

IOWA ORNITHOLOGISTS' UNION.

Devoted to Iowa's Bird Life.

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Sioux City, Iowa,  
2109 Nebraska St.,  
December 9, 1930.

Dear Sir:

The following resolutions were adopted at the annual meeting of the Iowa Ornithologists' Union in session at Omaha, Nebr., May 16, 1930, and I submit them, hoping you will give them your earnest attention.

I. Whereas, the Iowa Ornithologists' Union, in session on May 16th, 1930, at Omaha, Nebr., views with apprehension the wholesale destruction of Bald Eagles in Alaska, under the territorial bounty system, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that we petition our Senators and Representatives in Congress to favor the passage by Congress of the Norbeck-Andresen Bill which provides federal protection for this species; and be it further

RESOLVED, that our officers be requested to transmit copies of these resolutions to our Iowa members of Congress, and to the members of the Senate and House Committees on Agriculture.

II. Whereas, the abundance of wild fowl in many parts of the country is, in our opinion, definitely decreasing, and

Whereas, there is a very widespread public sentiment that still further regulation of hunting is necessary to prevent the extermination of certain species of wild fowl and game birds, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the Iowa Ornithologists' Union in session on May 16th, 1930, at Omaha, Nebraska, is strongly in favor of the McNary-Haugen Bill (S 2015, H.R. 5278) now before Congress which reduces the bag limit on ducks to 15 a day; and that we urge the Senators and Representatives in Congress to favor this Bill; and be it further

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Respectfully submitted,

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T. C. Stephens, Sioux City  
W. A. Kinnaird, Valley Junction

Yours truly,

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Secretary, I. O. U.