

Saturday, May 27, 1972

1	Redtailed Hawk	1	Hiway I 29
2	Bob White	1	o
3	Rock Dove	4	X
4	Mourning Dove	30	everywhere
5	Night Hawk	1	X
6	Chimney Swift	25	everywhere
7	Yellow Shafted Flicker	1	b/d
8	Red headed Woodpecker	3	X - b/d - o
9	Eastern Kingbird	6	everywhere
10	Eastern Wood Pewee	1	near Frazier
11	Barn Swallow	20	everywhere
12	Purple Martin	2	X - o
13	Blue Jay	2	b/d
14	Common Crow	1	X
15	House Wren	4	X - o
16	Mockingbird	1	o
17	Catbird	1	X
18	Brown Thrasher	6	o
19	Robin	20	everywhere
20	Loggerhead Shrike	5	highways
21	Starling	20	everywhere
22	Warbling Vireo	3	X - o
23	House Sparrow	12	everywhere
24	Eastern Meadowlark	15	e. & S. of town
25	Red Wing Blackbird	30	everywhere
26	Baltimore Oriole	1	M. Park Cemetery
27	Common Grackle	60	everywhere
28	Brown headed Cowbird	6	b/d - o
29	Cardinal	5	everywhere
30	Indigo Bunting	2	o
31	Mississippi Scissor	75	everywhere
32	Blue Grosbeak	1	o
33	Chipping Sparrow	5	X - M. Park Cem.

Today was mostly cloudy with some rain. Temperatures were low about 68° high about 77°. I worked until noon. This afternoon Pearl & I decorated some of the graves at Memorial Park Cemetery and at the Frazier Cemetery.

Sunday May 28, 1972

1	Bob White	8	everywhere
2	Ring-necked Pheasant	1	LC
3	Rock Dove	20	d.t.
4	Mourning Dove	25	everywhere
5	Night hawk	1	X
6	Chimney Swift	15	everywhere
7	yellow-shafted Flicker	1	LC
8	Red-headed Woodpecker	3	o - LC
9	Eastern Kingbird	6	o - LC
10	Western Kingbird	3	LC
11	Eastern Wood Pewee	1	o
12	Horned Lark	1	LC
13	Common Crow	1	LC
14	Black-capped Chickadee	1	X
15	Barn Swallow	10	LC
16	Purple Martin	6	LC
17	House Wren	3	X - o
18	Catbird	2	o
19	Brown Thrasher	4	o - LC
20	Robin	15	everywhere
21	Loggerhead Shrike	4	o LC
22	Starling	15	everywhere
23	Warbling Vireo	3	o LC
24	House Sparrow	12	everywhere
25	Eastern Meadowlark	10	o LC
26	Western Meadowlark	2	o
27	Yellow-headed Blackbird	2	LC
28	Red-wing Blackbird	25	o - LC
29	Common Grackle	45	everywhere
30	Brown-headed Cowbird	6	LC
31	Cardinal	3	X - o
32	Indigo Bunting	2	o - LC
33	Chickadee	20	o - LC
34	Grasshopper Sparrow	1	o
35	Song Sparrow	1	o

Today was mostly clear & fairly nice. Temperatures low 63° high 85°. I did very little birding today. I went to Church this A.M., the Cemetery after Church, helped Larry most of afternoon with Jeep. Lake country 5: PM to 6:30 PM.

Monday May 29, 1972

1	Green Heron	6	Sg
2	Snow Goose	3	Sg
3	Blue Goose	1	Sg
4	Mallard	22	Sg
5	Green wing Teal	1	Sg
6	Blue wing Teal	17	Sg
7	Lesser Scaup	12	Sg
8	Hooded Merganser	2	Sg
9	Turkey Vulture	4	River Road - Sg
10	Red tailed Hawk	3	River Rd - Sg
11	Bob White	12	River Rd - Sg
12	Ring necked Pheasant	14	River Rd - Sg
13	American Coot	28	Sg
14	Killdeer	6	Sg
15	Upland Plover	1	Sg
16	Spotted Sandpiper	1	Sg
17	Greater yellowlegs	1	Sg
18	Franklin's Gull	3	Sg
19	Black Tern	60	Sg
20	Rock Plover	2	AR
21	Mourning Dove	35	everywhere
22	Yellow billed Cuckoo	1	Sg
23	Night hawk	1	X
24	Chimney Swift	20	everywhere
25	Yellow shafted Flicker	2	Sg
26	Red bellied Woodpecker	3	River Rd - Sg
27	Red headed Woodpecker	6	River Rd - Sg
28	Downy Woodpecker	1	Sg
29	Eastern Kingbird	20	River Rd - Sg
30	Western Kingbird	1	near Sg
31	Great crested Flycatcher	3	Sg
32	Eastern Phoebe	3	River Rd
33	Eastern Wood Pewee	2	Sg
34	Rough winged Swallow	6	River Rd - Sg
35	Chimney Swallow	20	everywhere
36	Purple Martin	4	River Rd
37	Blue Jay	14	everywhere
38	Common Crow	4	River Rd - Sg

Monday, May 29, 1972

39 Black capped Chickadee	1	Sg
40 House Wren	3	River Rd - Sg
41 Catbird	6	Sg
42 Brown Thrasher	9	River Rd - Sg
43 Robin	20	everywhere
44 Wood Thrush	1	Sg
45 Eastern Bluebird	2	Sg
46 Loggerhead Shrike	4	River Rd - Sg
47 Starling	20	everywhere
48 Bells Vireo	5	River Rd - Sg
49 Warbling Vireo	4	River Rd - Sg
50 Yellow Warbler	14	River Rd. - Sg
51 Yellowthroat	10	River Rd - Sg
52 Yellow-breasted Chat	4	River Rd - Sg
53 American Redstart	2	Sg
54 House Sparrow	15	everywhere
55 Eastern Meadowlark	18	River Rd - Sg
56 Red wing Blackbird	60	everywhere
57 Orchard Oriole	15	River Rd - Sg
58 Baltimore Oriole	11	River Rd. - Sg
59 Common Grackle	25	everywhere
60 Brown headed Cowbird	10	everywhere
61 Scarlet Tanager	2	near Jorbes
62 Cardinal	16	everywhere
63 Blue Grosbeak	1	River Rd.
64 Indigo Bunting	30	everywhere
65 Chickadee	30	River Rd - Sg
66 American Goldfinch	8	River Rd - Sg
67 Field Sparrow	3	near Jorbes
68 Song Sparrow	1	Sg

~~Today~~ Today was partly cloudy and rather pleasant. I got up at 7 a.m. ate breakfast and at 9 a.m. Pearl & I headed for Squaw Creek. I was still tired and I couldn't seem to put my heart into my birding. We were back home by 4 P.M. Vegetation is so high at Squaw Creek it is hard to see hardly any water birds. Sure hope I am rested up by June 10th for my Colorado Trip. Temperatures today were low about 58° high about 78°

Tuesday, May 30, 1972

1	Bob White	1	A.R.
2	Rock Dove	3	KP - A.R.
3	Mourning Dove	16	everywhere
4	Yellow-billed Cuckoo	2	HC
5	Night-hawk	4	X - A.R.
6	Chimney Swift	12	o - X
7	Red-bellied Woodpecker	3	HC
8	Red-headed Woodpecker	4	AR - HC
9	Turkey Vulture	10	HC
10	Scatterbrained Flycatcher	1	HC
11	Acadian Flycatcher	3	HC
12	Eastern Wood Pewee	2	HC
13	Rough-winged Swallow	5	AR
14	Barn Swallow	6	AR
15	Purple Martin	2	AR
16	Blue Jay	6	bvd - AR
17	Common Crow	4	AR
18	Black-capped Chickadee	4	HC
19	Tufted Titmouse	7	HC
20	House Wren	4	X - bvd - HC
21	Carolina Wren	1	AR
22	Catbird	1	HC
23	Brown Thrasher	2	AR
24	Robin	25	everywhere
25	Wood Thrush	1	HC
26	Blue-gray Gnatcatcher	2	HC
27	Starling	16	everywhere
28	White-eyed Vireo	1	HC
29	Red-eyed Vireo	2	HC
30	Warbling Vireo	2	X
31	Prothonotary Warbler	1	HC
32	Ovenbird	3	HC
33	Kentucky Warbler	1	HC
34	Yellow-throat	1	HC
35	Yellow-breasted Chat	1	HC
36	American Redstart	2	HC
37	House Sparrow	10	everywhere
38	Eastern Meadowlark	10	o - AR

39	Red wing Blackbird	10	AR
40	Orchard Oriole	1	AR
41	Baltimore Oriole	4	AR-HC-X
42	Common Grackle	40	everywhere
43	Brown headed Cowbird	12	bvd - AR
44	Summer Tanager	1	HC
45	Cardinal	8	everywhere
46	Rose breasted Grosbeak	1	~~#~~ HC
47	Indigo Bunting	15	AR-HC
48	Clickissel	16	AR-HC
49	American Goldfinch	3	HC
50	Rufous sided Towhee	1	HC
51	Chipping Sparrow	1	X
52	Filled Sparrow	2	HC

Today was clear and cool. The most pleasant day we have had for a long time. The temperatures were low about 54° high about 74°. After work I drove up to Honey Creek for about an hour and a half

Wednesday May 31, 1972

1	Sparrow Hawk	1	0
2	Killdeer	1	MAR
3	Semipalmated Sandpiper	6	MAR
4	Rock Dove	2	KP
5	Mourning Dove	20	0 - MAR
6	Night Hawk	1	X
7	Chimney Swift	15	0 - X
8	Red headed woodpecker	1	MAR
9	Eastern Kingbird	3	MAR
10	Horned Lark	2	MAR
11	Barn Swallow	6	0 - MAR
12	Purple Martin	2	MAR
13	Blue Jay	6	0 - MAR
14	Common Crow	2	bud
15	Black capped Chickadee	1	X
16	House Wren	3	X - 0
17	Mockingbird	1	0
18	Catbird	1	0

19	Brown Thrasher	3	o - MAR
20	Robin	10	everywhere
21	Loggerhead Shrike	1	MAR
22	Starling	15	everywhere
23	Bells Vireo	1	o
24	Yellowthroat	3	o - MAR
25	House Sparrow	10	everywhere
26	Eastern Meadowlark	2	o - MAR
27	Western Meadowlark	8	o - MAR
28	Red wing Blackbird	15	o - MAR
29	Baltimore Oriole	2	o - MAR
30	Common Grackle	40	everywhere
31	Brown headed Cowbird	10	everywhere
32	Cardinal	5	o - MAR
33	Indigo Bunting	2	o
34	Dickcissel	20	o - MAR
35	Chipping Sparrow	1	X
36	Field Sparrow	1	o

Today was clear, cool and real nice. Temperatures were low about 47° high about 75°. I even wore a coat to work this AM.

