

30	Munlin	100 est	SA
31	Short billed Howitzer	3	SA
32	Semi palmated Sand piper	750 est	SA
33	Western Sand piper	1	SA
34	Hudsonian Godwit	8	SA
35	American Avocet	1	SA
36	Red Phalarope	1	SA
37	Rock Dove	3	X
38	Mourning Dove	30	AR-near HC-SA
39	Screed Owl	1	River Road
40	Chuck wills Widow	1	River Road
41	Whip poor will	15	River Road
42	Night hawk	1	SA
43	Chimney Swift	30	X - o - SA
44	Common Flicker	3	SA
45	Red bellied Wood pecker	1	AR
46	Red headed Wood pecker	8	AR-SA
47	Downy Wood pecker	2	X - SA
48	Eastern Kingbird	10	AR-SA
49	Eastern Phoebe	1	SA
50	Bank Swallow	150	SA
51	Barn Swallow	50	o-AR-near HC-SA
52	Purple Martin	2	AR
53	Blue Jay	2	X - SA
54	Common Crow	3	AR-SA
55	Tufted Titmouse	1	bvd

56	House Wren	3	X - SQ
57	Long billed Marsh Wren	3	SQ
58	Catbird	6	SQ
59	Brown Thrasher	9	X - SQ
60	Robin	25	X - o - AR - SQ
61	Eastern Bluebird	1	AR
62	Starling	50	X - o - AR - SQ
63	Bells Vireo	8	SQ
64	Warbling Vireo	1	SQ
65	yellow Warbler	12	SQ
66	Common yellowthroat	4	SQ
67	House Sparrow	25	X - o - AR - SQ
68	Eastern Meadowlark	7	o - AR
69	yellow-headed Blackbird	20	SQ
70	Red-winged Blackbird	150	SQ
71	Orchard Oriole	20	SQ
72	Northern Oriole	4	bvd - SQ
73	Common Grackle	150	o - X - AR - SQ
74	Brown headed Cowbird	20	AR - SQ
75	Cardinal	7	X - SQ
76	Rose breasted Grosbeak	2	bvd - SQ
77	Indigo Bunting	20	o - bvd - SQ
78	Hickissel	35	o - SQ - AR
79	Pine Siskin	5	X
80	Song Sparrow	4	SQ

Today was clear + nice most all day + cloudy + chilly

early a.m. + late P.M. Temperatures today were low 44° high 71°. After work this afternoon Joel Lawhon and I headed for Squaw Creek. We left home at 4:10 P.M. + Arrived there at 5 P.M. We brooded there until 8:30 P.M. with Mark Robbins and Drew Thate for a short time. It is the first time I have seen Mark since he came home from school. Now besides long hair he has a beard. The Red Phalarope this evening we saw at about 25 feet both walking and flying. We watched it for about 20 minutes. It is just beginning to get a little color on its breast and sides. During this past week at the refuge Mark had seen 143 Hudsonian Godwits, 5 Marbled Godwits, 10 Northern Phalarope, one other Red Phalarope, 94 plus Dunlin, one Whimbrel, one buff breasted sandpiper, 31 Ruddy Turnstones, 32 Sanderling, golden plover, Avocet, 3 Wh. faced Ibis and 22 Little Blues.

Wednesday May 26, 1976

1 Bob White	2	0
2 Rock Dove	3	X
3 Mourning Dove	2	0 - X
4 Chimney Swift	12	X
5 Red-headed Woodpecker	1	X
6 Hairy Woodpecker	1	X
7 Downy Woodpecker	1	X

25. Nighthawk	1	X
8 Eastern Kingbird	1	0
9 Barn Swallow	2	0
10 Purple Martin	2	near KP
11 Blue Jay	1	bvd
12 Common Crow	2	X - bvd
13 Black Capped Chickadee	1	X
14 House Wren	2	bvd - X
15 Brown Thrasher	1	X
16 Robin	6	bvd - X
17 Starling	12	0 - X
18 House Sparrow	5	0 - X
19 Eastern Meadowlark	2	0
20 Common Grackle	15	X - bvd - 0
21 Cardinal	1	X
22 Indigo Bunting	2	bvd
23 Chickadee	3	0
24 Pine Siskin	8	X

Today was clear & nice. The temperatures were low about 51° high about 70°.

Thursday May 27, 1976

1 Turkey Vulture	2	0
2 Bob White	5	0
3 Killdeer	1	0
4 Rock Dove	7	X - 0
5 Mourning Dove	13	X - 0

6	Night hawk	1		0
7	Chimney Swift	10	X -	0
8	Common Flicker	1		0
9	Red headed Wood pecker	10		0
10	Hairy Wood pecker	1		0
11	Downy Wood pecker	3	X -	0
12	Eastern Kingbird	12		0
13	Great Crested Flycatcher	1		0
14	Barn Swallow	12		0
15	Purple Martin	4	KP -	0
16	Blue Jay	4	bvd -	0
17	Black capped Chickadee	1		X
18	Tufted Titmouse	2	bvd -	X
19	House Wren	3	o -	X
20	Carolina Wren	1		0
21	Mockingbird	2		0
22	Catbird	1		0
23	Brown Thrasher	3	X -	0
24	Robin	18	X - bvd -	0
25	Loggerhead Shrike	9		0
26	Starling	50	X - bvd -	0
27	Warbling Vireo	1		0
28	Parula Warbler	1		bvd
29	Yellowthroat	1		0
30	House Sparrow	20	X - bvd -	0
31	Eastern Meadowlark	12		0

32	Western Meadowlark	3	0
33	Redwing Blackbird	6	0
34	Northern Oriole	1	0
35	Common Grackle	75	X - bvd - 0
36	Brown headed Cowbird	20	0
37	Cardinal	3	X - bvd
38	Rose breasted Grosbeak	2	bvd - 0
39	Indigo Bunting	2	0
40	Mockingbird	60	0
41	Pine Siskin	8	X
42	Grasshopper Sparrow	3	0
43	Field Sparrow	1	0
44	Song Sparrow	1	0

Today was clear and warm. The temperatures were low 53° high 77°. This was our evening to drive to Helena, Mo. I had a call this evening from Mrs. J. M. (Jean) Braley of Shenandoah, Mo. There is a large group from Arizona who wants to come to Squaw Creek for a field trip. She wants to use some of my records to show them what might be available at that time. She also wants me to help entertain them while they are here.

