

14	Downy Woodpecker	3	HC - X
15	9. Horned Lark	2	Hy I 29
16	Blue Jay	7	X - HC - SG
17	Common Crow	8	X - HC - SG
18	Black capped Chickadee	4	X - HC
19	Tufted Titmouse	2	X - 0
20	Mockingbird	1	0
21	Robin	1	X
22	Starling	200	X - AR - SG - 0
23	House Sparrow	60	X 0
24	~~Old~~ Western Meadowlark	10	0
25	Red wing Blackbird	30	Hy I 29
26	Cardinal	6	X - HC - SG
27	Dark eyed Junco	16	X - HC - SG - 0
28	Tree Sparrow	20	HC - SG
29	Song Sparrow	1	HC
30	Turkey	2	SG

Today was cloudy until 3 PM and then clear from then until sunset. Temperatures were low 23° high 42°
 Pearl & I drove to Squaw Creek this morning leaving home at 9 AM. Of course we ~~to~~ stopped at Honey Creek on our way. As we neared Sq. Cr. we could see that they had made snow then we had here at ~~our~~ home. We didn't even try to drive on the refuge because the snow was from 4 to six inches and it was wet which packed ~~solidly~~ easily and was real slippery.

Sunday March 9, 1980

1	Snow Goose	} 2500	LC - MRL - o.h. X
2	Snow (blue) Goose		LC - MRL - o.h. X
3	White fronted Goose	30	MRL - HL
4	Mallard	160	MRL - HL
5	Gadwall	4	HL
6	Pintail	120	MRL - HL
7	Blue winged Teal	2	LC
8	American Wigeon	12	MRL - HL
9	Shoveller	1	MRL

10	Redhead black	2	LC
11	Scaup (sp)	4	HL
12	Redtailed hawk	3	LC - 0
13	Bald eagle	1 a	LC
14	American Kestrel	4	LC-HL-0
15	Ring necked pheasant	1	near LC
16	Killdeer	1	MRL
17	Rock dove	12	d.t. - ML
18	Common Flicker	2	bvd - HL
19	Red bellied wood pecker	1	X
20	Red headed wood pecker	1	bvd
21	Downy wood pecker	2	X
22	Horned Lark	18	LC - ML - HL
23	Blue Jay	10	bvd - X - HL
24	Common Crow	20	LC ~~HL~~ - 0 - X - HL
25	Black capped Chickadee	4	X - LC
26	Brown Creeper	1	X
27	Mockingbird	2	0
28	American Robin	10	bvd - X - 0
29	Starling	500	everywhere
30	House Sparrow	60	LC - HL - 0 - X
31	Redwinged Blackbird	550	o.h. X - LC - ML
32	Common Grackle	6	X - bvd - LC
33	Cardinal	7	X - bvd - LC
34	Dark eyed Junco	35	X - LC - HL - 0
35	Tree Sparrow	18	LC - 0
36	Harris Sparrow	6	0
37	White crowned Sparrow	3	0

The spring migrants are moving in now in full force. It was really pleasant this morning to see so many birds. This morning a new man, a Kenneth Jackson went with me. We have planned a trip together for three ~~to~~ weeks before we finally go out together this morning. We birded from 8 AM. until 12 noon. I was happy to have lots of birds to start out a new birdler on. He tells me that he wanted to take up something as a hobby

and he decided on birding. I sure hope he sticks with it. He is 43 years of age, is married and has two grown children, a boy and a girl. He works for the State Highway Dept. He is an inspector. Today was mostly clear and nice, though muddy underfoot. The temperatures were low 26° high 55°

March 10, 1980 Monday

1	Canada Goose	8	MRL
2	White fronted Goose	11	MRL
3	Snow Goose	} 150	MRL
4	Snow (blue) Goose		MRL
5	Mallard	235	LC - HL - MRL
6	Gadwall	4	HL
7	Pintail	90	LC - HL - MRL
8	Green winged Teal	1	HL
9	Blue winged Teal	2	LC
10	American Wigeon	35	LC - HL - MRL
11	Shoveller	5	LC MRL
12	Ring necked Duck	24	LC - HL
13	Canvasback	4	LC - HL
14	Lesser Scaup	3	LC - HL
15	American Goldeneye	2	LC
16	Red tailed hawk	3	LC - HL - d.t.
17	Bald Eagle	10 a 2 i	LC
18	Marsh Hawk	3	ML
19	American Kestrel	3	LC - d.t.
20	Killdeer	4	MRL - HL
21	Shorebird (small one in flight)	1	~~LC~~ - HL
22	Rock Dove	40	LC - ML - X
23	Red bellied Woodpecker	1	LC ~~ML~~
24	Red headed Woodpecker	1	near ML
25	Downy Woodpecker	2	X
26	Horned Lark	10	LC - ML - MRL
27	Blue Jay	6	LC - X
28	Common Crow	20	LC - MRL - HL
29	Black capped Chickadee	3	LC - X

30	Tufted Titmouse	2	X
31	Robin	6	LC - X
32	Loggerhead Shrike	2	LC - ML
33	Starling	75	everywhere
34	House Sparrow	30	everywhere
35	Meadowlark	3	near ML
36	Redwinged Blackbird	50	near ML
37	Common Grackle	3	near ML
38	Cardinal	6	X - LC - ML
39	Dark eyed Junco	5	X

Today was clear and nice. The temperatures were low about 29° high about 49°. Pearl + I took a drive this morning down around the lakes. We saw Les Galloway there at Muskrat Lake and Horseshoe Lake while we were there. I see in ~~the~~ tonight's paper that Leslie Knickerbocker died last night at a veterans hospital in Kansas City. I worked with him for about 30 years at the Wholesale Dept. of Stuppys Local Co.

Tuesday, March 11, 1980

1	Canada Goose	16	ML
2	White fronted Goose	36	ML
3	Snow Goose	1200	MRL - ML
4	Snow (b/vc) Goose		MRL - ML
5	Mallard	300	MRL
6	Gadwall	3	HL ML
7	Pintail	110	MRL - ML
8	Blue winged Teal	1	ML
9	American Wigeon	250	HL - MRL - ML
10	Bufflehead	1	LC -
11	Common Merganser	12	ML
12	Red tailed Hawk	1	near HL
13	American Kestrel	3	d.t. - LC - ML
14	Killdeer	1	HL
15	Rock Dove	40	near ML - d.t.
16	Red bellied Woodpecker	1	X
17	Downy Woodpecker	3	X

18	Horned Lark	6	LC - HL
19	Blue Jay	5	LC - X
20	Common Crow	42	LC - ML
21	Black capped Chickadee	3	X
22	Tufted Titmouse	2	X
23	American Robin	10	X - LC - bvd
24	Starling	250	everywhere
25	House Sparrow	60	everywhere
26	Red winged Blackbird	36	near ML
27	Cardinal	4	LC - X
28	Black eyed Junco	8	X

Today was partly cloudy, windy and chilly. Temperatures were low 22° high 38°. Pearl & I went to the funeral home this morning to see Leslie Knickerbocker. At 9 am. this morning a neighbor of ours, actually about 3 blocks away shot & killed himself. His name was Norman Schleicher. Pearl & I knew them well. Him, his wife & children were friends of Pearl's folks as they lived only a few doors away on the same street. Lois went to school with the kids. Mr. Schleicher was 66 years of age.

Wednesday, March 12, 1980

1	Snow Goose	} 65	0
2	Snow (blue) Goose		0
3	Rock Dove	6	X
4	Common Flicker	1	X
5	Red bellied Woodpecker	1	X
6	Downy Woodpecker	3	X
7	Blue Jay	4	X
8	Common Crow	6	0
9	Black capped Chickadee	3	X
10	Robin	5	bvd - X
11	Starling	30	X
12	House Sparrow	20	X
13	Cardinal	3	X
14	Black eyed Junco	8	X

Today was cloudy and snowing all day. Temperatures

were low 31° high 33°. Pearl & I went to ~~the~~
 Leslie Knickerbocker funeral & burial this morning. We
 stayed home the rest of the day. It has been real
 sloppy all day.

Thursday, March 13, 1980

1	Rock Dove	1		X
2	Common Flicker	1		X
3	Red bellied Woodpecker	2	Nw. bvd -	X
4	Yellow bellied Sapsucker	1	Nw. bvd	
5	Hairy Woodpecker	1	Nw. bvd -	X
6	Downy Woodpecker	3		X
7	Blue Jay	5	Nw. bvd -	X
8	Common Crow	3	Nw. bvd -	X
9	Black capped Chickadee	8	Nw. bvd -	X
10	Tufted Titmouse	4	Nw. bvd -	X
11	White breasted Nuthatch	2	Nw. bvd	
12	Brown Creeper	2	Nw. bvd	
13	Robin	2		X
14	Starling	50	Nw. bvd	X
15	House Sparrow	20		X
16	Common Grackle	1		X
17	Cardinal	6	Nw. bvd	X
18	American Goldfinch	1		X
19	Black eyed Junco	7		X

Today was cloudy with about a 2 to 3 inch snow
 during the morning. It was a wet snow and quite a bit
 of it melted this afternoon. It was clear this afternoon.
 Temperatures today were low 30° high 37°. I took a
 walk in the hills up along the bvd. around noon.

