

From CLAY COUNTY
IN NORTHWEST TOWNS, AT DAN GREENE SCREAMED
~~CLAY COUNTY~~, BOB'S COAST, BOARDWATER'S GULF, HAD-
SOME GOOD WILDS AND LONG BEAKED DOWITCHER ON THE
SHORE, A BLACK CROWNED NIGHT HERON AT STOLEY
PARK IN SPENCER AND A CAROLINA WREN IN WEST
SPENCER

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AT BURKE TX OR SE TUES & SATUR
RIVER CRAFTSMEN LTD THE SOUTHERN
AT THE LUMBER TX FARMERS MARKET
OR TOWN STORE RIVER 99. FOR WOODS
OR CHECK LUMBER (319) 713-0110

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~~IF YOU WISH TO LEAVE A MESSAGE WITHOUT LISTENING TO THE ENTIRE REPORT AND ALSO HAVE A TOUCH TONE PHONE, JUST RUSH THE FIVE AND LEAVE YOUR MESSAGE AFTER THE BEEP.~~

~~THANKS TO ALL OF YOU WHO HAVE REPORTED THE PAST FEW WEEKS REPORTS~~
~~YOUR SIGHTINGS HAVE BEEN EXCITING. AVOCETS ARE NOT EASY BIRDS TO SEE IN IOWA, BUT THEY MIGHT HAVE BEEN PASSING THROUGH OUR STATE, AS WE HAD SIGHTINGS FROM FIVE LOCATIONS ON THE 19TH AND 20TH.~~

~~IN NEWS FROM CENTRAL IOWA IN POLK COUNTY, AT BIG CREEK STATE PARK AT THE BEACH ~~TO AVOCETS ON THE 17TH, AN AND 6 BAIRD'S SANDPIPER~~, ~~AN~~ ~~1 PIPING PLOVER AND EARED GREE~~, ON THE 20TH, WHILE AT THE DAM THERE WERE 4 HORNS CREEPS ON THE 20TH. AT THE SAYLORVILLE RESERVOIR AT THE SANDPIPER RECREATION AREA BEACH, ~~A WILLET ON THE 19TH AND 18 AVOCETS ON THE 20TH~~ AND NEAR THE DAM A WESTERN GREE ON THE 20TH. ALSO AT THOSE AREAS COMMON LOONS, FORSTER'S TERNS, BONAPARTES GULLS AND WHITE PELICANS ON THE 22ND. AT COLLESTER LAKE IN NORWACK 15 AVOCETS ON THE 20TH. AT MECKERY PRAIRIE NEAR POLK CITY, HODSONIAN GEEWITS ON THE 20TH, AND AT GLENDALE CEMETERY IN DES MOINES, 2 WHITE-WINGED CROSSBILLS ON THE 20TH. IN MARSHALL COUNTY AT BROOK COVE STATE PARK, THE MALE SWELL SCOTER ~~WILL COME~~ ~~BEING SEEN ON THE 20TH BUT THE WHITE-WINGED SCOTER CANT GO~~ ~~AND, WILDERNESS UPLAND SANDPIPER THING IN THE 23RD~~
1 X ~~IN SOUTHEAST IOWA AT THE CORALVILLE RESERVOIR, 75 LESSER GOLDEN PLOVER AND 50 ALBERTON THE 26TH AND 20TH 20TH AVOCETS AT THE END OF THE BARBECUE ACCESS ON THE 19TH, ~~AN~~, AT LAKE MACBRIDE 3 EARED CREEPS ON THE 20TH, 4 COMMON LOONS, ~~FORSTER'S TERNS,~~ ~~A BIRCH CREEP GRATEATOR~~, AND A NORTHERN MOCKINGBIRD ON THE 21ST. THE MOCKINGBIRD WAS ALONG THE ROAD AT THE ENTRANCE TO THE COTTAGE RESERVE AREA IN THE VICINITY OF THE LIGHT BROWN STATE BUILDINGS. ON THE MORNING OF THE 22ND, 1 SMITH'S LONGSPUR WAS SEEN IN THE FOG NORTHWEST OF LONE TREE WHERE THREE~~~~

