

we also saw a coyote this morning & heard young ones

48 Song Sparrow

1 BBS

49 Great horned Owl

1 Hy 199 south of town

Today was generally a nice day. Partly cloudy & cool A.M. with a little rain showed about 8 A.M. Pearl & I made the Breeding Bird Survey this morning for the US Fish & Wildlife Service. It is my eighteenth consecutive count to make. Each June since it first began in June of 1967. I am planning on calling it quits now. I enjoy birding about as much as ever but I am trying to get away from tying myself down in making commitments for certain events on certain days. The temperatures today were low 61° high 85°

Tuesday, June 26, 1984

1	Mourning Dove	1	X
2	Night Hawk	1	X
3	Chimney Swift	7	X
4	Common Flicker	1	X
5	Blue Jay	1	X
6	House Wren	1	X
7	American Robin	6	X
8	Starling	8	X
9	House Sparrow	5	X
10	Northern Oriole	1	X
11	Common Grackle	6	X
12	Cardinal	1	X

Today was clear & nice. A bit on the warm side. Pearl, Chad and I spent most of the day mowing grass. I picked almost a peck of cherries today. Chad & Pearl helped me some at picking them later this afternoon. Bill, Kay & Tim Boyles came down to our house after we finished supper and helped us get the washer and dryer out of the basement. Actually Bill & Tim did about 90% of the work. We had three other people, neighbors of our came by to pick cherries this evening. Our two trees are really loaded. Temperatures today low 71° high 92°

Wednesday, June 27, 1984

1	Rock Dove	2	X
2	Mourning Dove	4	X
3	Chimney Swift	14	X
4	Common Flicker	1	X
5	Barn Swallow	1	X
6	Purple Martin	3	X
7	Blue Jay	5	X
8	Black capped Chickadee	2	X
9	Tufted Titmouse	2	X
10	House Wren	1	X
11	Catbird	1	X
12	Brown Thrasher	1	X
13	American Robin	10	X
14	Starling	12	X
15	House Sparrow	10	X
16	Orchard Oriole	1	X
17	Northern Oriole	1	X
18	Common Grackle	15	X
19	Cardinal	4	X
20	American Goldfinch	2	X

Today was a beautiful day but I spent most of it in the basement trying to rearrange a lot of my things & get them closer together & throw some things away. Temperatures today were low 67° high 88°

Thursday, June 28, 1984

1	Rock Dove	3	X
2	Night hawk	1	X
3	Chimney Swift	15	X
4	Common Flicker	1	X
5	Purple Martin	2	X
6	Blue Jay	2	X
7	Tufted Titmouse	1	X
8	House Wren	1	X
9	Catbird	1	X
10	American Robin	5	X
11	Cedar Waxwing	1	X

12	Starling	5	X
13	House Sparrow	6	X
14	Orchard Oriole	1	X
15	Common Grackle	10	X
16	Cardinal	3	X

Today was clear and warm. Temperatures were low 65° high 91°. I spent most of today working in the basement. I didn't seem to make much of a showing for the time I spent there. We had a new washer and dryer delivered today. Larry got our washer hooked up & working, but we need an extra fitting to hook up the dryer.

Friday, June 29, 1984

1	American Kestrel	1	X
2	Rock Dove	2	X
3	Mourning Dove	2	X
4	Chimney Swift	18	X
5	Common Flicker	1	X
6	Downy Woodpecker	1	X
7	Rough-winged Swallow	1	X
8	Purple Martin	4	X
9	Blue Jay	4	X
10	Black capped Chickadee	1	X
11	Tufted Titmouse	1	X
12	House Wren	1	X
13	Catbird	1	X
14	American Robin	6	X
15	Starling	20	X
16	House Sparrow	10	X
17	Common Grackle	12	X
18	Cardinal	4	X

Today was clear & warm but nice. Temperatures were low high. I spent most of today in the basement unpacking a box of newspapers I have been collecting for about 40 years. Some of them are eighty years old and older. I am saving

all of the older papers but I am throwing away most of the others. I had news papers I feel sure from 40 states or more, also Alaska, Hawaii, several Canadian towns, China, Japan, England, Scotland, Ireland, Poland, Germany, France, Italy & probably several other countries that I don't recall at present. I started mainly to collect a news paper from as many different towns, cities & countries as I could.

Saturday, June 30, 1984

1	Rock Dove	5	X
2	Mourning Dove	2	X
3	Night Hawk	1	X
4	Chimney Swift	15	X
5	~~Downy Woodpecker~~ Flicker	1	X
6	Barn Swallow	1	X
7	Blue Jay	5	X
8	Tufted Titmouse	1	X
9	House Wren	1	X
10	Brown Thrasher	1	X
11	American Robin	4	X
12	Starling	6	X
13	House Sparrow	7	X
14	Common Grackle	5	X
15	Cardinal	4	X

Today was clear & nice. The temperatures were low 57° high 80°. I spent the morning picking dried grass, weeds & leaves from our front fence that was washed onto it by the flood & sitting out in the back yard binding. This afternoon I spent most of my time in the basement with Larry working on the furnace motor which also activates the cold air from the air conditioner and getting the new dryer to working. ~~Temperatures are good~~. The month of June gave us 15.99 inches rainfall. June normal average is 5.10 inches. Our year thru June is 31.10 inches. Normal for the first six months average is 17.03 inches.

This evening I went to a wedding with Lois and Marcella. It was the wedding of Heidi Hamilton to Harold Kurtz. Harold is a farm boy from near Oregon, Mo. & Heidi is from St. Joseph. Heidi is a niece of Pearl & mine and a second cousin to Lois & Larry. She is the daughter of Connie who is Bert & Viola Jennings' daughter. The wedding was set for 7 P.M. at St Paul Lutheran Church. We got back home about 9:45 P.M. This was my poorest June birding in the last 28 years.

Sunday July 2, 1984

1	Red tailed Hawk	1	MAR
2	American Kestrel	1	MAR
3	Bob White	2	0
4	Killdeer	9	ER - 0
5	Rock Dove	8	ER - X
6	Mourning Dove	20	0 - ER - X
7	Nighthawk	1	X
8	Chimney Swift	15	X
9	Common Flicker	1	X
10	Red headed Woodpecker	2	0 - KP
11	Downy Woodpecker	3	0 - X
12	Eastern Kingbird	6	0 - ER
13	Rough winged Swallow	10	0 - KP
14	Bank Swallow	8	0 - KP
15	Purple Martin	6	0 - X
16	Blue Jay	10	ER - 0 - X
17	Common Crow	5	bvd - 0
18	Black capped Chickadee	1	X
19	Tufted Titmouse	1	X
20	House Wren	3	ER - X
21	Brown Thrasher	2	X
22	American Robin	25	KP - 0 - ER - X
23	Eastern Bluebird	2	0
24	Starling	50	KP - ER - 0 - X
25	House Sparrow	20	KP - 0 - X
26	Common yellowthroat	3	MAR - ER

27	Eastern Meadowlark	4	ER - 0
28	Red winged Blackbird	35	MAR - ER - 0
29	Orchard Oriole	1	X
30	Northern Oriole	3	ER - 0 - X
31	Common Grackle	18	ER - 0 - X
32	Brown headed Cowbird	15	ER - 0
33	Cardinal	5	KP - X
34	Indigo Bunting	6	ER - 0
35	Chickadee	16	ER - 0

Today was clear & nice. Temperatures were low 62° high 86°. Pearl & I took a short drive this a.m. in Lois' car of about 40 miles. We were back home at 11 a.m. I didn't do any work today at all. I hope to get back to work tomorrow. I have so much to do that needs being done sometimes I wonder, will I ever catch up. Sometimes I feel like giving up.

Monday July 2, 1985

1	Rock Dove	5	X
2	Mourning Dove	2	X
3	Chimney Swift	14	X
4	Common Flicker	1	X
5	Barn Swallow	1	X
6	Purple Martin	2	X
7	Blue Jay	3	X
8	Black capped Chickadee	1	X
9	Tufted Titmouse	1	X
10	House Wren	1	X
11	Catbird	1	X
12	Brown Thrasher	1	X
13	American Robin	6	X
14	Starling	12	X
15	House Sparrow	9	X

Today was clear & warm. The temperatures were low 61° high 84°. I worked until near 2 P.M. in the garage trying to straighten it up. I did a pretty good job. Pearl & I mowed some this afternoon.