Friday March 14, 1980

1	Canada Goose	2		MRL
2	Snow Goose	} 10,000	ML -	MRL
3	Snow (Blue) Goose		ML -	MRL
4	Mallard	2500	ML -	MRL
5	Black Duck	1		MRL

6	Gadwall	60	ML - MRL
7	Pintail	1500	ML - MRL
8	Green winged Teal	3	ML
9	Blue winged Teal	12	ML
10	American Wigeon	600	ML - MRL
11	Red head Duck	16	ML
12	Ring necked Duck	24	ML
13	Canvasback	2	ML
14	Lesser Scaup	9	LC - ML
15	Hooded Merganser	1	MRL
16	Common Merganser	10	LC - MRL
17	Red tailed Hawk	5	LC - ML - AR
18	Rough legged hawk	1	ML
19	Bald Eagle	7 (4a-3i)	LC - ML - o.h.X (Gm)
20	Marsh Hawk	1	ML
21	American Kestrel	8	d.t. - LC - AR - ML
22	Turkey	6	HC
23	Killdeer	1	ML
24	Ring billed Gull	1	ML
25	Rock Dove	120	d.t. - ML - X
26	Common Flicker	1	AR
27	Red bellied Woodpecker	1	X
28	Red headed Woodpecker	10	LC - ML - HC
29	Downy Woodpecker	2	X
30	Horned Lark	16	LC - MRL
31	Blue Jay	6	LC - HC - X
32	Common Crow	100	LC - ML - HL - AR - X
33	Black capped Chickadee	5	LC - X
34	Tufted Titmouse	2	X
35	Robin	15	LC - bvd - X
36	Starling	250	LC - ML - AR - X
37	House Sparrow	60	LC - ML - AR - X
38	Meadowlark (sp)	15	ML - AR
39	Red winged Blackbird	5000	LC - HL - ML - o.h.X
40	Common Grackle	20	ML
41	Cardinal	10	LC - HC - X
42	Dark eyed Junco	12	LC - X

Today was clear and real nice. It was a beautiful day except underfoot. Temperatures were low 23° high 64° Pearl and I took a drive before noon down to Lake Contrary, Mud Lake, Muskrat Lake and Horseshoe Lake. After lunch we took a drive up to Honey Creek W.A. We were happy to see the six Turkeys alongside the road going into Honey Creek. Was real happy also to see an immature Bald Eagle fly over our home about 5 P.M. this afternoon late. I hope it gets as warm tomorrow as it did today.

Saturday, March 15, 1980

1	Pied billed Grebe	3	AP
2	Canada Goose	16	ML - MRL
3	White fronted Goose	80	ML - MRL
4	Snow Goose	} 1200	ML - MRL
5	Snow (blue) Goose		ML - MRL
6	Mallard	150	LC - ML - MRL
7	Gadwall	30	LC - ML - MRL
8	Pintail	40	ML - MRL
9	Green winged Teal	15	LC - ML
10	Blue winged Teal	18	LC - ML - AP
11	American Wigeon	60	ML - MRL
12	Shoveller	6	LC - ML
13	Red head duck	75	ML - MRL - AP
14	Ring necked duck	30	LC - ML - MRL - AP
15	Canvasback	35	LC - ML - MRL - AP
16	Lesser Scaup	60	LC - ML - MRL - AP
17	American Goldeneye	20	AP
18	Bufflehead	2	LC
19	Hooded Merganser	2	MRL - AP
20	Common Merganser	15	ML - AP
21	Red tailed hawk	4	LC - ML - AP
22	Bald eagle	1-1	ML
23	American Kestrel	3	HL - 0 - AP
24	Killdeer	40	AP - LC - ML - MRL - 0
25	Ring billed Gull	35	ML - AP
26	~~Red tailed~~ American Coot	10	ML



27	Rock Dove	40	X - d. t. - near ML
28	Red headed Woodpecker	3	B.W. - 0
29	Downy Woodpecker	2	X
30	Horned Lark	10	LC - ML - HL - AP
31	Blue Jay	3	X - 0
32	Common Crow	100	LC - ML - HL - AP
33	Black capped Chickadee	4	X
34	Mockingbird	1	0
35	Robin	50	everywhere
36	Loggerhead Shrike	1	near HL
37	Starling	200	everywhere
38	House Sparrow	38	everywhere
39	Eastern Meadowlark	15	LC - ML - 0
40	Western Meadowlark	4	LC 0
41	Redwinged Blackbird	150	X - LC - AP - ML
42	Common Grackle	30	X - ML - AP
43	Brown headed Cowbird	15	near ML
44	Cardinal	4	X - b v b - 0
45	Dark eyed Junco	6	X

Today was clear and warm and very windy. Temperatures were low 36° high 67°. Reed & I birded 8:30 a.m. until 12 Noon to Lake Ontario, Mud Lake, Muskrat Lake, Horseshoe Lake, thru Bluff woods and out east of town in the 102 River bottoms. This afternoon we drove over to the airport. I sat out in our back yard for an hour or so.

Sunday, March 16, 1980

1	Pied billed Grebe	6	SQ
2	Canada Goose	10	SQ
3	Snow Goose	} 125	SQ
4	Snow (blue) Goose		SQ
5	Mallard	500	SQ
6	Gadwall	60	SQ
7	Pintail	1	SQ
8	Blue winged Teal	5	SQ
9	American Wigeon	600	SQ
10	Shoveller	165	SQ

11	Wood Duck	2		SQ
12	Red head Duck	50	AP -	SQ
13	Ring neck Duck	120	AP -	SQ
14	Canvasback	40		SQ
15	Lesser Scaup	50	AP -	SQ
16	American Goldeneye	40	AP -	SQ
17	Bufflehead	25	AP -	SQ
18	Common Merganser	120		SQ
19	Turkey Vulture	1		HC
20	Red tailed hawk	6	0 - HC -	SQ
21	Bald eagle	13	(9 a - 4 i)	SQ
22	Marsh Hawk	2		SQ
23	American Kestrel	4	0 - AR -	SQ
24	American Coot	175		SQ
25	Killdeer	25	0 - AR -	SQ
26	Ring billed Gull	50	AP -	SQ
27	Rock Dove	4	Hy 59 -	X
28	Mourning Dove	1	Hy 59	
29	Belted Kingfisher	1		SQ
30	Common Nicker	2	AC -	X
31	Red bellied Woodpecker	1		HC
32	Red headed Woodpecker	10	0 - Hy 59 - HC -	SQ
33	Downy Woodpecker	6	HC - X -	SQ
34	Horned Lark	1		AP
35	Blue Jay	5	HC - SQ -	X
36	Common Crow	25	AR - HC -	SQ
37	Black capped Chickadee	6	AC - X -	AP
38	Tufted Titmouse	3	HC -	X
39	Robin	30	0 - HC -	SQ - X
40	Sterling	100		everywhere
41	House Sparrow	50		everywhere
42	Eastern Meadowlark	8	AR - Hy 59 -	0
43	Western Meadowlark	2		0
44	Red winged Blackbird	125	AR - HC - Hy 59 -	SQ -
45	Common Grackle	18	X -	SQ - 0
46	Cardinal	7	X -	SQ - HC
47	Dark eyed Junco	15	X -	HC - 0

48	Tree Sparrow	2	HC
49	Harris Sparrow	1	HC
50	Fox Sparrow	3	HC

Today was cloudy, windy and chilly. It was rather nice until near noon but got colder during the afternoon. Temperatures were low 40° high 67°. Pearl & I drove to Squaw Creek this morning at 8 A.M. We saw quite a few ducks there but the area was blocked off due to bad roads except for only a short space. On our way home we stopped off at Honey Creek and then this afternoon we drove over to Browning Lake at the airport.

Monday March 17, 1980

1	Horned Grebe	1	LC
2	Mallard	10	LC
3	Green winged teal	15	LC
4	Blue winged teal	12	LC
5	American Wigeon	8	LC
6	Ring necked Duck	3	LC
7	Lesser Scaup	25	LC
8	Ruddy Duck	7	LC
9	American Kestrel	3	d.t. - 0 - LC
10	Killdeer	30	LC
11	Common Snipe	1	LC
12	Greater yellowlegs	1	LC
13	Lesser yellowlegs	6	LC
14	Long billed Dowitcher	2	LC
15	Rock Dove	20	d.t. - X
16	Common Flicker	1	LC
17	Red bellied Woodpecker	1	X
18	Downy Woodpecker	2	X
19	Horned Lark	5	LC
20	Blue Jay	3	X - LC
21	Common Crow	25	X - LC
22	Black capped Chickadee	2	X
23	Robin	20	bvd - X - LC
24	Starling	175	bvd - X - d.t. - LC

25	House Sparrow	35	X - d. t. - LC
26	Meadowlark	2	LC
27	Red winged Blackbird	25	LC
28	Common Grackle	8	X - LC
29	Cardinal	5	X - bid
30	Dark eyed Juncos	8	X - LC

Today was clear, windy and cool. The temperatures were low 31° high 56°. Pearl & I drove to Lake Contrary & then came back home where I stayed the rest of the day

Tuesday, March 18, 1980

1	Pied billed Grebe	1	SG
2	White fronted Goose	2	SG
3	Snow Goose	40	SG
4	Snow (blue) Goose	3	SG
5	Mallard	800	SG
6	Gadwall	150	SG
7	Pintail	75	SG
8	Green winged Teal	60	SG
9	Blue winged Teal	140	SG
10	American Wigeon	150	SG
11	Shoveller	75	SG
12	Red head Duck	150	SG
13	Ring necked Duck	1500	SG
14	Canvasback	140	SG
15	Lesser Scaup	50	SG
16	American Goldeneye	20	SG
17	Bufflehead	25	SG
18	Common Merganser	100	SG
19	Red tailed Hawk	7	o - Hy I 29 - SG
20	Rough legged hawk	1	SG
21	Bald eagle	1 a	SG
22	Marsh Hawk	2	SG
23	American Kestrel	7	o - HC - Hy I 29 - Hy 59
24	Ring necked Pheasant	2	SG
25	American Coot	1500	SG
26	Killdeer	20	o - SG

27	Ring billed Gull	8	SG
28	Franklin's Gull	1	SG
29	Rock Dove	10	0 - X
30	Mourning Dove	1	0
31	~~B. Horned~~ Owl (two downy young)	2	0 (Picket Road)
32	Screech Owl	1	SG
33	Great Horned Owl	1	0 (Picket Road)
34	Common Flicker	2	0 - SG
35	Red bellied Woodpecker	1	SG
36	Red headed Woodpecker	6	HC - SG
37	Downy Woodpecker	3	SG - X
38	Blue Jay	4	0 - SG - X
39	Common Crow	15	0 - SG - HC
40	Black capped Chickadee	8	X - SG - HC
41	Robin	20	X - 0 - SG
42	Loggerhead Shrike	3	0 - Hy. 59
43	Starling	500	everywhere
44	House Sparrow	60	everywhere
45	Eastern Meadowlark	5	0
46	Western Meadowlark	1	0
47	Red winged Blackbird	2500	0 - HC - SG
48	Common Grackle	75	0 - SG - X
49	Brown headed Cowbird	25	0
50	Cardinal	10	0 - HC - SG - X
51	House eyed Junco	15	SG - X
52	Tree Sparrow	10	SG
53	Fox Sparrow	2	HC - SG

