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810 North 13 St.

Other observers (name, city):

Indianola, Ia 50125

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SPECIES	NO.	DATE	LOCATION - COMMENT - OTHER OBSERVERS
Common Loon	45	11/11	Saylorville Reservoir
Western Grebe	3	10/21	Saylorville Reservoir
D-Crested Cormorant	350	10/14	Saylorville Reservoir
Sw. Little Blue Heron	1	8/4	Cottonwood Area below Saylorville
Black Scoter	1	11/11	Saylorville
Osprey	3	9/9	Lake Aquabi St PK.
Bald Eagle	3 ad 7 imm	10/25	Runnells Game Area
N. Harrier	10	11/5	Rathbun area. a total of 7 seen in one place coursing the grassy fields.
Imm Sharp-sh Hawk	1	11/11	Saylorville
Imm Br-winged Hawk	2	9/23	Runnells Game Area
Am. Kestrel	5	9/9	Warren Co. - together on wires
Merlin	1	9/25	Runnells Game Area
Ad Peregrine Falcon	1	9/22	Runnells Game Area. Bird was observed making three stoops at ducks including one stoop in which the falcon found onto a R1-winged teal only to have the bird break away. Size comparison would lead me to believe this bird to be a ♂.
Am. Avocet	1	8/4	Bay's Branch

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<u>Western Sandpiper</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>9/3</u>	<u>Runnells Game Area</u> <u>Birds spread evenly amongst 10</u> <u>other shorebird species. Fed in</u> <u>deeper water than other</u> <u>peeps. Birds in various stages</u> <u>of molt from breeding to basic,</u> <u>however, rust shoulder patches</u> <u>observable. Bill length and</u> <u>droop seemed to vary from</u> <u>the obvious to the sublime</u>
<u>Stilt Sandpiper</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>10/14</u>	<u>Saylorville</u>
<u>Sh.-billed Dow.</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>10/14</u>	<u>Saylorville - Birds observed</u> <u>as close as 15 yards. I. D.</u> <u>made on following - Pale</u> <u>heads - no chevrons on flanks</u> <u>- lack of spots on tail</u>
<u>Red Knot - ad.</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>9/23</u>	<u>Saylorville - Plump gray</u> <u>shorebird - Dorsal gray uniform,</u> <u>ventral pale with gray flecks.</u> <u>Straight black bill slightly</u> <u>longer than head. Methodical</u> <u>picking as feeding style -</u> <u>size and shape of small pigeon</u>
<u>Laughin Gull</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>9/8</u>	<u>see documentation form</u>