Tuesday, July 3, 1984

1	Great Blue Heron	1		X
2	Turkey Vulture	7	HC	
3	Rock Dove	8	d.t. -	X
4	Mourning Dove	10	AR - HC -	X
5	Yellow-billed Cuckoo	1	HC	
6	Nighthawk	1		X
7	Chimney Swift	12		X
8	Ruby-throated Hummingbird	1	HC	
9	Red-headed Woodpecker	1		X
10	Eastern Phoebe	1	HC	
11	Eastern Kingbird	3	HC -	X
12	Rough-winged Swallow	3	d.t. -	X
13	Barn Swallow	6	AR - HC	
14	Blue Jay	4	HC -	X
15	Tufted Titmouse	1		X
16	House Wren	4	HC -	X
17	Catbird	1		X
18	Brown Thrasher	3	HC -	X
19	American Robin	30	AR - HC -	X
20	Eastern Bluebird	2	AR	
21	Starling	25	AR - HC -	X
22	Bells Vireo	1	HC	
23	Warbling Vireo	1	HC	
24	Yellow-breasted Chat	4	HC	
25	House Sparrow	20	AR	X
26	Eastern Meadowlark	5	AR	
27	Western Meadowlark	1	AR	
28	Red-winged Blackbird	15	AR	X
29	Orchard Oriole	2	HC -	X
30	Common Grackle	20	AR - HC -	X
31	Brown-headed Cowbird	7	AR - HC	
32	Cardinal	6	HC -	X
33	Indigo Bunting	5	AR - HC -	X
34	Mocker	18	AR - HC	
35	Grasshopper Sparrow	1	AR	
36	Lark Sparrow	2	HC	
37	Field Sparrow	3	HC	
38	Chipping Sparrow	1		X

Today was mostly cloudy, warm and very humid. I worked in the basement about half of the morning separating a bunch of my papers and magazines. I rode to work with Lois ~~and~~ so I could bring her car back home. Today was mine + Pearl's pay day by receiving our social security checks. Also *we* have a new little Chihuahua dog. Pearl + Lois got her Saturday from a lady in Wathena Kansas who raises them. She is a thoroughbred dog. She is just about 9 weeks old today. Pearl has named her "Angel". We took her to the Vet today for her first shot. She will get four shots, all about three weeks apart. This afternoon Pearl + I drove to Honey Creek Wildlife Area + back. We had a cookout this evening here at home so that Chad + Ragan could set off their fireworks. Temperatures today were low 70° high 89°.

Wednesday, July 4, 1984

1	Green Heron	1	near Alices
2	Hawk (sp) probably Redtail	1	" "
3	Bob White	1	" "
4	Killdeer	2	" "
5	Rock Dove	4	d.t.
6	Mourning Dove	2	X
7	Chimney Swift	15	X - near Alices
8	Common Flicker	1	X
9	~~Red~~ Eastern Kingbird	1	near Alices
10	Rough winged Swallow	2	" "
11	Barn Swallow	1	" "
12	Blue Jay	2	X
13	Common Crow	1	near Alices
14	Tufted Titmouse	2	X
15	House Wren	1	X
16	Brown Thrasher	1	X
17	American Robin	20	X - near Alices
18	Starling	12	X - near Alices

19	House Sparrow	10	X - near Alices
20	Redwinged Blackbird	1	"
21	Common Grackle	8	X "
22	Cardinal	3	X
23	Chickadee	3	Alices

Today was cloudy most of the ~~day~~ day after a night of thunder storms & rain, 2.4 inches, a bit of rain this morning. Bubbles Brown called me at noon & said she had found some pictures of African Birds that had belonged to Bob. They are 12 water color studies painted in the Republic of Botswana by Donald Leo Malick for the A. J. S. Museum of Natural History. The white heavy paper board that each bird is painted on is 11" x 16". This afternoon Pearl, Lois and I went over to Ralph & Alice Jackson's home just across the highway I-29, west from the Pigeon Hill Wildlife Area. That is why birds are marked Alices & near Alices. Every year on July 4 they have a family reunion. As Pearl is Alice's sister we are always invited. We were back home by 8 P.M. Temperatures were low 66° high 79°.

Thursday July 5, 1984

1	Mourning Dove	1	X
2	Chimney Swift	6	X
3	Common Flicker	1	X
4	Swallow (sp.)	1	X
5	Purple Martin	2	X
6	Blue Jay	2	X
7	Black Capped Chickadee	1	X
8	Tufted Titmouse	1	X
9	House Wren	1	X
10	Brown Thrasher	1	X
11	Robin	5	X
12	Starling	4	X
13	House Sparrow	5	X
14	Common Grackle	2	X
15	Cardinal	1	X

Today was sunny all day untill early evening when it clouded up + looked like Rain. Temperatures today were low 63° high 87°. I spent most of the day working in + out of the basement still working at trying to dry out some of my books + magazines. Lois, Pearl, Chad + I also worked at mowing our yard today.

Friday, July 6, 1984

1	Mourning Dove	2	X
2	Chimney Swift	10	X
3	Common Flicker	1	X
4	Red headed Woodpecker	1	X
5	Purple Martin	2	X
6	Blue Jay	3	X
7	Black capped Chickadee	1	X
8	Tufted Titmouse	1	X
9	House Wren	1	X
10	Catbird	1	X
11	Brown Thrasher	1	X
12	~~Common Robin~~ Robin	10	X
13	Starling	6	X
14	House Sparrow	10	X
15	Northern Oriole	1	X
16	Common Grackle	6	X
17	Cardinal	2	X
18	Indigo Bunting	1	X

Today was mostly clear, warm in the sun but pleasantly cool in the shade because of a breeze and low humidity. I didn't do much today except just loaf. I did a bit of mowing. Temperatures were low 64° high 82°.

Saturday, July 7, 1984

1	Mourning Dove	3	X
2	Chimney Swift	8	X
3	Common Flicker	1	X

4	Red headed Wood pecker	1	X
5	Blue Jay	2	X
6	Black capped Chickadee	1	X
7	Tufted Titmouse	1	X
8	House Wren	2	X
9	Catbird	1	X
10	Brown Thrasher	2	X
11	American Robin	6	X
12	Starling	15	X
13	House Sparrow	10	X
14	Northern Oriole	3	X
15	Common Grackle	12	X
16	Cardinal	4	X

To day was partly cloudy and cool all day. The Temperatures were low 64° high 74°. I didn't do much of any thing today except loaf.

Sunday July 8, 1984

1	Rock Dove	2	X
2	Mourning Dove	4	X
3	Chimney Swift	20	X
4	Red headed Wood pecker	1	X
5	Downy Wood pecker	1	X
6	Eastern Kingbird	1	X
7	Barn Swallow	2	X
8	Purple Martin	6	X
9	Blue Jay	3	X
10	Black capped Chickadee	1	X
11	Tufted Titmouse	1	X
12	House Wren	2	X
13	Gray Catbird	1	X
14	Brown Thrasher	2	X
15	American Robin	8	X
16	Starling	20	X
17	House Sparrow	12	X
18	Common Grackle	8	X
19	Cardinal	4	X

- 20 American Goldfinch 1 X
 Today was clear, hot and humid. If it wasn't for a nice breeze it would have been worse. The temperatures were low 70° high 95°.

Monday July 9, 1984

1	Turkey Vulture	1	X
2	Mourning Dove	4	X
3	Yellow billed Cuckoo	1	X
4	Chimney Swift	15	X
5	Common Flicker	1	X
6	Red headed Woodpecker	1	X
7	Purple Martin	3	X
8	Blue Jay	2	X
9	Black capped Chickadee	1	X
10	Tufted Titmouse	1	X
11	House Wren	1	X
12	Gray Catbird	2	X
13	Brown Thrasher	1	X
14	American Robin	7	X
15	Starling	15	X
16	House Sparrow	12	X
17	Common Grackle	10	X
18	Cardinal	2	X
19	Indigo Bunting	1	X

Today was clear, hot + humid. Temperatures were low 80° high 98°. I worked out front on our front fence until noon. I came about as near getting to hot as I have for a long time. It is going to really be a job to get the fence put back up to look good.

Tuesday July 10, 1984

1	Rock Dove	6	X
2	Mourning Dove	2	X
3	Chimney Swift	7	X
4	Red headed Woodpecker	1	X

5	Purple Martin	2	X
6	Blue Jay	2	X
7	Tufted Titmouse	1	X
8	House Wren	1	X
9	Catbird	1	X
10	Brown Thrasher	1	X
11	American Robin	5	X
12	Starling	3	X
13	House Sparrow	12	X
14	Common Grackle	6	X
15	Cardinal	2	X
16	Chipping Sparrow	1	X

Today was clear & hot this A.M., cloudy & hot & humid this afternoon. We have had some thunder showers this evening. Temperatures today were low 78° high 90°. Pearl & I worked on our front fence this morning till noon. Then afternoon ~~when~~ we ~~had~~ hauled some dirt in the wheelbarrow to fill in around some fence posts. If it is nice tomorrow morning then I hope to put up some of the fence that was washed out.