Today was clear, warm and very windy. Temperatures were low 28° high 65°. This morning early, Les Galloway and I went out to the home of Owen Barber to look for some Barn Owls that were supposed to be nesting in his barn. We went up in his barn and looked at the two small downy young. We left there assuming that they were baby Barn Owls but later in the day I started putting things together and now I am wondering if instead we saw two baby Great Horned Owls because on our way out we saw a Great Horned Owl adult sitting in a

dead tree about 100 yards away facing (always) toward the barn. On seeing the two small owls we just assumed they were Barn Owls because that is where I went with John R. Athert and Bill Goodge a year ago to see the Barn Owls. On checking I find that last year it was July 30th that we saw the Barn Owls ready to fly. I called Mr. Barbee this evening and he told me that he hasn't see any of the adult owls this time good enough to be sure if they are Barn Owls or not. I plan on going back in two or three weeks and take a better look at them. Pearl & I went to Sewan Creek this afternoon. It was hard to do any decent birding because the wind was so strong. We got home about 5:15 P.M. Today we saw two deer. We also saw our first turtles and I saw my first snake (garter) of the year.

Wednesday, March 19, 1980

1	Canada Goose	10	MRL
2	Whitefronted Goose	50	MRL
3	Snow Goose	2000	MRL
4	Snow (blue) Goose		MRL
5	Mallard	200	LC - MRL - ML
6	Gadwall	30	LC - MRL - ML
7	Pintail	4	LC - MRL
8	Green winged Teal	80	LC - MRL
9	Blue winged Teal	120	LC - MRL
10	American Wigeon	75	LC - MRL - ML
11	Shoveller	40	LC - MRL - ML
12	Ringnecked ~~duck~~ Duck	10	MRL
13	Lesser Scaup	30	MRL
14	American Goldeneye	3	MRL
15	Bufflehead	5	MRL
16	Ruddy Duck	4	MRL
17	Common Merganser	8	MRL - ML
18	American Kestrel	3	LC - near HL
19	Killdeer	35	LC - MRL - ML
20	Common Snipe	1	LC

21	Greater Yellowlegs	1	LC
22	Lesser Yellowlegs	5	LC
23	Pectoral Sandpiper	1	LC
24	Bairds Sandpiper	1	LC
25	Long billed Dowitcher	6	MRL - LC
26	Ring billed Gull	20	ML - MRL - LC
27	Rock Dove	40	ML - d.t. - X
28	Common Flicker	1	LC
29	Red bellied Wood pecker	1	X
30	Downy Wood pecker	2	X
31	Horned Lark	6	MRL - LC
32	Blue Jay	2	X
33	Common Crow	20	ML - MRL - LC - X
34	Black capped Chickadee	2	X
35	Robin	15	ML - LC - X
36	Starling	90	everywhere
37	House Sparrow	30	mostly X
38	Meadowlark (sp)	1	LC
39	Red winged Blackbird	200	ML
40	Common Grackle	35	LC - X
41	Brown headed Cowbird	3	ML
42	Cardinal	3	X
43	Dark eyed Junco	6	X

Today was clear, warm and real windy. Temperatures were low 40° high 72°. Pearl & I birded this morning 8:30 a.m. until 11:30 a.m. at the lakes southwest of town. I stayed home the rest of the day.

Thursday - March 20, 1980

1	Mallard	5	LC
2	Gadwall	4	LC
3	Pintail	3	LC
4	Green winged Teal	40	LC
5	Blue winged Teal	35	LC
6	American Wigeon	6	LC
7	Shoveller	5	LC
8	Lesser Scaup	26	AP - LC
9	Bufflehead	2	LC

10	Ruddy Duck	8	LC
11	Red tailed hawk	3	X-AP-LC
12	American Kestrel	2	AP-LC
13	Ring necked Pheasant	3	LC
14	American Coot	6	LC
15	Killdeer	20	LC
16	Greater yellowlegs	1	LC
17	Lesser yellowlegs	7	LC
18	Howlitzer, LB	2	LC
19	Ring billed Gull	1	AP
20	Rock Dove	30	X-dt.
21	Red bellied Woodpecker	1	Nw.bvd
22	Downy Woodpecker	4	X-Nw.bvd
23	Horned Lark	3	AP- ~~LC~~
24	Blue Jay	3	X-Nw.bvd
25	Common Crow	4	LC-AP
26	Black capped Chickadee	10	X-Nw.bvd
27	White breasted Nuthatch	1	Nw.bvd
28	Barred Owl	1	Nw.bvd
29	Robin	25	X-LC
30	Loggerhead Shrike	1	LC
31	Starling	150	AP-LC-X
32	House Sparrow	35	LC-X
33	Eastern Meadowlark	1	LC
34	Red winged Blackbird	130	AP-LC-X
35	Rusty Blackbird	12	LC
36	Common Grackle	18	X
37	Cardinal	5	Nw.bvd-X
38	American Goldfinch	1	X
39	Dark eyed Junco	12	LC-X

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 Today was partly cloudy, not as hot as yesterday and not as windy. This morning Pearl & I drove down around Lake Contrary and over to the Airport at Browning Lake. This afternoon I took a walk in the wooded hills along the boulevard up behind my home. The temperatures today were low 43° high 55°.

Friday, March 21, 1980

1	Canada Goose	4	SG
2	White fronted Goose	16	SG
3	Snow Goose	} 300	SG
4	Snow (blue) Goose		SG
5	Mallard	3000	SG
6	Gadwall	1200	SG
7	Pintail	1000	SG
8	Green winged Teal	3000	SG
9	Blue winged Teal	5000	SG
10	Cinnamon Teal	1	SG
11	American Wigeon	600	SG
12	Shoveller	500	SG
13	Red head Duck	250	SG
14	Ring necked Duck	5000	SG
15	Canvasback	100	SG
16	Common Goldeneye	10	SG
17	Bufflehead	25	SG
18	Ruddy Duck	15	SG
19	Common Merganser	20	SG
20	Red tailed Hawk	7	AR-Hy I 29- SG
21	Bald Eagle	6 (3 a-3 i)	SG
22	Marsh Hawk	4	SG
23	American Kestrel	9	AR-Hy I 29-Hy 59- SG
24	American Coot	500	SG
25	Killdeer	50	SG
26	Greater Yellowlegs	2	SG
27	Lesser Yellowlegs	8	SG
28	Pectoral Sandpiper	3	SG
29	Peep (small sandpiper)	1	SG
30	Ring billed Gull	1	SG
31	Rock Dove	14	SG
32	Screech Owl	1	SG
33	Common Flicker	2	SG
34	Red bellied Woodpecker	1	SG
35	Red headed Woodpecker	1	Hy 59
36	Downy Woodpecker	3	X - SG
37	Horned Lark	1	Hy 59

38	Blue Jay	3	SG - X
39	Common Crow	6	AR - SG
40	Black capped Chickadee	1	SG
41	Robin	75	everywhere
42	Starling	300	everywhere
43	House Sparrow	30	everywhere
44	Eastern Meadowlark	1	Hy I 29
45	Red winged Blackbird	1200	SG
46	Brewers Blackbird	3	SG
47	Rusty Blackbird	1	SG
48	Common Grackle	30	X - SG
49	Cardinal	6	X - SG
50	American Goldfinch	5	Forest City
51	Harsh-eyed Junco	20	X - SG
52	Tree Sparrow	1	SG
53	Song Sparrow	2	SG

Today was clear + cool but a beautiful day. Chad stayed with us last night so Pearl + I took him to Spear Creek with us this morning. We left home at 9 a.m. & got back home at 1:15 P.M. Temperatures low 31° high 52°

Saturday, March 22, 1980

1	Red tailed Hawk	2	0
2	American Kestrel	2	0
3	Killdeer	8	0
4	Rock Dove	14	X - 0
5	Downy Woodpecker	2	X
6	Blue Jay	3	X
7	Black capped Chickadee	2	X
8	Mockingbird	2	0
9	Robin	14	X - 0
10	Loggerhead Shrike	2	0
11	Starling	85	X - 0
12	House Sparrow	30	X - 0
13	Western Meadowlark	3	0
14	Red winged Blackbird	10	X - 0
15	Common Grackle	15	X - 0

16	Cardinal	4	0 - X
17	Dark eyed Junco	6	X

Today was cloudy & nice all day but windy. Temperatures were low 33° high 66°. I took a short drive out east to the 102 River and Platte River & then on back home.