Friday, May 28, 1976

1	Bob White	2	0 ~~XXXX~~
2	Rock Dove	5	X - 0

3 Mourning Dove	5	X - 0
4 Night Hawk	3	d.t. X
5 Chimney Swift	15	X
6 Downy Woodpecker	2	X
7 Eastern Wood Pewee	1	bvd
8 Barn Swallow	5	X - 0
9 Purple Martin	4	X - KP
10 Blue Jay	1	X
11 Common Crow	2	X
12 Tufted Titmouse	1	X
13 House Wren	2	bvd - X
14 Carolina Wren	1	X
15 Catbird	1	X
16 Brown Thrasher	2	X
17 Robin	8	0 - X
18 Starling	15	0 - X
19 House Sparrow	10	0 - X
20 Eastern Meadowlark	2	0
21 Common Grackle	26	X - 0
22 Brown headed Cowbird	2	0
23 Cardinal	3	X
24 Rose breasted Grosbeak	1	bvd
25 Indigo Bunting	2	0 - X
26 Dickcissel	3	0
27 Pine Siskin	6	X
28 Field Sparrow	1	0

Today was clear and real warm after a cool A.M.
The temperatures were low 51° high 83°

Saturday, May 29, 1976

1	Mourning Dove	1	X
2	Night hawk	2	X
3	Chimney Swift	12	X
4	Downy Woodpecker	1	X
5	Common Crow	1	X
6	Black Capped Chickadee	1	X
7	House Wren	2	X
8	Brown Thrasher	1	X
9	Robin	6	X
10	Carolina Wren	1	bvd
11	Starling	12	o - X
12	House Sparrow	10	o - X
13	Eastern Meadowlark	2	o
14	Common Grackle	15	o - X
15	Brown headed Cowbird	1	o
16	Cardinal	3	X
17	Catbird	1	X
18	Indigo Bunting	1	bvd
19	Mocker	3	o
20	Pine Siskin	6	X

Today was cloudy & rainy most of the day. Temperatures were low 64° high 79°. I worked until noon today

with Art LeFever, I stayed home all afternoon

Sunday, May 30, 1976

1	Bob White	2	0
2	Killdeer	1	0
3	Rock Dove	3	X - 0
4	Mourning Dove	20	X - 0 - B.B.S.
5	Night Hawk	2	X
6	Chimney Swift	11	X - 0
7	Red Headed Woodpecker	2	BBS
8	Downy Woodpecker	2	0 - X
9	Eastern Kingbird	15	0 - BBS
10	Great Crested Flycatcher	1	BBS
11	Eastern Phoebe	1	0
12	Eastern Wood Pewee	2	bvd - BBS
13	Horned Lark	3	0 - BBS
14	Barn Swallow	15	0 - BBS
15	Purple Martin	2	X
16	Blue Jay	4	0
17	Common Crow	1	bvd
18	Black capped Chickadee	2	X - 0
19	Tufted Titmouse	1	bvd
20	House Wren	4	X - bvd
21	Mockingbird	2	BBS
22	Brown Thrasher	6	X - BBS
23	Robin	18	X - 0 - BBS

24	Loggerhead Shrike	1	BBS
25	Starling	50	o - X - BBS
26	Parula Warbler	1	bvd
27	House Sparrow	25	o - X - BBS
28	Eastern Meadowlark	10	o - BBS
29	Redwinged Blackbird	12	BBS
30	Northern Oriole	1	BBS
31	Common Grackle	75	o - X - BBS
32	Brown headed Cowbird	4	o ~~1~~ - BBS
33	Cardinal	4	X - o
34	Indigo Bunting	5	o - BBS
35	Dickcissel	30	o - BBS
36	Pine Siskin	6	X
37	American Goldfinch	2	o
38	Chipping Sparrow	2	Mt. Olivet Cemetery
39	Field Sparrow	1	o

Today was cloudy all day with only a light shower near noon southeast of town. Pearl & I made our tour of the cemeteries today putting flowers on ten graves. My grandfather & grandmother Adam & Mally Cook at the Trazier Cemetery in Trazier, Mo., My mom & dad Eugene J. and Robbie M. Lawhon in Mt Auburn Cemetery, Tillie Joderle in Mt Auburn, my brothers Cecil E. Lawhon and Ival V. Lawhon in Memorial Park Cemetery and my brother Walter Lee in Mt Olivet. We stayed home the rest of the day. Temperature low 63° high 71°

Monday, May 31, 1976

1	Pied billed Grebe	2 (heard)	SW
2	Double crested Cormorants	1	SW
3	Great Blue Heron	3	SW
4	Yellow crowned Night Heron	1	SW
5	Least Bittern	4	LC - SW
6	Canada Goose	1	SW
7	Mallard	15	LC - SW
8	Gadwall	4	SW
9	Green winged Teal	3	SW
10	Blue winged Teal	18	SW
11	Shoveller	5	SW
12	Wood Duck	3	AR - SW
13	Lesser Scaup	1	SW
14	Turkey Vulture	4	AR
15	Red Tailed Hawk	1	SW
16	Bob White	20	LC-AR-SW
17	Ring necked Pheasant	8	LC - SW
18	American Coot	150	SW
19	Killdeer	10	LC - SW
20	Spotted Sandpiper	1	SW
21	White rumped Sandpiper	50	SW
22	Punlin	1	SW
23	Semipalmated Sandpiper	30	SW
24	Rock Dove	8	AR - d. L.
25	Mourning Dove	35	everywhere
26	Yellow Billed Cuckoo	1	X

27	Night hawk	2	X - SQ
28	Chimney Swift	15	X - LC - SQ
29	Common Flicker	3	LC - SQ
30	Red bellied Woodpecker	1	LC
31	Red headed Woodpecker	3	LC - SQ
32	Hairy Woodpecker	1	X
33	Downy Woodpecker	3	X - SQ
34	Eastern Kingbird	30	LC - AR - SQ
35	Western Kingbird	1	near SQ
36	Heat Crested Flycatcher	2	LC - AR
37	Eastern Wood Pewee	2	LC - AR
38	Olive sided Flycatcher	1	AR
39	Horned Lark	3	LC
40	Bank Swallow	150	SQ
41	Barn Swallow	60	LC - AR - SQ
42	Purple Martin	12	X - LC
43	Blue Jay	3	X - AR
44	Common Crow	2	SQ
45	Black capped Chickadee	2	X - SQ
46	Tufted Titmouse	2	X - bvd
47	House Wren	4	X - AR
48	Long billed Marsh Wren	3	SQ
49	Mockingbird	1	near SQ
50	Catbird	5	SQ
51	Brown Thrasher	8	X - LC - AR - SQ
52	Robin	25	X - LC - AR - SQ

53 Eastern Bluebird	2	LC-AR
54 Cedar Waxwing	20	X-SG
55 Loggerhead Shrike	5	LC-AR
56 Starling	75	everywhere
57 Bell's Vireo	4	SG
58 Warbling Vireo	6	LC-SG
59 Yellow Warbler	10	SG
60 Common yellowthroat	3	SG
61 House Sparrow	25	everywhere
62 Eastern Meadowlark	20	LC-AR.
63 yellow headed Blackbird	12	LC-SG
64 Red winged Blackbird	50	LC-SG
65 Northern Oriole	8	LC-SG
66 Orchard Oriole	12	SG
67 Common Grackle	150	everywhere
68 Brown headed Cowbird	35	LC-AR
69 Cardinal	10	X-LC-SG
70 Rose breasted Grosbeak	1	SG
71 Blue Grosbeak	1	AR
72 Indigo Bunting	20	LC-AR-SG
73 Chickadee	40	LC-AR-SG
74 Pine Siskin	7	X
75 American Goldfinch	6	LC-SG
76 Grasshopper Sparrow	3	LC-AR
77 Lark Sparrow	3	AR
78 Chipping Sparrow	2	X - near KP

