

Padelford  
Iowa

November 30, 1972

Mr. Klew,

I have a few Iowa sightings  
that you may be interested in.

My husband & I saw the following:

Sept. 21 - Lake Manawa - Gr. Blue Heron - 1

Sept. 21 - Beyland Pond, C.B. - " - 1

Comm. Snipe - 1

Less yellow. - 1

Oct. 15 - Folsom Lake (<sup>10 mi.</sup> so. of C.B.) Comm. Loons - 2

Nov. 11 - DE SOTO W.R. Bonaparte's gulls - 4

Dbl Cr. Cormorant - 1

Hooded Merganser - 1

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On Oct. 23, Mrs. Carolyn Kiper sighted 4  
Red throated loons in winter plumage on  
lake Manawa. She studied them for over an  
hr. sometimes at very close range with a  
15-60 power zoom scope.

In mid. Sept. Mrs. Janet Greer sighted  
between 2,000 & 3,000 Franklin's gulls  
at Lake Manawa.