Sunday, March 23, 1980

1	Pied billed Grebe	18	LC -	SQ
2	Canada Goose	175		SQ
3	White fronted Goose	350		SQ
4	Snow Goose	} 3000		SQ
5	Snow (blue) Goose			SQ
6	Mallard	3000	LC -	SQ
7	Black Duck	2		SQ
8	Gadwall	2800		SQ
9	Pintail	1500		SQ
10	Green winged Teal	5000	LC -	SQ
11	Blue winged Teal	6000	LC -	SQ
12	Cinnamon Teal	1		SQ
13	American Wigeon	1200	LC -	SQ
14	Shoveller	1500	LC -	SQ
15	Wood Duck	24	River Rd - 6th AC -	SQ
16	Red head Duck	20		SQ
17	Ring necked Duck	5000		SQ
18	Cayvas back	500		SQ
19	Lesser Scaup	500	LC -	SQ
20	American Goldeneye	125		SQ
21	Bufflehead	300		SQ
22	Ruddy Duck	20	LC -	~~SQ~~
23	Hooded Merganser	3		SQ
24	Common Merganser	6		SQ
25	Turkey Vulture	1	River Road	
26	Sharp shinned hawk	1		LC
27	Red tailed hawk	10	River Rd - Hy 29 -	SQ
28	Rough legged hawk	1		SQ
29	Bald eagle	4		SQ
30	Marsh hawk	3		SQ

31	American Kestrel	6	Hy I29 - River Rd - SQ
32	Ring necked Pheasant	4	SQ
33	American Coot	5000	LC - SQ
34	Killdeer	40	LC - SQ
35	American Golden Plover	2	LC - SQ
36	Lesser yellowlegs	15	LC - SQ
37	Pectoral Sandpiper	25	LC - SQ
38	Bairds Sandpiper	2	SQ
39	Long billed Dowitcher	4	LC
40	Ring billed Gull	2	AR - SQ
41	Rock Dove	25	AR - near SQ
42	Mourning Dove	7	AC - AR - River Rd.
43	Belted Kingfisher	1	River Rd.
44	Common Flicker	7	LC - SQ
45	Red bellied Woodpecker	2	X - SQ
46	Red headed Woodpecker.	8	River Road
47	Downy Woodpecker	5	X - SQ
48	Horned Lark	12	AR
49	Blue Jay	6	X - SQ - River Rd
50	Common Crow	80	AR - SQ
51	Black capped Chickadee	4	X - SQ
52	White breasted Nuthatch	1	bvd.
53	Robin	125	everywhere
54	Eastern Bluebird	3	River Road
55	Loggerhead Shrike	1	River Road
56	Sterling	500	everywhere
57	Yellow rumped Warbler	2	AC
58	House Sparrow	75	everywhere
59	Meadowlark (sp)	5	Hy I29 - River Rd.
60	Redwinged Blackbird	2000	mostly SQ
61	Brewers Blackbird	1	SQ
62	Rusty Blackbird	6	LC - SQ
63	Common Grackle	50	everywhere
64	Cardinal	10	X - AC - SQ
65	Dark eyed Junco	30	X - SQ - AC
66	Tree Sparrow	5	SQ
67	Song Sparrow	2	SQ

Today was cloudy, cold and windy. The temperatures were low 38° high 53° . I picked up Kenneth Jackson this morning at 8 a.m. We went directly to Squaw Creek & we got back home at 3 P.M. We came back home by driving down the River Road (Mo. River) from Forest City to Amazonia. I didn't get the Ruddy Duck at Squaw Creek so Pearl & I drove to Lake Contrary where we saw the Ruddy Ducks. Nineteen Ducks in one day in Missouri is real good I have only two other days for Missouri that I have nineteen species of ducks. They are both March dates.

Monday March 24, 1980

1	Rock Dove	4	X
2	Mourning Dove	1	X
3	Red bellied Wood pecker	1	X
4	Downy Wood pecker	3	X
5	Blue Jay	2	X
6	Black capped Chickadee	2	X
7	Tufted Titmouse	2	X
8	Robin	20	X
9	Cedar Waxwing	12	X
10	Starling	20	X
11	House Sparrow	18	X
12	Common Grackle	20	X
13	Cardinal	2	X
14	Black eyed Junco	7	X

Today was cloudy, damp & chilly all day. The temperatures were low 32° high 36° . We were surprised when we got up this morning to see snow on the ground & it was still snowing.

Tuesday March 25, 1980

1	Pied billed Grebe	9	AP - LC
2	Great Blue Heron	5	AP
3	Mallard	6	LC
4	Gadwall	7	LC
5	Green winged Teal	40	LC
6	Blue winged Teal	50	LC

7	American Wigeon	28	LC
8	Shoveller	10	LC
9	Lesser Scaup	200	LC
10	American Goldeneye	3	LC
11	Ruddy Duck	20	AP - LC
12	Red breasted Merganser	7	AP
13	Red tailed hawk	2	AP - near LC
14	American Kestrel	3	near LC
15	Ring necked Pheasant	1	AP
16	American Coot	250	AP - LC
17	Killdeer	40	LC
18	Common Snipe	4	LC
19	Greater yellowlegs	2	LC
20	Lesser yellowlegs	10	LC
21	Pectoral Sandpiper	25	LC
22	Bairds Sandpiper	2	LC
23	Long billed Dowitcher	4	LC
24	Rock Dove	50	X - AP - d.t.
25	Mourning Dove	3	AP
26	Common Flicker	1	Nw. bvd
27	Red bellied Woodpecker	3	X - Nw. bvd
28	Hairy Woodpecker	1	Nw. bvd
29	Downy Woodpecker	4	X Nw. bvd
30	Horned Lark	6	AP - LC
31	Blue Jay	4	Nw. bvd - X - LC
32	Common Crow	12	AP - LC
33	Black capped Chickadee	8	X - Nw. bvd
34	Tufted Titmouse	2	X
35	White breasted Nuthatch	1	Nw. bvd
36	Brown Creeper	2	Nw. bvd
37	Robin	25	X - LC - Nw. bvd
38	Starling	150	X - d.t. - LC
39	House Sparrow	25	X - LC
40	Red winged Blackbird	100	X - LC - AP
41	Common Grackle	30	X - LC - AP
42	Cardinal	4	X - Nw. bvd
43	American Goldfinch	1	X
44	Dark eyed Junco	10	X - LC

Today was cloudy, damp & chilly all day. The temperatures were low 33° high 37°. When I picked Pearl up at the beauty shop this morning at 10:30 A.M. we drove on down around Lake Contrary and back by Browning Lake at the St. Joseph Airport. Then this afternoon from 2 P.M. until 3:30 P.M. I took a walk in the hills along the boulevard.

Wednesday, March 26, 1980

1	Pied billed Grebe	12		SL - ML - LC
2	Whitefronted Goose	40		ML
3	Snow Goose	300		ML
4	Snow (blc) Goose			ML
5	Mallard	30		AP - ML - LC
6	Gadwall	60		AP - BL - SL - ML - LC
7	Pintail	5		LC
8	Green winged Teal	200		BL - SL - LC
9	Blue winged Teal	350		BL - SL - MRL - ML - LC
10	American Wigeon	75		BL - LC
11	Shoveller	60		BL - MRL - LC
12	Wood Duck	3		AP
13	Ring necked Duck	40		MRL - LC
14	Canvasback	3		MRL
15	Lesser Scaup	500		AP - SL - MRL - ML - LC
16	American Goldeneye	2		MRL
17	Bufflehead	30		SL - MRL - LC
18	Ruddy Duck	100		SL - HL - MRL - ML - AP - LC
19	Common Merganser	3		MRL - AP
20	Red breasted Merganser	10		ML - AP
21	Redtailed hawk	4		BW - near SL - LC - AP
22	Bald eagle	1 (im)		AP
23	Marsh Hawk	1		BW
24	American Kestrel	10		BL - SL - LC - AP
25	American Coot	1800		BL - SL - MRL - ML - LC - AP
26	Killdeer	40		SL - MRL - LC - AP
27	American Golden Plover	1		LC
28	Greater yellowlegs	2		LC
29	Lesser yellowlegs	15		LC

AP - Airport
LC - Lake Contrary
ML - mud Lake
HL - Horseshoe Lake
MRL - Muskrat Lake
SL - Sugar Lake
BL - Bean Lake
BW - Bluff woods

30	Pectoral Sandpiper	12	MRL - LC
31	Bairds Sandpiper	8	MRL - LC
32	Long billed Nowtcher	4	LC
33	Ring billed Gull	4	MRL - ML - LC
34	Rock Dove	75	ML - AP - d.t.
35	Mourning Dove	2	near ML
36	Common Flicker	5	BL - SL - LC
37	Red bellied Wood pecker	4	SL - BW - X
38	Red headed Wood pecker	1	BW
39	Downy Wood pecker	2	X
40	Horned Lark	15	MRL - ML - LC
41	Blue Jay	6	LC - BW - X
42	Common Crow	18	ML - LC - AP
43	Black capped Chickadee	2	X
44	Robin	50	SL - ML - LC - X
45	Loggerhead Shrike	2	BW
46	Starling	500	everywhere
47	House Sparrow	60	everywhere
48	Western Meadowlark	1	near LC
49	Red winged Blackbird	300	about everywhere
50	Common Grackle	100	about everywhere
51	Brown headed Cowbird	85	SL
52	Cardinal	10	SL - LC - X
53	Mask eyed Junco	20	BW - LC - X
54	Tree Sparrow	3	BW
55	Song Sparrow	1	BW

Today was cloudy, damp and chilly all day. The temperatures were low 35° high 45°. This morning Leo Zelloway came by + picked me up at 8:50 a.m. and we birded from then untill 3 P.M.. We just hit the water areas south + west of St Joe. We stopped in at the picnic area at Bluff Woods to eat our lunch. While there we drove through one of the roads of the area. Bean Lake is only about 25 miles south of town but this is the first time I have been there for quite a few years.

Thursday, March 27, 1980

1	Red tailed hawk	8	o - NW. bvd - X
2	American Kestrel	2	o - X
3	Killdeer	6	o - MAR
4	Common Snipe	3	MAR
5	Rock Dove	30	d.t. - o - X
6	Mourning Dove	4	NW. bvd - o - MAR
7	Common Flicker	6	NW. bvd - MAR
8	Red bellied Wood pecker	3	NW. bvd - X
9	Red headed Wood pecker	2	o - MAR
10	Yellow bellied Sapsucker	6	NW. bvd
11	Hairy Wood pecker	1	NW. bvd
12	Downy Wood pecker	5	X - NW. bvd
13	Horned Lark	3	MAR
14	Blue Jay	8	X - NW. bvd
15	Common Crow	4	NW. bvd
16	Black capped Chickadee	9	X - NW. bvd
17	Tufted Titmouse	3	X - NW. bvd
18	White breasted Nuthatch	1	NW. bvd
19	Brown Creeper	1	NW. bvd
20	Mockingbird	1	o
21	Robin	100	everywhere
22	Cedar Waxwing	1	X
23	Loggerhead Shrike	5	o - MAR
24	Starling	125	everywhere
25	House Sparrow	40	everywhere
26	Eastern Meadowlark	3	o - MAR
27	Western Meadowlark	4	o - MAR
28	Red winged Blackbird	20	X - o - MAR
29	Common Grackle	35	X - o - MAR
30	Cardinal	6	X - NW. bvd
31	Black eyed Junco	14	X - NW. bvd
32	Tree Sparrow	5	MAR
33	Field Sparrow	1	o

Today was mostly cloudy & warm. A bit of light rain this evening. The temperatures were low 38° high 55°
I took a drive of about 20 miles this morning east of town & except for my walk in the timber along the boulevard I then stayed home the rest of the day.