July
Wednesday ~~October~~ 11, 1984

1	Nighthawk	1	X
2	Chimney Swift	6	X
3	Common Flicker	1	X
4	Red headed Woodpecker	1	X
5	Downy Woodpecker	1	X
6	Purple Martin	2	X
7	Blue Jay	2	X
8	Tufted Titmouse	1	X
9	House Wren	1	X
10	Brown Thrasher	1	X
11	American Robin	4	X
12	Starling	5	X
13	House Sparrow	8	X
14	Common Grackle	4	X
15	Cardinal	2	X

Today was clear with a bright sun. It was hot out in the sun working but nice sitting in the shade. Pearl & I worked until noon on our front fence. It is a chain link fence. We put up a 60 foot section but couldn't get enough of a pull to make it go all the way to the post we were to hook on to. Later in the day Ralph & Alice Jackson along with Kay and Bill Boyles came by with a fence stretcher so with that hooked on to the fence and about five of us working at it we got it stretched to fit perfectly. Now I have another sixty foot piece to put in and it will be all done. Temperatures today were low 65° high 89°

Thursday, July 12, 1984

1	Rock Dove	7	X
2	Chimney Swift	6	X
3	Eastern Kingbird	1	X
4	Purple Martin	1	X
5	Blue Jay	2	X
6	Tufted Titmouse	1	X
7	House Wren	2	X
8	Brown Thrasher	1	X
9	American Robin	3	X
10	Starling	10	X
11	House Sparrow	12	X
12	Common Grackle	4	X
13	Cardinal	2	X

Today was clear & hot. Temperatures were low 68° high 89°. I spent about half of the day mowing & the other half trying to cool off.

Friday, July 13, 1984

1	Rock Dove	7	dt. - X
2	Mourning Dove	2	X
3	Chimney Swift	10	X

4	Eastern Kingbird	2	d.t. - X
5	Blue Jay	4	X
6	Tufted Titmouse	1	X
7	House Wren	2	X
8	Brown Thrasher	2	X
9	American Robin	5	X
10	House Sparrow	12	X
11	Starling	10	X
12	Common Grackle	6	X
13	Cardinal	3	d.t. - X

Today was clear and hot. The temperatures were low 68° high 91°. I did very little work today at home. I rode to work with Lois so I could get her car and then I ran several errands that I have had backing up for 2 or three weeks.

Saturday, July 14, 1984

1	Turkey Vulture	1	X
2	American Kestrel	1	X
3	Rock Dove	1	X
4	Mourning Dove	6	X
5	Night Hawk	1	X
6	Chimney Swift	25	X
7	Red headed Woodpecker	1	X
8	Eastern Kingbird	1	X
9	Barn Swallow	1	X
10	Purple Martin	8	X
11	Blue Jay	6	X
12	Tufted Titmouse	1	X
13	House Wren	2	X
14	Catbird	1	X
15	Brown Thrasher	1	X
16	American Robin	16	X
17	Starling	20	X
18	House Sparrow	12	X
19	Northern Oriole	1	X
20	Common Grackle	50	X

21	Brown headed Cowbird	2	X
22	Cardinal	3	X

Today was clear and hot. The temperatures were low 72° high 96°.

Sunday, July 15, 1984

1	Great Blue Heron	1	near ML
2	Mallard	2	near ML
3	Blue winged Teal	6	LC - near ML
4	Turkey Vulture	2	BW
5	Red tailed Hawk	1	MRL
6	American Kestrel	1	d.t.
7	Bob White	1	BW
8	Killdeer	23	MRL - ML - LC
9	Upland Sandpiper	1	near LC
10	Lesser yellow legs	4	LC
11	Pectoral Sandpiper	11	near ML - LC
12	Semipalmated Sandpiper	3	LC
13	Rock Dove	18	near LC - d.t. - X
14	Mourning Dove	16	BW - MRL - LC - X
15	yellow-billed Cuckoo	4	BW
16	Nighthawk	2	X
17	Chimney Swift	30	BW - LC - X
18	Ruby-throated Hummingbird	2	BW
19	Red-headed Woodpecker	1	BW
20	Eastern Kingbird	12	BW - MRL - ML - LC - X
21	Western Kingbird	3	d.t. - LC
22	Great crested Flycatcher	1	BW
23	Horned Lark	7	MRL - near LC
24	Rough-winged Swallow	300	BW - MRL - ML - LC
25	Barn Swallow	40	BW - MRL - ML - LC
26	Purple Martin	27	LC - X
27	Blue Jay	12	BW - LC - X
28	Common Crow	7	near BW - near MRL
29	Black-capped Chickadee	2	BW
30	Tufted Titmouse	1	X
31	House Wren	5	BW - LC - X

32	Brown Thrasher	3		BW - X
33	American Robin	30	BW - ML - LC - X	
34	Starling	60	BW - ML - LC - X	
35	Bells Wren	2	LC	
36	Kentucky Warbler	2	BW	
37	Common Yellowthroat	4	BW - MRL	
38	House Sparrow	20	LT - ML - LC - X	
39	Eastern Meadowlark	3	near BW - ML - LC	
40	Redwinged Blackbird	35	MRL - ML - LC	
41	Orchard Oriole	1	BW	
42	Northern Oriole	7	BW - LC	
43	Common Grackle	75	ML - MRL - BW - LC - X	
44	Brown headed Cowbird	20	BW - ML - LC	
45	Cardinal	8	BW - X	
46	Indigo Bunting	4	BW - ML	
47	Dickcissel	48	BW - ML - LC	
48	American Goldfinch	4	MRL LC	
49	Chipping Sparrow	2	LC	

To Day was clear + warm. Actually partly cloudy A.M.
 when Beaul + I made a round of the lakes + Bluff Woods.
 This afternoon clear + hot. I stayed in most of the
 afternoon watching television. Temp low 71° high 91°

Monday July 16, 1984

1	Mourning Dove	4	X
2	Night Hawk	2	X
3	Chimney Swift	25	X
4	Common Flicker	1	X
5	Red headed Woodpecker	1	X
6	Eastern Kingbird	1	X
7	Purple Martin	7	X
8	Blue Jay	4	X
9	Tufted Titmouse	1	X
10	House Wren	2	X
11	Gray Catbird	1	X
12	Brown Thrasher	1	X
13	American Robin	24	X

14	Starling	16	X
15	House Sparrow	10	X
16	Orchard Oriole	2	X
17	Northern Oriole	2	X
18	Common Grackle	35	X
19	Brown headed Cowbird	2	X
20	Cardinal	3	X
21	Rose breasted Grosbeak	1 ♀	X

Today was mostly clear and nice. Temperatures were low 71° high 88°. I worked all morning and early afternoon hoeing Lois' flower garden and our small vegetable garden.

Tuesday, July 17, 1984

1	Rock Dove	2	X
2	Mourning Dove	2	X
3	Night Hawk	1	X
4	Chimney Swift	20	X
5	Red headed Woodpecker	1	X
6	Downy Woodpecker	2	X
7	Rubythroated Hummingbird	1	X
8	Eastern Kingbird	2	X
9	Purple Martin	5	X
10	Blue Jay	4	X
11	Black capped Chickadee	1	X
12	Tufted Titmouse	1	X
13	House Wren	2	X
14	Catbird	3	X
15	Brown Thrasher	1	X
16	American Robin	20	X
17	Starling	13	X
18	House Sparrow	20	X
19	Orchard Oriole	1	X
20	Common Grackle	18	X
21	Brown headed Cowbird	6	X
22	Cardinal	3	X

Clear & warm
 Temperature
 low 65° high 85°

Pearl & I with Bill & Kay Boyles finished putting our fence up this a.m. Bill & Kay stayed until 2 P.M. Today was real nice

Wednesday, July 18, 1984

1	Rock Dove	1	X
2	Mourning Dove	2	X
3	Chimney Swift	25	X
4	Ruby-throated Hummingbird	1	X
5	Common Flicker	1	X
6	Red headed Woodpecker	1	X
7	Eastern Kingbird	1	X
8	Purple Martin	1	X
9	Blue Jay	3	X
10	Tufted Titmouse	1	X
11	House Wren	1	X
12	Catbird	1	X
13	American Robin	15	X
14	Starling	12	X
15	House Sparrow	14	X
16	Redwinged Blackbird	1	X
17	Common Grackle	60	X
18	Northern Oriole	1	X
19	Cardinal	3	X
20	Chipping Sparrow	1	X

Today was clear + warm but nice. Temperatures were low 87° high 60°. I worked about half of the time today on our front fence. I was hauling dirt + putting it along our fence line where the flood had washed out quite a bit of dirt. I am really tired this evening.

Thursday, July 19, 1984

1	Chimney Swift	6	X
2	Purple Martin	1	X
3	House Wren	1	X
4	American Robin	3	X
5	Starling	5	X
6	House Sparrow	10	X
7	Common Grackle	7	X
8	Brown headed Cowbird	1	X
9	Cardinal	1	X

10. Nighthawk +

Today was clear, hot and humid. Temperatures were low 69° high 74°. I worked until 1 P.M. painting our front porch. After lunch I went out in our back yard but it was uncomfortably hot so I came in for the balance of the day.