79	Song Sparrow	5	SL2
80	Black Tern	15	SL2

Today was mostly clear and nice, a bit warm this afternoon. Temperatures were low 52° high 79°. I got up this morning at 7am. Pearl + I took a drive down around Lake Contrary this morning and then the upper road between the St Joseph Country Club and Amazonia. This ^{afternoon} at 3 PM we left for Squaw Creek, we got back home at 7:30 PM. We saw Si + Mongu Rositzky at the Refuge. Si + Mongu had just got back home from back east where Si was awarded the Silver Buffalo for his work with the Boy Scouts of America. One mile east of Squaw Creek a road is cut through some loess bluff hills. This has left some perpendicular cuts in which a colony of about 200 or so Bank Swallows have built their homes. On driving through there this afternoon Pearl + I noticed a bull snake about half way into one of the holes. The hole apparently wasn't long enough for the snake to go completely in. I kept poking at it with a stick to get it out. It was directly over my head and I was afraid that it might fall on me. Instead as it came out it made it to another hole where it completely disappeared. The Muskrats seemed to be especially busy today.

Tuesday, June 1, 1976

1	Rock Dove	12	0 - X
2	Mourning Dove	3	X
3	Chimney Swift	10	X
4	Eastern Kingbird	1	0
5	Eastern Wood Pewee	1	bvd
6	Purple Martin	1	X
7	Common Crow	1	X
8	Black capped Chickadee	2	bvd - X
9	House Wren	3	bvd - X
10	Carolina Wren	1	bvd
11	Brown Thrasher	1	X
12	Robin	10	0 - bvd - X
13	Starling	10	0 - X
14	House Sparrow	4	0 - X
15	Eastern Meadowlark	2	0
16	Northern Oriole	1	X
17	Common Grackle	18	0 - X
18	Brown headed Cowbird	3	0
19	Cardinal	2	0 - X
20	Indigo Bunting	1	X
21	Chickadee	2	0
22	Pine Siskin	7	X

Today was clear and warm. The temperatures were low 55° high 82°. It is my thistle feeder here at home that is keeping the Pine Siskins here. I am keeping it filled as an experiment just to see how long they will stay.

Wednesday, June 2, 1976

1	Turkey Vulture	1	o.h. X
2	American Kestrel	1	o
3	Rock Dove	6	o - X
4	Mourning Dove	4	X
5	Night Hawk	2	X
6	Chimney Swift	16	X
7	Downy woodpecker	1	X
8	Purple Martin	2	X
9	Blue Jay	2	X
10	Black Capped Chickadee	1	X
11	House Wren	2	X
12	Carolina Wren	1	bvd
13	Brown Thrasher	1	X
14	Robin	10	o - X
15	Cedar Waxwing	2	X
16	Starling	20	o - X
17	House Sparrow	10	o - X
18	Eastern Meadowlark	1	o
19	Redwinged Blackbird	1	X
20	Northern Oriole	1	X
21	Common Grackle	20	o - X
22	Cardinal	2	X
23	Indigo Bunting	1	bvd
24	Pickus	2	o
25	Pine Siskin	6	X
26	Chipping Sparrow	1	X

Today was clear and warm. The temperatures were low about 59° high about 86°.

Thursday, June 3, 1976

1 Mississippi Kite	1	a.h. X
2 (Buteo) probably a Redtail	1	o
3 Bob White	6	o
4 Killdeer	2	o
5 Rock Dove	10	X - o
6 Mourning Dove	15	X - o
7 Night Hawk	2	X
8 Chimney Swift	16	X
9 Common Flicker	2	o
10 Red headed woodpecker	4	o
11 Hairy Woodpecker	1	X
12 Downy Woodpecker	2	bvd X
13 Eastern Kingbird	6	o
14 Horned Lark	2	o
15 Barn Swallow	20	o
16 Purple Martin	3	X - o
17 Blue Jay	1	X
18 Common Crow	1	bvd
19 Black capped Chickadee	1	X
20 House Wren	3	bvd - X
21 Mockingbird	2	o
22 Brown Thrasher	5	X - o

23	Robin	15	X - 0
24	Loggerhead Shrike	4	0
25	Starling	25	X - 0
26	Warbling Vireo	1	0
27	House Sparrow	25	X - 0
28	Eastern Meadowlark	15	0
29	Western Meadowlark	4	0
30	Red winged Blackbird	5	0
31	Northern Oriole	1	X
32	Common Grackle	60	X - 0
33	Brown headed Cowbird	20	0
34	Cardinal	5	X - 0
35	Indigo Bunting	4	0
36	lickcissel	30	0
37	Pine Siskin	5	X
38	American Goldfinch	2	0
39	Chipping Sparrow	2	X - 0
40	Field Sparrow	1	0
41	Grasshopper Sparrow	2	0

Today was clear and warm. The temperatures were low about 58° high about 80°. We drove to Helena, Mo. this evening after work. After supper at about 7:30 PM I was sitting out in back of the house in the shade while Pearl + Lois went to the shopping center. I always take my binoculars with me when I go out side for any length of time. I was half

way laying down in a lawn chair when this bird came in sight flying overhead from west to east. It was fairly high but before I even looked at it through my binoculars I could see that it was a hawk. With the square cut end of the black tail my first thought was that it was a sharp shinned hawk but then I realized that it was too big a bird. The wings were too long and they were pointed. The tail was black, the wing linings were rather dark and the body was light, not white but more light gray looking. From the time the bird came in sight until it went out of sight it never did beat a wing but sailed on outstretched wings. Even when a black bird flew after it the bird sort of side slipped but still did not beat a wing. When the bird was about half way across the open space in which I was watching I finally realized that I was looking at a Mississippi Kite. It was not the pearly gray of an adult bird but looked more like I imagine a last year's bird would look. I have seen probably only about 12 to 15 Miss. Kites but this bird definitely was one. Last year Dave Easterla & Mark Robbins saw one & possibly two near Trenton, Mo. on a Breeding Bird Survey. John Hamilton has reported one a time or two several years ago near his home.

