

Season: Spring Year: 1988Name and address
(print or type) Mark Proescholdt
Box 65
Liscomb, Iowa 50148

Other observers (name, city):

Beth Proescholdt (Liscomb), SteveDinsmore (Ames), Robert Myers (Perry)
Ramona Sommerlot (Union), Hank Zalekat (Cob)
Marlys Frohwein (Marshalltown)

Use first few lines to give weather and habitat conditions. Use line(s) below species data to give additional details, if needed. Mail to: T. H. Kent, 211 Richards St., Iowa City IA 52240 use initials of obsv. on species line by 1 Mar, 1 Jun, 1 Aug, or 1 Dec.

SPECIES	NO.	DATE	LOCATION - COMMENT - OTHER OBSERVERS
Common Loon	1	May 17	Pine Lake S.P. - (Hardin Co.)
" "	1	March 30	Big Creek S.P. - (Polk Co.)
Pied-billed Grebe	1	March 5	Big Creek
Horned Grebe	2	April 9	Saylorville - ^{across from} Jester - SD, RKM
Eared Grebe	1	April 9	Big Creek - SD, RKM
Great Blue Heron	16	April 24	Hendrickson's Marsh - (Story Co.) - BP
Great Egret	1	March 28	Union Grove S.P. - (Tama Co.) - (Early?)
" "	12	April 28	Union Grove S.P. - (11 all hunkered down together)
Great Egret	12	April 24	Hendrickson's Marsh - BP
Little Blue Heron	1	April 28	adult - Union Grove S.P.
Green-Backed Heron	2	May 4	Grammer Grove Co. Park - (Marshall Co.) - BP, RS
Black-crowned Night-Heron	2	April 24	McCord Pond - (Guthrie Co.) - BP
" " " "	3	May 1	Big Wall - (Wright Co.) - SD
" " " "	2	May 11	Hendrickson's Marsh - BP
Tundra Swan	15	April 6	Our Liscomb backyard - (Marshall Co.) - BP (Mom saw them out the window passing by. We saw them and then followed them north to Union and beyond. A Great treat!)
Greater White-fronted Geese	210±	March 16	Hendrickson's Marsh (Lots of sightings of White-fronts this Spring!)
Snow Goose	450±	March 16	Hendrickson's Marsh - (good numbers of snow geese this Spring)
Ross' Goose	1	March 17	Hendrickson's Marsh - BP, Hz, MF seen from a distance - size of a Mallard, much smaller than a Snow Goose beside it, had a shorter neck - (good looks with scopes) than Snow Goose
Ross' Goose	1	May 7	Bays Branch - (Guthrie Co.) - BP small white goose with Canadas - had no black "grinning patch" on bill, short stubby bill with warty protruberances.

Season: Spring Year: 1988Name and address (print or type) Mark Proescholdt

Other observers (name, city):

Box 65

Beth Proescholdt (Liscomb), PhyllisLiscomb, Iowa 50148Harris (Union), Steve Dinsmore (Ames),
Ramona Sommerlot (Union),

Use first few lines to give weather and habitat conditions. Use line(s) below species data to give additional details, if needed. Mail to: T. H. Kent, 211 Richards St., Iowa City IA 52240 by 1 Mar, 1 Jun, 1 Aug, or 1 Dec.