Friday July 20/1984

1	Great Blue Heron	9	SG
2	Green Heron	2	SG
3	Little Blue Heron	9	SG
4	Great Egret	11	SG
5	Ducks (sp)	3	near SG
6	Turkey Vulture	1	X
7	Red Tailed Hawk	1	near SG
8	Bob White	6	SG
9	Ring necked Pheasant	9	SG
10	American Coot	1	SG
11	Killdeer	25	near SG
12	Greater yellowlegs	1	near SG
13	Lesser yellowlegs	2	near SG
14	Pectoral Sandpiper	7	near SG
15	Witcher (sp)	6	near SG
16	Rock Dove	2	X
17	Mourning Dove	35	AR - Big Lake - SG
18	Yellow-billed Cuckoo	4	AR - SG
19	Chimney Swift	15	X
20	Common Flicker	8	SG
21	Red-headed Woodpecker	2	Big Lake - SG
22	Eastern Kingbird	6	A.R. - Big Lake - SG
23	Rough winged Swallow	7	Hy I 29 - SG
24	Barn Swallow	75	AR - Hy I 29 - SG
25	Purple Martin	6	Big Lake
26	Blue Jay	7	X - SG
27	Common Crow	6	H.C.
28	Tufted Titmouse	1	X
29	House Wren	4	X - SG
30	Gray Catbird	2	X - SG

31	Brown Thrasher	6		X - SG
32	American Robin	25		Big Lake - X - SG
33	Starling	35	Hy I 29	- Big Lake - X - SG
34	Bells Piree	1		SG
35	Warbling Vireo	1		SG
36	Yellow Warbler	2		SG
37	Common Yellowthroat	5		SG
38	House Sparrow	20		AR - X - Big Lake
39	Eastern Meadowlark	1		near HC
40	Yellow headed Blackbird	3		SG
41	Red winged Blackbird	90		SG
42	Orchard Oriole	8		X - SG
43	Common Grackle	50		AR - Big Lake - X - SG
44	Brown headed Cowbird	150		AR - Big Lake - SG
45	Cardinal	6		X - SG
46	Indigo Bunting	7		AR - Big Lake - SG
47	American Goldfinch	4		SG

Today was cloudy all morning, pleasant temperatures with some light rain. Clear most of the afternoon, hot but with a nice ~~low~~ breeze. Les Galloway picked me up at 7:30 A.M. + we went to Squaw Creek and by Big Lake. We were back home at 12 noon. Temperatures today were low 73° high 88°.

Saturday July 21, 1984

1	Mourning Dove	1	X
2	Night Hawk	1	X
3	Chimney Swift	14	X
4	Common Flicker	1	X
5	Red headed Woodpecker	1	X
6	Blue Jay	2	X
7	Black capped Chickadee	1	X
8	Tufted Titmouse	1	X
9	Starling	6	X
10	House Sparrow	5	X
11	Orchard Oriole	1	X
12	Common Grackle	18	X

13	Brown headed Cowbird	6	X
14	Cardinal	2	X

Today was clear & hot but a nice breeze helped a lot. Temperatures were low 72° high 94°. We had a cook out here late this afternoon and evening. There were eighteen of us here: Pearl, Lois & I have worked the last three days getting ready for it. This cookout was set several weeks ago by Lois especially for the ones who helped Lois & I the day after the flood. Of course several days after the flood we got additional help from Larry, Marretta, Chad, Bill, Kay & Tim Boylce. I think as it turned out every one really enjoyed it. Most of them stayed until about 9 P.M.

Sunday, July 22, 1984

1	Killdeer	1	X
2	Rock Dove	2	X
3	Mourning Dove	3	X
4	Night Hawk	1	X
5	Chimney Swift	22	X
6	Red headed wood pecker	1	X
7	Eastern Kingbird	1	X
8	Rough winged Swallow	1	X
9	Purple Martin	4	X
10	Blue Jay	4	X
11	Tufted Titmouse	1	X
12	House Wren	1	X
13	Brown Thrasher	1	X
14	American Robin	10	X
15	Starling	9	X
16	House Sparrow	12	X
17	Common Grackle	20	X
18	Brown headed Cowbird	2	X
19	Cardinal	3	X

Today was clear & hot. Temperatures low 72° high 94°. I sat out all morning watching for birds & in most of the afternoon.

Monday July 23, 1984

1	Rock Dove	20
2	Mourning Dove	2
3	Nighthawk	1
4	Chimney Swift	28
5	Common Flicker	1
6	Red headed Woodpecker	1
7	Downy Woodpecker	1
8	Eastern Kingbird	1
9	Barn Swallow	2
10	Purple Martin	4
11	Blue Jay	4
12	Tufted Titmouse	1
13	House Wren	2
14	Catbird	1
15	American Robin	12
16	Starling	10
17	House Sparrow	9
18	Orchard Oriole	1
19	Common Grackle	20
20	Brown headed Cowbird	5
21	Cardinal	2
22	Chipping Sparrow	1

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Today was clear, hot & humid. Temperatures today were low 67° high 96°. I went into our back yard this morning planning on sitting there untill noon looking for birds. I began thinking that I still had some dirt to haul and put in my fence row where the flood had washed it out. So I began working and worked at that untill noon. We have that job just about done now. I then went to our basement where I worked all afternoon.

Tuesday July 24, 1984

1	Rock Dove	3
2	Mourning Dove	2
3	Nighthawk	1
4	Chimney Swift	25

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5	Common Flicker	2	bvd -	X
6	Red headed Woodpecker	1		X
7	Eastern Kingbird	2	0 -	X
8	Purple Martin	8	0 -	X
9	Blue Jay	6	bvd -	X
10	Tufted Titmouse	1		X
11	House Wren	1		X
12	Brown Thrasher	1	bvd	
13	American Robin	25	bvd -	X
14	Starling	15		X
15	House Sparrow	8		X
16	Orchard Oriole	1		X
17	Common Grackle	30		X
18	Brown headed Cowbird	8	bvd -	X
19	Cardinal	3		X

~~20~~ Today was clear, hot & humid. Temperatures were low 71° high 93°. We took our little Chihuahua to a vet this morning for its second shot. I spent most of the afternoon working in the basement.

Wednesday, July 25, 1984

1	Rock Dove	3		X
2	Mourning Dove	3		X
3	Chimney Swift	30		X
4	Eastern Kingbird	1		X
5	Barn Swallow	1		X
6	Purple Martin	4		X
7	Blue Jay	4		X
8	Black capped Chickadee	1		X
9	Tufted Titmouse	1		X
10	House Wren	1		X
11	Catbird	1		X
12	American Robin	10		X
13	Starling	12		X
14	House Sparrow	9		X
15	Orchard Oriole	1		X

16 Common Grackle	20	X
17 Brown headed Cowbird	1	X
18 Cardinal	4	X

I sat out in our back yard this morning up till noon and spent all afternoon working in the basement. Temperatures today were low 68° high 94°

Thursday July 26, 1984

1 Great Blue Heron	1	X
2 Rock Dove	3	X
3 Mourning Dove	2	X
4 Night Hawk	1	X
5 Chimney Swift	35	X
6 Rubythroated Hummingbird	1	X
7 Downy Woodpecker	1	X
8 Eastern Kingbird	1	X
9 Rough winged Swallow	1	X
10 Purple Martin	3	X
11 Blue Jay	4	X
12 Black capped Chickadee	2	X
13 House Wren	1	X
14 Brown Thrasher	1	X
15 American Robin	15	X
16 Starling	10	X
17 House Sparrow	9	X
18 Common Grackle	11	X
19 Cardinal	3	X

Today was clear + fairly nice. Temperatures were low 72° high 88°. I spent most of the morning sitting out in our back yard and all afternoon working in our basement. My large desk in the basement is turning out to be a total loss. It was completely under water during the flood. There ^{were} 14 drawers in the desk and all of them were full of things, mostly mine. Most of it was ruined.

Friday, July 27, 1984

19.	Northern Oriole	1	X
1	Rock Dove	3	X
2	Mourning Dove	2	X
3	Night hawk	1	X
4	Chimney Swift	35	X
5	Eastern Kingbird	1	X
6	Barn Swallow	1	X
7	Purple Martin	7	X
8	Blue Jay	4	X
9	Black capped Chickadee	2	X
10	Tufted Titmouse	1	X
11	House Wren	1	X
12	American Robin	14	X
13	Starling	13	X
14	House Sparrow	20	X
15	Common Grackle	6	X
16	Brown headed Cowbird	1	X
17	Cardinal	4	X
18	American Goldfinch	1	X

Today was clear & very pleasant. Temperatures were low 62° high 87°. I sat outside until 11:15 a.m. Then after lunch I went back to the basement where I worked about four hours. If people could have moving pictures of me for the last seven weeks then they would call me the mole. In the seven weeks since our flood night there are only a very few days that we have failed to ~~do~~ do some work in the basement.

