

Dear Mr. Kent,

Following are several sightings for the Field Reports if you are interested in using them. Most observations are from this August but a few are from this last May.

- 1* BROAD-WINGED HAWK (2) 23 August '84
Stone Park, Sioux City Woodbury County

NORTHERN HARRIER (14)
LONG-BILLED DOWITCHER (>1?)
SHORT-BILLED DOWITCHER (20)
STILT SANDPIPER (6)
PECTORAL SANDPIPER (6)
SOLITARY SANDPIPER (6)
LEAST SANDPIPER (20)
LESSER YELLOWLEGS (14)
GREATER YELLOWLEGS (0)
SEMIPALMATED PLOVER (5)
PIPING PLOVER (1)

20 August '84

Louisville Wildlife Area
Onawa, Monona County

- UPLAND SANDPIPER (4-7) 13 thru 20 August Bronson, Woodbury Co.
2* SEDGE WREN (>5) 2 May near Sergeant-Bluff Woodbury Co.
NORTHERN MOCKINGBIRD (1) 27 thru 29 May Bronson, Woodbury Co.
3* BELLS VIREO (1) 26 May Stone Park, Woodbury Co.

WILSON'S WARBLER (1)
BLACKBURNIAN WARBLER (14)
CHESTNUT-SIDED WARBLER (2)
CANADA WARBLER (2)
NASHVILLE WARBLER (2)

23 August '84

Stone Park, Sioux City, Woodbury Co.

- 4* OVENBIRD (2 + fledgling)

- 5* BLUE GROSBEAK (5) 9 thru 17 August
LARK SPARROW (7) 9 thru 17 August and 3 May

- 1: According to Iowa Birds (Dinsmore 1984) the earliest record was 27 August for a Broad-Winged Hawk.
- 2: All these Sedge Wrens were singing quite enthusiastically. I suspect these to be nesting since I have observed them in previous years in the same location.
- 3: This Bell's Vireo was singing quite enthusiastically throughout the morning and mid-afternoon.
- 4: I found a fledgling with down and an incomplete set of flight feathers. (Kind of late nesting?)
- 5: Blue Grosbeaks are rather common throughout the summer near Bronson and can be seen almost every year. All the males (5) I found were due to their singing.

Sincerely,
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