use initials of obsv. on species line

SPECIES	NO.	DATE	LOCATION - COMMENT - OTHER OBSERVERS
American Black Duck	3	March 16	Saylorville - Sandpiper Beach
Greater Scaup	5	March 5	Big Creek S.P. - (Polk Co.) - BP (saw white wing stripe all the way to the primaries) as they flew back and forth
Greater Scaup	2	March 17	Hendrickson's Marsh - (Story Co.) - BP (flushed them and saw long white wing stripe) extend out to primaries
↪ Osprey	1	April 6	E. of Union - (Hardin Co.) - (over Iowa River) - BP
Blue-winged Teal	1	March 23	♂ at Hendrickson's Marsh - BP, PH
Northern Harrier	1	May 24	♀ S. of New Providence - (Hardin Co.)
" "	2	May 11	♂ and ♀ at Hendrickson's - BP
Sharp-shinned Hawk	1	March 2	Grammer Grove - (Marshall Co.) - (one seen in January here) - BP
Cooper's Hawk	1	April 6	E. of Union - (over Iowa River) - (Hardin Co.) - BP
Red-shouldered Hawk	1	March 8, March 22	adult - (W. of Union) - (Hardin Co.) - (seen in area since January 1)
Broad-winged Hawk	1	April 20	Grammer Grove - BP
Swainson's Hawk	1	April 21	W. of Bangor - (Marshall Co.)
Rough-legged Hawk	1	March 25	N. of Whitten - (Hardin Co.)
" " "	1	April 9	Greene Co. - SD
Black-bellied Plover	1	May 11	Hendrickson's Marsh - BP
Lesser Golden Plover	85±	May 4	(along shore) - Hendrickson's - (many sightings of Golden Plover flying by this spring)
American Avocet	1	May 13	N. end of Dunbar Slough - (Greene Co.) - BP, RS
Lesser Yellowlegs	3	March 23	Hendrickson's - BP, PH
Solitary Sandpiper	1	May 4	Hendrickson's
Willet	1	April 24	Dunbar Slough - (Greene Co.) - BP
Willet	11	April 29	Hendrickson's Marsh

Season: Spring Year: 1988Name and address (print or type) Mark Proescholdt

Other observers (name, city):

Box 65(Beth Proescholdt, Liscomb); RamonaLiscomb, Iowa 50148Sommerlot (Union); Carol McMillan, Marshalltown; Steve Dinmore (Ames);

Use first few lines to give weather and habitat conditions. Use line(s) below species data to give additional details, if needed. Mail to: T. H. Kent, 211 Richards St., Iowa City IA 52240 by 1 Mar, 1 Jun, 1 Aug, or 1 Dec.

use initials of obsv. on species line

SPECIES	NO.	DATE	LOCATION - COMMENT - OTHER OBSERVERS
Hudsonian Godwit	3	April 24	McCord Pond - (Guthrie Co.) - BP
" "	3	April 24	Dunbar Slough - (Greene Co.) - BP
" "	19	May 7	Bays Branch - (Guthrie Co.) - BP
" "	17	May 13	Saylorville - (Pond by Hwy #17 Bridge) - BP, RS
" "	80±	May 13	McCord Pond - BP, RS
			(Greatest Numbers of H. Godwits I've ever seen this spring!)
Marbled Godwit	1	April 24	McCord Pond - (flew and showed cinnamon wing linings) - BP
Sanderling	1	May 13	McCord Pond - (winter plumage - very pretty) - BP, RS
Baird's Sandpiper	3	March 30	Big Creek Spillway @ Saylorville
Dunlin	1	May 13	#17 Bridge Pond - Saylorville - BP, RS
" "	2	May 13	Dunbar Slough - BP, RS
Stilt Sandpiper	1	May 13	Dunbar Slough - BP, RS
Short-billed Dowitcher	4	May 4	Hendrickson's Marsh - (Story Co.) - (Spotting on neck and flanks, whitish underneath with some spots, Pinkish coloring.)
" " "	3	May 11	E. of Colo Ponds - (Story Co.) - BP
			(Pinkish-salmon color. Spots on flanks. white under bellies.)
Long-billed Dowitcher	3	April 24	Dunbar Slough - (distinctive barring on flanks and not spots - deep rusty color) - BP
Dowitcher sp.	1	March 30	Hendrickson's - (Basic Plumage) - (Early date should be a Long-billed)
Wilson's Phalarope	4	April 27	Liscomb Lagoon - (Marshall Co.) - BP
" "	8	April 29	Radcliffe Lagoon - (Hardin Co.) - (all ♀s)
Red-Necked Phalarope	1	May 25	Dunbar Slough - (magnificent ♀) - BP, CM
Caspian Tern	7	May 13	Saylorville - Sandpiper Beach - BP, RS
Common Tern	1	May 13	Saylorville - (Sandpiper Beach) - (adult with dark wing tips on top side of wings) - BP, RS
Black Tern	1	May 1	Big Wall - (Wright Co.) - SD
Black-Billed Cuckoo	2	May 15	Grammer Grove - (Marshall Co.) - BP, CM