HAVE BEEN SEVERAL HUNDRED SINCE MARCH 24. FOR DIRECTIONS
LEAVE YOUR NAME AND NUMBER AFTER THE REPORT. AT CONE
MARSH IN LOUISA COUNTY BLACK CROWNED NIGHT HERONS,
PUNLINS, AND LEAST SANDPIPER SEEN FROM THE EAST SIDE ON
THE 21ST. AT LACEY-KESAUWA STATE PARK IN VANS
BULLS COUNTY, YELLOW-THROATED WARBLER, PELICAN, GULL,
AND A GRASSHOPPER SPARROW ON THE 20TH AM AT THE
BURLINGTON WATER TREATMENT FACILITY 1 MILE NORTH
ON HIGHWAY 99 BIRDS AND SEMI ALMATED SWAMPERS ON
THE 21ST.

LAST

IN THE SOUTHWEST, THE COMMON TEAL WAS SEEN IN
PITTSBURGH COUNTY ON THE 19TH, AND THERE HAS BEEN NO
FURTHER NEWS. TO LOOK FOR THIS LINE EXIT I-29 ^{EAST} HIGHWAY
370, THEN IMMEDIATELY NORTH OF COUNTY ROAD L-31 FOR
ABOUT 3 MILES AND LOOK IN A DRAINAGE DITCH TO THE
WEST OF THE ROAD BY A FIELD WITH THE NAME HELTON
ATTACH TO THE SETTLEMENT POINT ^{PIDING OVER ON THE 20TH}, ^{STRICKLAND HOLLOW, FRANKLIN}
& BONAPARTE'S found on the 19TH. AT LAKE MANSFIELD,
WHITE WINGED SPOTTER ON THE SOUTHWEST SIDE IN THE CANAL
AND A SWAINSON'S HAWK BOTH OF ^{THE 19TH,} MOST WATER AREAS IN THAT PART OF THE
STATE HAVE WHITE PELICAN AND BONAPARTE'S GUAR.

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IN THE NORTH CENTRAL, THE 2 WESTERN SPARROWS
LOCATED NEAR PLYMOUTH IN CEDAR BORO COUNTY ON THE
18TH HAVE NOT BEEN SEEN SINCE, BUT CURT NELSON WILL KEEP
CHECKING THAT FIELD AND KEEP US INFORMED

IN NORTHEAST IOWA AT OTTER CREEK MARSH IN TRAVIS COUNTY
BLACK CROWNED NIGHT HERON ON THE 19TH AND AN AMERICAN
BITTERN ON THE 21ST.

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~~✓ 2020-01-20~~
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IN WARREN COUNTY AT WOODLAND MOUNDS PRESERVE
BLUE-GAY WATERTOWER, DUNGBIRDS AND 2 COOPER'S
HAWKS ON THE 21ST AND A WHITE-WINGED SCOTER AT THE
CAKESIE SWALM LAGOONS ON THE 22ND

~~ROSS GOOSE - PLAIN GR - 4/20
SCOTTISH
+ BONAPARTES
2 HUDDSON RIBBON TAIL + LB POLYPTERUS~~

~~B.C. NN - STOLLEY PT - SPENCER 4/21~~

~~✓ 1 CAROLINA WREN - WEST SPENCER - CLAY CO.~~

~~✓ IN A REPORT FROM THE morning 2 IBIS ET WERE SEEN
FROM THE EAST SIDE OF COLD MARTH IN
LOUISIANA COUNTY, AND WERE STILL PRESENT AT NOON. ONE WAS
A WHITE-FACED, AND THE OTHER IS QUESTIONABLE AND MAY
BE A GLOSSY. ALSO, TODAY, A CATTLE EGRET IN BREEDING
PLUMAGE WAS SEEN AT THE COMMERCIAL RESTAURANT FROM
THE PARKING LOT 1 1/2 MILE SOUTH OF THE DU PONT
BRIDGE, BY LOOKING NORTHWEST IN HALF MOON LAKE.
AND A RUDDY TURNSTONE AT THE END OF THE PARCOCHE ACCESS
ROAD.~~

