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Dear Mr. Kleen,

I live fairly close to Iowa, and being a former resident, I do some birding in NE, & E. Iowa. I thought Darwin Koenig or Joe Schaufenbuel would report the observations which follow, but for some reason they did not, neither to AB or IBL.

June 5, Yellow River Forest

Cooper's Hawk: this was a long-tailed accipiter seen by several observers flying low over an open meadow surrounded by woods. JSc may not have felt positive it wasn't a Sharp-shinned, but I believe it unlikely it was, especially in light of the fact that Cooper's were found nesting in YRF in 1977.

Broadwinged Hawk - 2  
Yellow-breasted Chat - 1

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June 12, Yellow River Forest

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| Acadian Flycatcher         | -                               | 3     |
| Blue-winged Warbler        | -                               | 3     |
| <del>Blue</del> Cerulean " | -                               | 2     |
| Yellow-breasted Chat       | -                               | 2     |
| Kentucky Warbler           | -                               | 4     |
| Hooded "                   | Effrgy Mounds<br>Nat'l Monument | 1 (M) |

Found in vicinity where reported  
in 1977

July 6 Hooded Warbler, Effrgy Mounds 1

I'm not sure of what interest these are to  
AB. Perhaps you could pass them on to  
Pete Petersen or Halmi of IBL.

Sincerely,

Fred Lester