Season: Spring Year: 1988

Name and address (print or type) Mark Proescholdt
Box 65
Liscomb, Iowa 50148

Other observers (name, city):
Beth Proescholdt, (Liscomb); Ramona

Sommerlot (Union); Jim Sinclair (Indianola)
Bob Cecil (Keokuk); John Cecil (Keokuk);

Use first few lines to give weather and habitat conditions. Use line(s) below species data to give additional details, if needed. Mail to:
 T. H. Kent, 211 Richards St., Iowa City IA 52240
 by 1 Mar, 1 Jun, 1 Aug, or 1 Dec.

use initials of obsv. on species line

SPECIES	NO.	DATE	LOCATION - COMMENT - OTHER OBSERVERS
Yellow-Billed Cuckoo	1	May 25	Grammer Grove Park - (Marshall Co.)
Long-eared Owl	1	March 5	Bays Branch - (Guthrie Co.) - BP
" " "	1	March 23	Grammer Grove
N. Saw-whet Owl	1	March 2	Grammer Grove - BP
" " " "	1	March 9, April 1	Grammer Grove
Ruby-thr. Hummingbird	2	May 28	Liscomb yard - (Marshall Co.) - BP
Yellow-Bellied Sapsucker	1	April 23	Grammer Grove - (Scarce this spring) - BP
Pileated Woodpecker	1	April 1	Grammer Grove - BP
Olive-sided Flycatcher	1	May 13	Ledges S.P. - (Boone Co.) - BP, RS
" " "	1	May 22	Lime Creek Nature trails - Mason city - (Cerro Gordo Co.) - BP, JS, BC, JC
" " "	1-3	May 28	Grammer Grove - (3 sightings in different spots) - BP
Yellow-Bellied Flycatcher	1	May 28	Grammer Grove
Alder Flycatcher	1	May 20	Pine Lake S.P. - (Hardin Co.) - heard "fee-bee-o"
" "	1	May 21	Ventura Marsh - (Cerro Gordo Co.) - ("fee-bee-o") - BP, others
" "	1	May 22	Lime Creek Nature trails - (Mason city) - heard "fee-bee-o"
Eastern Phoebe	1	March 25	Pine Lake S.P.
Western Kingbird	1	May 13	Greene Co. - E. of Goose Lake - BP, RS (Good looks - close - 30 to 40 feet away - grayish head, dark green back, black tail with narrow white edging on each side, perched on a ^{single} wire in a horizontal posture - Nice Surprise!)
Red-breasted Nuthatch	1	May 7	Ledges S.P. - (only one seen this spring) - BP
Winter Wren	1	April 6	Grammer Grove - BP
" "	2	April 16	Grammer Grove - BP
Veery	1	May 4	Grammer Grove - BP, RS
" "	1	May 13	Ledges S.P. - BP, RS

Season: Spring Year: 1988Name and address (print or type) Mark Proescholdt

Other observers (name, city):

Box 65Beth Proescholdt, (Liscomb); SteveLiscomb, Iowa 50148Dinsmore (Ames); Phyllis Harris (Union);Ramona Sommerlot (Union); Beth Brown (Osceola)Jim Sinclair (Indianola)

Use first few lines to give weather and habitat conditions. Use line(s) below species data to give additional details, if needed. Mail to: T. H. Kent, 211 Richards St., Iowa City IA 52240 by 1 Mar, 1 Jun, 1 Aug, or 1 Dec.