Thursday, June 1, 1972

1	Bob White	5	o
2	Killdeer	1	o
3	Rock Dove	8	o
4	Mourning Dove	40	everywhere
5	Night Hawk	1	X
6	Chimney Swift	28	X - o
7	Yellow Shafted Flicker	2	X - o
8	Red headed Woodpecker	9	bvd - o
9	Downy Woodpecker	1	o
10	Eastern Kingbird	12	o
11	Great crested Flycatcher	1	o
12	Barn Swallow	15	o
13	Purple Martin	12	X - o
14	Blue Jay	8	bvd - o
15	Common Crow	3	bvd - o
16	House Wren	6	X - bvd - o

Thursday, June 1, 1972

17	Mockingbird	6	o
18	Catbird	1	o
19	Brown Thrasher	3	X - o
20	Robin	20	everywhere
21	Wood Thrush	1	o
22	Eastern Bluebird	1	o
23	Loggerhead Shrike	5	o
24	Starling	15	everywhere
25	Bells Vireo	1	X
26	Warbling Vireo	3	X - o
27	House Sparrow	12	everywhere
28	Eastern Meadowlark	10	o
29	Western Meadowlark	12	o
30	Red wing Blackbird	25	o
31	Orchard Oriole	1	X
32	Baltimore Oriole	1	X
33	Common Grackle	50	everywhere
34	Brown headed Cowbird	5	o
35	Cardinal	6	everywhere
36	Indigo Bunting	2	bvd - o
37	Chickadee	60	o ~~bird~~
38	American Goldfinch	1	o
39	Chipping Sparrow	1	X

To day was clear and warm. The temperatures were low about 54° high about 89°.

Friday, June 2, 1972

1	Great Blue Heron	1	SQ
2	Green Heron	2	SQ
3	Least Bittern	1	Bigelow Marsh
4	Snow Goose	1 ~~bird~~	SQ
5	Mallard	18	SQ
6	Gadwall	3	SQ
7	Blue wing Teal	3	SQ
8	Belted Plover	5	SQ
9	Ring necked Pheasant	6	SQ
10	American Coot	14	SQ
11	Killdeer	4	SQ

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12	Lesser yellow legs	2	SQ
13	White-rumped Sandpiper	150	SQ
14	Black Tern	30	SQ
15	Rock Dove	1	X
16	Mourning Dove	30	everywhere
17	Great Horned Owl	1	Bigelow Marsh
18	Night hawk	1	X
19	Chimney Swift	20	everywhere
20	Yellow-shafted Flicker	2	bvd SQ
21	Red Headed Woodpecker	3	bvd - Hwy 59
22	Eastern Kingbird	16	everywhere
23	Eastern Phoebe	1	KP
24	Rough winged Swallow	1	SQ
25	Barn Swallow	20	everywhere
26	Purple Martin	8	X - bvd Hwy 59
27	Blue Jay	10	everywhere
28	Common Crow	8	bvd - SQ
29	Black-capped Chickadee	2	X - bvd
30	House Wren	3	everywhere
31	Brown Thrasher	3	Hwy 59 SQ
32	Robin	15	everywhere
33	Eastern Bluebird	3	Nw. bvd near SQ
34	Loggerhead Shrike	1	near SQ
35	Starling	20	everywhere
36	Bells Vireo	2	SQ
37	Warbling Vireo	2	X - SQ
38	Yellow Warbler	2	SQ
39	Yellow throat	5	SQ
40	Yellow-breasted Chat	1	SQ
41	House Sparrow	15	everywhere
42	Eastern Meadowlark	12	everywhere
43	Red Wing Blackbird	30	Bigelow Marsh - SQ
44	Archard Oriole	7	" " "
45	Baltimore Oriole	2	SQ
46	Common Grackle	50	everywhere
47	Brown-headed Cowbird	10	everywhere
48	Cardinal	8	everywhere
49	Indigo Bunting	7	everywhere

50. Chickadee	35	everywhere
51. American Goldfinch	15	Bigelow Marsh - SQ
52. Song Sparrow	1	SQ

Today was clear, hot and humid. The temperatures were low about 63° high about 96°. This afternoon when I got off from work at 3:30 P.M. Earl and I drove to the Bigelow Marsh where we had the Black Rail last week. Dick Anderson, Jim Comfort, William Goodge and Dave Jones from St. Louis and Columbia want to try for it tomorrow night so I drove up this evening to make sure I had the right place and to be sure the roads were O.K. Dick called me at about 8:30 P.M. and they plan on being here around 2 P.M. tomorrow. Les Galloway and maybe Jack Hillsabeck will go with me.

Saturday June 3, 1972

1 Great Blue Heron	2	SQ
2 Black crowned Night Heron	1	SQ
3 Snow Goose	2	SQ
4 Mallard	10	SQ
5 Turkey Vulture	1	River Road
6 Red Tailed Hawk	2	SQ - River Rd
7 Bob White	12	everywhere
8 Ring necked Pheasant	10	SQ
9 American Coot	6	SQ
10 Killdeer	8	Bigelow Marsh - SQ
11 Common Snipe	1	SQ
12 White rumped Sand piper	75	Big Lake SQ
13 Semipalmated Sand piper	75	Big Lake SQ
14 Franklin Gull	15	SQ
15 Least Tern	1	SQ
16 Black Tern	7	SQ
17 Mourning Dove	35	everywhere
18 Night Hawk	1	Mound City
19 Chuck wills Wren	1	SQ
20 Whip poor will	2	SQ
21 Chimney Swift	15	everywhere
22 Barred Owl	1	SQ

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Saturday June 16, 1972

50	Blackbird	35	
51	American Goldfinch	15	
52	Song Sparrow	1	
	Horned Owl	1	SA
23	Red bellied Wood pecker	1	SA
24	Downy Wood pecker	1	SA
25	Eastern Kingbird	15	everywhere
26	Great Crested Flycatcher	1	River Rd.
27	Eastern Phoebe	1	River Rd.
28	Roughwinged Swallow	4	River Rd.
29	Barn Swallow	50	everywhere
30	Purple Martin	5	X - Round City
31	Blue Jay	6	everywhere
32	House Wren	3	X - SA
33	Catbird	6	everywhere
34	Brown Thrasher	5	everywhere
35	Robin	10	everywhere
36	Toggerhead Shrike	4	River Rd - Big Lake
37	Starling	30	everywhere
38	Bells Vireo	2	SA
39	Warbling Vireo	10	everywhere
40	Yellow Warbler	10	SA
41	Yellowthroat	6	SA
42	Yellow-breasted Chat	2	SA
43	~~White-throated~~ House Sparrow	25	everywhere
44	Eastern Meadowlark	15	everywhere
45	Red wing Blackbird	60	everywhere
46	Orchard Oriole	20	everywhere
47	Baltimore Oriole	5	Big Lake - SA
48	Common Grackle	60	everywhere
49	Brown-headed Cowbird	8	everywhere
50	Cardinal	7	everywhere
51	Rose breasted Grosbeak	1	River Rd
52	Indigo Bunting	20	everywhere
53	Wickrussel	38	everywhere
54	American Goldfinch	12	everywhere
55	Grasshopper Sparrow	3	Big Lake

60. Y. b. Cuckoo - 1
 59 Wood Thrush - 1 - SQ Saturday, June 4, 1972
 58 Horned Owl

56 Chipping Sparrow 1 X
 57 Song Sparrow 2 SQ

Today was clear, hot and humid. The temperatures were low about 71° high about 97°. I worked until 12 Noon. At 2:00 P.M. I took Lois' car, picked up Leo Galloway and headed for Squaw Creek. There we met Dick Anderson, Jim Comfort, Bill Hoodge and Mr. David Jones. We birded together at Squaw Creek, Big Lake and the Bigelow Marshes until 7:15 P.M. when we went to Mound City to eat supper. After eating we came back to Squaw Creek headquarters where we met Jack Hillsbeck. From there we all went to the Bigelow Marshes, the object was to look and listen for the Black Rail. I used my tape recorder. The area that we found the Black Rail in about 9 days ago was completely dried up. Although I played my tape and walked all around the area where news got a peep. We finally left there 1 A.M. actually on Sunday morning very disappointed and headed to Squaw Creek where there was more water. We stayed there until 2:30 A.M. with no more success. Finally we left there at 2:30 A.M. and headed for home. I got home at 3:15 A.M. when I rested only until 4 A.M. When we ate breakfast and got ready to ~~leave~~ leave for the start of my breeding bird survey routes.

Sunday, June 4, 1972

1 Sparrow Hawk	1	X
2 Rock Dove	7	b. b. S.
3 Mourning Dove	6	X - b. b. S.
4 Night Hawk	2	X - 0
5 Chimney Swift	6	X
6 yellow shafted Flicker	1	X
7 Red bellied Woodpecker	1	b. b. S.
8 Eastern Kingbird	2	b. b. S.
9 Great Crested Flycatcher	1	X
10 Eastern Phoebe	2	b. b. S.
11 Blue Jay	4	b. b. S.
12 Common Crow	2	X - b. b. S.
13 Tufted Titmouse	4	b. b. S.

14	House Wren	5	X - b. b. s.
15	Catbird	1	X
16	Brown Thrasher	1	X
17	Robin	15	X - b. b. s.
*18	Bob White	1	b. b. s.
19	Loggerhead Shrike	1	b. b. s.
20	Starling	10	X
21	Warbling Vireo	1	X
22	Yellowthroat	2	b. b. s.
23	House Sparrow	10	X. Manor.
24	Eastern Meadowlark	4	b. b. s.
25	Western Meadowlark	4	b. b. s.
26	Red wing Blackbird	12	b. b. s.
27	Orchard Oriole	1	X
28	Baltimore Oriole	1	X
29	Common Grackle	20	everywhere
30	Brown headed Cowbird	1	b. b. s.
31	Cardinal	14	everywhere
32	Indigo Bunting	11	b. b. s.
33	Nickissel	19	b. b. s.