Friday March 28, 1980

1	Mallard	100	LC - SQ
2	Gadwall	150	LC - SQ
3	Pintail	8	LC - SQ
4	Green winged Teal	250	LC - SQ
5	Blue winged Teal	400	LC - SQ
6	American Wigeon	100	LC - SQ
7	Shoveller	50	LC - SQ
8	Ring-necked Duck	30	SQ
9	Lesser Scaup	150	SQ
10	Ruddy Duck	30	LC
11	Common Merganser	8	SQ
12	Red-tailed hawk	6	AR - River Rd
13	Bald eagle	1 a	SQ
14	American Kestrel	8	LC - AR - River Rd - Hy I 29
15	Ring-necked Pheasant	1	LC
16	American Coot	1200	LC - SQ
17	Killdeer	20	LC
18	Greater yellowlegs	2	LC
19	Lesser yellowlegs	8	LC
20	Pectoral Sandpiper	10	LC
21	Long-billed Dowitcher	8	LC
22	Ring-billed Gull	2	LC
23	Rock Dove	30	d.t.
24	Mourning Dove	3	AR - near LC
25	Belted Kingfisher	1	River Road
26	Red-bellied Woodpecker	2	River Rd - X
27	Red-headed Woodpecker	3	River Rd.
28	Downy Woodpecker	2	X
29	Horned Lark	4	LC
30	Blue Jay	3	AR - X
31	Common Crow	2	River Rd
32	Black-capped Chickadee	3	X
33	Robin	30	-X - River Rd - SQ - LC
34	Cedar Waxwing	2	X
35	Starling	150	everywhere
36	House Sparrow	35	everywhere
37	Eastern Meadowlark	1	AR

38	Redwinged Blackbird	130	AR-X-LC
39	Common Grackle	50	everywhere
40	Cardinal	6	River Rd -
41	Black eyed Juncos	6	X

Today was cloudy and rainy all day long. The temperatures were low 46° high 49°. Pearl + I left home at 8 A.M. + headed for Squaw Creek. It was just beginning to sprinkle as we left here. By the time we reached Squaw Creek it was raining. They had just locked shut the gates and the roads were muddy. I used my telescope to see all I could from the entrance and then we headed home. We drove on to Lake Country. We were back home 12:15 P.M. and then we stayed home the rest of the day.

Saturday, March 29, 1980

1	Horned Grebe	1	AP
2	Pied billed Grebe	2	LC
3	Double crested Cormorant	1	AP
4	Mallard	8	LC
5	Gadwall	60	AP - LC
6	Green winged Teal	100	LC
7	Blue winged Teal	120	LC
8	American Wigeon	80	LC
9	Shoveller	30	LC
10	Ring necked Duck	6	LC
11	Lesser Scaup	50	LC
12	Ruddy Duck	60	AP - LC
13	Bald eagle	1-i	AP
14	American Coot	60	AP - LC
15	Killdeer	25	LC
16	Common Snipe	2	LC
17	Lesser yellowlegs	8	LC
18	Belted Sandpiper	6	LC
19	Long billed Dowitcher	5	LC
20	Western Gull	1	AP
21	Rock Dove	35	X - d.t.
22	Mourning Dove	1	bvd

23	Red bellied Woodpecker	1	X
24	Downy Woodpecker	2	X
25	Horned Lark	5	LC
26	Blue Jay	4	LC - X
27	Black capped Chickadee	2	X
28	Tufted Titmouse	1	X
29	Red breasted Nuthatch	1	X
30	Robin	35	LC - AP - X
31	Cedar Waxwing	4	X
32	Loggerhead Shrike	1	~~AP~~ AP
33	Starling	100	everywhere
34	House Sparrow	25	everywhere
35	Eastern Meadowlark	1	AP
36	Red winged Blackbird	30	LC - AP
37	Common Grackle	40	X - LC - AP
38	Cardinal	4	X - LC
39	Masked Jay	15	X - LC
40	Song Sparrow	1	LC

Today was cloudy and rainy most of the day. Temperatures were low 42° high 46°. This morning while Pearl & Lois went to the grocery store I went to Lake County and to the Airport. I was gone two hours. I stayed home then the rest of the day. Today I recieved some bird literature that I sent away for a bit over three weeks ago. I received James O. Clements "Birds of the World i Checklist", a checklist of birds of Everglades National Park, a checklist of birds of Alaska and four books of Travelers List and Check List for birds of North America. They back-ordered for me a checklist of birds of North America.

Sunday, March 30, 1980

1	Blue winged Teal	6	0
2	American Wigeon	16	0
3	Killdeer	4	0
4	Rock Dove	25	X
5	Mourning Dove	3	AC
6	Great horned Owl	3 (1a - 2i)	0 - AC

7	Common Flicker	4	0 - AC
8	Red bellied Woodpecker	2	X - AC
9	Red headed Woodpecker	1	0
10	Downy Woodpecker	3	X
11	Blue Jay	4	X - AC
12	Common Crow	1	0
13	Black capped Chickadee	3	X
14	Tufted Titmouse	2	X
15	Red breasted Nuthatch	1	X
16	Robin	150	mostly AC - X
17	Cedar Waxwing	3	X
18	Starling	40	0 - X
19	House Sparrow	20	X
20	Western Meadowlark	6	0
21	Redwinged Blackbird	8	0 - X
22	Common Grackle	15	0 - X
23	Cardinal	5	A C - X
24	Black eyed Junco	20	AC - X
25	Tree Sparrow	3	0

Today was cloudy and rainy all day. Temperatures were low 37° high 42°. This morning I went out with Simon & Dorothy to a barn to see some baby owls that had been reported as barn owls. They were Great horned Owls I have stayed in the rest of the day.

Monday, March 31, 1980

1	Pied billed Grebe	4	LC
2	Great Blue Heron	4	HL
3	White fronted Goose	30	ML
4	Snow Goose	} 200	ML
5	Snow (blue) Goose		ML
6	Mallard	5	MRL - LC
7	Gadwall	20	ML - LC
8	Green winged Teal	60	MRL - LC
9	Blue winged Teal	35	ML - LC
10	American Wigeon	20	LC
11	Shoveller	24	MRL - LC

12	Wood Duck	2	LC
13	Ring-necked Duck	60	MRL
14	Canvasback	2	MRL
15	Lesser Scaup	50	ML - MRL
16	American Goldeneye	1	MRL
17	Bufflehead	25	MRL
18	Ruddy Duck	40	LC - MRL
19	Hooded Merganser	3	MRL
20	Common Merganser	2	MRL
21	Red-tailed Hawk	5	LC - ML - X
22	American Kestrel	4	LC - X
23	American Coot	150	LC - ML - MRL
24	Killdeer	15	LC - MRL
25	American golden plover	1	LC
26	American Woodcock	1	MAR
27	Common Snipe	2	LC
28	Lesser yellowlegs	2	LC
29	Pectoral Sandpiper	6	LC
30	Bairds Sandpiper	4	LC
31	Long-billed Dowitcher	5	LC
32	Rock Dove	150	mostly L.T.
33	Great horned Owl	1	MAR
34	Mourning Dove	8	X - MAR - LC - ML
35	Common Flicker	1	X
36	Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	1	X
37	Hairy Woodpecker	2	X
38	Horned Lark	5	LC - MRL
39	Blue Jay	6	LC - X
40	Black-capped Chickadee	4	LC - X
41	Tufted Titmouse	2	X
42	Red-breasted Nuthatch	1	X
43	Robin	75	everywhere
44	Cedar Waxwing	1	X
45	Starling	150	everywhere
46	House Sparrow	50	everywhere
47	Eastern Meadowlark	5	~~X~~ - ML
48	Red-winged Blackbird	50	X ~~LC~~ - ML

49	Common Grackle	60	everywhere
50	Brown headed Cowbird	50	LC
51	Cardinal	5	ML - LC - X
52	Dark-eyed Junco	16	LC - X

Today was real nice. It was clear + pleasant. Temperatures were low 34° high 58°. Pearl + I took a drive this morning down around the lakes and then stayed home the rest of the day. I did go with Les Galloway this evening out in back of Missouri Western College to see and hear the Woodcock in its aerial mating display. It called about a hundred times before it finally took off on its spiral flight at 7:05 P.M.

Tuesday, April 11, 1980

1	Pied billed Grebe	3	LC
2	Great blue heron	1	HL
3	Canada Goose	1	ML
4	Mallard	16	MRL - LC
5	Gadwall	10	MRL
6	Green winged Teal	25	MRL - LC
7	Blue winged Teal	50	MRL - LC
8	American Wigeon	12	MRL - LC
9	Snowdrift	24	MRL - LC
10	Ring necked Duck	35	MRL - LC
11	Lesser Scaup	425	AP - MRL - LC
12	American Goldeneye	1	MRL
13	Bufflehead	12	MRL
14	Ruddy Duck	60	AP - MRL - LC
15	Hooded Merganser	1	MRL
16	Common Merganser	2	MRL
17	Red tailed hawk	2	ML - AP
18	American Kestrel	2	J.E. - HL
19	American Coot	250	AP - MRL - ML - LC
20	Killdeer	10	MRL - LC
21	Lesser yellowlegs	2	LC
22	Rock Dove	30	X - J.E. - near ML
23	Mourning Dove	5	X - LC - AP

24	Red bellied Woodpecker	2	X - AP
25	Downy Woodpecker	2	X
26	Horned Lark	6	AP - MRL - LC
27	Tree Swallow	3	LC
28	Blue Jay	3	X - LC
29	Common Crow	1	~~X~~ AP
30	Black capped Chickadee	3	X
31	Tufted Titmouse	2	X
32	Red breasted Nuthatch	1	X
33	Robin	75	everywhere
34	Cedar Waxwing	3	X
35	Starling	60	everywhere
36	House Sparrow	25	everywhere
37	Eastern Meadowlark	3	ML
38	Redwinged Blackbird	60	X - LC - ML - HL
39	Common Grackle	40	everywhere
40	Brown headed Cowbird	3	near ML
41	Cardinal	7	X - LC - AP
42	Vesper Sparrow	2	near ML
43	Marsh eyed Junco	6	X - LC

Today was cloudy, windy and a bit rainy most all day. The temperatures were low 43° high 59°. I picked Pearl up at the beauty shoppe at 10 AM. and then Pearl, Chad and I made a round of the lakes. Then this afternoon I went to the airport.