use initials of obsv. on species line

SPECIES	NO.	DATE	LOCATION - COMMENT - OTHER OBSERVERS
Swainson's Thrush	4-6	May 8	Grammer Grove Co. Park - (Marshall Co.) - BP
" "	3	May 28	Grammer Grove
			(Good Numbers and Sightings of Swainson's and Gray-checked Thrushes this Spring)
Hermit Thrush	1	April 9	McCord Pond - (Guthrie Co.) - SD
" "	12-15	April 23	Grammer Grove - BP
Loggerhead Shrike	1	March 23	Hendrickson's Marsh - (Story Co.) - BP, PH
Philadelphia Vireo	2	May 13	Ledges S.P. - (Boone Co.) - BP, RS
" "	2	May 22	Lime Creek Nature Trails - (Mason City) - BP, BB, JS, others
Blue-winged Warbler	1	May 7	Ledges S.P. - BP
Golden-winged Warbler	1	May 7	Ledges S.P. - BP
" "	1	May 15	Liscomb yard - (Marshall Co.) - BP
Northern Parula	2	May 14	Grammer Grove - BP, RS
Chestnut-sided Warbler	1	May 7	Ledges S.P. - BP
" "	4	May 14	Grammer Grove - BP, RS
Magnolia Warbler	1	May 7	Ledges S.P. - BP
Cape May Warbler	1	May 8	Grammer Grove - BP
Yellow-rumped Warbler	3	April 9	Ledges S.P. - SD
Black-throated Green Warbler	3-4	May 6	Pine Lake S.P. - (Hardin Co.)
Blackburnian Warbler	1	May 13	Ledges S.P.
" "	1	May 17	Pine Lake S.P.
Yellow-throated Warbler	1	May 7	Ledges S.P. - BP
" "	2	May 13	Ledges S.P. - BP, RS
" "	1	May 27	Pine Lake S.P. - (Singing) - (heard and seen)

(A great surprise! - singing and singing in a Big Tooth Aspen that was 50-60' tall in a row of trees with pine trees)

Season: Spring Year: 1988

Name and address (print or type) Mark Proescholdt

Other observers (name, city):

Box 65

Beth Proescholdt (Liscomb), Beth Brown

Liscomb, Iowa 50148

(Osceola); Jackie Gardner (Clinton); Bob and John Cecil (Keokuk); Jim Sinclair (Indianola); Steve Dinsmore (Ames); Ramona Sommerlot (Union)
 Use first few lines to give weather and habitat conditions. Use line(s) below species data to give additional details, if needed. Mail to: H. Kent, 211 Richards St., Iowa City IA 52240 use initials of obsv. on species line by 1 Mar, 1 Jun, 1 Aug, or 1 Dec.

SPECIES	NO.	DATE	LOCATION - COMMENT - OTHER OBSERVERS
Palm Warbler	5	May 3	Pine Lake S.P. - (Hardin Co.)
Blackpoll Warbler	1	May 3	Pine Lake S.P.
Prothonotary Warbler	1	May 12	Union Grove S.P. - (Tama Co.)
" "	1	May 20	Pine Lake S.P. - along Iowa River
" "	1	May 22	Lime Creek Nature Trails - along Winnebago River - BP, BB, JG, JS BC, JC,
Northern Waterthrush	1	May 3	Grammer Grove - (Marshall Co.)
Louisiana Waterthrush	2	April 9	Ledges S.P. - (Boone Co.) - SD
Kentucky Warbler	2-3	May 11	Ledges S.P. - BP
Mourning Warbler	2	May 13	Ledges S.P. - BP, RS
" "	4+	May 15	all ♂s - Grammer Grove - BP
" "	1	May 18	Liscomb yard - (Marshall Co.) - BP
Wilson's Warbler	1	May 10	Pine Lake S.P.
Canada Warbler	3	May 14	Grammer Grove - BP, RS
" "	1	May 25	Grammer Grove
			(Some Good Warbling this Spring - nice bunches of warblers)
Summer Tanager	1	May 22	Lime Creek Nature Trails - (Mason City) - (Cerro Gordo Co.) - BP, BB, BC, JC, JS, JG
			(adult ♂ - very close - 20 to 30' away - watched for 5 minutes or so - dark red all over, no black on wings, bill light-colored, no crest on head, no doubt as to its identity - nice surprise!)
Clay-colored Sparrow	1	May 13	Ledges S.P. - BP, RS
" " "	1	May 13	Lakin Slough - (Guthrie Co.) - BP, RS
Lark Sparrow	1	May 4	Liscomb Lagoon - (Marshall Co.) - BP
Henslow's Sparrow	2	May 22	Lime Creek Nature center - (Mason City) - BC, JC, BP, JS, BB, JG
			(Bob Cecil first heard one "se-lick" at the parking lot - one singing all morning and early afternoon - great views - another one seen, too many observers)