To day was partly cloudy and pretty nice most of the day. The temperatures were low about 70° high about 94° with only about 1/2 hour rest from my blacktail hunt overnight. Pearl and I started out on our Breeding ^{bird} Survey Route. We made the first eleven stops before we were forced to call it quits because of rain and muddy roads. I spent most of the day in bed. Now if I sleep well tonight maybe I will feel good by morning.

Monday, June 5, 1972

1	Mourning Dove	3	X
2	Night Hawk	1	X
3	Chimney Swift	20	o - X
4	Yellow Shafted Flicker	1	bud
5	Wood Pewee	1	bud
6	Barn Swallow	1	bud
7	Blue Jay	3	X - bud
8	Common Crow	2	bud

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9	Black capped Chickadee	1	X
10	House Wren	3	bvd - X
11	Robin	10	bvd - X
12	Catbird	1	X
13	Starling	40	X
14	House Sparrow	8	X
15	Eastern Meadowlark	1	o
16	Common Grackle	20	everywhere
17	Orchard Oriole	1	X
18	Brown headed Cowbird	2	bvd
19	Cardinal	3	bvd - X
20	Nickcissel	1	o
21	Chipping Sparrow	2	o

Today was clear, hot and humid. The temperatures were low about 70° high about 96°. I was still tired today after 8 hours sleep Sunday during the day and 8 hours sleep last night. Guess I just can't take it anymore.

Tuesday, June 6, 1972

1	Sparrow Hawk	1	AR
2	Bob White	7	o - AR
3	Killdeer	1	LC
4	Rock Dove	6	d.t.
5	Mourning Dove	25	everywhere
6	Night Hawk	3	X - o
7	Chimney Swift	15	everywhere
8	Red headed Woodpecker	4	LC - o - AR
9	Eastern Kingbird	4	LC - o - AR
10	Great Crested Flycatcher	1	o
11	Eastern Phoebe	1	KP
12	Horned Lark	3	LC - o
13	Barn Swallow	8	LC - o - AR
14	Purple Martin	6	LC - AR
15	Blue Jay	4	bvd - o
16	Common Crow	3	bvd
17	Black capped Chickadee	1	o
18	Mockingbird	1	o
19	Catbird	1	o

20	House Wren	4	X - 0 - AR
21	Brown Thrasher	5	0 - AR
22	Robin	15	everywhere
23	Eastern Bluebird	1	LC
24	Loggerhead Shrike	7	LC - 0 - AR
25	Starling	40	everywhere
26	Yellowthroat	2	LC
27	House Sparrow	15	everywhere
28	~~Yellow~~ Eastern Meadowlark	12	LC - 0 - AR
29	Western Meadowlark	6	LC - 0
30	Yellow headed Blackbird	1	LC
31	Redwing Blackbird	25	LC - 0 - AR
32	Baltimore Oriole	4	LC - 0
33	Common Grackle	60	everywhere
34	Brown headed Cowbird	6	everywhere
35	Cardinal	5	everywhere
36	Indigo Bunting	5	0 - AR
37	Blackbird	30	LC - 0 - AR
38	American Goldfinch	1	LC
39	Grasshopper Sparrow	8	LC - 0 - AR
40	Chipping Sparrow	2	0

Today was clear, hot & humid till this evening when it clouded up and cooled off a bit. The temperatures were low about 69° high about 92°.

Wednesday, June 7, 1972

1	Turkey Vulture	4	HC -
2	Bald White	6	HC
3	Rock Dove	4	X
4	Mourning Dove	20	everywhere
5	Yellow billed Cuckoo	4	HC
6	Nighthawk	1	X
7	Chimney Swift	18	everywhere
8	Yellow shafted Flicker	5	bvd - AR - HC
9	Red bellied Woodpecker	3	AR - HC
10	Red headed Woodpecker	6	bvd - AR - HC
11	Downy Woodpecker	2	HC
12	Eastern Kingbird	3	AR - HC

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13	Crested Flycatcher	3	HC
14	Eastern Wood Pewee	1	KP
15	Acadian Flycatcher	3	HC
16	Barn Swallow	10	AR - HC
17	Purple Martin	6	AR
18	Blue Jay	5	X-brd - HC
19	Common Crow	6	AR - HC
20	Black capped Chickadee	4	HC
21	Tufted Titmouse	2	HC
22	House Wren	8	X-AR - HC
23	Catbird	1	HC
24	Brown Thrasher	3	AR - HC
25	Robin	15	everywhere
26	Wood Thrush	1	HC
27	Eastern Bluebird	2	AR
28	Loggerhead Shrike	8	AR
29	Sparling	18	everywhere
30	White eyed Vireo	3	HC
31	Red eyed Vireo	3	HC
32	Parula Warbler	1	HC
33	Ovenbird	1	HC
34	Kentucky Warbler	3	HC
35	Yellow Breasted Chat	1	HC
36	American Redstart	2	HC
37	House Sparrow	10	everywhere
38	Eastern Meadowlark	9	AR - HC
39	Red Wing Blackbird	15	AR - HC
40	Orchard Oriole	2	AR
41	Common Grackle	60	everywhere
42	Brown headed Cowbird	8	everywhere
43	Cardinal	8	everywhere
44	Blue Grosbeak	1	AR
45	Indigo Bunting	20	AR - brd - HC
46	Dickcissel	25	AR - HC
47	American Goldfinch	4	HC
48	Rufous sided Towhee	1	HC
49	Lark Sparrow	1	AR

50 Chipping Sparrow
51 Field Sparrow

2
3

0
HC

I heard a Turkey gobbling at Honey creek this evening. I must have been within about 100 feet of him but the vegetation was so dense I could not get a look at him. The day was clear and hot. Temperatures low about 73° high about 93°

Thursday, June 8, 1972

1	Sparrow Hawk	2	0
2	Bob White	3	0
3	Killdeer	1	0
4	Rock Dove	4	X
5	Mourning Dove	35	everywhere
6	Night Hawk	2	X - bud
7	Chimney Swift	25	everywhere
8	Yellow-shafted Flicker	1	0
9	Red-headed Woodpecker	1	0
10	Hummingbird, R. Thr.	1	0
11	Eastern Kingbird	4	0
12	Eastern Phoebe	1	0
13	Horned Lark	1	0
14	Barn Swallow	10	0
15	Purple Martin	7	0
16	Blue Jay	2	0
17	House Wren	3	X - bud - 0
18	Mockingbird	3	0
19	Catbird	2	bud - 0
20	Brown Thrasher	5	0
21	Robin	20	everywhere
22	Loggerhead Shrike	3	0
23	Starling	30	everywhere
24	House Sparrow	15	everywhere
25	Eastern Meadowlark	20	0
26	Western Meadowlark	12	0
27	Red-wing Blackbird	30	0
28	Baltimore Oriole	2	0
29	Common Grackle	50	everywhere
30	Brown-headed Cowbird	5	bud - 0

31 Cardinal	2	X - 0
32 Dickcissel	38	0
33 Grasshopper Sparrow	2	0
34 Chipping Sparrow	2	0

Today was clear, hot and humid. The temperatures were low about 69° high about 100°.

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1 Rock Dove	3	X
2 Mourning Dove	14	bvd - X
3 Night Hawk	1	X
4 Chimney Swift	6	X
5 Red Headed Woodpecker	1	bvd
6 Purple Martin	3	X
7 Blue Jay	1	bvd
8 Common Crow	1	bvd
9 House Wren	1	X
10 Robin	8	X - bvd
11 Catbird	1	X
12 Starling	10	X - bvd
13 House Sparrow	6	X - bvd
14 Common Grackle	20	X - bvd
15 Cardinal	2	X - bvd
16 Chipping Sparrow	1	0
17 Bell's Vireo	1	X
18 American Goldfinch	2	X

Today was clear, hot and humid. The temperatures were low about 70° high about 100°. This is the poorest June list of birds I have had in a long time. I didn't really try today because of heading for Colorado tomorrow.

Saturday, June 10, 1972

I got up at 4 a.m. Mark Robbins came by about 4:45 a.m. We ate breakfast here at my home and then we headed west over Highway 36 through Colorado Kansas on our way to Colorado. We left home at 5:30 a.m. and arrived at the Colorado line at 11:50 a.m. our time. Following is our bird list for today.

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1	Great Blue Heron	1	Kansas
2	Green Heron	1	eastern Colo.
3	Mallard	several	eastern Colo.
4	Turkey Vulture	6	Kansas
5	Red tailed Hawk	2	Kansas
6	Sparrow Hawk	10	E. Colo.
7	Ring necked Pheasant	3	E. Colo.
8	Killdeer	6	Kansas
9	Spotted Sandpiper	1	E. Colo.
10	Rock Dove	a few	Kans - E. Colo.
11	Mourning Dove	common	Kans - E. Colo.
12	Burrowing Owl	6	Kans - E. Colo.
13	Night Hawk	4	E. Colo - Kansas
14	Chimney Swift	common	Kansas
15	White Throated Swift	several	R. R. P.
16	Belted Kingfisher	2	Kans - E. Colo.
17	Red shafted Flicker	1	E. Colo.
18	Red headed Woodpecker	2	Kansas
19	Eastern Kingbird	several	Kans - E. Colo.
20	Western Kingbird	several	Kans - E. Colo.
21	Says Phoebe	1	E. Colo.
22	Horned Lark	common	Kans - E. Colo.
23	Violet Green Swallow	20	R. R. P.
24	Barn Swallow	common	Kans - E. Colo.
25	Cliff Swallow	common	E. Colo.
26	Black-billed Magpie	common	W. Kans - E. Colo.
27	Common Crow	common	Kansas - Colorado
28	House Wren	common	Kansas - Colorado
* 29	Canyon Wren	4	R. R. P.
30	Brown Thrasher	common	Kansas - Colorado
31	Robin	common	Kans - Colorado
32	Eastern Bluebird	1	E. Colo.
33	Water Pipit	3	E. Colo.
34	Foggerhead Shrike	common	Kans - Colo
35	Starling	common	Kans - Colo
36	Warbling Vireo	common	Kans - Colo
37	Yellow Warbler	3	R. R. P.
38	Yellowthroat	1	Colo.

