

Tuesday, August 22, 1972

1	Red tailed Hawk	1	Hy I 29
2	Sparrow Hawk	1	0
3	Rock Dove	50	mostly d.t.
4	Mourning Dove	45	everywhere
5	Night Hawk	1	X
6	Chimney Swift	45	X
7	Belted Kingfisher	1	X
8	Yellow shafted Flicker	1	X
9	Red headed Woodpecker	2	Hy I 29
10	Barn Swallow	30	Hy I 29
11	Blue Jay	8	everywhere
12	House Wren	2	X
13	Catbird	1	X
14	Robin	30	everywhere
15	Loggerhead Shrike	1	Hy I 29
16	Starling	50	everywhere
17	House Sparrow	18	everywhere
18	Meadowlark	7	Hy I 29
19	Common Grackle	40	everywhere
20	Cardinal	4	X = bvd
21	Rufous sided Towhee	1	Hy I 29
22	Chipping Sparrow	1	0

Today was mostly cloudy & cool. Temperatures were low about 68° high about 79°. The weather today was very pleasant after all of the hot days that we have had!

Wednesday, August 23, 1972

1	Sparrow Hawk	1	0
2	Rock Dove	2	0
3	Mourning Dove	7	0
4	Night Hawk	1	X
5	Chimney Swift	50	X
6	Red headed Woodpecker	1	bvd
7	Barn Swallow	6	0
8	Common Crow	2	0
9	Robin	10	everywhere
10	Starling	12	everywhere
11	House Sparrow	15	everywhere

12 Orchard Oriole 2

13 Chipping Sparrow 1

Today was cloudy and real pleasant all day. Temperatures were low about 63° high about 79°.

Thursday, August 24, 1972

1	Green Heron	1	0
2	Red tailed Hawk	1	Hy I-29
3	Sparrow Hawk	1	0
4	Bob White	6	0
5	Killdeer	6	0
6	Solitary Sandpiper	1	0
7	Rock Dove	20	everywhere
8	Mourning Dove	50	everywhere
9	Yellow billed Cuckoo	2	0
10	Yellow shafted Flicker	5	bvd - 0
11	Red headed Woodpecker	9	everywhere
12	Nighthawk	1	X
13	Chimney Swift	25	0 - X
14	Eastern Kingbird	16	0 - X
15	Barn Swallow	20	Hy. I-29 0
16	Purple Martin	40	0
17	Blue Jay	4	bvd - 0
18	Mockingbird	2	0
19	Brown Thrasher	1	0
20	Robin	20	everywhere
21	~~White~~ E. Bluebird	1	0
22	Loggerhead Shrike	2	0
23	Starling	25	everywhere
24	House Sparrow	125	everywhere
25	Meadowlark (Sp.?)	6	0
26	Common Grackle	30	everywhere
27	Cowbird, Brown headed	12	0
28	Cardinal	5	bvd - 0
29	Chickadee	4	0
30	American Goldfinch	2	0
31	Field Sparrow	1	0

Temperatures
Low 58°
high 78°

Today was mostly cloudy. Showers before noon.

Friday, August 25, 1972

1	Turkey Vulture	1	Hy I 29
2	Red tailed Hawk	1	Hy I 29
3	Rock Dove	20	d.t.
4	Mourning Dove	25	everywhere
5	Yellow Billed Cuckoo	1	near KP
6	Nighthawk	1	X
7	Chimney Swift	40	everywhere
8	Yellow shafted Flicker	6	bv - AC
9	Red headed Woodpecker	1	Nw. bvd
10	Barn Swallow	20	o - Hy I 29
11	Purple Martin	2	X
12	Blue Jay	8	everywhere
13	Common Crow	1	Hy I 29
14	Catbird	1	X
15	Robin	20	everywhere
16	Starling	25	everywhere
17	House Sparrow	50	everywhere
18	Common Grackle	25	everywhere
19	Chipping Sparrow	1	o

Today was cloudy and cool all day with a few light showers this A.M. We had quite a bit of rain during the night. This afternoon I went to Mound City, Mo. with Roy E. Coy and Ron Reynolds to the funeral of Katie May Boyd. She was the wife of Walter Boyd an employee of the Squaw Creek National Wildlife Refuge. Walter Boyd was a friend of everyone who knew him. The temperatures today were low about 62° high about 74°.

