Contributor: Raymond L. Cummins	Other Rome Mills Wallace Jardine
Season: Symmon hoth	85
Year: 1981 Your Pf	

SPECIES	NO.	DATE	LOCATION - COMMENTS - OTHER OBSERVERS
Eared GREBE	2	7-19	Little Clear Lake : (Summer plumage)
CIA CO CILCOS			Fide Wallace Jardine
Yellow-CROWNED NIGHT !	ERDNI	7-3	Pocahontas (IN TOWN) (Immature) +
Swainson's Hawk	i	7-31	Coldfield sewage pond 20yds - heard alson
Belted Kingfischer	١	7-19	Surken Grove; Varina
Common Gallinule	1	7-19	Red vill with yellow tip Little Clear Lake and a white stripes on side
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## BIRDS: VERIFYING DOCUMENTATION OF AN EXTRAORDINARY SIGHT RECORD

Species Yellow CRAWNED NJEHT HERON 2. Number / 1. Location Popehontas Iowa 3. 5. Time Bird Seen: 5:30 P.M. to 6:30 PM Date: 7-3-81 4. Description of size, shape and color-pattern (describe in great detail all 6. parts of the plumage, and beak and feet coloration, in addition, to the diagnostic characteristics, but include only what actually was seen in the field): CROW Size body & head - long neck and legs with a short thick gragish black bill. Lega were greenish black and the feathers came down only a short. way from the body. I show the - eye color was orange yellow to orangeffered depending on the light wing and back spotter were in rows and trigornular shope and light brown in color. I lushed three 7. Description of voice, if heard: Not HEARD times to see legs and tril relation the legs and feet definitive worth extended 8. Description of behavior: would serve in a tree, one on a root, will thished 9. Habitat - general: Residential area of Porchontas specific: 10. Similarly appearing species which are eliminated by questions 6, 7, & 8. Explain: although the bill shape, eye color, and longe neck support the FD. The longer of at least less fathing it is upper legs and leg-feit estention during flight are less subjective 11. Distance (how measured)? 15 yards (est) I2. Optical equipment: 7x35 and 20x spotting & 13. Light (sky, light on bird, position of sun in relation to bird and you): Clear, good, in back of me 14. Previous experience with this species and similarly appearing species: See one a sunker groves in 1979 15. Other observers: Wallace Jardine, Lorry Braby 16. Did the others agree with your identification? Yes 17. Other observers who independently identified this bird: Nowe 18. Books, illustrations and advice consulted, and how did these influence this description: 19. How long after observing this bird did you first write this description? Address: doy NW \$ 12St Signature: Raymondh: Cummun City, State: Pocahontas, Iona Date: 7-31-8/