

Field Report Spring 1998	SPECIES	DATE	#	AGE	SEX	COUNTY	LOCATION & NOTES
	Common Loon	5/10/98	1	imm		Harrison	De Soto Bend NWR
	American White Pelican	5/11/98	80			Monona	Blue Lake area
	American Bittern	5/7/98	1			Sac	Burrow Pond WMA
	Cattle Egret	4/29/98	1			Dickinson	~2 mi. west of Shuck's
	Green Heron	4/30/98	1			Plymouth	Broken Kettle Preserve (TNC)
		5/23/98	1			Plymouth	Broken Kettle Preserve (TNC)
		5/23/98	2			Woodbury	New Lake/Port Neal
	Greater White-fronted Goose	4/10/98	37			Sac	Kiowa Marsh
		5/11/98	1			Monona	Blue Lake
		5/23/98	1			Woodbury	New Lake/Port Neal
	Wood Duck	5/29/98	180			Monona	1 flock (80% male?) loafing in flooded field in Blue Lake area
	Northern Pintail	5/7/98	2		m+f	Carrol	Glidden Marsh
	Black-bellied Whistling Duck	4/9/98	1		m	Sac	Tomahawk Marsh (details attached)
	Osprey	4/23/98	1			Woodbury	Broken Kettle Preserve (TNC)
		5/8/98	1			Muscatine	Swamp White Oak Preserve (TNC)
	Northern Harrier	3/12/98	1		m	Plymouth	field 2 mi. north of Westfield on Hwy. 12
		5/11/98	2		m + f	Monona	pair flying together west of Blue Lake
	Broad-winged Hawk	4/14/98	1			Plymouth	Broken Kettle Preserve (TNC)
		5/8/98	17			Muscatine	Swamp White Oak Preserve
	Swainson's Hawk	4/14/98	1			Plymouth	Broken Kettle Preserve (TNC)
	Rough-legged Hawk	4/27/98	1			Plymouth	Broken Kettle Preserve (TNC)
	Gray Partridge	5/11/98	2			Monona	Blue Lake area
		5/25/98	1			Plymouth	Broken Kettle Preserve (TNC)
	Killdeer	3/21/98	3			Plymouth	Broken Kettle Preserve (TNC)
	Williet	5/3/98	3			Plymouth	Big Sioux River bottom 3 mi. south of Westfield
	Dunlin	5/7/98	5			Jefferson	Dunbar Slough
	Forster's Tern	5/11/98	1			Harrison	Borrow pit north of Modale
	Least Tern	5/23/98	1			Woodbury	New Lake/Port Neal area
	Whip-poor-will	5/4/98	2			Plymouth	Broken Kettle Preserve (TNC) - first - singing
	Loggerhead Shrike	5/20/98	1			Plymouth	Hwy. 12 south side of Westfield
	Olive-sided Flycatcher	5/23/98	1		m	Woodbury	Stone State Park
	Western Kingbird	5/23/98	1			Plymouth	Broken Kettle Preserve (TNC)
	Swainson's Thrush	4/28/98	1			Plymouth	Broken Kettle Preserve (TNC)

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American Redstart		m	1	5/23/98	✓	Monona	New Lake/Port Neal
Magnolia Warbler		m	1	5/23/98	✓	Woodbury	Stone State Park
Black-throated Green Warbler		m	1	5/9/98	✓	Muscataine	Swamp White Oak Preserve
Palm Warbler		//	2	5/8/98	✓	Muscataine	Swamp White Oak Preserve
Blackpoll Warbler		m	1	5/12/98		Plymouth	Broken Kettle Preserve (TNC)
Black-and-white Warbler		m+f	2	5/9/98	✓	Muscataine	Swamp White Oak Preserve
Prothonotary Warbler		m	3	5/8/98	✓	Muscataine	Swamp White Oak Preserve (TNC)
Indigo Bunting		m	1	5/3/98		Plymouth	Broken Kettle Preserve (TNC) - first of year
Eastern Towhee		m	1	4/23/98		Plymouth	Broken Kettle Preserve (TNC) - first of year
Spotted Towhee		m	1	5/5/98	✓	Plymouth	Broken Kettle Preserve (TNC) - seen at feeder from 5/5/98 to 5/18/98
Chipping Sparrow		m	1	4/2/98	✓	Plymouth	Broken Kettle Preserve (TNC) - first of year - singing
Clay-colored Sparrow		m	1	4/25/98	✓	Plymouth	Broken Kettle Preserve (TNC) - first of year - singing
Field Sparrow		m	//	4/18/98	✓	Plymouth	Broken Kettle Preserve (TNC) - first of year - heard >6
Lark Sparrow		//	1	4/29/98	✓	Plymouth	Broken Kettle Preserve (TNC) - first of year
		//	1	5/1/98		Woodbury	New Lake/Port Neal area
Fox Sparrow		m + f	2	5/23/98	✓	Plymouth	Broken Kettle Preserve (TNC)
		//	3	3/20/98	✓	Plymouth	Broken Kettle Preserve (TNC) - first of year
White-throated Sparrow		m	2	4/14/98	✓	Plymouth	Broken Kettle Preserve (TNC) - first of year
White-crowned Sparrow		//	5	4/27/98	✓	Plymouth	Broken Kettle Preserve (TNC) - first of year
Harris' Sparrow		//	//	3/10/98	✓	Plymouth	Feeder at Broken Kettle Prairie
		//	1	5/10/98	✓	Harrison	Desoto Bend NWR
		//	8	5/20/98	✓	Plymouth	last day seen or heard - Broken Kettle Preserve
Western Meadowlark		m	3	3/13/98	✓	Plymouth	first - singing at Broken Kettle Prairie
Great-tailed Grackle		//	1	4/1/98	✓	Boone	Harrier Marsh
Orchard Oriole		m	1	5/10/98		Harrison	Desoto Bend NWR
		m + f	2	5/1/98		Monona	New Lake/Port Neal
		m + f	2	5/12/98	✓	Woodbury	Dorothy Pecaut Nature Center
		m + f	2	5/12/98	✓	Plymouth	Broken Kettle Preserve (TNC)
Baltimore Oriole		m	1	5/6/98	✓	Plymouth	Broken Kettle Preserve (TNC) - first seen
Pine Siskin		m+f	<40	spring	✓	Harrison	seen through first week of May at feeder N of Missouri Valley

I tried to note when I saw a first of the year, or a last of the season. But may not have gotten all of them. TNC stands for The Nature Conservancy, so you may not find those areas marked on maps. // is the mark I use for species that I cannot tell the sexes apart. A copy of the documentation for the Black-bellied Whistling-duck was sent to T. H. Kent.

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