Saturday, July 28, 1984

1	Green Heron	1	near P.H.W.A.
2	Killdeer	1	" "
3	Rock Dove	3	d.t.
4	Mourning Dove	2	X
5	Yellow Billed Cuckoo	1	near P.H.W.A.
6	Chimney Swift	12	X
7	Red bellied Woodpecker	1	near P.H.W.A.
8	Red headed Woodpecker	1	" "

9	Downy Woodpecker	1		near P.H.W.A.
10	Eastern Kingbird	1		"
11	Barn Swallow	12	AR	"
12	Blue Jay	2		"
13	Common Crow	1	~~AR~~	"
14	House Wren	1	X	
15	American Robin	7	X	"
16	Starling	20	AR - X	
17	Common Yellowthroat	3	AR	
18	House Sparrow	10	X	
19	Redwing Blackbird	9	AR	
20	Orchard Oriole	1	X	
21	Brown headed Cowbird	3	AR	
22	Cardinal	2	X	
23	Indigo Bunting	4	AR	
24	Chickadee	3	AR	

Today was clear & real nice. Temperatures were low 62° high 87°. I drove out the Amazonia Road this morning to get some sunflower seed, then came home & watched a ball game on television and then at 4 P.M. Pearl, Joie, Larry, Mert, Chad, Ragen & I went to our nephew & cousins home "Bud" Jackson" who lives near the Pigeon Hill Wildlife Area just a few miles north of Jancetta, Mo. We got home near 9 P.M.

Sunday July 29, 1984

1	Rock Dove	1
2	Mourning Dove	3
3	Nighthawk	1
4	Chimney Swift	15
5	Redheaded Woodpecker	1
6	Rough winged Swallow	1
7	~~Common~~ Purple Martin	1
8	Blue Jay	2
9	Tufted Titmouse	1
10	House Wren	1

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11	American Robin	25	0 - X
12	Starling	20	0 - X
13	House Sparrow	25	0 - X
14	Grackle	75	mostly 0 - X
15	Cardinal	1	X
16	Chipping Sparrow	1	0

Today was clear & nice. Actually it felt cool in the shade although the sun itself felt hot. Temperatures today were low 60° high 85°. This afternoon Pearl, Lois and I left home and went over to Jim & Judy Brans for a fest out celebrating several birthdays, mostly for Alice Jackson & Judy. Alice & Judy, mother & daughter both ~~have~~ have their birthdays on July 28th. We were back home 9:10 P.M.

Monday, July 30, 1984

1	Mourning Dove	2	X
2	Chimney Swift	2	X
3	Blue Jay	1	X
4	House Wren	1	X
5	Gray Catbird	1	X
6	American Robin	1	X
7	Starling	3	X
8	House Sparrow	6	X
9	Cardinal	1	X
10	Common Grackle	1	X

Today was clear & warm. Temperatures were low 66° high 87°. I worked outside until 10 am when I came to watch the Summer Olympics on television. I really look forward each day to watching them on television. They will be televised for 16 consecutive days. Many of the days there will be 11 hours per day televised. I look forward every four years to watching them.

Tuesday, July 31, 1984

1	Pied billed Grebe	2		LC
2	Great Blue Heron	7		ML - LC
3	Cattle Egret	140		near ML - LC
4	Mallard	1		near ML
5	Blue winged Teal	1		LC
6	Turkey Vulture	2		BW
7	American Kestrel	2		near BW - d.t.
8	American Coot	3		LC
9	Killdeer	15		LC
10	Common Snipe	1		LC
11	Spotted Sandpiper	1		LC
12	Solitary Sandpiper	5		LC
13	Lesser yellowlegs	6		LC
14	Pectoral Sandpiper	16		LC
15	Least Sandpiper	2		LC
16	Rock Dove	20		LC - d.t.
17	Mourning Dove	22	X - BW - MRL - LC	
18	Yellow billed Cuckoo	10		BW
19	Night hawk	1	X	
20	Chimney Swift	18	X	BW - LC
21	Common Flicker	1		BW
22	Red bellied Woodpecker	1		BW
23	Red headed Woodpecker	5		BW
24	Eastern Kingbird	6		ML - BW - LC
25	Western Kingbird	1		near LC
26	Great crested Flycatcher	1		BW
27	Eastern Phoebe	2		BW
28	Eastern Wood Pewee	2		BW
29	Warmed Lark	5		ML - LC
30	Tree Swallow	30		LC
31	Bank Swallow	1		LC
32	Rough winged Swallow	200	BW - MRL - ML - LC	
33	Barn Swallow	100		BW - ML - LC
34	Cliff Swallow	3		ML - LC
35	Purple Martin	20	X	- LC
36	Blue Jay	14	X	BW - LC

37	Black capped Chickadee	1		BW
38	Tufted Titmouse	1	X	
39	White breasted Nuthatch	1		BW
40	House Wren	5	X	BW
41	Catbird	1	X	
42	American Robin	25	X	- MRL - BW - LC
43	Eastern Bluebird	1		BW
44	Toggerhead Shrike	1		ML
45	Starling	75	X	- MRL - BW - LC
46	Kentucky Warbler	1		BW
47	Common yellowthroat	5		MRL - LC
48	House Sparrow	15	X	BW - LC
49	Eastern Meadowlark	1		near BW
50	Redwinged Blackbird	200		ML - MRL - LC
51	Northern Oriole	2		LC
52	Common Grackle	75	X	- ML - MRL - BW - LC
53	Brown headed Cowbird	30		ML - BW - LC
54	Cardinal	10	X	BW
55	Rosebreasted Grosbeak	2		BW
56	Indigo Bunting	8	X	BW - LC
57	Chickadee	7		ML - BW - LC
58	American Goldfinch	8	X	BW - LC
59	Rufous sided Towhee	2		BW
60	Chipping Sparrow	3		near BW - LC

Today was a nice day, clear & warm. Temperatures were low 63° high 90°. Leo & Ruth Salloway came by this morning at 8 A.M. Pearl & I joined them and we spent a very enjoyable morning. On leaving here we went to Lake Country, Muskrat Lake, Mud Lake, Bluff Woods and back home. We were back home just a few minutes past noon. I spent most of the time watching television. The common Snipe today was my 200th bird for the year for Missouri. Through the first seven months of the year this has been my poorest year since about 1960.

Wednesday, August 1, 1984

1	Turkey Vulture	7		HC
2	Red tailed Hawk	1		AR
3	Killdeer	2		AR
4	Rock Dove	3		d.t. -AR
5	Mourning Dove	7	X -HC	-AR
6	Chimney Swift	15	X	AR
7	Ruby throated Hummingbird	1	X	
8	Common Flicker	1	X #	
9	Red bellied Wood pecker	1		HC
10	Red headed Wood pecker	3		HC
11	Downy Wood pecker	1		HC
12	Eastern Kingbird	2		AR
13	Rough winged Swallow	25		AR
14	Barn Swallow	20		HC -AR
15	Blue Jay	5	x -	HC
16	Black capped Chickadee	1	X	
17	Tufted Titmouse	1	X	
18	House Wren	2	X -	HC
19	Catbird	1		HC
20	Brown Thrasher	7	X	
21	American Robin	10	X -	HC - AR
22	Eastern Bluebird	3		AR
23	Starling	20	X	AR
24	Common yellow throat	2		AR
25	House Sparrow	18	X	AR
26	Eastern Meadowlark	1		AR
27	Red winged Blackbird	20		AR
28	Common Grackle	12	X	AR
29	Brown headed Cowbird	5		HC
30	Cardinal	4	X -	HC
31	Rose breasted Grosbeak	1		HC
32	Blue Grosbeak	1		AR
33	Indigo Bunting	8	X -	HC -AR
34	Lickcissel	9		AR
35	American Goldfinch	5		HC -AR
36	Chipping Sparrow	1		HC

Today was clear and warm. The temperatures were low 64° high 92°. I used Lois' car today because I had to take Pearl to see Mr. Craig this afternoon for a check up. Pearl, Ragan and I drove up to the Honey Creek Wildlife Area this morning.

Thursday, August 2, 1984

1	Pied billed Grebe	1		LC
2	Great Blue Heron	9		ML - LC
3	Green Heron	1		ML
4	Cattle Egret	42	near	ML
5	Wood Duck	1		ML
6	Belted White	6		BW
7	American Coot	3		LC
8	Killdeer	11		ML - LC
9	Spotted Sandpiper	1		LC
10	Greater Yellowlegs	1		LC
11	Pectoral Sandpiper	8		LC
12	Common Snipe	2		LC
13	Rock Dove	20	X	-d.t.
14	Mourning Dove	16	X	-ML - LC - BW
15	Chimney Swift	10	X	LC
16	Ruby throated Hummingbird	2		BW
17	Common Flicker	1		BW
18	Red headed Woodpecker	4	X	BW
19	Eastern Kingbird	4	X	-ML - LC
20	Horned Lark	1		LC
21	Tree Swallow	40		ML - LC
22	Rough winged Swallow	150		-ML - LC
23	Barn Swallow	50		ML - LC - BW
24	Cliff Swallow	3		LC
25	Purple Martin	20		LC
26	Blue Jay	6	X	-BW - LC
27	Common Crow	1		near BW
28	Black capped Chickadee	1	X	
29	Tufted Titmouse	1	X	

30	House Wren	3	X - BW
31	Catbird	1	near ML
32	Brown Thrasher	2	X - ML
33	American Robin	35	LC - X - BW
34	Eastern Bluebird	1	BW
35	Starling	60	LC - X - BW
36	Common yellowthroat	3	LC ML
37	House Sparrow	20	LC - X
38	Eastern Meadowlark	2	near BW
39	Redwinged Blackbird	60	LC - ML
40	Common Grackle	35	LC - X - BW
41	Brown headed Cowbird	7	BW
42	Cardinal	8	X - BW
43	Indigo Bunting	40	LC - ML - X - BW
44	Dickcissel	20	LC - ML BW
45	~~Common~~ American Goldfinch	6	LC - ML
46	Rufous sided Towhee	1	BW
47	Field Sparrow	1	BW

Today was clear and hot. Temperatures today were low 62° high 89°. I used a 'oil' car today is Pearl, Ragan and I took a ride through Bluff Woods and back by the lakes. I am still watching the Olympics.