Lifer

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	39. Yellow-breasted Chat	2	R.R.P.
	40. House Sparrow	common	everywhere
	41. Western Meadowlark	many	Kans - Colo.
	42. Red wing Blackbird	very common	Kans - Colo.
	43. Orchard Oriole	5	mostly R.R.P.
	44. Baltimore Oriole	3	✓ Kans.
lifer - *	45. Bullocks Oriole	1	R.R.P.
	46. Common Grackle	very common	Kans
	47. Brown headed Cowbird	several	Kans
lifer - *	48. Lazuli Bunting	5	R.R.P.
	49. Dickcissel	many	Kansas - E. Colo.
	50. Green tailed Towhee	30	R.R.P.
	51. Rufous sided Towhee	5	R.R.P.
	52. Lark Bunting	common	W. Kans - E. Colo.
	53. Grasshopper Sparrow	5	E. Colo.
	54. Lark Sparrow	a few	E. Colo.
lifer - *	55. Cassin's Sparrow	3 (near Boney Reservoir)	N.E. Colo.
	56. Purple Martin	a few	Kansas
	57. Mockingbird	1	Kansas
	58. Cardinal	a few	Kansas

It was partly cloudy off & on all day with light rain. Our first Burrowing owl was just west of O'Fallon, Kans; first Magpie about one mile west of St. Francis, Kans. Saw a Coyote just west of Washington, Kansas, first Jack Rabbit near Boney Reservoir in Colo. Tried to bird south of Denver but didn't do any good at all so we went to Red Rocks Park which is south west of Denver. There were many people there but there were also some good birds there. This evening we checked into a Motel at Golden, Colo. We were surprised that it was so cheap. Mark did all the driving which was 650 miles.

Sunday, June 11, 1972

Mark and I went up at 5 A.M. We drove around Golden, Colo. first then went to Senessee Park first, from there to Red Rocks Park. From Red Rocks Park to Mt. Limb at Tipy Town which is S.W. of Denver near Morrison and then to Fort Collins, Colo. where

we visited for about half an hour with Mr. Ronald Ryder and his wife. He gave us some information on the Pawnee National Grasslands which is near the town of Hunk, Colo. and some of the birds to look for there and where to find them. We saw our first Antelope there.

	1. Mallard	15		P. G.
	2. Pintail	1		P. G.
	3. Blue wing Teal	3		P. G.
	4. Cinnamon Teal	4		P. G.
	5. Turkey Vulture	several	P. G. - Pawnee Grasslands	open country
	6. Swallow Hawk	2		P. G.
	7. Ferruginous Hawk	1		P. G.
	8. Golden Eagle	2		P. G.
	9. Marsh Hawk	1	G. P. - Genessee Park	P. G.
	10. Sparrow Hawk	Common		everywhere
Lifer	11. Killdeer	several		everywhere
*	12. Mountain Plover	5		P. G.
	13. Avocet	6		near P. G.
	14. Ring-billed Gull	1		near Greeley
	15. Franklin's Gull	60		near Greeley
	16. Rock Dove	a few		around town
	17. Mourning Dove	Common		everywhere
	18. Night Hawk	6		near Town
	19. Chimney Swift	1		Greeley, Colo.
	20. White-throated Swift	6		R. R. P.
	21. Belted Kingfisher	1		P. G.
Lifer	* 22. Williamson's Sapsucker	1 ♀		G. P.
	23. Hairy wood pecker	1 (with young at Nest)		G. P.
	24. Western King Bird	several		everywhere
Lifer	* 25. Western Flycatcher	2		G. P.
	26. Horned Lark	several	in & near	P. G.
	27. Violet Green Swallow	20		G. P. - R. R. P.
	28. Barn Swallow	several		everywhere
	29. Cliff Swallow	several		everywhere
	30. Steller's Jay	1		G. P.
	31. Scrub Jay	1		R. R. P.
	32. Black-billed Magpie	several		everywhere

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	33 Common Crow	a few	everywhere
	34 Black capped Chickadee	1	R.R.P.
lifer *	35 Mountain Chickadee	several	G.P.
	36 Red breasted Nuthatch	1	G.P.
lifer *	37 Pygmy Nuthatch	a few	G.P.
	38 House Wren	a few	R.R.P. - G.P.
	39 Canyon Wren	3	R.R.P.
	40 Catbird	1	R.R.P.
	41 Robin	several	everywhere
	~~42 Golden Blackbird~~		
	42 Loggerhead Shrike	a few	roadsides
	43 Starling	a few	around towns
	44 Warbling Vireo	several	most everywhere
	45 Yellow Warbler	a few	around water
	46 Audubons Warbler	3	G.P.
	47 Yellow breasted Chat	2	R.R.P.
	48 House Sparrow	several	most everywhere
	49 Western Meadowlark	common	roadsides
	50 Yellow headed Blackbird	10	near P.G.
	51 Red wing Blackbird	50	everywhere
	52 Bullocks Oriole	1	R.R.P.
	53 Brewers Blackbird	common	roadsides
	54 Common Grackle	common	near towns
	55 Brown headed Cowbird	a few	most everywhere
	56 Black headed Grosbeak	3	R.R.P.
	57 Lazuli Bunting	5	R.R.P.
	58 Chickadee	1	R.R.P.
	59 House Finch	4	Golden - R.R.P.
	60 Pine Siskin	common	G.P.
lifer *	61 Lesser Goldfinch	15	Golden, G.P.
	62 Red Crossbill	100	G.P.
	63 Green tailed Towhee	4	G.P. - R.R.P.
	64 Rufous sided Towhee	6	G.P. - R.R.P.
	65 Lark Bunting	150	mostly P.G.
	66 Gray headed Junco	12	G.P.
	67 Chipping Sparrow	6	everywhere
lifer *	68 Brewer's ~~Blackbird~~ Sparrow	15	P.G.

69	W.C. Gons. Longspur	10	P.G.
70	Chestnut collared longspur	4	P.G.

After birding at Pawnee Grasslands we drove to Greeley Colorado where we checked into a Motel for the night. Most of the day it looked as if it would storm but we didn't get more than a light shower.

Monday, June 12, 1972

We were up at 5:40 A.M., ate breakfast in Greeley, Colo. and headed for the Riverside Reservoir. A few birds nest on an Island here including the California Gull which Mark needed for a life bird. When we got there we found that we couldn't get any where near the Island except by boat which we didn't have. Luckily Mark did get to see some of the Gulls near enough to identify them. From there we went back to Rocky Mtn. National Park where we stayed the rest of the day.

1.	Western Goshawk	15	R.R.
2.	White Pelican	12	R.R.
3.	Houelle Crested Cormorants	1	R.R.
4.	Great Blue Heron	1	R.R.
5.	Mallard	20	near R.R.
6.	Swainsons Hawk	2	near R.R.
7.	Sparrow Hawk	10	everywhere
8.	Killdeer	4	near R.R.
9.	California Gull	20	R.R.
10.	Rock Dove	3	Greeley
11.	Mourning Dove	40	everywhere
life-*12.	Broad tailed Hummingbird	1	R.M.N.P.
13.	Red shafted Flicker	1	near R.R.
14.	Red headed Woodpecker	1	near R.R.
15.	Western Kingbird	6	near R.R.
life*16.	Western Wood Pewee	2	R.M.N.P.
17.	Olive sided Flycatcher	1	R.M.N.P.
18.	Horned Lark	12	near R.R.
19.	Violet green Swallow	15	R.M.N.P.
20.	Rough winged Swallow	1	near R.R.
21.	Barn Swallow	30	near R.R.

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22	Cliff Swallow	common	near R.R.
23	Gray Jay	3	R. M. N. P.
24	Stellers Jay	4	R. M. N. P.
25	Black billed Magpie	common	everywhere
26	Common Raven	3	R. M. N. P.
27	Common Crow	3	near R.R.
28	Clarks Nutcracker	10	R. M. N. P.
29	Mountain Chickadee	6	R. M. N. P.
30	Pygmy Nuthatch	3	R. M. N. P.
lifer- * 31	Chipping	1	R. M. N. P.
32	House Wren	common	everywhere
33	Robin	common	everywhere
34	Mountain Bluebird	several	everywhere
35	Ruby crowned Kinglet	common	mountains
36	Water pipit	6	Tundra
37	Starling	several	around towns
38	Warbling Vireo	common	everywhere
39	yellow Warbler	several	around water
lifer- * 40	Mac Gillivays Warbler	3	foothills
41	yellow throat	2	around water
42	House Sparrow	several	around towns
43	Western Meadowlark	common	lower elevations
44	Yellow headed Blackbird	3	R. R.
45	Red wing Blackbird	common	near R.R.
46	Bullocks Oriole	2	near R. R.
47	Common Grackle	common	~~near~~ lower ground
lifer- * 48	Western Tanager	1	R. M. N. P.
lifer- * 49	Brown capped Rosy Finch	2	Tundra
50	Pine Siskin	common	R. M. N. P.
51	Red Crossbill	common	R. M. N. P.
52	Green tailed Towhee	common	foothills
53	Rufous sided Towhee	common	foothills
54	Lark Bunting	common	low lands
55	Savannah Sparrow	1	near R.R.
56	Lark Sparrow	3	near R.R.
57	Cassins Sparrow	4	near R.R.
58	Gray headed Junco	common	R. M. N. P.
59	White crowned Sparrow	1	R. M. N. P.

We ate lunch and supper in Estes Park and are staying tonight in Rocky Mtn. Natl. Park. I have now added 17 lifers and Mark has added 33. After getting settled in our sleeping bags for the night we were run out by some one who had already registered for that area. so we had to drive around and find another spot to camp.

4th day

Tuesday, June 13, 1972

Up at about 5 A.M. after a poor nights rest in the car at the Morraine Camp grounds in R.M.N.P. We spent most of the day in R.M.N.P. About three hours this afternoon we spent with Kent Danner and his wife Monna near the Y.M.C.A. Camp in Estes Park. He is Camp naturalist there. He had heard of a hawk that supposedly was a Goshawk near by and as Mark needed it for a lifer we hiked for it. We found the female Goshawk on her nest and buzzed us the entire time that we were there.

