

# Nelson's MEAT MARKETS

1140 OLD MARION ROAD N.E., CEDAR RAPIDS, IOWA 52402

AREA CODE 319/393-4927

CEDAR RAPIDS FINEST MEATS SINCE 1935

Dear Nick -

Nov 4, 1978

Here is our info - what there is -

Species	Observers	Where	When	Comments
Sharp-shinned Hawks	Weir, Nelson m. ob!	Nelson's home vicinity	Sept. 6 - Nov, 4 <sup>th</sup> <i>{ quite a few in migration early fall }</i>	pair immatures roosting in 3 acre pine plantation 1/2 mi N. of my home - seen almost daily in area. May winter over?
<u>Swaynson's light phase</u>	Weir Nelson	<u>Ely over home</u>	<u>Oct 2, 1978</u>	Foggy soaring low over home good details observed -
Wood Ducks 25-30	Weir Nelson Warren Barclay	Beaver ponds w/ of home	Oct 12 - Nov 4	Great natural secluded ponds next to cornfield
warblers general				good flights and variety in general area - many banded
<u>purple finch</u>	m. ob Weir Nelson	<u>early</u>	<u>Aug 29 - Sept 17 at feeder</u>	Seems early, they then retreated to woods possibly area nesters?
ring neck doves	S. Dillon	S.W. Cedar Rapids	Oct, 1978	Species photographs well, and actually escaped cage bird.
wild turkey	at Buffalo	N. of C.R.	noted several times late summer early fall	Possibly fragmented flock in heavy woods.

Sincerely Weir