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Red-necked Phalarope *Phalaropus lobatus* (Linnaeus 1758), Vagrant (14)
1929 Lake Ellesmere, Canterbury

A male in winter plumage was shot by E.F. Stead at Lake Ellesmere in 1929 (Oliver 1930). There have been fourteen records to date, with Lake Grassmere, Marlborough attracting long-stayers in recent years.