1	Mallard	several	R.M.N.P.
2	Green Wing Teal	4	R.M.N.P.
3	Goshawk	1 ♀	near Estes Park
4	Coopers Hawk	1	R.M.N.P.
5	Red tailed Hawk	2	R.M.N.P.
6	Prairie Falcon	1	tundra R.M.N.P.
*7	Whit. tailed Ptarmigan	2 (♂-♀)	Tundra
8	Common Snipe	several	Wet meadows
9	Spotted Sandpiper	1	Morraine Park
10	Rock Dove	2	Fort Collins
11	Mourning Dove	several	Foot hills
12	Screech Owl	1	near near camp ground
13	Broad tailed Hummingbird	several	Morraine Park
14	Red shafted Flicker	1	" "
15	Yellow bellied Sapsucker	1	" "
16	Downy Wood pecker	1	" "
*17	Blue Jay	2	along stream
18	Violet green Swallow	common	R.M.N.P.
19	Tree Swallow	common	over wet meadows
20	Barn Swallow	common	everywhere

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21	Rough winged Swallow	3	low lands
22	Cliff Swallow	common	lowlands
23	Gray Jay	1	R. M. N. P.
24	Stellar Jay	3	R. M. N. P.
25	Black billed Magpie	common	foothills
26	Common Raven	2	Tundra
27	Clarks Nutcracker	6	R. M. N. P.
28	Mountain Chickadee	5	R. M. N. P.
29	Pygmy Nuthatch	2	R. M. N. P.
30	Chipping	1	near Estes Park
31	House Wren	several	everywhere
32	Robin	common	everywhere
33	Mountain Bluebird	several	roadsides
34	Ruby Crowned Kinglet	common	everywhere
35	Water pipit	several	Tundra
36	Starling	several	around habitation
37	Warbling Vireo	common	everywhere
38	Yellow Warbler	a few	along streams
39	Mac Millan's Warbler	a few	along streams
40	House Sparrow	common	around habitation
41	Western Meadowlark	common	lower elevations
42	Red Wing Blackbird	common	mostly near water
43	Brewers Blackbird	common	lower ground
44	Common Grackle	common	lower ground
45	Black headed Grosbeak	3	R. M. N. P.
46	Lazuli Bunting	2	R. M. N. P.
lifer * 47	Cassins Finch	3	Morraine Park
48	Brown capped Rosy Finch	6	Tundra
49	Pine Siskin	common	R. M. N. P.
50	Red Crossbill	common	R. M. N. P.
51	Green tailed Towhee	common	brushy hillsides
52	Rufous sided Towhee	common	brushy hillsides
53	Cassins Sparrow	1	near Jt. Collins
54	Gray headed Junco	10	R. M. N. P.
55	Song Sparrow	2	Morraine Park
56	Lincolns Sparrow	1	Morraine Park

Late this afternoon we left the park and headed for Fort Collins, Colo. where we are staying in the Motel again tonight.

We are both really tired and it has been rainy and bad this evening. Maybe when we get farther west in the state we will sleep out more. (McCraine Park is a small meadow park within Rocky Mountain National Park).

5th. day.

Wednesday, June 14, 1972

We got up this morning in a Motel here in Fort Collins at 5:30 A.M., ate breakfast and headed northwest. We spent all morning in Roosevelt National Forest, west of Red Feather Lakes. This was beautiful country. We were trying a certain area near Dead Man Lookout where the Northern 3-toed Woodpecker had been reported. We drove as far as we could and then where the road was blocked with snow drifts we walked the rest of the way to the top. Leaving there at noon we headed for Steamboat Springs, Colo., stopping off for a couple of hours at the Grapahoe N.W.R. near Walden, Colo.

This was our most disappointing day. I wound up with only one life, the Sage Thrasher which I believe is my 400th life bird. It was a pretty day, but much of it was on dusty roads so we felt dirty & grumpy.

1	Mallard	several	near A. N. W. R.
2	Pintail	1	A. N. W. R.
3	Turkey Vulture	several	everywhere
4	Hoshawk	1 - brown bird	near Red Feather Lakes
5	Red tailed Hawk	3	open country
6	Swainsons Hawk	2	open country
7	Golden Eagle	2	near Red Feather Lakes
8	Sparrow Hawk	Common	everywhere
9	Killdeer	several	open valleys
10	California Gull	3	on lake high in Mtn. pass
11	Mourning Dove	Common	everywhere
12	Western Kingbird	several	lower land on roadsides
13	Horned Lark	several	lower ground
14	Violet green Swallow	several	Red Feather Lakes area
15	Barn Swallow	several	everywhere
16	Gray Jay	3	R. N. F.
17	Stellers Jay	2	R. N. F.

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18	Black-billed Magpie	common	lower country
19	Common Raven	a few	high country
20	~~Common~~ Crow	a few	lower country
21	Mountain Chickadee	several	R. M. F. ✓
22	Pygmy Nuthatch	a few	R. N. F.
23	House Wren	several	everywhere
lifer-* 24	Sage Thrasher	several	A. N. W. R.
25	Robin	common	everywhere
26	Swainson's Thrush	2	R. N. F.
27	Mountain Bluebird	several	R. N. F.
28	Townsend's Solitaire	2	R. N. F.
29	Ruby-crowned Kinglet	common	all forests
30	Loggerhead Shrike	several	roadsides
31	Starling	common	around human habitations
32	Warbling Vireo	common	everywhere
33	Yellow Warbler	several	lower valleys
34	Audubon's Warbler	2	R. N. F.
35	House Sparrow	several	around human habitations
36	Western Meadowlark	common	roadsides
37	Yellow-headed Blackbird	several	A. N. W. R.
38	Red-wing Blackbird	common	lower valleys
39	Brewer's Blackbird	common	lower ground
40	Common Grackle	common	lower ground
41	Brown-headed Cowbird	a few	lower ground
42	Pine Grosbeak	1 ♂	R. N. F.
43	Pine Siskin	common	R. N. F.
44	Green-tailed Towhee	a few	hillsides
45	Rufous-sided Towhee	a few	hillsides
46	Gray-headed Junco	common	R. N. F.
47	Cedar Waxwing	5	Steamboat Springs

After leaving Arapahoe N. W. R. we headed on west and south to Steamboat Springs where we are staying tonight. We were sort of let down this evening because we didn't do so good today. I had one lifer only and Mark had only three. The only really enjoyable thing of the day was our walk up to Head Man Lookout in Roosevelt National Forest.

Thursday, June 15, 1972

6th day. We got up at 6:05 a.m. in our Motel Room at Steamboat Springs. This is the latest yet that we have slept. We ate breakfast and headed on west. Our cheapest meal yet was this morning. Both of our breakfasts came to 1.36. We arrived at Grand Junction at 12:30 P.M., ate lunch, gassed up and headed for the Colorado National Monument.

1	Great Blue Heron	1	near Steamboat Springs
2	Mallard	several	ponds in lower valleys
3	Turkey Vulture	several	most everywhere
4	Red-tailed Hawk	1	Valley
5	Sparrow Hawk	several	most everywhere
6	Killdeer	several	wet meadows
7	Common Snipe	5	wet meadows
8	Spotted Sandpiper	1	wet meadows
9	Rock Dove	a few	near habitations
10	Mourning Dove	common	along roadsides
11	Night Hawk	a few	near Steamboat Springs
12	White-throated Swift	several	C.N.M.
lifer-*13	Black-chinned Hummingbird	4	C.N.M.
14	Red-shafted Flicker	3	C.N.M.
15	Hairy Woodpecker	1	C.N.M.
16	Eastern Kingbird	1	C.N.M.
17	Western Kingbird	several	everywhere
lifer-*18	Ash-throated Flycatcher	5	C.N.M.
lifer-*19	Gray Flycatcher	1	C.N.M.
20	Horned Lark	a few	lower valleys
21	Violet-green Swallow	a few	C.N.M.
22	Rough-wing Swallow	1	lower valleys
23	Barn Swallow	several	lower valleys
24	Cliff Swallow	common	lower valleys
25	Scrub Jay	5	C.N.M.
26	Black-billed Magpie	several	most everywhere
27	Common Crow	a few	lower valleys
lifer-*28	Pinon Jay	several	C.N.M.
lifer-*29	Plain Titmouse	3	C.N.M.
30	House Wren	a few	most everywhere
lifer-*31	Rock Wren	6	C.N.M.
32	Sage Thrasher	1	lower valleys

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33	Robin	common	most everywhere
34	Western Bluebird	1	near C.N.M.
35	Mountain Bluebird	a few	lower elevations
36	Blue gray gnatcatcher	common	C.N.M.
37	Starling	a few	around habitations
38	Solitary Vireo	2	C.N.M.
lifer-*39	Black throated Gray Warbler	5	C.N.M.
40	Mac Gillivray Warbler	3	lower elevations
41	yellow breasted Chat	1	lower valley
42	American Red start	1	lower valley
43	House Sparrow	a few	around human habitation
44	Western Meadowlark	common	lower valleys
45	yellow headed Blackbird	2	lower valleys
46	Red wing Blackbird	common	lower valleys
47	Bullocks Oriole	1	C.N.M.
48	Brewers Blackbird	common	lower valleys
49	Common Grackle	several	lower valleys
50	Brown headed Cowbird	a few	lower valleys
51	House Finch	several	C.N.M.
52	Green tailed Towhee	a few	brushy hillsides
53	Savannah Sparrow	3	wet meadows
54	Vesper Sparrow	2	lower valleys
55	Black throated Sparrow	3	C.N.M.
56	Chipping Sparrow	3	lower valleys
57	Song Sparrow	1	wet meadows
58	Mockingbird	1	lower valleys

Due to melting snows in the mountains all the lower valleys are either standing pools of water or running streams. Many of the birds common back home in Missouri are found in these places. This was my second best day for birds. This evening after dark we drove the roads for awhile watching and listening for Poor wills and Owls. I was really tired this evening. We are sleeping in the car tonight here in the park.

Friday, June 16, 1972

7th. day. We got up at 5:30 A.M. We spent about three hours in the Park, part of it with the head ranger of the park. From there we drove to Grand Mesa. It would have been nice there but it rained on us most of the time. We stopped in Hatchkiss, Colo. for about an hour and visited with a Theodora Colburn. She took us to a neighbors who has a crippled Pygmy Owl. It seems that everyone around here feeds hummingbirds. From here we headed on to the Black Canyon of the Gunnison National Monument arriving there about 5:30 P.M. We hiked there awhile then drove 15 miles back into Crawford where we both called home and ate supper. We then drove back to the B.C. of the G. where we plan on camping for the night. We drove the roads until 11 P.M.