Friday, June 4, 1976

1	Bob White	1	bvd
2	Rock Dove	3	X
3	Mourning Dove	4	X
4	Nighthawk	3	X
5	Chimney Swift	20	X
6	Downy Woodpecker	1	X
7	Great Crested Flycatcher	1	X
8	Wood Pewee	1	bvd
9	Purple Martin	2	X
10	Blue Jay	1	bvd
11	Black Capped Chickadee	1	X
12	Tufted Titmouse	1	X
13	House Wren	3	bvd - X
14	Brown Thrasher	1	X
15	Robin	10	o - X
16	Starling	15	o - X
17	House Sparrow	7	o - X
18	Eastern Meadowlark	2	o
19	Common Grackle	15	o - X
20	Cardinal	3	X
21	Indigo Bunting	1	bvd
22	Nickel	1	o
23	Pine Siskin	7	X
24	Chipping Sparrow	2	X

Today was clear & warm. The temperatures were low about 56° high about 87°.

Saturday June 5, 1976

1	Bob White	6	BBS
2	Killdeer	2	near BBS
3	Upland Sandpiper	1	BBS
4	Rock Dove	4	X - 0
5	Mourning Dove	35	0 - BBS
6	Night hawk	3	X
7	Chimney Swift	20	X - BBS
8	Common Flicker	1	BBS
9	Red headed Woodpecker	15	BBS
10	Downy Woodpecker	1	X
11	Eastern Kingbird	12	BBS
12	Great Crested Flycatcher	1	BBS
13	Horned Lark	5	BBS
14	Rough winged Swallow	2	brd
15	Barn Swallow	25	BBS
16	Purple Martin	4	X
17	Blue Jay	1	BBS
18	Common Crow	3	X - BBS
19	Black capped Chickadee	2	X - BBS
20	Tufted Titmouse	1	BBS
21	House Wren	4	X - BBS
22	Mocking bird	4	BBS
23	Catbird	3	X - BBS
24	Brown Thrasher	4	X - BBS
25	Robin	18	0 - X - BBS
26	Eastern Bluebird	3	BBS

27	Loggerhead Shrike	8	BBS
28	Starling	25	o-x-BBS
29	Warbling Vireo	2	BBS
30	Common Yellowthroat	1	BBS
31	House Sparrow	20	o-x-BBS
32	Bobolink	3	BBS
33	Eastern Meadowlark	12	X-BBS
34	Western Meadowlark	14	BBS
35	Redwinged Blackbird	16	BBS
36	Northern Oriole	1	BBS
37	Common Grackle	38	X-o-BBS
38	Brown headed Cowbird	10	BBS
39	Cardinal	7	X-BBS
40	Rose breasted Grosbeak	1	BBS
41	Indigo Bunting	3	X-BBS
42	Blackissel	75	o ~~z~~ - BBS
43	Grasshopper Sparrow	5	BBS
44	Lark Sparrow	6	BBS
45	Pine Siskin	5	X
46	Chipping Sparrow	2	X
47	Field Sparrow	3	BBS

Today was partly cloudy & warm. The temperatures were low 64° high 85°. Todd Schroff & I worked today until noon. This afternoon Pearl & I made a preliminary run on our Breeding Bird Survey. I am afraid that it may rain but if it doesn't then I plan on making the official run tomorrow. This afternoon

~~next~~ When I went out into the yard to feed ^{put} in the thistle seeds for the siskins there were two siskins on the feeder. When I came to within about three feet of it one of the birds flew. The other one stayed and even let me rub my finger over its wing before it flew.

Sunday, June 6, 1976

1	American Kestrel	- 1	near BBS
2	Bob White	64 - 100	BBS
3	Killdeer	1 - 2	BBS
4	Upland Sand piper	9 - 9	BBS
5	Rock Dove	- 2	X - 0
6	Mourning Dove	39 - 60	X - 0 - BBS
7	Yellow billed Cuckoo	5 - 5	BBS
8	Great horned Owl	1 - 1	BBS
9	Night Hawk	- 2	X
10	Chimney Swift	3 - 18	X - BBS
11	Ruby throated Hummingbird	- 1	X
12	Common Flicker	5 - 5	BBS
13	Red bellied Woodpecker	- 2	BBS
14	Red headed Woodpecker	10 - 25	BBS
15	Downy Woodpecker	3 - 5	X - BBS
16	Eastern Kingbird	10 - 25	BBS
17	Great crested Flycatcher	6 - 6	BBS
18	Eastern Phoebe	1 - 1	BBS
19	Eastern Wood Pewee	5 - 6	BBS

20	Horned Lark	5	- 12	BBS
21	Barn Swallow	19	- 30	0 - BBS
22	Purple Martin		- 1	0
23	Blue Jay	7	- 12	X - BBS
24	Common Crow	13	- 13	BBS
25	Black capped Chickadee	10	- 12	X - BBS
26	Tufted Titmouse	5	- 5	BBS
27	House Wren	14	- 20	X - BBS
28	Carolina Wren		- 1	X
29	Mockingbird	8	- 20	BBS
30	Catbird	4	- 6	X - BBS
31	Brown Thrasher	13	- 20	X - BBS
32	Robin	32X	- 50	0 - X - BBS
33	Wood Thrasher	2	- 2	BBS
34	Eastern Bluebird	2	- 8	BBS
35	Loggerhead Shrike	2	- 20	BBS
36	Starling	40	- 125	X - 0 - BBS
37	Warbling Vireo	1	- 1	BBS
38	Northern Yellowthroat	9	- 10	BBS
39	House Sparrow	48	- 75	X - BBS
40	Bobolink	5	- 5	BBS
41	Eastern Meadowlark	52	- 75	0 - BBS
42	Western Meadowlark	31	- 50	BBS
43	Redwinged Blackbird	143	- 200	BBS
44	Orchard Oriole		- 1	BBS
45	Northern Oriole	4	- 8	BBS

46	Common Grackle	115	- 175	X - 0 - BBS
47	Brown headed Cowbird	24	- 50	0 - BBS
48	Cardinal	36	- 45	X - BBS
49	Rose breasted Grosbeak	8	- 10	BBS
50	Blue Grosbeak	1	- 1	BBS
51	Indigo Bunting	18	- 25	X - BBS
52	Dickcissel	108	- 175	0 - BBS
53	Pine Siskin		- 3	X
54	American Goldfinch	7	- 10	BBS
55	Rufous sided Towhee	1	- 1	BBS
56	Grasshopper Sparrow	17	- 25	0 - BBS
57	Chipping Sparrow		- 3	0 - X
58	Field Sparrow	15	- 20	BBS

Birds listed in Red were officially counted on the Breeding Bird Survey count. Birds listed in Black are the total birds for the day. Temperatures today were low 55° high 81°. The day was clear & warm. Pearl & I got up at 4 A.M. We ate a light breakfast and then at 4:50 a.m. we headed for Troyer, Mo. where we began our Breeding Bird Survey. We made it by 9:15 a.m. and was back home at 10:30 a.m. Except for a trip back to the wholesale this evening I stayed home all the rest of the day working mostly on the forms which I have to fill out for my Breeding Bird Survey. On our way back we took another road that runs Parallel to my BBS Route. We did this to just add more birds to the day's list. They are also under BBS. area

Monday, June 7, 1976

1	Bob White	1	0
2	Rock Dove	3	X
3	Mourning Dove	4	X
4	Chimney Swift	18	X
5	Common Flicker	1	X
6	Wood Pewee	1	bvd
7	Rough winged Swallow	3	X
8	Barn Swallow	1	0
9	Purple Martin	1	X
10	Blue Jay	2	X
11	Common Crow	1	X
~~12~~	~~House Wren~~	~~X~~	
13	House Wren	1	X
14	Catbird	1	X
15	Brown Thrasher	2	X
16	Robin	6	0 - X
17	Starling	15	0 - X
18	House Sparrow	10	0 - X
19	Eastern Meadowlark	1	0
20	Common Grackle	20	0 - X
21	Brown headed Cowbird	1	0
22	Cardinal	2	X
23	Indigo Bunting	3	bvd - X
24	Duckcissel	2	0
25	Pine Siskin	2	X
26	Chipping Sparrow	1	X

Today was clear and warm. The temperatures were low about 54° high about 84°.