Friday August 3, 1984

1	Red tailed Hawk	1	0
2	Bob White	2	0
3	Killdeer	4	0
4	Rock Dove	4	X
5	Mourning Dove	12	X - 0
6	Chimney Swift	18	X
7	Redheaded Woodpecker	1	0
8	Downy Woodpecker	1	X
9	Rough winged Swallow	60	0
10	Barn Swallow	35	0
11	Purple Martin	4	X
12	Blue Jay	6	X - 0

13	Black capped Chickadee	1	X
14	Tufted Titmouse	1	X
15	House Wren	2	X
16	American Robin	25	X - 0
17	Sterling	55	X - 0
18	House Sparrow	30	X - 0
19	Eastern Meadowlark	3	0
20	Western Meadowlark	1	0
21	Red winged Blackbird	5	0
22	Common Grackle	20	X - 0
23	Cardinal	3	X
24	Indigo Bunting	10	X - 0
25	Mocker	35	0
26	Chipping Sparrow	1	0

Today was clear + hot. Temperatures were low 66° high 92°. I kept Lois' car today because I had to go to the bank and had to take Pearl to see Doctor Rargenini. I watched the Olympics again today.

Saturday, August 4, 1984

1	Chimney Swift	6	X
2	Blue Jay	2	X
3	Black capped Chickadee	1	X
4	Tufted Titmouse	1	X
5	House Wren	1	X
6	Robin	1	X
7	House Sparrow	5	X
8	Common Grackle	3	X
9	Cardinal	2	X
10	Chipping Sparrow	1	X

Today was clear + hot. The temperatures today were low 67° high 92°. I worked with Pearl painting our back porch until 10 am. + then came in to watch the Olympics on television. Now at the end of the first week the U.S.A. is way ahead of their closest rivals.

Sunday August 5, 1984

1	Great Blue Heron	2	ML - LC
2	Cattle Egret	1	ML
3	Mallard	8	LC
4	~~American~~ Pheasant	1	MRL
5	American Coot	3	LC
6	Common (Gallinule) Moorhen	5	LC
7	Killdeer	20	ML - LC
8	Canada Goose	1	LC
9	Lesser yellow legs	1	LC
10	Pectoral Sandpiper	6	LC
11	American Kestrel	2	d.t. - LC
12	Turkey Vulture	1	near BW
13	Rock Dove	20	d.t. - X
14	Mourning Dove	60	- LC - X
15	Yellow Billed Cuckoo	2	BW
16	Chimney Swift	20	LC - BW - X
17	Belted Kingfisher	3	LC
18	Red headed Woodpecker	2	BW
19	Eastern Kingbird	4	BW - LC
20	Eastern Phoebe	1	BW
21	Eastern Wood Pewee	1	BW
22	Horned Lark	3	LC
23	Tree Swallow	35	LC
24	Rough winged Swallow	600	BW - ML - LC
25	Barn Swallow	125	BW - ML - LC
26	Cliff Swallow	1	LC
27	Purple Martin	35	X - LC
~~28~~	~~Tree Swallow~~	~~—~~	~~—~~
~~29~~	~~Rough winged Swallow~~	~~—~~	~~—~~
30	Blue Jay	4	X - BW
31	House Wren	4	X - LC
32	Catbird	1	near ML
33	Brown Thrasher	1	near ML
34	American Robin	30	X - BW - ML - LC
35	Loggerhead Shrike	2	near BW - LC
~~36~~	~~Loggerhead~~	~~—~~	~~—~~

37	Starling	35	X - BW - LC
38	Bells Vireo	1	LC
39	Common yellowthroat	3	LC
40	House Sparrow	18	X - LC
41	Eastern Meadowlark	1	near BW
42	Yellow headed Blackbird	2	LC
43	Redwinged Blackbird	50	ML - LC
44	~~Orchard~~ Oriole	1	LC
45	Common Grackle	75	X - ML - LC
46	Brown headed Cowbird	250	near LC
47	Cardinal	10	X - BW
~~48~~	Indigo Bunting	16	BW - ML - LC
~~49~~	Dickcissel	10	ML - LC
47. 50	American Goldfinch	3	BW

Today was clear and hot. The temperatures were low 73° high 92°. Pearl & I took a drive this morning down around the lakes & through Bluff woods! Our surprise this morning was to see the family of two adult and three immature Common Moorhens. They were Gallinules until last year when they changed its name to Moorhen.

Monday August 6, 1984

1	Mourning Dove	1	X
2	Chimney Swift	6	X
3	Redheaded Woodpecker	1	X
4	Purple Martin	2	X
5	Blue Jay	2	X
6	House Wren	1	X
7	~~Purple Martin~~ Robin	3	X
8	Starling	4	X
9	House Sparrow	5	X
10	Common Grackle	2	X
11	Cardinal	2	X
12	Indigo Bunting	1	X

Today was clear & hot. Temperatures low 75° high 97°

Tuesday, August 7, 1984

1	Rock Dove	4	X
2	Mourning Dove	2	X
3	Nighthawk	2	X
4	Chimney Swift	30	X
5	Eastern Kingbird	1	X
6	Rough winged Swallow	1	X
7	Barn Swallow	2	X
8	Purple Martin	6	X
9	Blue Jay	3	X
10	Tufted Titmouse	1	X
11	House Wren	1	X
12	Catbird	1	X
13	Brown Thrasher	1	X
14	American Robin	8	X
15	Sterling	20	X
16	House Sparrow	15	X
17	Common Grackle	6	X
18	Cardinal	3	X

Today was mostly clear, hot and humid. The temperatures were low 77° high 96°. My birding last week and this week are suffering some what because I am spending so much time watching the Olympics on television.

Wednesday August 8, 1984

1	Rock Dove	6	X
2	Mourning Dove	2	X
3	Night Hawk	1	X
4	Chimney Swift	35	X
5	Ruby throated Hummingbird	1	X
6	Red headed Wood pecker	1	X
7	Downy Wood pecker	1	X
8	Eastern Kingbird	1	X
9	Rough winged Swallow	1	X
10	Barn Swallow	2	X
11	Purple Martin	2	X
12	Blue Jay	3	X

13	Tufted Titmouse	1	X
14	House Wren	2	X
15	Catbird	1	X
16	American Robin	18	X
17	Starling	12	X
18	House Sparrow	30	X
19	Common Grackle	32	X
20	Cardinal	4	X

Today was mostly clear, hot & humid. I spent my day birding from my back yard and watching the Olympics on television. Temperatures were low 75° high 95°

Thursday, August 9, 1984

1	Rock Dove	4	X
2	Mourning Dove	2	X
3	Chimney Swift	40	X
4	Red headed Woodpecker	1	X
5	Downy Woodpecker	1	X
6	Barn Swallow	1	X
7	Purple Martin	10	X
8	Blue Jay	4	X
9	Black capped Chickadee	1	X
10	Tufted Titmouse	1	X
11	House Wren	2	X
12	Catbird	1	X
13	American Robin	15	X
14	Starling	20	X
15	House Sparrow	20	X
16	Common Grackle	12	X
17	Cardinal	4	X
18	American Goldfinch	2	X

Today was mostly clear, hot & humid. The temperatures were low 68° high 94°. I spent my day again divided between birding from my back yard and watching the Olympics on television.

Friday, August 10, 1984

1	Rock Dove	7	X
2	Mourning Dove	3	X
3	Nighthawk	1	X
4	Chimney Swift	35	X
5	Ruby-throated Hummingbird	1	X
6	Red-headed Woodpecker	2	X
7	Eastern Kingbird	1	X
8	Rough-winged Swallow	17	X
9	Bank Swallow	1	X
10	Purple Martin	5	X
11	Blue Jay	4	X
12	Black-capped Chickadee	2	X
13	Tufted Titmouse	1	X
14	House Wren	2	X
15	Catbird	1	X
16	Brown Thrasher	1	X
17	American Robin	12	X
18	Starling	30	X
19	Yellow Warbler	1	X
20	House Sparrow	28	X
21	Common Grackle	10	X
22	Cardinal	5	X
23	Indigo Bunting	1	X

Today was clear & warm but really nice all day. We had a nice breeze & fairly low humidity reading. Fifty years ago today the high reading in St Joseph was 110°. Temperature today were low 65° high 88°.