	1	Common Loon	1	near Hatchkiss
	2	Mallard	10	near Hatchkiss
	3	American Widgeon	2	near Hatchkiss
	4	Turkey Vulture	10	mostly foothills
	5	Coopers Hawk	1	B.C. G.
	6	Red tailed Hawk	3	valleys
	7	Sparrow Hawk	several	~~valleys~~
<i>lifer</i>	*8	Chukar	6	C.N.M.
	9	American Coot	15	near Hatchkiss
	10	Killdeer	a few	wet meadows
	11	Rock Dove	a few	near towns
	12	Mourning Dove	common	most everywhere
<i>lifer</i>	*13	Poorwill	several (heard)	B.C. G.
	14	Night hawk	a few	several places
	15	White throated Swift	common	mtns.
	16	Black chinned Hummingbird	3	C.N.M. - Hatchkiss
	17	Broad tailed Hummingbird	5	Hatchkiss
	18	Red shafted Flicker	1	mtns
	19	Lewis Woodpecker	1	near Hatchkiss
	20	Eastern Kingbird	2	Valleys
	21	Western Kingbird	common	lower elevations
	22	Ash throated Flycatcher	2	~~valleys~~ B.C. - G.
	23	Says Phoebe	1	C.N.M.
	24	Western Flycatcher	1	C.N.M.

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25	Western Wood Pewee	2	C N M
26	One sided Flycatcher	1	B C G
27	Horned Lark	several	lower elevations
28	Violet green Swallow	common	higher areas
29	Tree Swallow	several	one lake high in mtns
30	Rough winged Swallow	2	lower valleys
31	Barn Swallow	several	lower valleys
32	Cliff Swallow	common	lower areas
33	Gray Jay	3	C N M
34	Stellar Jay	3	C N M
35	Scrub Jay	6	C N M
36	Black-billed Magpie	common	most everywhere
37	Common Raven	2	high in mtns
38	Pinon Jay	several	C N M
39	Black capped Chickadee	1	valley
40	Mountain Chickadee	several	everywhere
41	Plain Titmouse	1	C N M
42	House Wren	several	everywhere
43	Canyon Wren	1	C N M
44	Rock Wren	3	C N M
45	Sage Thrasher	2	valleys
46	Robin	common	everywhere
47	Mountain Bluebird	common	everywhere
48	Blue gray Gnatcatcher	several	B C G - C N M
49	Ruby Crowned Kinglet	common	everywhere
50	Loggerhead Shrike	a few	valley roads
51	Starling	a few	near towns
52	Solitary Vireo	1	C N M
53	Warbling Vireo	several	everywhere
life * 54	Virginia Warbler	several	B C G
55	Yellow Warbler	2	valleys
56	Wilson's Warbler	1	mtns.
57	House Sparrow	several	near towns
58	Western Meadowlark	several	mostly valleys
59	Red wing Blackbird	several	mostly valleys
60	Bullock's Oriole	1	C N M
61	Brewer's Blackbird	common	valley roads
62	Brown headed Cowbird	several	valley roads

63	Western Tanager	3	mtns.
64	Cassina Finch	1	mtns.
65	House Finch	common	near towns most everywhere
66	Pine Siskin	common	conifers
67	Red Crossbill	common	conifers
68	Green tailed Towhee	Common	brushy areas
69	Rufous sided Towhee	Common	brushy areas
70	Vesper Sparrow	several	B C Y
71	Lark Sparrow	several	along roads
72	Gray headed Junco	several	in conifers
73	Chipping Sparrow	several	everywhere
74	White throated Sparrow	1	valleys
75	Song Sparrow	1	valleys
76	Black-throated Sparrow	4	CNM
77	Lincoln Sparrow	1	Valleys.

We stayed tonight, sleeping in the car at the camping area on the north rim of the Black Canyon of the Gunnison National Monument. We covered ~~some~~ so many elevations in so many types of country today is what accounts for our highest count of birds.

Saturday, June 17, 1972

8th. day. We got up at 6 AM at the Camp in Black Canyon of the Gunnison N.M. this morning. We birded there until about 10 AM and then headed our way west and south toward Durango, Colo. We ate lunch at 12:30 in Montrose, Colo. We arrived in Durango at 3:30 P.M. We were so tired and dirty from sleeping out the past two nights we decided to write up our notes, shower, go out and eat and then turn in early for a good night's rest.

1	Common Loon	1	near Hatcher's
2	Red-tailed Hawk	1	lower valley
3	Sparrow Hawk	several	lower areas
4	Mourning Dove	common	most everywhere
5	Night Hawk	a few	B C G
6	Black Swift	15	B C G
7	White-throated Swift	common	B C G
8	Black-chinned Hummingbird	2	B C G

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9	Red shafted Alicker	3	lower valley
10	Lewis' Wood pecker	1	blurangs
11	Ash throated Flycatcher	1	B.C.G.
12	Violet green Swallow	several	B.C.G.
13	Rough winged Swallow	1	lower area
14	Barn Swallow	several	lower valleys
15	Stellers Jay	6	B.C.G.
16	Scrub Jay	4	B.C.G.
17	Black Billed Magpie	common	everywhere
18	Clarks Nutcracker	20 a flight	B.C.G.
19	Mountain Chickadee	several	B.C.G.
20	Rock Wren	2	B.C.G.
21	Robin	common	everywhere
22	Mountain Bluebird	several	lower valleys
23	Townsend's Solitaire	1	B.C.G.
24	Blue gray gnatcatcher	common	B.C.G.
25	Sterling	several	near towns
26	Solitary Vireo	2	B.C.G.
27	Virginias Warbler	common	B.C.G.
28	Yellow Warbler	1	lower areas
29	Black throated gray Warbler	3	B.C.G.
30	Western Meadowlark	common	lower meadows
31	Yellow headed Blackbird	1	lower area
32	Red wing Blackbird	common	lower wet areas
33	Bravets Blackbird	common	lower areas
34	Brown headed Cowbird	a few	lower areas
35	Western Tanager	1	B.C.G.
36	Black headed Grosbeak	3	B.C.G.
37	House Finch	several	around blurangs
38	Green tailed Towhee	several	B.C.G.
39	Rufous sided Towhee	several	B.C.G.
40	Dark Sparrow	a few	near B.C.G.
41	Chipping Sparrow	a few	everywhere
42	Bravets Sparrow	3	lower areas

Only one lifer today for each of us was quite a let down. We are getting some good birds added to our life list but we are also missing some birds that we had expected to get.

Sunday, June 18, 1972

9th. day. We were up at 5:40 this morning in the Motel here in Durango, Colo. I didn't sleep too well last night. We ate breakfast and headed for Mesa Verde National Park. We didn't do any good there as far as birds went. There were many tourists there. Many birds we needed were listed for this area but we missed them. We left there at 12 Noon + headed east. We stopped in the San Juan National Forest as a side trip and picked up the Gair's Warbler which turned out to be our only lifer for the day. From there on we drove to Monte Vista arriving there at 5:15 PM. We made a quick tour of the Monte Vista N.W.P. and then went back into town to the Motel for the night. This is the first day since we left home that we had no rain at all during the day.

1	Snowy Egret	2	M. V.
2	Canada Goose	12 (ad with young)	M. V.
3	Mallard	50 some young	M. V.
4	Gadwall	15	M. V.
5	Sintail	6	M. V.
6	Green Wing Teal	2	M. V.
7	Cinnamon Teal	15	M. V.
8	American Widgeon	9	M. V.
9	Shoveller	12	M. V.
10	Red head Bluck	10	M. V.
11	Ruddy Bluck	2	M. V.
12	Turkey Vulture	13	most everywhere
13	Golden Eagle	1	M. V.
14	Marsh Hawk	1	M. V.
15	Sparrow Hawk	10	everywhere
16	Ping-necked Pheasant	6	M. V.
17	Sorka	1	M. V.
18	American Coot	30	M. V.
19	Killdeer	35	M. V.
20	Common Snipe	6	M. V.
21	Spotted Sand piper	3	M. V.
22	Avocet	25	M. V.
23	Wilson's Phalarope	7	M. V.

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24. ~~Common~~ Tern	1	M. V.
25 Rock Dove	3	near towns
26 Mourning Dove	common	everywhere
27 Night hawk	several	M. V. towns
28 White throated Swift	several	Mesa Verde
29 Red shafted Flicker	2	Mesa Verde
30 Lewis' Wood pecker	1	M. V.
31 Ash throated Fly catcher	1	Mesa Verde
32 Western Wood Pewee	1	Mesa Verde
33 Horned Lark	a few	lower roads
34 Violet green Swallow	several	Mesa Verde
35 Barn Swallow	common	lower valleys
36 Stellers Jay	3	Mesa Verde
37 Scrub Jay	8	Mesa Verde
38 Black billed Magpie	common	everywhere
39 Common Raven	3	Mesa Verde
40 Common Crow	2	lower valley
41 Pinon Jay	7	Mesa Verde
42 Mountain Chickadee	common	Mesa Verde
43 Plain Titmouse	1	Mesa Verde
44 White breasted Nuthatch	1	Mesa Verde
45 House Wren	a few	everywhere
46 Bewicks Wren	2	Mesa Verde
47 Sage Thrasher	1	M. V.
48 Robin	common	everywhere
49 Western Bluebird	1	Mesa Verde
50. Mountain Bluebird	7	most everywhere
51 Blue gray Gnatcatcher	common	Mesa Verde
52 Starling	common	around towns
53 Solitary Vireo	1	Mesa Verde
54 Virginias Warbler	3	Mesa Verde
55 yellow Warbler	2	Mesa Verde
56 Black throated gray Warbler	3	Mesa Verde
lifer * 57 Graces Warbler	3	San Juan Natl. Forest
58 Mac Gillivrays Warbler	3	Mesa Verde
59 House Sparrow	common	around towns
60 Western Meadowlark	common	lower country
61 Yellow headed Blackbird	common	M V

62	Redwing Blackbird	common	lower country
63	Brewer's Blackbird	common	lower country
64	Brown headed Cowbird	several	lower country
65	Western Tanager	3	Mesa Verde
66	Black headed Grosbeak	4	Mesa Verde
67	House Finch	common	Mesa Verde - M.V.
68	Green-tailed Towhee	several	brushy country
69	Rufous-sided Towhee	several	brushy country
70	Savannah Sparrow	common	MV
71	Gray headed Junco	several	Mesa Verde
72	Chipping Sparrow	common	most everywhere

By the time we had checked in to a Motel this evening we were getting pretty well disgusted at the lack of new birds. We knew that we were were passing by birds that would be lifers but not knowing the areas or the birds habits we knew not where to look.

