

SPECIAL SIGHTING REPORT. 30 May
I June
Observer: Mark A. Dietzenbach
Address: RR #1 Box 72
Fort Atkinson IA 52144

Species: Bell's Vireo
County: Fayette Block: just outside
block I55
Exact Location: Sec. 27 east Auburn twp.
6 miles southeast of St Lucas
One mile west of Douglas.

Habitat: Brushy thickets
Breeding Evidence: Pair observed and
heard in same loction on two occasions
Notes: Search for the nest has so far
been unproductive. Its still early.

Bird has wing bars. Song: cheedle cheedle
-chee? cheedle cheedle chee! First
rising and then downward inflection.

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Species: Swainson's Hawk
County: Fayette Block: I55 Auburn Tw
Exact Location: Section 20 northwest
Two miles south of St Lucas.
pasture west side of WI4 blacktop

Habitat: 80 acer prairie pasture
Mixed farmland, a few scattered trees.
Breeding Evidence: Observed in suitable
nesting habitat on two occasion more
than a week apart during breeding season
Notes: Both times bird was observed in
flight and on ground or fencepost.

Most distinguishing feature: light
wing linings, and dark flight feathers.

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8 June
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Species: Upland Sandpiper
County: Fayette Block: I55 Auburn
Exact Location: Sec. 20 northwest
Two miles south of St Lucas.
Pasture on west side of WI4 blacktop

Habitat: Extensive pasture, mixed
farmland
Breeding Evidence: Pair observed
in suitable nesting habitat during
breeding season on two occasions
a week apart.

Notes: Attempts to find nest unsuccessul
thus far.
Birds have been seen and heard
flying and at close range while
feeding on ground.

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Species: Coopers Hawk
County: Fayette Block: I55 Auburn
Exact Location: First sighting;
SEC. 33 east. Second sighting; Sec.
33 west. Five miles south St Lucas.

Habitat: Timber, broken timber
mixed farmland
Breeding Evidence: Seen in suitable
nesting habitat on two occasions,
during breeding season.
Notes: One flushed from roost the
other obseved in flight.