Tuesday June 8, 1976

1	Belted White	2	0
2	Rock Dove	1	X
3	Mourning Dove	4	X
4	Night Hawk	1	X
5	Chimney Swift	15	X
6	Common Flicker	1	X
7	Downy Woodpecker	1	X
8	Great Crested Flycatcher	1	bvd
9	Eastern Wood Pewee	1	0
10	Barn Swallow	1	0
11	Purple Martin	1	X
12	Common Crow	1	X
13	~~Red Winged Blackbird~~ House Wren	2	X
14	Catbird	2	X
15	Brown Thrasher	2	X
16	Robin	8	0 - X
17	Starling	30	0 - X
18	House Sparrow	12	0 - X
19	Eastern Meadowlark	2	0
20	Common Grackle	30	0 - X
21	Cardinal	3	X
22	Indigo Bunting	2	X

23	Wickcissel	2	0
24	Pine Siskin	2	X
25	Grasshopper Sparrow	1	0
26	Chipping Sparrow	1	X

Today was clear & hot. The temperatures were low 60° high 88°. I had another unusual experience this evening while sitting out behind my house. I saw a large black bird flying at a distance over the bluffs or really I should say hills east of my home. It was flying from north to south. I just automatically thought at first that it was a crow which it probably was but it was rather high and from the time it came in sight until it disappeared it glided practically all of the way. It was in sight of me for probably a mile or so and it beat its wings only about three or four times. It was too far distant to be sure of its measurements but it seemed to be heavier up front and the tail did seem to be more rounded than a crow's. If I had have seen this same bird in Colorado under the same circumstances I would have said "It is without a doubt a Raven" but here a Raven would be very questionable. As I see it it probably was a crow flying and looking like a Raven. It will go down as many of the hundreds of birds I have seen that I will always remember & wonder about. In a direct line my home is about one mile from Mo. River

Wednesday, June 9, 1976

1	Bob White	1	0
2	Rock Dove	1	X
3	Mourning Dove	6	X
4	Chimney Swift	12	X
5	Cuckoo (I think Y.B.)	1	X
6	Common Flicker	1	X
7	Eastern Wood Pewee	1	bvd
8	Purple Martin	1	X
9	Blue Jay	1	X
10	Common Crow	4	X
11	Black capped Chickadee	1	X
12	House Wren	2	X
13	Catbird	1	X
14	Brown Thrasher	1	X
15	Robin	12	0 - X
16	Carolina Wren	1	bvd
17	Starling	18	0 - X
18	Parula Warbler	1	bvd
19	House Sparrow	12	0 - X
20	Eastern Meadowlark	2	0
21	Redwinged Blackbird	1	0
22	Northern Oriole	1	X
23	Common Grackle	20	0 - X
24	Cardinal	2	X
25	Indigo Bunting	1	X
26	Whitcissel	2	0

27	Pine Siskin	1	X
28	American Goldfinch	1	X

Today was clear and warm. The temperatures were low 65° high 88°.

Thursday, June 10, 1976

1	Bob White	4	0
2	Killdeer	5	0
3	Mourning Dove	20	X - 0
4	Yellow-billed Cuckoo	1	0
5	Night Hawk	3	X
6	Chimney Swift	15	0 - X
7	Common Flicker	1	0
8	Red-headed Woodpecker	7	0
9	Downy Woodpecker	1	X
10	Eastern Kingbird	4	0
11	Barn Swallow	3	0
12	Purple Martin	1	X
13	Blue Jay	2	0 - X
14	Common Crow	2	6vd - X
15	Black-capped Chickadee	3	0 - X
16	Tufted Titmouse	1	X
17	House Wren	4	0 - X
18	Mockingbird	4	0
19	Catbird	3	0 - X
20	Brown Thrasher	2	0

21	Robin	25	0 - bvd - X
22	Eastern Bluebird	2	0
23	Loggerhead Shrike	7	0
24	Starling	50	X - 0
25	Warbling Vireo	1	0
26	Yellowthroat	1	0
27	House Sparrow	25	X - 0
28	Bells Vireo	1	0
29	Eastern Meadowlark	15	0
30	Western Meadowlark	10	0
31	Red winged Blackbird	25	0
32	Northern Oriole	2	0
33	Orchard Oriole	1	0
34	Common Grackle	150	X - 0
35	Brown headed Cowbird	15	0
36	Cardinal	4	X - 0
37	Indigo Bunting	8	X - 0
38	Dickcissel	38	0
39	Pine Siskin	1	X
40	Grasshopper Sparrow	2	0
41	Lark Sparrow	1	0
42	Chipping Sparrow	2	X - 0
43	Field Sparrow	3	0

Today was mostly cloudy with a very light shower. Temperatures were low 67° high 82°. This was my evening to drive to Helena, Mo. Each day now I keep expecting it to be the last day for my Pine Siskin. It was back this evening.

Friday, June 11, 1976

1	Bob White	1	0
2	Rock Dove	3	4 ± - X
3	Mourning Dove	10	X
4	Night Hawk	1	X
5	Chimney Swift	20	X
6	Ruby Throated Hummingbird	1	X
7	Red headed Woodpecker	1	bvd
8	Eastern Wood Pewee	1	bvd
9	Barn Swallow	1	X
10	Purple Martin	1	X
11	Blue Jay	2	X
12	Common Crow	3	X
13	Black capped Chickadee	1	X
14	Tufted Titmouse	1	X
15	House Wren	3	X
16	Catbird	1	X
17	Brown Thrasher	1	X
18	Robin	12	0 - X
19	Starling	50	mostly X
20	House Sparrow	10	X
21	Eastern Meadowlark	1	0
22	Common Grackle	25	0 - X
23	Cardinal	3	X
24	Indigo Bunting	2	X
25	Mocker	2	0
26	Pine Siskin	1	X

Today was mostly clear + hot. The temperatures were low 68° high 90°. I am now taking a weeks vacation I will go back to work on Monday June 21st. I still have the one lone Siskin coming to my thistle feeder.

