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Ibis species 18 Apr 1978 south of Russell, Lucas Co., IA C. Scott IBL 48:71

REFERENCE Field Reports: IBL 48:71 VOTE (1981): for sp. 2-III, 4-IV; for White-faced 3-V, 2-VI; for Glossy 4-V, 2-VI few details. no description. no details; observer unknown.

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Halmi, N. S., 1978, Field reports. Iowa Bird Life 48:69-77.

"Elwen Plegadis Ibeses were reported. No attempt was made to identify the species for that seen on April 18 s. of Russell, s. central Iowa (CS). Those who saw 6 dark Ibeses at Sweet M. on April 26-29 (Larry Farmer, JSc) leaned toward Glossy; 4 birds 18 seen near Churdan, Greene Co. (April 21, DT) were believed to be White-faced, but the description did not include diagnostic field marks. Plegadis ibises observed in spring under favorable 19 viewing conditions should be recognizable as to species (see H. Poughs Prett, Birding, 1976)."