Saturday, August 26, 1972

1	Turkey Vulture	5	HC
2	Red tailed Hawk	3	HC
3	Sparrow Hawk	4	AR
4	Bob White	15	HC
5	Rock Dove	18	X
6	Mourning Dove	100	everywhere
7	Yellow Billed Cuckoo	2	HC
8	Nighthawk	125	X
9	Chimney Swift	30	HC - X-AR

Saturday, August 26, 1972

10	yellow shufted Thrasher	3	A.R. - HC
11	Red bellied Wood pecker	3	HC
12	Red headed Wood pecker	8	AR - HC
13	Hairy Wood pecker	1	HC
14	Downy Wood pecker	1	HC
15	Eastern Kingbird	35	everywhere
16	Epidonax	2	HC
17	Roughwinged Swallow	1	X
18	Barn Swallow	25	AR - HC
19	Purple Martin	4	X
20	Blue Jay	8	everywhere
21	Common Crow	4	X - AR
22	Black capped Chickadee	4	HC
23	White breasted Nuthatch	1	AR
24	House Wren	1	X
25	Carolina Wren	1	AR
26	Catbird	1	X
27	Brown Thrasher	1	X
28	Robin	20	everywhere
29	Starling	75	everywhere
30	House Sparrow	40	everywhere
31	Baltimore Oriole	5	AR - X
32	Common Grackle	150	everywhere
33	Cardinal	6	everywhere
34	Indigo Bunting	1	AR
35	American Goldfinch	3	HC
36	Rufous sided Towhee	1	HC
37	Chipping Sparrow	1	0

Today was mostly clear and nice. The temperatures were low about 60° high about 81°. I had planned on going to Squaw Creek this afternoon but I was too tired to get out. Finally at 2 P.M. Pearl + I drove to Honey Creek Wildlife Area for only about an hour. Later this evening Sebastian Patti called me from Kansas City. He had been to Squaw Creek and thought that he had seen a Ruff. He wasn't sure and was hoping that I could go up and try to see it. I would have loved to have gone but I was really lushed and we had company here for supper which was for my birthday.

Sunday, August 27, 1972

1	White Pelican	75	SA
2	Great Blue Heron	37	SA
3	Green Heron	2	SA
4	Little Blue Heron	11	SA
5	Blue wing Teal	25	SA
6	Turkey Vulture	1	River Rd.
7	Killdeer	25	SA
8	Spotted Sandpiper	1	SA
9	Greater Yellowlegs	4	SA
10	Lesser Yellowlegs	18	SA
11	Pectoral Sandpiper	27	SA
12	Stilt Sandpiper	12	SA
13	Semi-palmated Sandpiper	15	SA
14	Sanderling	3	SA
15	Wilson's Phalarope	5	SA
16	Black Tern	2	SA
17	Rock Dove	6	Hy I 29
18	Mourning Dove	150	everywhere
19	Yellow-billed Cuckoo	2	SA
20	Chimney Swift	6	X
21	Red-headed Woodpecker	1	River Road
22	Eastern Kingbird	40	everywhere
23	Eastern Phoebe	1	SA
24	Blue Jay	3	X - SA
25	House Wren	1	X
26	Short-billed Marsh Wren	10	SA
27	Catbird	1	SA
28	Robin	6	X
29	Starling	50	everywhere
30	House Sparrow	50	everywhere
31	Red-wing Blackbird	150	SA
32	Common Grackle	25	everywhere
33	Cardinal	1	SA
34	Chickadee	1	SA
35	American Goldfinch	10	SA
36	Bank Swallow	18	SA
37	Barn Swallow	60	SA
38	Cliff Swallow	150	SA



39 Bells Vireo

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Today was clear and rather warm after a cool morning. The temperatures were low about 58° high about 82°.

I got up at 8 a.m. went to Church with Pearl & Lois and then this afternoon Larry and I went to Squaw Creek while there (nearly 3 hours) we birded some with Leo and Ruth Galloway, Sebastian Patti, Jeanne Mc Nitt, Elizabeth Cole and two other people from K.C. yesterday, Sebastian thought that he had seen a Ruff at the Refuge. None of us were able to see it today.