Saturday, June 12, 1976

1 White Pelican	1	SL
2 Double crested Cormorant	6	SL
3 Great Blue Heron	5	HL - SL
4 Green Heron	1	LC
5 Little Blue Heron	1	SL
6 yellow crowned Night heron	3	SL
7 Least Bittern	5	SL
8 Wood Duck	25	SL
9 Turkey Vulture	7	near H.C. - SL
10 Red tailed Hawk	1	SL
11 American Kestrel	1	near H.L.
12 Bob White	12	AR - o-lakes - SL
13 Ring necked Pheasant	5	SL
14 American Coot	1	SL
15 Killdeer	12	LC - SL
16 Spotted Sand piper	1	SL
17 Lesser yellowlegs	1	HL
18 Black Tern	15	HL - SL
19 Rock Dove	6	X - d.t.
20 Mourning Dove	150	everywhere

21	Black billed Cuckoo	1	SQ
22	Chuck Wills Widow	2	River Road
23	Whip poor will	2	River Road
24	Night hawk	1	X
25	Chimney Swift	15	everywhere
26	Belted Kingfisher	1	SQ
27	Common Flicker	3	LC-o-SQ
28	Red headed Woodpecker	10	LC-BW-o-SQ
29	Downy woodpecker	2	X-SQ
30	Eastern Kingbird	4	LC-o-BW-SQ
31	Western Kingbird	2	near ML
32	Great crested Flycatcher	3	SQ-BW-KP
33	Eastern Wood Pewee	5	bvd-BW
34	Horned Lark	20	LC-ML-HL
35	Bank Swallow	40	SQ
36	Rough winged Swallow	4	BW ~~4100~~
37	Barn Swallow	175	everywhere
38	Purple Martin	20	LC-X-AR
39	Blue Jay	4	X-LC-SQ
40	Common Crow	3	SQ
41	Black capped Chickadee	4	X-BW
42	Tufted Titmouse	2	X-BW
43	House Wren	6	X-BW-SQ
44	Carolina Wren	1	BW
45	Long billed Marsh Wren	2	SQ
46	Mockingbird	2	o

47 Catbird	6	X - BW - SQ
48 Brown Thrasher	10	everywhere
49 Robin	20	everywhere
50 Loggerhead Shrike	6	LC - BW - AR - SQ
51 Starling	350 (Flocks of young)	mostly SQ
52 Warbling Vireo	3	BW - SQ
53 yellow Warbler	12	ML - SQ
54 Kentucky Warbler	1	BW
55 Common yellowthroat	10	LC - BW - SQ
56 yellow breasted Chat	1	River Road
57 House Sparrow	50	everywhere
58 Eastern Meadowlark	18	LC - - - AR
59 Western Meadowlark	3	0
60 Redwinged Blackbird	60	everywhere
61 yellow headed Blackbird	18	LC - SQ
62 Orchard Oriole	12 (BW)	mostly SQ
63 Northern Oriole	10	LC - BW - AR - SQ
64 Common Grackle	200	everywhere
65 Brown headed Cowbird	50	everywhere
66 Cardinal	15	X - BW - SQ
67 Rose breasted Grosbeak	1	SQ
68 Indigo Bunting	25	mostly BW + SQ
69 Chickadee	60	everywhere
70 Pine Siskin	1	X
71 American Goldfinch	3	BW
72 Grasshopper Sparrow	2	0

Bette + Art Lefever worked this morning.

73	Chipping Sparrow	2	X - KP
74	Field Sparrow	2	BW - 0
75	Song Sparrow	7	SQ

Today was clear, windy and hot. The temperatures were low 70° high 90°. I got up at about 7 a.m. Then after breakfast Pearl and I took a drive out past the Wholesale and then down around the lakes southwest of town, over and through "Bluff Woods" State Forest & back home. We then birded 4 P.M. to 10 P.M. from home up to Squaw Creek and back. If it wasn't for the strong breeze today the heat would have been miserable. ~~The~~ Mammals we saw today was three deer, a racoon, family of five mink, quite a few muskrat, Rabbits & Squirrels.

Sunday, June 13, 1976

1	Mourning Dove	6	X
2	Chimney Swift	12	X
3	Downy woodpecker	1	X
4	Barn Swallow	2	X
5	Purple Martin	2	X
6	Blue Jay	1	X
7	Tufted Titmouse	1	X
8	Catbird	2	X
9	Brown Thrasher	1	X
10	Robin	6	X
11	House Wren	2	X

12	Starling	40	X
13	House Sparrow	12	X
14	Red winged Blackbird	1	X
15	Northern Oriole	1	X
16	Common Grackle	30	X
17	Brown headed Cowbird	2	X
18	Cardinal	4	X
19	Indigo Bunting	1	X
20	Pine Siskin	1	X
21	American Goldfinch	1	X

Today was clear and hot + windy all day. The temperatures were low about 72° high about 96°. I stayed home all day. We did not turn on our air conditioning today so I spent my time out back in the shade and in our basement writing in some of my bird books.

Monday June 14, 1976

1	Turkey Vulture	2	0
2	Bob White	1	0
3	Killdeer	1	0
4	Rock Dove	5	X - 0
5	Mourning Dove	12	X - 0
6	Chimney Swift	15	X
7	Common Flicker	2	X - 0
8	Red headed Woodpecker	1	0
9	Downy Woodpecker	1	X

10	Eastern Kingbird	4	X - 0
11	Great crested Flycatcher	2	0
12	Eastern Phoebe	1	0
13	Barn Swallow	6	0
14	Purple Martin	1	X
15	Blue Jay	6	X - 0
16	Black capped Chickadee	1	X
17	Tufted Titmouse	1	X
18	House Wren	3	0 - X
19	Mockingbird	1	0
20	Catbird	1	X
21	Brown Thrasher	4	0 - X
22	Robin	10	0 - X
23	Loggerhead Shrike	1	0
24	Starling	30	0 - X
25	House Sparrow	15	0 - X
26	Eastern Meadowlark	6	0
27	Red winged Blackbird	3	0
28	Orchard Oriole	1	X
29	Common Grackle	35	0 - X
30	Brown headed Cowbird	4	0
31	Cardinal	4	0 - X
32	Indigo Bunting	3	0
33	Chickadee	10	0
34	Pine Siskin	2	X
35	Chipping Sparrow	1	KP

Today was mostly cloudy and windy. It was pleasantly cool until around noon today but then became hot & sultry during the afternoon. The temperatures were low 69° high 91°. This evening there were two Pine Siskins back at the feeder for the first time since June 8th. I don't know if these same two have been here all the time or if this second one is a new one just came in.

