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Iowa Birds - Summer 1992

Western Grebe - 1 -6/28-7/5- IPL pond, Pottawattamie

Dbl.-crested Cormorant - 1 -7/8-9- IPL pond

Am. White Pelican - 50 -6/6- flying over Lake Manawa 130 -7/31- flying over Lake Manawa

Snow Goose - 6 -June & July - IPL pond

Gadwall - 2 -all of June - IPL pond

Ring-necked Duck - 2 males, 1 female - June & July - IPL

Lesser Scaup - 2 males - June - 7/11 - IPL

Com. Merganser - 1 female - 7/17 & 7/25 - Lake Manawa

Peregrine Falcon - 1 male - 7/4 - IPL (presumably from the Woodmen Tower in Omaha)

Semi-palm. Plover - 6 -7/31- IPL

Piping Plover - 2 pairs nesting - 1 flooded out after heavy rains; 1 nest abandoned after 7/19 - no young produced.

Ruddy Turnstone - 1 -6/6- IPL

Upland Sandpiper - 2 -6/21- Fremont, Highway 2

Greater Yellowlegs - 2 -7/9- IPL

Pectoral Sandpiper - 4 -7/31- IPL

White-rumped Sandpiper - 1 -6//2- IPL

Least Sandpiper - 1 -6/24- IPL

Semi-palmated Sandpiper - 15 -6/2- IPL; 9 -7/31- IPL

Long-billed Dowitcher - 1 -7/25- IPL

Stilt Sandpiper - 1 -7/25 & 7/31- IPL

Buff-breasted Sandpiper - 4 -7/31- IPL

Ring-billed Gull - 5 -7/4- IPL; 4 -7/9- IPL; 2 adult, 2 immature -7/25- Lake Manawa; 5 -7/31- Lake Manawa

Franklin's Gull - 3 -7/3- IPL; 2 -7/31- Lake Manawa

Caspian Tern - 3 -6/12- IPL; 4 -6/24- IPL; 4 -7/5- IPL; 1 -7/9- IPL

Forster's Tern - 4 -7/12-7/31- Lake Manawa

Least Tern - 4 -6/12- IPL; only 1 pair nested, even though there were as many as 9 birds seen there on one occasion. At least one chick was seen at the nest site on 7/7. Two days after hatching, the young could not be found, & the adults were not seen after 7/13.

Black Tern - 3 -7/5- Lake Manawa; 17 -7/11- IPL

Willow Flycatcher - 1 -6/28- Lake Manawa

Western Kingbird - 1 -7/26- Crescent, Pottawattamie

Tree Swallow - approx. 100 -7/9- IPL

Carolina Wren - 1 -7/26- Camp Pokeamoke, Pottawattamie- LP 1 -7/26- Hitchcock Nature Park, Pottawattamie

Cedar Waxwing - 2 -7/26- Crescent Ski Hills, Pottawattamie

Loggerhead Shrike - 2 -6/6, 6/13, 6/28, 7/25- south of Manawa (most times only 1 bird was seen)

Bell's Vireo - 3 singing - 6/6 - Lake Manawa; 3 singing - 7/12- Lake Manawa; 2 singing -7/31- Lake Manawa

Kentucky Warbler - 1 singing -7/26- Camp Pokeamoke - LP

Blue Grosbeak - 2 males singing -7/8- IPL; 1 -7/25- IPL

House Finch - 1 male singing -7/12- Manawa golf course