث والحيوانات التي وصفت فيه لأول مرة – وذلك على قدر ما سمح لامكانيات المكتبة . وكان أهم مرجع لي في هذا العمل «السجل الحيواني» (Zoological Record) الذي توالى جمعية علم الحيوان في لندن نشره سنويًا منذ عام ١٨٦٤ ، فضلاً عن أهم المجلات العلمية التي صدرت حديثاً خلال عامي ١٩٥٢ و ١٩٥٣ – أي بعد نشر آخر مجلد للسجل المذكور وهو لمطبوعات سنة ١٩٥١ والصادر في تشرين الثاني ١٩٥٣ . ولا بد لي بهذه المناسبة من التنويه بأن عدداً غير قليل من المصادر أضيف بعد عودتي من أميركا بفضل المجلات الحديثة التي ترد الى مكتبة متحف التاريخ الطبيعي العراقي .

وسينظر سجل المصادر هذا في أربعة أقسام موزعة بالكيفية الآتية : –  
(١) المبائن . (٢) الطيور . (٣) الزواحف والبرمائيات . (٤) الاسماك – وسيرى القارئ العربي أن جميع هذه المصادر منشورة في اللغات الأجنبية (بينها التركية فقط من اللغات الشرقية) ومرتبة بحسب أسماء المؤلفين وفقاً للتسلسل الأبجدي .  
أما الاقطار التي تتناولها هذه المصادر فهي العراق وما يحيط به من بلاد عربية وشرقية وتشمل ايران شرقاً ، وتركيا شمالاً ، وسوريا ولبنان وفلسطين والاردن غرباً ، واقطار شبه الجزيرة العربية جنوباً . وقد نظم في آخر كل نشرة تصنيف للمصادر على حسب الاقطار .

والأمل أن تسد هذه النشرة فراغاً كبيراً في الدراسات الاحيائية عن هذه المنطقة المهمة من العالم وتقدم للباحثين خدمة طيبة تغไขهم عن صرف الجهود المضنية للعنور على المصادر ذات العلاقة بتصميم بحثهم .

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