Tuesday June 15, 1976 SO - Schell Osage

1	Great Blue Heron	3	S.O.
2	Green Heron	1	S.O.
3	Canada Goose	150	S.O.
4	Wood Duck	1	SO.
5	Turkey Vulture	6	T.P. - S.O.
6	Red tailed Hawk	1	S.O.
7	American Kestrel	2	near T.P.
8	Bob White	10	W.C. Mo. - TP - S.O.
9	Killdeer	1	near T.P.
10	Black Tern	15	S.O.
11	Rock Dove	2	X - O
12	Mourning Dove	100	everywhere
13	Yellow billed Cuckoo	4	S.O.
14	Chimney Swift	10	X - O - W.C. Mo.
15	Common Flicker	3	TP - SO
16	Red-headed Woodpecker	3	W. C. Mo. - SO
17	Downy Woodpecker	1	SO

W.C. Mo. = West Central Missouri
 T.P. = Taberville Prairie
 S.O. = Schell Osage Wildlife Area



18	Eastern Kingbird	25	W.C. Mo. - T.P. - S.O.
19	Upland Sand piper	2	W.C. Mo.
20	Scissor tailed Flycatcher	2	near T.P.
21	Great crested Flycatcher	1	S.O.
22	Eastern Phoebe	4	W.C. Mo.
23	Horned Lark	4	W.C. Mo.
24	Barn Swallow	50	everywhere
25	Cliff Swallow	1	S.O.
26	Purple Martin	1	near S.O.
27	Blue Jay	7	W.C. Mo.
28	Common Crow	1	0
29	Tufted Titmouse	1	Pleasant Hill
30	House Wren	2	X - bvd
31	Mockingbird	20	W.C. Mo.
32	Catbird	2	S.O. - X
33	Brown Thrasher	10	W.C. Mo.
34	Robin	30	everywhere
35	Eastern Bluebird	3	near T.P.
36	Loggerhead Shrike	20	W.C. Mo.
37	Starling	75	everywhere
38	Bells Vireo	1	S.O.
39	Prothonotary Warbler	1	S.O.
40	Yellow Warbler	1	S.O.
41	Common Yellowthroat	3	S.O.
42	House Sparrow	40	everywhere
43	Eastern Meadowlark	150	everywhere

44	Red winged Blackbird	60	everywhere
45	Orchard Oriole	3	SO
46	Northern Oriole	2	SO
47	Common Grackle	175	everywhere
48	Brown headed Cowbird	12	W. C. Mo.
49	Cardinal	8	+ - TP - SO
50	Blue Grosbeak	3	near SO
51	Indigo Bunting	20	W. C. Mo.
52	Lickcussel	150	Everywhere
53	Pine Siskin	1	X
54	American Goldfinch	5	near SO
55	Grasshopper Sparrow	2	TP
56	Henslows Sparrow	2	TP
57	Field Sparrow	3	TP

To day was mostly clear + cool. Very pleasant. The temperatures today were low 60° high 76°. Pearl + I took off this morning at 7 a.m. + headed south for the Taberville Prairie and the Schell Osage Wildlife Area. On our way we drove by Pleasant Hill, Mo. where Pearl put a bouquet on her Mom + Dad's grave. We arrived at Taberville Prairie at 11 a.m. I wanted Pearl to say that she had walked on a real prairie and saw many of the wild flowers. I was also able to show her a Henslow's Sparrow which she had never seen before. We ate our lunch at Schell Osage. Because of rains in the area several of the roads in the

This morning White Pearl was closing the windows in our bedroom she call to me to come + look. There was a large Raccoon roaming around in our back yard.

area were to muddy to travel. On our way back we stopped at the parking lot at Taberville, Prairie where we had cake + coffee. It was exactly 160 miles from the Prairie to our house. It took us just three hours and 15 minutes. We got home at 6 P.M. We drove a total of 379 miles. we averaged $18\frac{1}{2}$ m.p.g. in Lois' car.

Wednesday June 16, 1976

1	Great Blue Heron	12	Sw. L.
2	Canada Goose	50	Sw. L.
3	Mallard	10	Sw. L.
4	Blue winged Teal	2	Sw. L.
5	Turkey Vulture	2	near Sw. L.
6	Red Tailed Hawk	2	o
7	Bob White	3	near Lexington
8	American Coot	3	Sw. L.
9	Killdeer	6	Sw. L.
10	Rockhew	2	Kingston, Mo.
11	Mourning Dove	175	everywhere
12	Yellow billed Cuckoo	3	Lexington, Mo.
13	Black billed Cuckoo	1	Lexington, Mo.
14	Night hawk	1	o ~~o~~
15	Chimney Swift	15	everywhere
16	Ruby throated Hummingbird	1	Lexington, Mo.
17	Common Flicker	1	Lexington, Mo.
18	Red bellied Woodpecker	2	Lexington, Mo.

19	Red headed Woodpecker	20	most everywhere
20	Downy Woodpecker	2	Van Meter S. P.
21	Eastern Kingbird	20	most everywhere
22	Great crested Flycatcher	1	V. M. S. P.
23	Eastern Phoebe	2	o - near Lex.
24	Eastern Wood Pewee	2	Lexington, Mo.
25	Horned Lark	6	near Lexington
26	Barn Swallow	100	everywhere
27	Purple Martin	1	Lexington, Mo.
28	Blue Jay	12	most everywhere
	~~Common Crow~~		
29	Black capped Chickadee	3	Lexington - Sw. L.
30	Tufted Titmouse	1	Lexington, Mo.
31	House Wren	3	X - o
32	Carolina Wren	1	Lexington, Mo.
33	Mockingbird	18	most everywhere
34	Catbird	3	Lexington - V. M. S. P.
35	Brown Thrasher	12	most everywhere
36	Robin	35	everywhere
37	Eastern Bluebird	2	near Lexington
38	Loggerhead Shrike	25	most all roadsides
39	Starling	150	everywhere
40	Yellowthroated Vireo	1	V. M. S. P.
41	Warbling Vireo	1	W. M. S. P.
42	Yellow Warbler	1	Sw. L.
43	Parula Warbler	2	V. M. S. P.

44	Common yellowthroat	4	Sw. L.
45	American Redstart	1	VM SP
46	House Sparrow	40	everywhere
47	Eastern Meadowlark	50	most roadsides
48	Western Meadowlark	1	east of St Joe
49	Redwinged Blackbird	20	mostly Sw. L.
50	Orchard Oriole	2	VM SP
51	Northern Oriole	3	VM SP
52	Common Grackle	200	everywhere
53	Brown headed Cowbird	40	most roadsides
54	Cardinal	12	o - x - Lex - VM SP
55	Rosebreasted Grosbeak	4	Lex. - Higginsville
56	Indigo Bunting	25	most roadsides
57	Lickcissel	75	roadsides
58	Pine Siskin	2	X
59	Rufous sided Towhee	1	Lexington Mo
60	Grasshopper Sparrow	1	near Richmond, Mo
61	Lark Sparrow	1	near Sw. L.
62	Field Sparrow	3	VM SP
63	Song Sparrow	1	Sw L.
64	Bells Vireo	1	V. M. SP.

