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Mr. Oscar P. Allert,  
McGregor, Iowa.

My dear Mr. Allert:

Your letter of February 12 has been received. I have had some difficulty to locate the records that you desire; otherwise I should have written you before. They are as follows:

Kentucky warbler: 3 were seen August 8, 1921, by Dr. Leroy T. Weeks, along the Mississippi Valley near McGregor, Iowa.

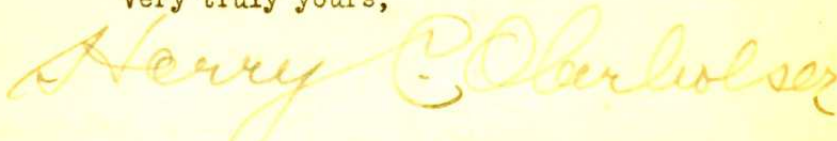
Mockingbird: 1 seen ten miles east of Prairie du Chien, Wisconsin, on August 11, 1921, by the writer.

So far as I now know, I shall be in Washington at least until summer, and shall be glad to have you send on any skins that you desire to have me identify; the only requirement is that you furnish return postage for the package. The package can be addressed to either the Biological Survey with a letter requesting that I make the identification or to me personally.

I am very glad to hear from you again and glad to know that you are still so deeply interested in birds. I hope that you will be able to finish your list of the birds of the McGregor region, which would be a very interesting report to have published.

With kind regards, I am

Very truly yours,



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Division of Biological Investigations.