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Mallophaga (Insecta) from West African Birds

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A small collection of Mallophaga was made by the Copenhagen University's Atlantide-Expedition to West Africa and sent to me for determination by the collector Dr. TORBEN WOLFF. These Mallophaga included one new species described in this volume of the Atlantide Report by Dr. JOÃO TENDEIRO; the determinations of the other species are listed below together with the name of the hosts from which they were taken. The host names are those used in WOLFF, 1950, Atlantide Report No. 1.

List of Mallophaga

FAMILY MENOPONIDAE

Mallophaga	Host
<i>Colpocephalum oxyurum</i> Nitsch, 1861	<i>Necrosyrtes m. monachus</i> (Temm.).
<i>Colpocephalum semicinctum</i> Rudow, 1866	<i>Corvus albus</i> Müll.
<i>Myrsidea obovata</i> (Piaget, 1880)	<i>Corvus albus</i> Müll.
<i>Menacanthus ovatus</i> (Piaget, 1880)	<i>Corvus albus</i> Müll.
<i>Actornithophilus incisus</i> (Piaget, 1880)	<i>Anous s. stolidus</i> (Linn.).
<i>Austromenopon atrofulvum</i> (Piaget, 1880)	<i>Anous s. stolidus</i> (Linn.) <i>sens. lat.</i> ¹

FAMILY LAEMOBOTHRIDAE

Laemobothrion vulturis (J. C. Fabricius, 1775) *sens. lat.* *Necrosyrtes m. monachus* (Temm.).

¹) *Sensu lato* is used to indicate that the specific or subspecific name covers a number of populations, restricted to different host forms, which are taxonomically separable to a greater or lesser degree but which are not worthy of nomenclatural recognition (CLAY in press). Or in some cases the taxonomic status of the population is uncertain and further study based on more material is needed.

FAMILY PHILOPTERIDAE

Mallophaga	Host
<i>Saemundssonina thalassidromae</i> (Denny, 1842)	<i>Hydrobates p. pelagicus</i> (Linn.).
<i>Saemundssonina</i> sp. Females only	<i>Stercorarius pomarinus</i> (Temmm.).
<i>Perineus</i> sp. Females only	<i>Stercorarius pomarinus</i> (Temmm.).
<i>Halipeurus pelagicus</i> (Denny, 1842)	<i>Hydrobates p. pelagicus</i> (Linn.).
<i>Multicola</i> sp. n. (see TENDEIRO below)	<i>Caprimulgus i. inornatus</i> Heugl.
<i>Brüelia quadrangularis</i> (Rudow, 1869)	<i>Corvus albus</i> Müll.