Saturday, August 11, 1984

1	Rock Dove	5	X
2	Mourning Dove	2	X
3	Chimney Swift	25	X
4	Ruby-throated Hummingbird	2	X
5	Red-headed Woodpecker	2	X
6	Rough-winged Swallow	1	X
7	Blue Jay	3	X

8	Black capped Chickadee	1	X
9	Tufted Titmouse	1	X
10	House Wren	1	X
11	Catbird	1	X
12	Brown Thrasher	1	X
13	American Robin	20	X
14	Starling	18	X
15	House Sparrow	24	X
16	Common Grackle	6	X
17	~~Eastern Bluebird~~ Cardinal	4	X
18	Indigo Bunting	1	X

Today clear and warm. The temperatures were low 59° high 89°. I banded this morning from my back yard and watched the Olympics this afternoon on television.

Sunday, August 12, 1984

1	Great Blue Heron	1	X
2	Turkey Vulture	2	X
3	American Kestrel	1	X
4	Rock Dove	5	X
5	Mourning Dove	7	X
6	Chimney Swift	40	X
7	Hummingbird	3	X
8	Red headed Woodpecker	2	X
9	Eastern Kingbird	1	X
10	Rough winged Swallow	1	X
11	Barn Swallow	6	X
12	Purple Martin	5	X
13	Blue Jay	5	X
14	Black capped Chickadee	2	X
15	Tufted Titmouse	1	X
16	House Wren	2	X
17	Catbird	1	X
18	Brown Thrasher	1	X
19	American Robin	20	X
20	Starling	20	X

21	House Sparrow	30	X
22	Common Grackle	50	X
23	Cardinal	5	X

Today was mostly clear + rather warm. Temperatures were low 63° High 90°. I spent most of today sitting out in my back bird watching. I really felt good. Today was the last day of the Olympics! I didn't watch much of it. Late this afternoon I did watch the Marathon Run. It began about 7 P.M. our time + was over around 9:10 P.M. There were about 140 countries competing in the Olympics. Forty seven countries is all that won any of the medals. The United States was first with 83 Gold, 61 Silver and 30 Bronze for a total 174 medals. The next closest to the U.S.A. was West Germany with 17 Gold 19 Silver 23 Bronze for a total of 59 medals. Romania was third with 20 Gold, 16 Silver + 17 Bronze, a total of 53 Medals. Russia did not compete in this Olympics

Monday, August 13, 1984

1	Great Blue Heron	17		86
2	Wood Duck	3		50
3	Turkey Vulture	18		50
4	Killdeer	3		50
5	Rock Dove	12		AR - X - d.t.
6	Mourning Dove	60	River Rd -	AR - X - 50
7	Yellow Billed Cuckoo	1		50
8	Nighthawk	3		X
9	Chimney Swift	35		X
10	Ruby Throated Hummingbird	2		X
11	Belted Kingfisher	1	River Road	~~50~~
12	Red headed woodpecker	3	River Road	X - 50
13	Downy Woodpecker	2		X - 50
14	Eastern Kingbird	7	River Road -	AR - 50
15	Tree Swallow	20		50
16	Rough winged Swallow	200	River Road -	AR - 50
17	Barn Swallow	400	River Road -	AR - 50
18	Cliff Swallow	25		near Big Lake - 50

19	Purple Martin	2				d.t.
20	Blue Jay	3			X	
21	Black capped Chickadee	2			X	
22	Tufted Titmouse	1			X	
23	House Wren	1			X	
24	Catbird	1			X	
25	Brown Thrasher	2			X -	SG
26	American Robin	75	River Rd -	AR	-X -	SG
27	Starling	250	River Rd -	AR	-X -	SG
28	Common Yellowthroat	3				SG
29	House Sparrow	65	River Rd -	AR	-X	
30	Eastern Meadowlark	2			AR	
31	Redwinged Blackbird	150	River Rd			SG
32	Orchard Oriole	2			X -	SG
33	Northern Oriole	1			X	
34	Common Grackle	300	River Road -	AR	-X -	SG
35	Great tailed Grackle	2 (1 ♀ - 1 imm.)				SG
36	Cardinal	6	River Road		X	
37	Indigo Bunting	40	River Road -	AR		-SG
38	Dickcissel	75	River Road -	AR		SG
39	American Goldfinch	12				SG
40	Blue Grosbeak	3 ♂ adults	River Road			
41	Lark Sparrow	1			near H.R.	
42	Chipping Sparrow	1				SG
43	Field Sparrow	1			near H.C.	
44	Song Sparrow	3				SG

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Today was clear & nice A.M., clear & hot during the afternoon. Temperatures were low 72° high 91° Pearl & I, using Lois car, drove to Squaw Creek this morning where we made the rounds. They are working several areas there so over half of the roads are closed. We left home at 8:30 A.M. & got half home at 1:30 P.M. We came back by Big Lake but just drove past without stopping. Generally, it is a sick looking place. Most of the homes & cottages around the lake were ruined or damaged by the flood.

August 14, 1984. Tuesday

1	Rock Dove	10	d.t. - X
2	Mourning Dove	3	X
3	Chimney Swift	25	X
4	Rubythroated Hummingbird	2	X
5	Red headed Wood pecker	1	X
6	Hairy Wood pecker	1	X
7	Downy Wood pecker	1	X
8	Purple Martin	4	X
9	Blue Jay	2	X
10	Black capped Chickadee	2	X
11	House Wren	1	X
12	Catbird	1	X
13	American Robin	15	X
14	Starling	60	X
15	House Sparrow	25	X
16	Common Grackle	40	X
17	Cardinal	3	X

Today was clear & hot. Temperatures were low 64° high 92°. I spent most of the day outside, surprisingly not little bird watching I worked about two hours trying to get two of our mowers to work but I failed. Pearl & I moved only with our riding mower which worked O.K. This afternoon we took our little dog to the vet for some of her shots.

August 15, 1984. Wednesday

1	Rock Dove	5	X
2	Mourning Dove	3	X
3	Chimney Swift	40	X
4	Rubythroated Hummingbird	2	X
5	Common Flicker	2	X
6	Red headed Wood pecker	2	X
7	Downy Wood pecker	1	X
8	Eastern Wood Pewee	1	X
9	Barn Swallow	3	X
10	Purple Martin	6	X

11	Blue Jay	3	X
12	Black capped Chickadee	2	X
13	Tufted Titmouse	1	X
14	House Wren	1	X
15	Gray Catbird	2	X
16	Brown Thrasher	2	X
17	American Robin	25	X
18	Starling	110	X
19	House Sparrow	25	X
20	Redwing Blackbird	23	X
21	Northern Oriole	1	X
22	Common Grackle	130	X
23	Brown headed Cowbird	1	X
24	Cardinal	4	X
25	Indigo Bunting	1	X
26	Chipping Sparrow	1	X

Today was clear and hot.
 The temperatures were low 64°
 high 94°. I spent most of the
 day outside just watching for birds.

Thursday August 16, 1984

1	Rock Dove	14	d.t. - X
2	Mourning Dove	5	AR - X
3	Night Hawk	2	X
4	Chimney Swift	25	X
5	Ruby thr. Hummingbird	1	X
6	Red headed wood pecker	1	X
7	Barn Swallow	3	AR
8	Purple Martin	2	X
9	Blue Jay	2	X
10	Black capped Chickadee	1	X
11	Tufted Titmouse	1	X
12	Catbird	1	X
13	American Robin	15	X

1984 Olympic medals table

LOS ANGELES (AP) — The final medals totals at the 1984 Summer Olympics with country, gold, silver, bronze and total medals won:

	G	S	B	T
United States	83	61	30	174
West Germany	17	19	23	59
Romania	20	16	17	53
Canada	10	18	16	44
Great Britain	5	10	22	37
China	15	8	9	32
Italy	14	6	12	32
Japan	10	8	14	32
France	5	7	15	27
Australia	4	8	12	24
South Korea	6	6	7	19
Sweden	2	11	6	19
Yugoslavia	7	4	7	18
Netherlands	5	2	6	13
Finland	4	3	6	13
New Zealand	8	1	2	11
Brazil	1	5	2	8
Switzerland	0	4	4	8
Mexico	2	3	1	6
Denmark	0	3	3	6
Spain	1	2	2	5
Belgium	1	1	2	4
Austria	1	1	1	3
Portugal	1	0	2	3
Jamaica	0	1	2	3
Norway	0	1	2	3
Turkey	0	0	3	3
Venezuela	0	0	3	3
Morocco	2	0	0	2
Kenya	1	0	1	2
Greece	0	1	1	2
Nigeria	0	1	1	2
Puerto Rico	0	1	1	2
Algeria	0	0	2	2
Pakistan	1	0	0	1
Colombia	0	1	0	1
Egypt	0	1	0	1
Ireland	0	1	0	1
Ivory Coast	0	1	0	1
Peru	0	1	0	1
Syria	0	1	0	1
Thailand	0	1	0	1
Cameroon	0	0	1	1
Dom. Republic	0	0	1	1
Iceland	0	0	1	1
Taiwan	0	0	1	1
Zambia	0	0	1	1

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14	Starling	25	X
15	House Sparrow	20	X
16	Common Grackle	12	X
17	Cardinal	2	X

Today was clear, hot + humid. The temperatures were low 68° high 93°. I spent quite a bit of my time today working in the basement. Ragam stayed with us today. She had her Tonsils taken out Tuesday of this week. She came home yesterday but she still isn't feeling very good.