Wednesday, April 2, 1980

1	Pied billed Grebe	4	0
2	Mallard	2	0
3	Wood Duck	12	0
4	Red tailed hawk	2	0
5	American Kestrel	2	X - 0
6	Killdeer	1	0
7	Rock Dove	15	X - 0
8	Mourning Dove	5	X - 0
9	Great horned Owl	1	0
10	Common Flicker	2	0

11	Red bellied Woodpecker	2	Nw. bvd
12	Red headed Woodpecker	3	0
13	yellow bellied Sapsucker	1	Nw bvd
14	Hairy Woodpecker	1	Nw. bvd
15	Downy Woodpecker	5	X - Nw. bvd
16	Blue Jay	10	X - 0 - Nw. bvd
17	Common Crow	1	0
18	Black capped Chickadee	5	X - Nw. bvd
19	White breasted Nuthatch	2	Nw. bvd
20	Red breasted Nuthatch	1	X
21	Brown Creeper	1	Nw. bvd
22	Robin	75	everywhere
23	Cedar Waxwing	3	X
24	Loggerhead Shrike	3	0
25	Sterling	60	everywhere
26	House Sparrow	30	everywhere
27	Eastern Meadowlark	3	0
28	Western Meadowlark	2	0
29	Red winged Blackbird	18	0
30	Common Grackle	50	everywhere
31	Brown headed Cowbird	2	0
32	Cardinal	10	X - Nw bvd - 0
33	Black eyed Junco	8	X - Nw bvd
34	Field Sparrow	1	0
35	Harris Sparrow	5	0
36	Fox Sparrow	1	0
37	Song Sparrow	1	0

Today was cloudy all day. The temperatures were low 41° high 50°. I had planned on going to Squaw Creek this morning but it looked all day as if it could rain so I just took a short drive east of town across the 102 River to the Platte River + back home. I then took a walk in the hills along the boulevard up behind my home. It finally started raining.

Thursday, April 3, 1980

1	Pied billed Grebe	15	0 - AP - LC
2	White Pelican	7	LC
3	Great Blue Heron	1	o.h. d.t.
4	Snow Goose	1	M.L.
5	Mallard	12	MRL - LC
6	Gadwall	50	HL - AP - MRL - ML - LC
7	Green winged Teal	40	MRL - ML - LC
8	Blue winged Teal	50	MRL - ML - LC
9	American Wigeon	35	ML - LC
10	Shoveller	50	HL - MRL - ML - LC
11	Ring necked Duck	25	MRL - ML
12	Canvasback	2	MRL
13	Lesser Scaup	300	AP - MRL - ML - HL - LC
14	Bufflehead	20	AP - MRL - LC
15	Ruddy Duck	175	AP - MRL - ML - HL - LC
16	Hooded Merganser	3	MRL - LC
17	Red tailed hawk	3	0 - LC
18	American Kestrel	2	0 - ML
19	American Coot	1500	AP - MRL - ML - HL - LC - 0
20	Killdeer	35	MRL - LC - 0
21	Common Snipe	3	LC
22	Greater Yellowlegs	2	LC
23	Lesser Yellowlegs	4	LC
24	Long billed Dowitcher	3	LC
25	Ring billed Gull	3	LC - ML
26	Rock Dove	35	d.t. = X - 0
27	Mourning Dove	3	LC - ML
28	Common Flicker	1	0
29	Red bellied Woodpecker	1	0
30	Red headed Woodpecker	2	0
31	Downy Woodpecker	3	X
32	Horned Lark	5	LC - MRL
33	Barn Swallow	1	LC
34	Blue Jay	1	X
35	Common Crow	2	LC
36	Black capped Chickadee	3	X
37	Red breasted Nuthatch	1	X

38	Robin	90	everywhere
39	Cedar Waxwing	1	X
40	Starling	450	everywhere
41	House Sparrow	30	everywhere
42	Eastern Meadowlark	6	ML - 0
43	Western Meadowlark	2	0
44	Red winged Blackbird	50	mostly near lakes
45	Common Grackle	50	everywhere
46	Cardinal	4	0 - LC - X
47	Dark eyed Junco	5	LC - X

Today was cloudy, very windy and chilly. Temperatures were low 40° high 44°. Chad is staying with us today so while he stayed with Pearl today I did all of my birding by myself. I'll sure be glad when we have some good weather. There is no way we can get in at Squaw Creek because of muddy roads.

Friday, April 4, 1980

1	Pied billed Grebe	38	SL
2	Double crested Cormorant	1	SL
3	White fronted Goose	110	SL
4	Snow Goose	} 2500	SL
5	Snow (blue) Goose		SL
6	Mallard	300	SL
7	Gadwall	150	SL
8	Pintail	25	SL
9	Green winged Teal	200	SL
10	Blue winged Teal	500	SL
11	American Wigeon	150	SL
12	Shoveller	300	SL
13	Red head Duck	12	SL
14	Ring necked Duck	600	SL
15	Canvasback	50	SL
16	Lesser Scaup	1200	SL
17	Bufflehead	125	SL
18	Ruddy Duck	350	SL
19	Hooded Merganser	2	SL
20	Common Merganser	20	SL

21	Turkey Vulture	10	HC
22	Red tailed hawk	6	AR - HC - SG
23	Bald eagle	2-1	SG
24	Marsh Hawk	10	SG
25	American Kestrel	1	SG
26	Ring necked Pheasant	30	SG
27	American Coot	20,000	SG
28	Killdeer	15	SG
29	Common Snipe	5	SG
30	Greater yellowlegs	4	SG
31	Lesser yellowlegs	7	SG
32	Wilson's Phalarope	10	SG
33	Herring Gull	1	SG
34	Ring billed Gull	25	SG
35	Franklin's Gull	1	SG
36	Rock Plover	10	X - AR
37	Belted Kingfisher	1	SG
38	Common Flicker	8	SG
39	Red bellied Woodpecker	3	X - SG
40	Red headed Woodpecker	5	HC - SG
41	Downy Woodpecker	4	X - SG
42	Purple Martin	4	o.k. X
43	Blue Jay	10	X - HC - SG
44	Common Crow	2	AR
45	Black capped Chickadee	6	X - SG
46	Tufted Titmouse	2	X
47	Robin	100	everywhere
48	Starling	150	everywhere
49	House Sparrow	35	everywhere
50	Eastern Meadowlark	3	SG 1/2 29
51	Red winged Blackbird	50	SG
52	Rusty Blackbird	3	SG
53	Brewer's Blackbird	1	SG
54	Common Grackle	60	everywhere
55	Cardinal	8	X - HC - SG
56	Black eyed Junco	20	X - SG
57	Tree Sparrow	2	SG

58	Field Sparrow	1	80
59	Harris Sparrow	1	X
60	Fox Sparrow	1	82
61	Song Sparrow	3	82

Today was a beautiful day. This morning it was clear & frosty. It warmed up fairly good during the day and stayed clear all day. Temperatures were low 34° high 61°. Chad stayed with us again last night. We took him home at noon and then Pearl & I left home at 12:30 P.M. for Squaw Creek. We stopped off at Honey Creek on our way up. We got back home late 6:30 P.M. Pearl saw our Red breasted Nuthatch here at home today but I missed it. I also missed the Cedar W. flying!

Saturday, April 5, 1980

1	Pied billed Grebe	4	0
2	Wood Duck	1	0
3	Sharp shinned hawk	1	o.k. X
4	Red tailed hawk	1	o.k. X
5	American Kestrel	3	AR - 0
6	American Coot	1	0
7	Rock Dove	15	X
8	Mourning Dove	6	AR - 0 - X
9	Common Flicker	2	0
10	Red bellied Wood pecker	1	X
11	Gray Wood pecker	1	X
12	Downy Wood pecker	3	X
13	Horned Lark	1	AR
14	Purple Martin	2	X
15	Blue Jay	6	AR - 0 - X
16	Common Crow	1	AR
17	Black capped Chickadee	3	X
18	Tufted Titmouse	2	X
19	Red breasted Nuthatch	1	X
20	Robin	120	AR - 0 - X
21	Eastern Bluebird	1	0
22	Loggerhead Shrike	3	0

23	Sterling	180	AR - 0 - X
24	House Sparrow	40	AR - 0 - X
25	Eastern Meadowlark	6	AR - 0
26	Western Meadowlark	2	0
27	Redwinged Blackbird	20	AR - 0
28	Common Grackle	200	mostly o.h. X
29	Brown headed Cowbird	4	0 - X
30	Cardinal	6	AR - 0 - X
31	American Goldfinch	1	X
32	Dark-eyed Junco	6	X

Today was clear & warm. Windy but nice. The temperatures were low 32 high 67°. The northwest Missouri Federated Garden Clubs had a meeting today at a Presbyterian Church near my home. The meeting consisted of 16 garden clubs. Their theme was birds. Each club was to present a poster of a certain size on birds. I was asked to be the judge to pick out one as Number one above all the others. I had been asked by Hazel & Fitzhugh Diggs to be judge. After that Pearl & I took a 50 mile drive to the east and then a half ~~and~~ circle around & came home from northwest.

