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**White-rumped Sandpiper** *Calidris fuscicollis* (Vieillot 1819), Vagrant (2)  
9/12/1969 Karaka, Auckland

Ross McKenzie (1970) discovered two birds whilst on a New Zealand Dotterel banding trip on the Manukau. They were seen subsequently the next day, but not thereafter. The white rump was successfully seen on the latter occasion. A. T. "Sandy" Edgar had the second record in March 1971 at Paua, Northland. This was Sandy's third "second" in three years.