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SPECIES NO. DATE LOCATION - COMMENT - OTHER OBSERVERS

Horned Grebe 1 11-16-85 Basic pl. - L & D Harpers Ferry, Allamakee Co. #9 RCe RM RC

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\* Red-necked Grebe 1 10-26-85 Basic pl. - Saylorville Res., Polk Co. RM

Eared Grebe 1 11-15-85 Basic pl. - DeSoto Bend N.W.R., Harrison Co. TK <sup>W NE</sup>

Western Grebe 3 10-13-85 Saylorville Res., Polk Co.

Western Grebe 14 10-26-85 Saylorville Res., Polk Co. RM

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\* Clark's Grebe 1 10-13-85 Saylorville Res., Polk Co.

Least Bittern 1 8-11-85 Sweet Marsh, Bremer Co.

Great Blue Heron 1 11-17-85 George Wyth S.P., Black Hawk Co. RCe

Cattle Egret 1 8- 3-85 L & D #19, Keokuk, Lee Co. RCe

Tundra Swan 500+ 11-16-85 L & D #9, Harpers Ferry, Allamakee Co. RCe RM RC

Mute Swan 1 ad 10-15-85 Gravel Pit, E. of St. Anthony, Marshall Co. BP

Ross' Goose 1 11-15-85 DeSoto Bend N.W.R., Harrison Co. TK

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\* King Eider 2 11-15-85 1 fem., 1 male. DeSoto Bend N.W.R., Harrison Co.

Oldsquaw 1 10-11-85 1 ad. male. Cedar River Park, Waterloo, Black Hawk Co.

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\* Surf Scoter 1 11-15-85 1 fem. DeSoto Bend N.W.R., Harrison Co. TK

- See Documentation -

\* White-winged Scoter 1 11-15-85 1 male. DeSoto Bend N.W.R., Harrison Co. TK

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\* Northern Goshawk 1 11-21-85 1 im. Along U.S. 20 approx. .1 mi. E. of Co.

Red-shouldered Hawk 1 9-15-85 & George Wyth State Park, Black Hawk

Swainson's Hawk 1 11- 3-85 1 ad. Hartman Reserve Nature Ctr., Black Hawk Co.

Golden Eagle 2 11-16-85 1 ad., 1 im. Along A-26, Allamakee Co. RCe RM RC

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\* Merlin 2 9-16-85 2 im. Sweet Marsh, Bremer Co. RM

- See Documentation -

\* Peregrine Falcon 1 9-21-85 1 ad. Saylorville Dam, Polk Co. RM

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\* King Rail 1 8-11-85 Sweet Marsh, Bremer Co.

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\* Common Moorhen 13 8-11-85 Sweet Marsh, Bremer Co. 3 ad. 10 downy young

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Common Moorhen	4	8-31-85	3 ad., 1 im. Sweet Marsh, Bremer Co.
	4	9-15-85	
Common Moorhen	2	9-16-85	all im. Sweet Marsh, Bremer Co. RM
Black-bellied Plover	1	8-11-85	Basic pl. Cedar Lake, Nashua, Chickasaw Co.
American Avocet	3	8-25-85	Otter Creek Marsh, Tama Co.
Buff-breasted Sandpiper	2	8-11-85	Cedar Lake, Nashua, Chickasaw Co.
Red-necked Phalarope	2	8-11-85	both Basic. Cedar Lake, Nashua, Chickasaw Co. - See Documentation -
* Parasitic Jaeger	1	10-15-85	Dark Phase. Saylorville Res., Polk Co. m.ob.
Caspian Tern	25	9-21-85	Saylorville Res., Polk Co. RM
Common Tern	1	8-11-85	Sweet Marsh, Bremer Co.
Northern Saw-whet Owl	1	10-27-85	George Wyth S.P., Black Hawk Co. 1 ad.
			Cedar Falls 2 ad.
Northern Saw-whet Owl	2	11- 3-85	Hartman Reserve Nature Ctr., Black Hawk Co.
Northern Saw-whet Owl	1	11-16-85	Near Solitaire Bluff, A-26 Allamakee Co. RCe RM
Olive-sided Flycatcher	2	9-22-85	George Wyth S.P., Black Hawk Co.
Great-crested Flycatcher	4	9-22-85	George Wyth S.P., Black Hawk Co.
Cliff Swallow	5000+	8-11-85	Sweet Marsh, Bremer Co.
Barn Swallow	5000+	8-11-85	Sweet Marsh, Bremer Co.
Gray-cheeked Thrush	1	8-31-85	Sweet Marsh, Bremer Co.
Swainson's Thrush	1	8-25-85	George Wyth S.P., Black Hawk Co.
		9-23-85	thru - See Documentation - m. ob.
* Sage Thrasher	1	10- 9-85	1 ad. Cedar River Park, Waterloo, Black Hawk Co.
Northern Shrike	1	10-20-85	1 ad. Tiege's Marsh, Story Co.
Golden-winged Warbler	1	8-11-85	Sweet Marsh, Bremer Co. 1 fem.
Golden-winged Warbler	4	9-22-85	George Wyth S.P., Black Hawk Co. 2 fem & 2 male
Orange-crowned Warbler	2	8-25-85	George Wyth S.P., Black Hawk Co.
Orange-crowned Warbler	2	8-31-85	Sweet Marsh, Bremer Co.



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Tom,

Sure was great being in NW and W Iowa with you 11/23-11/27. Too bad we did not see much. I think we had some very good discussions about many topics and ideas. I have been extremely busy this past week with closing out month of November and doing work on financial statements for the month. I wanted to get this to you earlier but just found the time. Here are my sightings (as addendum to Fall field reports) I phoned to you earlier.

2 Northern Shrikes 11/29/85 1 in S.E. Bremer Co. along Wapsi River.  
1 at E. side of Sweet Marsh Bremer Co.

1 Red-shouldered Hawk 11/29/85 at S. entrance to Sweet Marsh.

3 Long-eared Owls 11/29/85 on N. side of Sweet Marsh in tall pine near Ranger house.

Nothing else too exciting to report. I am real excited about the direction I.O.U. is headed, things seem to be falling into place real well for the future of the organization. Maybe we can do a similar trip some time in future. See you soon? Francis