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Dear Bob:

I was able to do very little birding this spring. The main portion was done on two big days with Tom Kent and Francis Moore on 13, 16, May. I am not reporting anything from those days, because it would be a duplicate of theirs. I hope they will be nice enough to list me as another observer on their reports of those days.

What I can do is give you the enclosed documentation for the Curlew Sand-piper we found on 13 May. I can take credit for this because I was the one who was lucky enough to spot it first. I have also sent a copy of the doc form to Tom for Records Committee use and he and I are also going to work on an article about this record and also some research on Curlew Sandpiper records in the Midwest.

Good luck with the spring report. I know you will do your usual good job.

Regards,

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