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Here are my observations for the winter.

- * Whistling Swan--50 at L&D#9 on 6 Dec.
- * Am. Black Duck--2 at Lansing on 1 Feb.
- Com. Pintail--1 at Lansing on 1 Feb.
- * Northern Harrier--1 each on 29 Dec, 2 Feb and 12 Feb (Allamakee and Winneshiek Co's). Unusual in winter in this corner of state.
- * Red-tailed Hawk--average of 1 every 4 miles in Allamakee and Winneshiek Co's. (Range 14-35/100miles on 7 trips).
- * Rough-legged Hawk--15 since 1 Jan. Most after late Jan.
- * Golden Eagle--2a on 6 Dec, 2a on 12 Feb, 1i on 1 Feb in Allamakee Co.
- Am. Kestrel--13 since 1 Jan in Allamakee and Winneshiek Co's.
- Am. Coot--1-3 at Lansing from 23 Jan to 12 Feb.
- Killdeer--3 at L&D#9 on 23 Jan.
- Com. Snipe--1 in YRF on 12 Feb.
- Red-headed Woodpecker--common this winter.
- Am. Robin--12 on 23 Jan and 3 on 12 Feb at L&D#9.
- Cedar Waxwing--40 at New Albin on 1 Feb.
- * Northern Shrike--1 on 16 Dec near Highlandville, 1 on 2 Feb near Decorah.
- Red-winged Blackbird--25 at L&D#9 on 12 Feb.
- Com. Grackle--1 near New Albin on 1 Feb.
- * Field Sparrow--1 in YRF on 12 Feb.

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If all reports
were as meaty +
concise as this
(also reliable),
this job would
be easy.
TC