

31 May

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Tom

Got back from Japan on Thursday. Great trip although not a lot of birding. Really enjoyed the country, people, etc.

Had a few tidbits to add to my spring field report.

Via e-mail, one of my graduate students reported both a Snowy Egret and several sightings of Least Bitterns in the Dewey's Pasture area in late May. I haven't seen him yet to get specifics but will pass those on as soon as I can.

✓ Willet-one was still at Harrier Marsh this morning (31 May) where I had seen one twice previously this spring. Close to a record late date for the species.

In the for what it's worth category, I heard both Least Flycatchers and Tennessee Warblers this morning. It is getting late for them although I suspect with the kind of spring we are having, you will get other similar reports.

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