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Iowa Seasonal Report - Fall 1997

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ITEM	COMMON NAME	NUM	DATE	LOCATION	HABITAT
1	✓ Eurasian Collared-Dove Body shape similar to Mourning Dove. Pale gray mantle, paler head. Dark band at back of neck. Tail: very slightly notched; when fanned, proximal half dark gray, distal half lighter. Wings showed large pale patches at center below, or primaries darker at tips than at center. Call coo-coo!-coo. 2nd syllable emphasized. 1st slightly higher in pitch. Bill smaller than Mourning Dove.	2	9/13/97	Grinnell, IA	Golf course
2	✓ Common Nighthawk Last.	2	10/8/97	In town, Fairfield, IA	Overhead
3	✓ Chimney Swift Max: 3200 on 9/8/97 at Fairfield High School Chimney. Last: 2 on 10/17/97 at ancient chimney at Town Square. This location on the square had swifts nightly for 13 nights after all were gone from larger roost at high school chimney.	3200	9/8/97	Fairfield High School, Fairfield, IA	Chimney
4	✓ Philadelphia Vireo Last and late for me: No wing bars. Plain drab back and crown. Indistinct pale supercilium with blackish smudge narrowing away from eye in front and back of eye. Yellowish undertail coverts. Did not get look at breast color.	1	10/3/97	Lacey Keosauqua, Van Buren Co., IA	Trees
5	✓ Red-breasted Nuthatch First this fall	2	10/14/97	My back yard, Fairfield, IA	Feeder
6	✓ House Wren Late and last house wren. Latest I have ever seen one in Iowa.	1	10/18/97	Indigo Woods, Fairfield, IA	Trees
7	✓ Black-throated Green Warbler Last Faded facial pattern and faded black throat and faded blackish streaks on flanks	2	10/3/97	Lacey Keosauqua, Van Buren Co., IA	Trees
8	✓ American Redstart Last	3	9/3/97	Chautauqua Park, Fairfield, IA	Trees
9	✓ Purple Finch First	1	11/3/97	My back yard, Fairfield, IA	Feeder