

Middle Western Region
(Iowa)

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M&H
1. Species - Greater Scaup
 2. ~~Location~~ - Number - 15
 3. ~~at~~ Location. George Wyth State Park.
 4. Date - March 25
 5. Time Bird seen: early morning about 10 am to 10:30
 6. Description - about 14 inches long. Body mostly white with back darker. Head ~~is~~ had greenish tint. Wings ~~had~~ were dark with ~~white~~ long white wing line. both species feeding and flew ~~at~~ a short distance while observing them.
 7. voice - not heard
 8. Behavior - feeding with Lesser Scaup.
 9. Habitat - open water in river with woodland bordering.
 10. Similar appearing species - Lesser Scaup has short white wing ~~line~~ line.
 11. Distance - 40 yds. (by sight)
 12. Light - ~~overcast~~ overcast with sun showing through.
 13. Optical equip: 7x50 binoculars, 20x60 scope.
 14. Previous Experience - none
 15. Other observers - ~~Tom~~ ^{Tom} Stone Jr., Francis Moore
 16. Did others agree with your identification - yes
 17. Others who independently identified bird - ~~Tom Stone~~ Francis Moore Tom Stone Jr.
 18. Books - Bird of North America by Robbins + Singer good Description. Birds of Eastern N.A. by Peterson.
 19. How long after observing bird did you write this description: 2 months

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