Sunday, April 6, 1980

1	Horned Grebe	1	MRL
2	Pied billed Grebe	35	SQ - LC - MRL
3	White Pelican	105	SQ
4	White fronted Goose	40	SQ
5	Snow Goose	60	SQ
6	Snow (b/wc) Goose	30	SQ
7	Mallard	300	LC - SQ
8	Gadwall	250	HL - MRL - ML - LC - SQ
9	Pintail	60	SQ
10	Green winged Teal	125	MRL - LC - SQ
11	Blue winged Teal	500	MRL - LC - SQ
12	American Wigeon	100	ML - MRL - LC - SQ
13	Shoveller	350	HL - ML - MRL - LC - SQ
14	Red head Duck	50	SQ

15	Ring necked Duck	600	mostly	SG
16	Canvas back	60	MRL -	SG
17	Lesser Scaup	3000	everywhere mostly	LC + SG
18	American Goldeneye	6		MRL
19	Bufflehead	150	MRL - LC -	SG
20	Ruddy Duck	350	HL - MRL - ML - LC -	SG
21	Hooded Merganser	2		MRL
22	Turkey Vulture	4	HC -	SG
23	Marsh hawk	2		SG
24	American Kestrel	1		0
25	Ring necked Pheasant	20	LC -	SG
26	American Coot	3000	mostly	SG
27	Killdeer	25	LC -	SG
28	Common Snipe	5	LC	
29	Greater yellowlegs	6		SG
30	Lesser yellowlegs	14	LC -	SG
31	Pectoral Sandpiper	15	LC	SG
32	Semipalmated Sandpiper	1		SG
33	Wilson's Phalarope	4	LC -	SG
34	Rock Dove	30	X - d. t. -	ML
35	Mourning Dove	6	LC - 0 -	SG
36	Great horned Owl	1		near ML
37	Common Flicker	12	everywhere	
38	Red headed Wood pecker	3	MAR -	HC
39	Downy Wood pecker	5	X -	LC - SG
40	Horned Lark	5		LC - MRL
41	Tree Swallow	50		SG
42	Purple Martin	6		LC
43	Blue Jay	10	everywhere	
44	Common Crow	2		0
45	Black capped Chickadee	6	X -	LC - SG
46	Tufted Titmouse	1		0
47	Red breasted Nuthatch	1		X
48	Mockingbird	1		MAR
49	Robin	125	everywhere	
50	Golden crowned Kinglet	2		Nw. bird
51	Loggerhead Shrike	5	LC - ML -	Hy 59

52	Sterling	500	everywhere
53	House Sparrow	60	everywhere
54	Eastern Meadowlark	12	LC - ML - 0 - Hy I 29
55	Red winged Blackbird	10,000	mostly S6
56	Common Grackle	60	everywhere
57	Brown headed Cowbird	12	0
58	Cardinal	15	everywhere
59	Vesper Sparrow	50	LC - ML - 0 - S6
60	Black eyed Junco	10	X - HC - S6
61	Field Sparrow	3	MAR - 0 - HC
62	Harris Sparrow	3	HC
63	Song Sparrow	2	MAR

Today was clear + warm after a light rain in the early morning hours. The wind today though was terrible. I suspect the wind hit in gusts up to 40 or more m. p. h. at times. I had an awful time trying to use my telescope. Si Rositzky + I bided almost all day long together. We started at 7 a.m. We split up at noon for an hour + a half so I could have Easter dinner with all my family and then at 1:30 P.M. Si, Monga and I bided to Squaw Creek + back. We got home about 6 P.M. It was almost like old times. Temperatures today were low 50° high 65°.

Monday, April 7, 1980

1	Rock Dove	12	X
2	Mourning Dove	3	Nw bvd - X
3	Chimney Swift	1	a.l. X
4	Common Flicker	3	Nw. bvd
5	Red bellied Woodpecker	2	Nw. bvd
6	Yellow bellied Sapsucker	1	X
7	Downy Woodpecker	4	Nw. bvd - X
8	Purple Martin	2	a.l. X
9	Blue Jay	5	Nw bvd - X
10	Common Crow	1	Nw. bvd
11	Black capped Chickadee	5	Nw. bvd - X
12	Tufted Titmouse	4	Nw. bvd - X

13	White breasted Nuthatch	1	Nw. bud
14	Red breasted Nuthatch	1	X
15	Brown Creeper	1	Nw. bud
16	Robin	50	X - Nw. bud
17	Cedar Waxwing	1	X
18	Starling	40	Nw. bud X
19	Yellow rumped Warbler	1	Nw. bud
20	House Sparrow	25	X
21	Common Grackle	35	everywhere
22	Brown headed Cowbird	2	X
23	Cardinal	7	Nw. bud - X

Today was mostly clear & warm. Not as windy as yesterday. Temperatures were low 45° high 69°. I drove down town this morning and took a walk up in the hills just before lunch. Other than that I stayed home all day.

Tuesday, April 8, 1980

1	Pied billed Grebe	2	corby pond - 0
2	Wood Duck	8	KP - 0
3	Turkey Vulture	1	0
4	American Kestrel	2	0
5	Bob White	1	0
6	Killdeer	1	0
7	Rock Dove	12	X - 0
8	Mourning Dove	7	KP - 0
9	Great Horned Owl	1	KP
10	Chimney Swift	1	0
11	Belted Kingfisher	2	0
12	Common Flicker	6	KP - 0
13	Red bellied Woodpecker	4	KP - 0
14	Red headed Woodpecker	1	0
15	Downy Woodpecker	4	KP - X
16	Eastern Shrike	1	KP
17	Blue Jay	6	KP - X
18	Black capped Chickadee	7	KP - X
19	Tufted Titmouse	2	KP
20	Red breasted Nuthatch	1	X

21	Brown Thrasher	1	KP
22	Robin	150	everywhere
23	Cedar Waxwing	1	X
24	Loggerhead Shrike	1	0
25	Starling	75	everywhere
26	House Sparrow	30	everywhere
27	Eastern Meadowlark	3	0
28	Red winged Blackbird	20	0
29	Brewer's Blackbird	1	0
30	Common Grackle	100	everywhere
31	Brown headed Cowbird	2	KP
32	Cardinal	6	X - 0 - KP
33	Vesper Sparrow	2	0
34	Harris Sparrow	7	0
35	Lincoln Sparrow	1	KP

Today was cloudy, windy and chilly all day. Temperatures were low 45° high 56°. While Pearl went to the Beauty Shoppe this morning I went birding at Krug Park. It really brought back old times, birding there by myself. I am a bit leery about birding there by myself anymore because of so many of St Josephs young hoodlums hang out there any more. This afternoon we took our drive east of town.

Wednesday, April 9, 1980

1	Pied billed Grebe	125	SG
2	White Pelican	60	SG
3	Houble crested Cormorants	1	SG
4	Mallard	300	SG
5	Gadwall	250	SG
6	Pintail	50	SG
7	Green winged Teal	350	SG
8	Blue winged Teal	600	SG
9	Cinnamon Teal	1	SG
10	American Wigeon	35	SG
11	Shoveller	500	SG
12	Wood Duck	1	0
13	Redhead Duck	75	SG

14	Ring necked Duck	1000	SL
15	Canvasback	~~3800~~ 40	SL
16	Lesser Scaup	3800	SL
17	Bufflehead	150	SL
18	Ruddy Duck	175	SL
19	Common Merganser	2	SL
20	Turkey Vulture	6	HC - SL
21	Red tailed hawk	7	River Rd - SL
22	American Kestrel	5	River Rd - Hy 59 - SL
23	Ring necked Pheasant	40	HC - SL
24	American Coot	30,000	SL
25	Killdeer	1	SL
26	Common Snipe	7	SL
27	Greater yellowlegs	2	SL
28	Lesser yellowlegs	3	SL
29	Pectorals and piper	8	SL
30	Rock Dove	40	AR - 0 - X
31	Mourning Dove	6	River Rd - HC - AR - 0
32	Chimney Swift	1	X
33	Common Flicker	28	mostly SL
34	Red headed Woodpecker	6	River Rd. - HC - SL
35	Downy Woodpecker	5	SL - X
36	Eastern Phoebe	3	River Rd - SL
37	Blue Jay	6	River Rd - X - SL
38	Common Crow	8	SL - AR - X
39	Black capped Chickadee	5	X - SL
40	Tufted Titmouse	2	X
41	Red breasted Nuthatch	1	X
42	Robin	150	everywhere
43	Eastern Bluebird	1	River Road
44	Cedar Wax wing	1	X
45	Starling	300	everywhere
46	House Sparrow	45	everywhere
47	Eastern Meadowlark	3	0
48	Western Meadowlark	1	0
49	Red wing Blackbird	350	mostly SL
50	Common Grackle	125	everywhere

51	Brown headed Cowbird	12	AR - 0 - SG
52	Cardinal	8	SG - 0 - X
53	Field Sparrow	3	HC - 0
54	Harris Sparrow	5	0
55	Joe Sparrow	18	HC - SG
56	Song Sparrow	2	SG

Today was cloudy & chilly untill about 1 P.M. then clear the balance of the day. The wind was awful again. Temperatures were low 40° high 60° Beal & I left home at 7:30 A.M. & drove east of town, then up to Honey Creek, from there on up to Squaw Creek. We came back home by way of the River Road. We got home at 3:30 P.M. We had planned on staying at Squaw Creek untill dark but the wind was so bad it was hard to do a good job of birding.