Today was clear and nice. A bit warm this afternoon after a real chilly early morning. Pearl & I left home at 7:25 AM & headed east, south & back east again for a day of visiting State Parks and Historical monuments. We drove east to Hamilton, Mo

then south on highway US 13. We stopped in Kingston, Mo. & took some pictures of their old but beautiful Court house. We then went on through Richmond, Mo. to Lexington, Mo. where we visited the "Civil War Battle of Lexington State Park" The historic Anderson House is in the Park. From there we drove on down to Higginsville, Mo. to the Confederate Memorial State Park. We ate our lunch here. A few of the birds I listed as being seen at Lexington was also seen here. From here we headed for Van Meter State Park a few miles north of Marshall Mo. I made a couple wrong turns before finding the Park which cost me about 20 miles extra driving. This is the Park that the Kansas City birders go to for their warblers and from what I saw of the park I can see why. From there we came on north and drove through the Swan Lake National Wildlife Refuge. We got home at 5:45 P.M. We drove a total of 329 miles. The temperatures today were low 51° high 85°

Thursday June 17, 1976

1 Canada Goose	30	PEL
2 Turkey Vulture	1	WSP
3 Red tailed Hawk	1	WSP
4 Bob White	2	PEL
5 Killdeer	1	PEL

6	Rock Dove	1	X
7	Mourning Dove	100	everywhere
8	Chimney Swift	40	+ # most everywhere
9	Common Flicker	3	WM
10	Red bellied Woodpecker	6	WM
11	Red headed Woodpecker	12	most everywhere
12	Downy Woodpecker	1	WM
13	Eastern Kingbird	15	most everywhere
14	Great Crested Flycatcher	1	WM
15	Eastern Wood Pewee	3	WM
16	Yellow billed Cuckoo	1	WM
17	Barn Swallow	40	most everywhere
18	Purple Martin	4	east of town
19	Blue Jay	15	mostly WM
20	Common Crow	3	east of town
21	Black capped Chickadee	4	WM
22	Tufted Titmouse	2	WM
23	House Wren	3	X - WM
24	Brown Thrasher	6	X - WM - PEL
25	Robin	30	most everywhere
26	Eastern Bluebird	6	WM
27	Loggerhead Shrike	15	most road sides
28	Starling	50	most everywhere
29	White eyed Vireo	1	WM
30	Warbling Vireo	1	PEL
31	Blue gray gnatcatcher	1	WM

32	Common yellowthroat	1	o
33	House Sparrow	50	everywhere
34	Eastern Meadowlark	40	most country roads
35	Red winged Blackbird	35	roadsides
36	Orchard Oriole	2	WM
37	Northern Oriole	5	WM
38	Common Grackle	150	everywhere
39	Brown headed Cowbird	25	most everywhere
40	Cardinal	15	most everywhere
41	Rose breasted Grosbeak	4	WM - WSP
42	Indigo Bunting	20	most roadsides
43	Mocker	75	most roadsides
44	Pine Siskin	2	X
45	American Goldfinch	3	WM
46	Rufous sided Towhee	2	WM
47	Grasshopper Sparrow	2	o
48	Chipping Sparrow	2	X - o
49	Field Sparrow	5	o - WM

I got up this morning 7 a.m. after breakfast at 8:15 a.m. Pearl & I head east + south to Watkins Mill State Park. We just poked along on our way down. We got there about 10 a.m. It was 60 miles from home. It was really a beautiful place. The Park is what was once an old plantation of 1000 or more acres in a beautiful setting. We stayed there about two hours after a tour of the Mill and the home

we went into the Park and ate our lunch. We then left there shortly after noon & drove about 25 miles north up Hwy 69 to Wallace State Park. We just drove through the Park there which was crowded and then on our way home we stopped in at Pony Express Lake Wildlife Area. We then came on home getting here at 3 P.M. We drove only 137 miles today but really enjoyed our visit to Watkins Mill State Park. Temperatures today were low 63° high 90°

Friday, June 18, 1976

1	Rock Dove	2	X
2	Mourning Dove	3	X
3	Chimney Swift	3	X
4	Downy Woodpecker	1	X
5	Purple Martin	2	X
6	Black capped Chickadee	2	X
7	House Wren	1	X
8	Brown Thrasher	1	X
9	Robin	2	X
10	Starling	6	X
11	House Sparrow	5	X
12	Common Grackle	5	X
13	Cardinal	1	X
14	Pine Siskin	3	X
15	Chipping Sparrow	1	X

Today was partly cloudy & chilly all day. The temperatures were low 57° high 72°. Except for just going down the avenue a ways to get my hair cut I stayed home all day.

Saturday, June 19, 1976

1 Turkey Vulture	2	Hy 13
2 Red tailed Hawk	2	Hy 13
3 American Kestrel	2	Hy 13 - W.M.
4 Bob White	1	WM SP
5 Killdeer	1	Hy 13
6 Upland Sandpiper	1	Hy 13
7 Rock Dove	3	Kington, Mo.
8 Mourning Dove	75	everywhere
9 yellow-billed Cuckoo	1	WM SP
10 Chimney Swift	12	mostly X
11 Common Flicker	2	Hy 36
12 Red-bellied Woodpecker	1	WM SP
13 Red-headed Woodpecker	15	mostly WM SP
14 Downy Woodpecker	2	WM SP
15 Eastern Kingbird	25	all roadside
16 Eastern Wood Pewee	2	WM SP
17 Horned Lark	6	Hy 13
18 Barn Swallow	50	fields all roadsides
19 Blue Jay	6	mostly W.M SP
20 Common Crow	3	WM SP

21	Black capped Chickadee	2	WMSP
22	Tufted Titmouse	2	WMSP
23	White breasted Nuthatch	1	covered bridge, Linn County
24	House Wren	4	X - WMSP
25	Mockingbird	1	Hy 13
26	Catbird	3	mostly WMSP
27	Brown Thrasher	6	roadsides
28	Robin	25	almost everywhere
29	Eastern Bluebird	3	WMSP
30	Blue gray gnatcatcher	1	WMSP
31	Loggerhead Shrike	20	Roadsides
32	~~Starling~~	150	everywhere
33	Warbling Vireo	1	WMSP
34	Kentucky Warbler	1	WMSP
35	House Sparrow	125	everywhere
36	Eastern Meadowlark	60	about all open fields
37	Bobolink	1	near P.S.P.
38	Red winged Blackbird	50	roadsides
39	Northern Oriole	15	almost everywhere
40	Common Grackle	100	everywhere
41	Brown headed Cowbird	30	most all roadsides
42	Cardinal	16	X - WMSP
43	Rose breasted Grosbeak	1	WMSP
44	Indigo Bunting	4	mostly Hy 36
45	Redbreasted Nuthatch	150	all roadsides
46	Pine Siskin	3	X