

Otters - Brian Covey Bleedus Fall, 1994 ± our report - Peter C. Petersen, 235 McClellan Blvd. Dan J 5293
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Species	No.	Date	Location	Notes
Horned Grebe	2	9-5	Storm Lake	early with BB, CB, KMck
Great Egret	2	11-3	Credit Island, Dav	late
Least Bittern	1	8-7	Hottel's Lake	with BB, CB, KMck.
Tundra Swan	26	10-26	20 mi. N. of Dubuque ^{on Miss. R.}	abit early
Osprey	1	8-11	4 mi. S. Bellevue ^{on Miss. R.}	" " "
Merlin	3	9-2	N. of Sabula ^{on Miss. R.}	+ K. McK
Sandhill Crane	7	9-15	Goose Lake	regular all summer - last obs.
L. Golden Plover	23	8-31	7 Cities Sod - NW Dav	good Fall conc.
" " "	5	9-5	n. of Sac City	+ BB, CB, + KMck.
" " "	25	9-7	7 Cities Sod NW Dav	good Fall conc. still present
Am. Avocet	1	9-5	Blackhawk Lake, Sac Co.	+ BB, CB, KMck, mob.
Spotted Sandpiper	1	10-30	Roberts Creek ^{Marion Co.}	very late + MLP <small>range 150m, 40x scope wing stripe, knobbed on shore, short bill, shallow, rapid wing beats</small>
Sanderling	4	9-5	Blackhawk Lake	+ BB, CB, KMck
Upland Sandpiper	15	8-17	7 Cities Sod - NW Dav	peak
Upland Sandpiper	3	8-31	" " " "	last obs.
Baird's Sandpiper	2	9-5	N. of Sac City	+ BB, CB, KMck. <small>scaly back, dark legs, larger than Least</small>
Short-billed Dowitcher	2	10-29	Roberts Creek ^{Marion Co.}	+ MLP. <small>within 25m. 40x scope almost no barring outside the tu tu tu call, heard twice - these birds stayed away from lake.</small>
Long-billed Dowitcher	16	10-29	" " "	+ MLP - mob.
" " "	40±	10-30	" " "	mob.
Black-necked stilt	2	9-5	Storm Lake	+ BB, CB. - seedoc.
Long-tailed Jaeger	1	9-5	Blackhawk Lake	+ BB, CB, K. McK. mob. seedoc.
Sabine's Gull	1	9-5	" "	+ BB, CB, K. McK. - mob.
Common Black-headed Gull	2	8-7	Sunken's & Hottel's Lakes, Dickinson Co.	+ BB, CB, KMck. mob. - seedoc.
Carolina Wren	1 or 2	who period	home	+ MLP.
Canada Warbler	1	8-19	"	
Snow Bunting	3	10-26	20 mi. N. of Dubuque	- abit early
Bobolink	2	9-5	near Sac City	a bit late - + BB, CB, KMck.
Fulvous Whistling Duck	1	9-8	Goose Lake	Don Moeller - last obs.
Peregrine Falcon	1	11-10	near Lock 14	MLP.
Chukar	6	4 year period	N. W. Dav.	seen, were 2 ad + 7 y, 9 killed 9-14 residents, still 5 y + 7 late upland