Thursday, April 10, 1980

1	Rock Dove	3	X
2	Morning Dove	4	KP - X
3	Owl (Sp)	1	Nw.bvd
4	Chimney Swift	1	X
5	Common Flicker	6	KP - Nw.bvd - X
6	Red bellied Woodpecker	4	KP - Nw.bvd - X
7	Red headed Woodpecker	2	KP
8	Hairy Woodpecker	2	Nw.bvd
9	Downy Wood pecker	6	KP - Nw.bvd - X
10	Blue Jay	7	KP - Nw.bvd - X
11	Common Crow	3	KP - X
12	Black capped Chickadee	8	KP - Nw.bvd - X
13	Tufted Titmouse	5	KP - Nw.bvd - X
14	White breasted Nuthatch	2	KP - Nw.bvd
15	Red breasted Nuthatch	1	X
16	House Wren	1	X
17	Brown Thrasher	2	KP
18	Robin	40	KP Nw.bvd - X
19	Purple Martin	2	KP
20	Ruby crowned Kinglet	3	KP

21	Cedar Waxwing	1		X
22	Starling	50	KP - Nw. bvd -	X
23	House Sparrow	30	KP	X
24	Common Grackle	60	KP - Nw bvd -	X
25	Brown-headed Cowbird	10	KP - Nw bvd	
26	Cardinal	12	KP - Nw. bvd -	X
27	American Goldfinch	3		X
28	Rufous-sided Towhee	3	KP	
29	White-throated Sparrow	2	KP	

Today was clear and real nice. Today was as nice as yesterday was poor. Temperatures were low 54° high 68°. There was no wind today. This morning I took a walk up at Krug Park and a short time later I took a walk in timber along the northwest boulevard system. I then stayed home the rest of the day.

Friday, April 11, 1980

1	Pied-billed Grebe	11	HL - ML - LC
2	Great Blue Heron	3	MRL - LC
3	Mallard	35	MRL - LC
4	Gadwall	17	ML - MRL - LC
5	Green-winged Teal	60	ML - MRL - LC
6	Blue-winged Teal	75	ML - MRL - LC
7	American Wigeon	8	LC
8	Shoveller	18	ML - MRL - LC
9	Ring-necked Plover	9	ML - LC
10	Lesser Scaup	500	HL - MRL - ML - LC
11	Ruddy Duck	10	HL - ML
12	American Kestrel	1	HL
13	Ring-necked Pheasant	3	LC
14	American Coot	350	HL - ML - MRL - LC
15	Killdeer	6	MRL - LC
16	Common Snipe	12	LC
17	Lesser yellowlegs	8	LC
18	Pectoral Sandpiper	10	LC
19	Long-billed Noddy	8	LC
20	Scripps-palmated Sandpiper	2	LC

21	Ring-billed Gull	28	LC
22	Bonaparte's Gull	3	LC
23	Fork-tailed Tern	1	LC
24	Rock Dove	35	near ML - d. E.
25	Mourning Dove	4	0 - AC
26	Belted Kingfisher	1	LC
27	Common Flicker	10	AC
28	Downy Woodpecker	3	X
29	Horned Lark	15	HL - MRL - LC
30	Tree Swallow	1	LC
31	Purple Martin	6	near LC
32	Blue Jay	6	LC - X
33	Black-capped Chickadee	4	AC - X
34	Tufted Titmouse	2	X
35	Red-breasted Nuthatch	1	X
36	Robin	150	everywhere
37	Ruby-crowned Kinglet	1	near X
38	Loggerhead Shrike	2	near HL - near LC
39	Starling	200	everywhere
40	House Sparrow	35	everywhere
41	Red-winged Blackbird	20	mostly LC
42	Common Grackle	50	everywhere
43	Brown-headed Cowbird	6	near ML - LC
44	Cardinal	3	X
45	Dark-eyed Junco	3	AC

Today was cloudy, rainy and cold all day. Late this afternoon we had rain mixed with snow. In northern Missouri there was near five inches of snow. The temperatures today were low 35° high 55°.

Saturday, April 12, 1980

1	Pied-billed Grebe	20	LC-MRL
2	Great Blue Heron	3	MRL
3	Snow Goose	2	MRL
4	Snow (blue) Goose	1	MRL
5	Mallard	35	LC-MRL
6	Gadwall	3	LC

7	Greenwinged Teal	60	MRL - ML - LC
8	Blue-winged Teal	75	MRL - ML - LC
9	American Wigeon	10	LC
10	Shoveller	30	MRL - ML - LC
11	Canvasback	1	MRL
12	Lesser Scaup	200	MRL - ML - LC
13	Bufflehead	1	LC
14	Turkey Vulture	1	B.W.
15	Red-tailed Hawk	3	HL - BW - KP
16	American Kestrel	3	HL - BW - d.E.
17	Ring-necked Pheasant	1	ML
18	American Coot	500	HL - MRL - ML - LC
19	Killdeer	6	MRL - LC
20	Common Snipe	10	LC
21	Lesser yellowlegs	8	LC
22	Belted Sandpiper	15	LC
23	Semipalmated Sandpiper	4	MRL - LC
24	Ring-billed Gull	50	ML
25	Rock Dove	40	South St. Joe ML - d.E.
26	Mourning Dove	1	ML
27	Belted Kingfisher	1	LC
28	Common Flicker	15	BW - LC - KP
29	Red-bellied Woodpecker	6	BW - KP
30	Red-headed Woodpecker	3	BW - KP
31	Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	1	X
32	Downy Woodpecker	10	KP - X
33	Eastern Phoebe	1	LC
34	Horned Lark	6	HR - ML
35	Bank Swallow	2	LC
36	Rough-winged Swallow	1	LC
37	Purple Martin	15	mostly LC
38	Blue Jay	12	BW - KP - X
39	Common Crow	2	LC - KP
40	Black-capped Chickadee	6	BW - KP - X
41	Tufted Titmouse	5	BW - KP - X
42	Red-breasted Nuthatch	1	X
43	Brown Creeper	1	KP

44	Brown Thrasher	1	KP
45	Robin	160	everywhere
46	Eastern Bluebird	2	near B.W.
47	Ruby crowned Kinglet	10	B.W - X - KP
48	Log headed Shrike	2	LC-HL
49	Starling	300	everywhere
50	Yellow rumped Warbler	14	KP
51	Louisiana Water-thrush	1	KP
52	House Sparrow	30	everywhere
53	Eastern Meadowlark	3	ML
54	Red winged Blackbird	50	mostly near ML
55	Common Grackle	150	everywhere
56	Brown headed Cowbird	35	mostly KP
57	Cardinal	12	BW - LC - KP - X
58	American Goldfinch	4	KP
59	Rufous-sided Towhee	1	KP
60	Dark eyed Junco	3	KP
61	White throated Sparrow	2	KP
62	Swamp Sparrow	3	KP
63	Song Sparrow	1	KP
64	Wood Duck	2	KP

Today was clear, a bit windy & chilly all day. Temperatures were low 33° high 54°. I birded today from 8:30 a.m. until 1:30 p.m. with Kenneth Jackson. We birded at Krug Park and down around the lakes southwest of St. Joe. I have really enjoyed my birding lately at Krug Park. Ducks are moving out now and land birds moving in.

Sunday, April 13, 1980

1	Pied billed Grebe	18	SL
2	White Pelican	250	SL
3	Houli-crested Cormorant	4	SL
4	Great Blue Heron	8	near H.C. - SL
5	Black crowned Night Heron	57	SL
6	Snow Goose	35,000	SL
7	Snow (blue) Goose		SL
8	Mallard	150	SL

9	Gadwall	250	SG
10	Pintail	40	SG
11	Green winged Teal	300	SG
12	Blue winged Teal	600	SG
13	American Wigeon	125	SG
14	Shoveller	1500	SG
15	Wood Duck	6	HC - SG
16	Red head Duck	25	SG
17	Ring necked Duck	750	SG
18	Lesser Scaup	2000	SG
19	Bufflehead	50	SG
20	Ruddy Duck	500	SG
21	Turkey Vulture	10	HC - SG
22	Red tailed hawk	11	HC - SG
23	Marsh hawk	4	SG
24	American Kestrel	7	HC - SG
25	Ring necked Pheasant	30	SG
26	American Coot	30,000	SG
27	Killdeer	120	SG
28	Common Snipe	20	SG
29	Greater yellowlegs	2	SG
30	Lesser yellowlegs	8	SG
31	Hudsonian Goldfinch	2	SG
32	Franklin's Gull	1	SG
33	Rock Dove	1	AR
34	Mourning Dove	6	AR - HC - SG
35	Barred Owl	1	near HC
36	Common Flicker	28	HC - SG
37	Red bellied Woodpecker	4	HC - SG
38	Red headed Woodpecker	28	mostly HC - AR - SG
39	Hairy Woodpecker	2	HC - SG
40	Downy Woodpecker	4	X - SG
41	Eastern Phoebe	1	AR
42	Horned Lark	2	near HC
43	Rough winged Swallow	1	near HC
44	Barn Swallow	2	near SG
45	Purple Martin	5	SG

46	Blue Jay	8	X - HC - S6
47	Common Crow	6	HC - S6
48	Black capped Chickadee	12	X - HC - S6
49	Tufted Titmouse	5	X - HC - S6
50	White breasted Nuthatch	1	S6
51	Brown Creeper	1	S6
52	Brown Thrasher	1	HC
53	Robin	125	everywhere
54	Ruby crowned Kinglet	6	X HC - S6
55	Starling	300	everywhere
56	House Sparrow	40	everywhere
57	Meadowlark (sp)	18	AR - Hy 29 - Hy 59
58	Redwinged Blackbird	50	AR - S6
59	Common Grackle	150	everywhere
60	Brown headed Cowbird	40	everywhere
61	Cardinal	15	X - HC - S6
62	American Goldfinch	2	X - S6
63	Rufous sided Towhee	3	HC
64	Vesper Sparrow	4	HC - S6
65	Black eyed Junco	3	S6
66	Field Sparrow	4	HC
67	Harris Sparrow	3	HC
68	White crowned Sparrow	2	HC
69	Joe Sparrow	1	HC

Today was really a divided day. This morning up until noon was one of the most beautiful days I have ever seen. Then around noon it clouded up, got very windy and was real chilly. Pearl + I left home at 11:15 A.M. + headed for Squaw Creek, stopping at Honey Creek on our way. We had headed for Squaw Creek to help tour a bus load of people who came up sponsored by the St Joseph Museum. Richard Nolf led the group. Helping Rick in different departments were Leo Halloway and Jim Lebo as an authority on prairies and George Crockett representing the Refuge. Pearl + I made the tour of the Refuge on the bus. We got back home at 6 P.M. Temperatures today were low 26° high 51°.