Monday, June 19, 1972

10th day - We got up in the Motel at Monte Vista at 5:50 this morning. After eating an early breakfast we headed back to the Monte Vista National Wildlife Refuge. After a quick tour through here we drove through a part of the Alamosa National Wildlife Refuge. Mark picked up a Black Necked Stilt at Monte Vista for a lifer which was the only lifer of the day for either of us. We then drove through San Isabel National Forest. We enjoyed a nice long walk there and watched a pair of Williamsons Sapsuckers feeding young. We then continued on east hoping to pick up Bron Towhee, ~~White~~ ^{Black} Necked Raven, Lesser Prairie Chicken and Rufous crowned Sparrow. Of course we didn't find any of these. We arrived in Spring field, Colo. at 5:30 PM and were pretty well down. I tried to call the game agent here in this town hoping that maybe he could help us out. he was out of town. We were by then just about in the mood to head on north east then toward home when Mark decided to call Van Truan, a birder

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in Pueblo, Colo. After a bit of trouble getting through to him, ^{Mark} finally made it. Van Truan, a young fellow who turned out to be only a couple years older than Mark, told us that if we came back to Pueblo he would go out with us the next day and practically guarantee us a couple lifers. So with this we headed back arriving in Pueblo about 9 PM and 170 miles later. We checked in to a Motel in hopes of a bright day tomorrow.

1 Western Grebe	1	Alamogosa
2 Pied billed Grebe	1	M. V.
3 Snowy Egret	7	M. V.
4 Canada Goose	3	M. V.
5 Mallard	60	A. - M. V.
6 Gadwall	30	A. - M. V.
7 Pintail	7	A. - M. V.
8 Green wing teal	7	A. - M. V.
9 Bluewing Teal	8	A. - M. V.
10 Cinnamon Teal	15	A. - M. V.
11 American Widgeon	2	A. - M. V.
12 Shoveller	30	A. - M. V.
13 Red head duck	12	A. - M. V.
14 Ruddy Duck	6	M. V.
15 Turkey Vulture	10	everywhere
16 Red tailed Hawk	1	M. V.
17 Swainsons Hawk	2	M. V.
18 Golden Eagle	1	M. V.
19 Marsh Hawk	1	M. V.
20 Sparrow Hawk	common	everywhere
21 Ring necked Pheasant	6	M. V.
22 American Coot	40	A. - M. V.
23 Killdeer	35	A. - M. V.
24 Common Snipe	6	A - M. V.
25 Spotted Sand piper	8	M. V.
26 Quail	30	A - M. V.
27 Black necked Stilt	1	M. V.
28 Wilsons Phalarope	15	A - M. V.
29 Mourning Dove	common	everywhere

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30	Burrowing Owl	2	S. E. Colo.
31	Night-hawk	6	S. E. Colo.
32	Belted Kingfisher	1	S. E. Colo.
33	Williamson's Sapsucker	2	San Isobel
34	Western Kingbird	30	S. E. Colo.
35	Says Phoebe	2	S. E. Colo.
36	Western Flycatcher	1	San Isobel
37	Western Wood Pewee	1	San Isobel
38	Horned Lark	Common	S. E. Colo.
39	Barn Swallow	Common	Valleys
40	Cliff Swallow	Common	Valleys
41	Stellers Jay	1	San Isobel
42	Black-billed Magpie	common	everywhere
43	Common Raven	6	San Isobel
44	Common Crow	3	S. E. Colo.
45	Mountain Chickadee	a few	San Isobel
46	Brown Creeper	2	San Isobel
47	House Wren	a few	San Isobel
48	Rock Wren	2	S. E. Colo.
49	Sage Thrasher	2	M. V.
50	Robin	common	everywhere
51	Mountain Bluebird	10	everywhere
52	Ruby-crowned Kinglet	3	San Isobel
53	Loggerhead Shrike	10	S. E. Colo.
54	Starling	common	near towns
55	Warbling Vireo	common	mostly San Isobel
56	Audubons Warbler	3	San Isobel
57	House Sparrow	common	near towns
58	Western Meadowlark	common	everywhere
59	Yellow-headed Blackbird	common	M. V.
60	Red-wing Blackbird	common	lower valleys
61	Brewers Blackbird	common	lower valleys
62	Common Grackle	a few	lower valleys
63	Brown-headed Cowbird	a few	lower valleys
64	Western Tanager	1	San Isobel
65	House Finch	several	M. V.
66	Lark Bunting	several	S. E. Colo.
67	Savannah Sparrow	several	M. V.

68 Lark Sparrow a few S.E. Co.
 69 Mockingbird 1 S.E. Co.

We finally got settled in our Motel at Pueblo and ready for bed at about 10 P.M. looking forward to a better day tomorrow.

Tuesday, June 20, 1970

11th. day. We were to meet Van Truan at his home at 6:30 this morning. I woke up at 4:30 A.M. Not having an alarm clock I was afraid to go back to sleep. I took my time at shaving and getting ready, then we went out and ate and arrived at Van's house at 6:15 A.M. Van was ready so we took off.

1	Turkey Vulture	6
2	Red tailed Hawk	2
3	Sparrow Hawk	15
4	Swainsons Hawk	1
lifer * 5	Scaled Quail	4
6	Killdeer	5
7	Rock Dove	1
8	Mourning Dove	50
9	Nighthawk	6
10	Broad tailed ~~Hummingbird~~ ^{Hummingbird}	10
11	Belted Kingfisher	1
12	Red shafted Flicker	3
13	Lewis' Woodpecker	2
14	Williamsons Sapsucker	2
15	Hairy Woodpecker	2
16	Glossy wood pecker	1
17	Eastern Kingbird	5
18	Western Kingbird	20
lifer * 19	Cassins Kingbird	5
20	Says Phoebe	12
lifer * 21	Hammonds Fly catcher	1
22	Western Wood Pewee	2
23	Horned Lark	20
24	Black Phoebe	2 ♂-♀
25	Barn Swallow	50
26	Cliff Swallow	250

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27	Blue Jay	1
28	Stellers Jay	4
29	Scrub Jay	8
30	Black billed Magpie	20
31	Common Raven	5
32	Common Crow	2
33	Linon Jay	40
34	Mountain Chickadee	15
35	White breasted Nuthatch	2
36	Red breasted Nuthatch	4
37	Pygmy Nuthatch	3
38	Brown Creeper	2
39	House Wren	20
40	Rock Wren	2
41	Robin	35
42	Mockingbird	8
43	Swarzenson Thrush	1
44	Mountain Bluebird	12
45	Golden crowned Kinglet	1
46	Ruby crowned Kinglet	12
47	Toggerhead Shrike	7
48	Starling	20
49	Solitary Vireo	2
50	Warbling Vireo	25
51	Yellow Warbler	2
52	Audubons Warbler	6
53	Queenbird	1
54	Mac Gillivrays Warbler	2
55	House Sparrow	20
56	Western Meadowlark	40
57	Red wing Blackbird	15
58	Bullocks Oriole	4
59	Brewers Blackbird	25
60	Common Grackle	15
61	Brown headed Cowbird	20
62	Western Tanager	3
63	Black headed Grosbeak	5
64	Lazuli Bunting	3

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56. Blue Grosbeak

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65 Evening Grosbeak

6

66 House Finch

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67 Pine Siskin

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68 Lesser Goldfinch

3

69 Green tailed Towhee

6

70 Rufous sided Towhee

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lifer * 71 Bron Towhee

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72 Lark Bunting

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73 Lark Sparrow

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74 Gray headed Junco

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75 Chipping Sparrow

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We finally wound up the day at about 7:00 PM back at Vans house in Pueblo, Colo. All of our birding to day was to the west and south of Pueblo ~~the~~ from plains, thru the foothills into the mountains. In a way it was our best day. After feeling that we were thorough I had four lifers for the day and Mark had five. This 5th was the Black Phoebe. They were a brand new bird to the Colorado State list. They had been located nesting near a bridge west of Pueblo a week or so earlier for a new state record. We left Vans house at about 8 P.M. and decided to drive fast a couple of hours and get a Motel so as to get that much of a jump on our trip home. When we started stopping for a Motel they were all posted No Vacancy. We finally at 11:15 P.M. found a run down Motel that had probably been shut up for a month. It was clean enough but the room had a very stuffy smell and everything in the bathroom was rusty.

Wednesday, June 21, 1972

12th day. We got up this morning at 5:30 A.M. Although still real tired we were anxious to be on our way. After a quick breakfast we headed east. Our bath room was wet on the floor this morning when the sink had leaked and there were bugs on the floor so needless to say we did not take a shower. I picked up my 38th and last lifer of the trip one mile from the Kansas - Colorado line on the Colorado side on highway 40. It was white necked Raven.

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1	Turkey Vulture	5	Kans
2	Red tailed Hawk	4	Kans
3	Sparrow Hawk	15	Colo. - Kans
4	Killdeer	3	Colo. - Kans
5	Upland Plover	1	Kans
6	Rock Dove	6	Colo. - Kans
7	Mourning Dove	50	Colo. - Kans
8	Burrowing Owl	5	Kans
9	Western Kingbird	10	Colo. - Kans
10	Eastern Kingbird	6	Kans
11	Horned Lark	20	Colo. - Kans
12	Barn Swallow	30	Colo. - Kans
13	Cliff Swallow	10	Kans
14	Blue Jay	3	Kans
15	Black Billed Magpie	6	Colo. - Kans
<i>lifer</i> *16	White necked Raven	1	Colo.
17	Common Crow	4	Kans
18	Robin	10	Colo. - Kans
19	Foghorned Shrike	15	Kans
20	Starling	30	Kans
21	House Sparrow	35	Colo. - Kans
22	Western Meadowlark	60	Colo. - Kans
23	Redwing Blackbird	35	Colo. - Kans
24	Common Grackle	15	Colo. - Kans
25	Brown headed Cowbird	18	Kans
26	Cardinal	1	Kans
27	Lark Bunting	35	Colo. - Kans
28	Grasshopper Sparrow	1	Colo.

We pulled in my driveway at 5:30 P.M. We were gone 12 days and 11 nights, had driven 3900 miles were tired but happy. I wound up with *38 lifers* and Mark wound up with *64 lifers*. The only bird that Mark listed that I missed was a Gambel's Quail. I just had a glimpse of the bird in flight but it wasn't good enough to identify the bird. Mark had seen it earlier sitting in a bush. I had about 50 species on my look for list and wound up with 38 so I consider 75% real good.