Friday, August 17, 1984

1	Great Blue Heron	2	ML - LC
2	Mallard	1	LC
3	Turkey Vulture	4	ML - BW
4	Killdeer	15	ML - LC
5	Shorebirds (sp)	12	ML - LC
6	Rock Dove	25	d.t.
7	Mourning Dove	30	X - BW - ML - LC
8	Yellow-billed Cuckoo	3	BW
9	Chimney Swift	30	X LC
10	Ruby-throated Hummingbird	3	X - BW
11	Red-headed Woodpecker	4	X - BW
12	Eastern Kingbird	2	ML - LC
13	Horned Lark	3	ML - LC
14	Tree Swallow	35	LC
15	Bank Swallow	5	LC
16	Rough-winged Swallow	200	X - near BW - ML - LC
17	Barn Swallow	75	X - near BW - ML - LC
18	Purple Martin	12	ML - LC
19	Blue Jay	3	X - BW
20	Common Crow	2	near BW
21	Black-capped Chickadee	1	X
22	Tufted Titmouse	1	X
23	House Wren	1	X
24	Catbird	1	X
25	Brown Thrasher	1	X

26	American Robin	50	X - BW - LC
27	Loggerhead Shrike	1	near LC
28	Starling	300	X - ML - BW - LC
29	House Sparrow	25	X LC
30	Redwinged Blackbird	125	ML - LC
31	Northern Oriole	1	BW
32	Common Grackle	250	X - BW - ML - LC
33	Brown headed Cowbird	25	ML
34	Cardinal	6	X - BW
35	Indigo Bunting	15	BW - ML - LC
36	Mocker	6	BW - ML - LC
37	American Goldfinch	14	near MRL
38	Rufous sided Towhee	2	BW
39	Chipping Sparrow	1	LC

Today was clear, hot & humid. Pearl & I took a drive this morning to Bluff woods and back by the lakes. I spent the afternoon working in our basement putting up some shelves. Temperatures low 72° high 95°

Saturday August 18, 1984

1	Rock Dove	11	X
2	Mourning Dove	4	X
3	Chimney Swift	35	X
4	Rubythroated Hummingbird	2	X
5	Red headed Woodpecker	1	X
6	Downy Woodpecker	1	X
7	Eastern Kingbird	1	X
8	Rough winged Swallow	6	X
9	Barn Swallow	2	X
10	Purple Martin	2	X
11	Blue Jay	3	X
12	Black capped Chickadee	3	X
13	House Wren	1	X
14	Gray Catbird	1	X
15	Brown Thrasher	1	X
16	American Robin	15	X

17	Starling	20	X
18	Warbling Vireo	1	X
19	House Sparrow	18	X
20	Orchard Oriole	1	X
21	Common Grackle	2	X
22	Cardinal	3	X
23	Indigo Bunting	1	X
Today was mostly cloudy with a few sprinkles late this afternoon. Temperatures were low <u>75°</u> high 84°			

Sunday, August 19, 1984

1	Northern Harrier	1	X
2	Rock Dove	9	X
3	Mourning Dove	4	X
4	Yellow-billed Cuckoo	1	X
5	Common Nighthawk	1	X
6	Chimney Swift	50	X
7	Ruby-throated Hummingbird	3	X
8	Common Flicker	1	X
9	Red-headed Woodpecker	1	X
10	Downy Woodpecker	2	X
11	Eastern Kingbird	1	X
12	Empidonax (sp)	2	X
13	Eastern Wood Pewee	1	X
14	Rough-wing Swallow	12	X
15	Barn Swallow	3	X
16	Purple Martin	3	X
17	Blue Jay	4	X
18	Black-capped Chickadee	2	X
19	~~Tufted Titmouse~~	—	—
20	House Wren	1	X
21	Catbird	1	X
22	Brown Thrasher	1	X
23	American Robin	25	X
24	Starling	75	X
25	House Sparrow	30	X

25	Northern Oriole	1	X
26	Common Grackle	90	X
27	Cardinal	4	X

Today was Clear & rather pleasant. Temperatures were low 69° high 86°. I spent most of the day outside today watching for birds. Leo called me this evening. He had just got back from his northeast united states bird trip where he banded some in Maine and took a pelagic trip on the "Bluenose Ferry". As of right now he has 563 species for the year and 592 species on his life list.

Monday, August 20, 1984

1	American Kestrel	1	X
2	Mourning Dove	4	X
3	Nighthawk	1	X
4	Chimney Swift	35	X
5	Rubythroated Hummingbird	3	X
6	Red headed Woodpecker	1	X
7	Eastern Kingbird	1	X
8	Rough winged Swallow	10	X
9	Barn Swallow	1	X
10	Purple Martin	3	X
11	Blue Jay	2	X
12	Black capped Chickadee	2	X
13	House Wren	1	X
14	Catbird	1	X
15	Brown Thrasher	1	X
16	American Robin	25	X
17	Sterling	24	X
18	House Sparrow	20	X
19	Northern Oriole	2	X
20	Common Grackle	20	X
21	Cardinal	4	X
22	American Goldfinch	1	X
23	Chipping Sparrow	1	X

Today was a real pleasant day. It was clear and cool all morning, warming up some this afternoon. I spent most of the day using a hand saw to saw six shelves 8 feet long out of two sheets of 8' x 4' x 3/4" plywood. Temperatures today were low 74° high 86°.

Tuesday August 21, 1984

1	Pied billed Grebe	3		MRL
2	Great Blue Heron	4	LC - ML - MRL	
3	Green Heron	1	LC	
4	Killdeer	10	LC -	MRL
5	Pectoral Sandpiper	2	LC	
6	Long billed Noddy	1	LC	
7	Rock Dove	12	LC	d.t.
8	Mourning Dove	15	MRL - LC -	X
9	Nighthawk	12		X
10	Chimney Swift	50	LC -	X
11	Ruby throated Hummingbird	3		X
12	Belted Kingfisher	2	LC	
13	Common Chickadee	1		X
14	Red headed Woodpecker	2		X
15	Downy Woodpecker	1		X
16	Eastern Kingbird	4	LC	
17	Empidonax Flycatcher	1		X
18	Tree Swallow	35	LC	
19	Bank Swallow	3	LC	
20	Rough winged Swallow	300	HL - MRL - LC - ML	
21	Barn Swallow	60	MRL - LC - ML	
22	Cliff Swallow	3	LC	
23	Purple Martin	25	LC -	X
24	Blue Jay	6	LC -	X
25	House Wren	1		X
26	Catbird	2		X
27	Brown Thrasher	1		X
28	American Robin	30	LC -	X
29	Starling	200	HL - LC -	X

30	House Sparrow	30	LC - X
31	Yellow headed ~~Warbler~~	1	LC
32	Red winged Blackbird	20	LC - MRL
33	Northern Oriole	2	X
34	Common Grackle	75	MRL - LC - X
35	Cardinal	6	LC - X
36	Chipping Sparrow	1	LC

Today was cloudy most all day with about .35 of an inch of rain this morning. I rode down around the lake this morning with Leo Galloway. The rain made birding poor so we came home early. I worked in the basement most of the afternoon. Temperatures low 74° high 85°

Wednesday August 22, 1984

1	American Kestrel	2	X
2	Rock Dove	18	d. t.
3	Mourning Dove	5	X
4	Nighthawk	1	X
5	Chimney Swift	40	X
6	Ruby throated Hummingbird	3	X
7	Red headed Woodpecker	2	X
8	Downy Woodpecker	1	X
9	Eastern Kingbird	1	X
10	Eastern Wood Pewee	1	X
11	Rough winged Swallow	3	X
12	Barn Swallow	12	X
13	Purple Martin	3	X
14	Blue Jay	3	X
15	~~Parula~~ BC Chickadee	2	X
16	Tufted Titmouse	1	X
17	House Wren	2	X
18	Gray Catbird	1	X
19	Brown Thrasher	1	X
20	American Robin	20	X
21	Sterling	30	X
22	House Sparrow	16	X