~~✓ AND ON THE 22ND~~

~~From SOUTHERN TOWNS AT THE MAIN ROAD AT RIVERTON, I WATCHED
OVER 100 WHITE-FRONTED GEESE, 21 PUROS, MALLARD, WATERFOWL. AT THE
SWALM POOL NORTH OF OAKLAND 2 WILSON'S PHALAROPES, BAIAS,
SNOW BIRDS AND SEMI-PALMATED PLOVER AND AT WABASH STATE
STATE PARK HARRIS' AND CLARK SPARROW AND CAROLINA WREN~~

~~IN WEST CENTRAL IOWA AT THIS BIRD SLOCUM IN GREENE COUNTY
40500 SNOW GEESE AND 11 LESSER GOLDEN PLOVER ON THE 22ND~~

~~IN MADISON COUNTY WHIPORROW AND ARLEANS
CHAMPION ON THE 22ND~~

OTHER FROM THE 26TH WHICH WERE PRESENT THE 23RD AND 24TH ARE GONE
NOT FOUND
TRI REPORTS TODAY, THE 2 IBISES WERE STILL PRESENT AT
COUNTY, BUT A CATTLE
EGRET AT CONE MARSH IN LOMA. THEY WERE SEEN FROM THE
EGRET AND BLACK-CROWNED NIGHT HERON WERE SEEN FROM THE EAST SIDE.
EAST SIDE OF THE MARSH, ONE IS A WHITE-FACED, THE OTHER IS
QUESTIONABLE, AND MAY BE A GLOSSY. ^{HOWEVER} THE CATTLE EGRET WAS STILL
PRESENT AT THE CONAVILLE RESERVOIR AND WAS SEEN FROM THE
PARKING LOT WHICH IS 1 1/2 MILES SOUTH OF THE DU PONT
BRIDGE, BY LOOKING NORTHWEST IN HALF MOON LAKE.

FROM APRIL 25TH

(3) IN CENTRAL IOWA - A SANDPIPER ON THE BEACH AT SANDPIPER
RECREATION AREA OF THE SINKORVILLE RESERVOIR AND
FROM WARREN COUNTY THE FIRST REPORTED YELLOW THROATED
VIREO, WARBLER VIREO, SOLITARY & SPOTTED SOLOMONS
AND TOWNSON COUNTY HOUSE WREN AND EASTERN
KINGBIRD. ALSO CHIMNEY SWIFT, GREEN HERON, HERON
YELLOWTHROAT, YELLOW WARBLER AND CATBIRD

WEEKS REPORT - DROPS EVERYTHING A WEEK OR MORE OLD
REPORTS FROM THE 26TH ^{27TH}

(1) IN SOUTHWEST IOWA TODAY A COMMON TEAL WAS DIS-
COVERED IN A SWAMPY LOESS IN FREMONT COUNTY FROM
HIGHWAY 275 1 MILE SOUTH OF TROY, GO 4 MILES EAST ON
HIGHWAY 184 THEN 1 MILE NORTH ON COUNTY ROAD L-62 ~~NEAR~~
Look on THE EAST SIDE OF ROAD

NEAR CONE MARSH IN LEWIS COUNTY, 7 WARBLER
SPECIES INCLUDING YELLOWTHROATED AND PROTHONOTARY
AND FIRST REPORTED SIGHTING OF INDIGO BUNTING, GREAT
CRESTED FLYCATCHER, AND NORTHERN PAROLE

IN JOHNSON COUNTY, A PURPLE 75 LESSER GOLDEN
PLOVER AND A LONG BILLLED OBERTAIL AT THE END