Thursday, June 22, 1972

I got up this morning at 4 a.m. I still had my Missouri Breeding Bird Survey to take, so I wanted to get it over with as soon as possible. We had to be at the starting point at 5:21 a.m. Pearl + I went, using Lois' Car.

- 1 Red-tailed Hawk
- 2 Bob White
- 3 Rock Dove
- 4 Mourning Dove
- 5 Night Hawk
- 6 Chimney Swift
- 7 Ruby-throated Hummingbird
- 8 Yellow-shafted Flicker
- 9 Red-bellied Woodpecker
- 10 Red-headed Woodpecker
- 11 Hairy Woodpecker
- 12 Downy Woodpecker
- 13 Eastern Kingbird
- 14 Great Crested Flycatcher
- 15 Eastern Phoebe
- 16 Eastern Wood Pewee
- 17 Horned Lark
- 18 Barn Swallow
- 19 Purple Martin
- 20 Blue Jay
- 21 Common Crow
- 22 Black-capped Chickadee
- 23 Tufted Titmouse
- 24 White-breasted Nuthatch
- 25 House Wren
- 26 Mockingbird
- 27 Catbird
- 28 Brown Thrasher
- 29 Robin
- 30 Eastern Bluebird
- 31 Loggerhead Shrike
- 32 Starling
- 33 Yellowthroat

- 54 Y. B. Cuckoo
 53 Upland Plover
 55 Yellowthroated Vireo
 34 Yellow-breasted Chat
 35 House Sparrow
 36 Bobolink
 37 Eastern Meadowlark
 38 Western Meadowlark
 39 Redwing Blackbird
 40 Orchard Oriole
 41 Baltimore Oriole
 42 Common Grackle
 43 Brown-headed Cowbird
 44 Cardinal
 45 Rose-breasted Grosbeak
 46 Indigo Bunting
 47 Dickcissel
 48 American Goldfinch
 49 Grasshopper Sparrow
 50 Lark Sparrow
 51 Chipping Sparrow
 52 Field Sparrow

We got back home from our breeding bird survey at 11:00 A.M. Except for a drive to Helena, Mo. this afternoon I stayed in and spent all the day writing up my trap notes. Today was clear & cool. Temperature low 48° high 76°

Friday, June 23, 1972

1	Rock Dove	3	X
2	Mourning Dove	5	X
3	Night Hawk	2	X
4	Chimney Swift	10	X
5	Yellow-shafted Flicker	1	X
6	Eastern Kingbird	1	X
7	Barn Swallow	1	X
8	Purple Martin	1	X
9	House Wren	2	X
10	Catbird	2	X
11	Robin	4	X
12	Sterling	6	X
13	House Sparrow	10	X

14	Common Grackle	5	x
15	Cardinal	1	x
16	Indigo Bunting	1	x
17	American Goldfinch	1	x
18	Chipping Sparrow	1	x

Because I still have so much writing to do I spent my whole day at home. The day was cool and nice. The temperature was low 50° high 84°.

Saturday, June 24, 1972

1	Green Heron	1	o
2	Sparrow Hawk	1	o
3	Bob White	3	o
4	Killdeer	2	o
5	Rock Dove	7	x
6	Mourning Dove	10	o - x
7	Night Hawk	1	x
8	Chimney Swift	18	o - x
9	Red headed Woodpecker	2	o
10	Downy Woodpecker	2	o
11	Eastern Kingbird	3	x - o
12	Horned Lark	3	o
13	Barn Swallow	2	o
14	Purple Martin	4	x
15	Blue Jay	3	x - o
16	Common Crow	1	x
17	Black capped Chickadee	2	x - o
18	Tufted Titmouse	1	bud
19	House Wren	5	x - o
20	Mockingbird	2	o
21	Catbird	5	x - o
22	Brown Thrasher	4	x - o
23	Robin	15	x - o - bud
24	Eastern Bluebird	1	o
25	Loggerhead Shrike	1	o
26	Starling	30	everywhere
27	Bells Vireo	1	o
28	Yellow throat	2	o

29	House Sparrow	15	everywhere
30	Western Meadowlark	8	o
31	Red wing Blackbird	6	o
32	Common Grackle	40	everywhere
33	Brown headed Cowbird	10	o & bud
34	Cardinal	4	X - bud
35	Indigo Bunting	6	bud - o
36	Mocker	10	o
37	American Goldfinch	1	o
38	Grasshopper Sparrow	3	o
39	Chipping Sparrow	3	X - bud

Today was clear and warm. The temperatures today were low about 70° high about 90°

Sunday, June 25, 1972

1	Green Heron	1	SQ
2	Least Bittern	1	SQ
3	Great Blue Heron	28	SQ
4	Common Egret	1	SQ
5	Mallard	33	SQ
6	Turkey Vulture	8	1 River Rd - SQ
7	Sparrow Hawk	1	River Rd -
8	Bob White	12	River Rd - 4 SQ
9	Killdeer	5	SQ
10	Rock Dove	1	X
11	Mourning Dove	75	everywhere 30 - SQ
12	Yellow billed Cuckoo	1	SQ
13	Night Hawk	1	X
14	Chimney Swift	30	X - 2 SQ
15	Red headed Woodpecker	3	River Rd - SQ
16	Downy Woodpecker	1	River Rd
17	Eastern Kingbird	7	River Rd - 2 SQ
18	Great crested Flycatcher	2	River Rd - SQ
19	Eastern Phoebe	3	River Rd - 2 SQ
20	Barn Swallow	35	River Rd - 2 SQ
21	Purple Martin	4	X - AR
22	Blue Jay	6	X - SQ
23	White breasted Nuthatch	1	near Jones

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24 House Wren	4	X - SQ
25 Catbird	6	River Rd - SQ
26 Brown Thrasher	8	River Rd - SQ
27 Robin	10	everywhere
28 Wood Thrush	1	SQ
29 Loggerhead Shrike	2	River Rd - SQ
30 Starling	30	everywhere
31 Bells Vireo	3	SQ
32 Warbling Vireo	2	River Rd - SQ
33 Yellow Warbler	2	SQ
34 Yellowthroat	4	SQ
35 Yellow breasted Chat	1	SQ
36 House Sparrow	15	everywhere
37 Eastern Meadowlark	15	SQ
38 Yellow headed Blackbird	1	SQ
39 Red wing Blackbird	75	SQ
40 Orchard Oriole	10	River Rd - SQ
41 Baltimore Oriole	3	River Rd - SQ
42 Common Grackle	150	everywhere
43 Brown headed Cowbird	12	brd - River Rd
44 Cardinal	10	everywhere
45 Rose breasted Grosbeak	2	River Rd - SQ
46 Blue Grosbeak	1	AR
47 Indigo Bunting	18	everywhere
48 Chickadee	60	everywhere
49 American Goldfinch	1	AR
50 Lark Sparrow	1	River Rd.

Today was clear and warm. The temperatures were low about 59° high about 86°. I went to Church this AM. and then this afternoon Pearl and I drove to Seven Creek and back, arriving back home at 5 P.M.

Monday, June 26, 1972

1 Mourning Dove	3	brd
2 Night hawk	1	X
3 Chimney Swift	15	X
4 Yellow Shafted Flicker	1	brd
5 Blue Jay	1	brd

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6	Black capped Chickadee	1	X
7	House Wren	3	X - bvd
8	Catbird	3	X
9	Brown Thrasher	1	X
10	Robin	6	X - bvd
11	Sterling	3	X - bvd
12	House Sparrow	4	X - bvd
13	Common Grackle	10	X - bvd
14	Brown headed Cowbird	4	bvd
15	Cardinal	3	X
16	Indigo Bunting	1	X

Today was clear, warm & humid. The temperatures today were low about 63° high about 86°.

Tuesday, June 27, 1972

1	Rock hl. owl	6	d.t.
2	Mourning Dove	6	X - bvd
3	Night Hawk	2	X
4	Chimney Swift	16	X - bvd
5	Yellow shafted Flicker	3	bvd
6	Eastern Kingbird	1	bvd
7	Purple Martin	4	X - bvd
8	Blue Jay	3	X - bvd
9	House Wren	3	X - bvd
10	Catbird	4	X - bvd
11	Brown Thrasher	3	X - bvd
12	Robin	15	X - bvd
13	Eastern Bluebird	1	Nw. bvd
14	Sterling	10	X - bvd
15	House Sparrow	12	X - bvd
16	Common Grackle	30	X - bvd
17	Brown headed Cowbird	4	bvd
18	Cardinal	3	X - bvd
19	Rose breasted Grosbeak	2	bvd
20	Baltimore Oriole	1	bvd
21	Indigo Bunting	1	bvd
22	Chipping Sparrow	2	X

clear, hot & humid. Temperatures low about 61° high about 91°

Wednesday, June 28, 1972

1	Rock Dove	10	X
2	Mourning Dove	3	X
3	Night Hawk	1	X
4	Chimney Swift	20	X
5	Yellow-shafted Flicker	1	bvd
6	Barn Swallow	3	o
7	Purple Martin	6	X - o
8	Blue Jay	1	bvd
9	House Wren	2	X - bvd
10	Catbird	2	X
11	Brown Thrasher	1	X
12	Robin	15	X - bvd
13	Eastern Bluebird	1	o
14	Starling	1	bvd
15	House Sparrow	6	X
16	Meadowlark (sp?)	3	o
17	Common Grackle	20	X - bvd
18	Brown-headed Cowbird	4	bvd
19	Cardinal	3	X - bvd

Today was clear, hot and humid. The temperatures were low about 63° high about 84°.

Thursday, June 29, 1972

1	Red-tailed Hawk	1	o
2	Bob White	6	o
3	Killdeer	6	o
4	Rock Dove	8	X
5	Mourning Dove	35	everywhere
6	Yellow-billed Cuckoo	1	X
7	Night Hawk	1	X
8	Chimney Swift	20	everywhere
9	Red-headed Woodpecker	15	bvd - o
10	Eastern Kingbird	4	o
11	Eastern Phoebe	1	o
12	Barn Swallow	30	o
13	Purple Martin	3	d. t. - X
14	Blue Jay	4	bvd - o
15	House Wren	4	X - bvd