Monday, August 28, 1972

1	Rock Dove	40	X - d, t.
2	Mourning Dove	75	everywhere
3	Chimney Swift	15	everywhere
4	Yellow-shafted Flicker	3	bvd
5	Horned Lark	1	Hy I 29
6	Barn Swallow	10	Hy I 29
7	Purple Martin	2	X - o
8	Blue Jay	6	Hy I 29 - bvd
9	Common Crow	1	Hy I 29
10	Robin	7	bvd
11	Starling	30	everywhere
12	House Sparrow	25	everywhere
13	House Wren	1	X
14	Common Grackle	10	everywhere
15	Cardinal	4	bvd - X
16	American Goldfinch	1	Hy I 29

Today was clear and nice. The temperatures were low about 56° high about 87°. I drove to Kansas City this morning after a load of flowers.

Tuesday, August 29, 1972

1	Red-tailed Hawk	2	Hy I 29
2	Rock Dove	15	X
3	Mourning Dove	30	Hy I 29
4	Chimney Swift	20	X
5	Yellow-shafted Flicker	3	bvd

6	Barn Swallow	10	Hy I-29
7	Blue Jay	6	everywhere
8	Common Crow	3	Hy I-29
9	Black capped Chickadee	2	0-X
10	Brown Thrasher	1	X
11	Robin	15	everywhere
12	Starling	50	everywhere
13	House Sparrow	60	everywhere
14	Meadowlark	4	Hy I-29
15	Common Grackle	30	everywhere

Today was clear and warm. The temperatures were low about 59° high about 90°. I drove to Kansas City this morning. I spend my evenings watching summer Olympics on T.V.

Wednesday, August 30, 1992

1	Rock Dove	3	X
2	Mourning Dove	2	bvd
3	Night Hawk	1	X
4	Chimney Swift	15	X
5	Yellow-shafted Flicker	1	bvd
6	Red-headed Woodpecker	1	bvd
7	Blue Jay	3	bvd
8	Common Crow	2	bvd
9	Black capped Chickadee	1	X
10	Catbird	1	X
11	Robin	8	X-bvd
12	Starling	30	everywhere
13	House Sparrow	20	everywhere
14	Common Grackle	6	X bvd
15	Cardinal	2	X
16	Chipping Sparrow	3	0

Today was partly cloudy and very pleasant. The temperatures were low about 61° high about 77°.

Thursday, August 31, 1992

1	Great Blue Heron	1	0
2	Sparrow Hawk	1	0
3	Killdeer	3	0

Thursday, August 31, 1972

4	Rock Dove	25	X - d.t.
5	Mourning Dove	60	everywhere
6	Yellow-billed Cuckoo	2	o
7	Night Hawk	20	o
8	Chimney Swift	25	everywhere
9	Yellow-shafted Flicker	3	bvd
10	Red-headed Woodpecker	3	o
11	Eastern Kingbird	6	o
12	Barn Swallow	20	o
13	Blue Jay	8	bvd - o
14	Common Crow	2	bvd
15	House Wren	1	X
16	Brown Thrasher	2	o
17	Robin	16	everywhere
18	Eastern Bluebird	4	o
19	Loggerhead Shrike	3	o
20	Sterling	30	everywhere
21	House Sparrow	35	everywhere
22	Meadowlark	6	o
23	Common Grackle	10	bvd
24	Cardinal	6	everywhere
25	Blue Grosbeak	2	o
26	Chipping Sparrow	3	X - o

Today was clear and nice. The temperatures today were low about 67° high about 83°.

Friday, ~~August~~ September 1, 1972

1	Pied-billed Grebe	37	LC
2	Shoveller	1	LC
3	Sparrow Hawk	1	LC
4	Black Tern	5	LC
5	Rock Dove	30	X - d.t. LC
6	Mourning Dove	50	everywhere
7	Chimney Swift	35	X
8	Yellow-shafted Flicker	3	bvd
9	Red-headed Woodpecker	2	bvd - LC
10	Downy Woodpecker	2	X
11	Eastern Kingbird	4	LC

12	Horned Lark	1	LC
13	Roughwinged Swallow	5	LC
14	Barn Swallow	20	Hy I 29 - LC
15	Blue Jay	4	bvd - X
16	Common Crow	1	o
17	Black capped Chickadee	1	X
18	House Wren	1	X
19	Brown Thrasher	1	bvd
20	Robin	30	everywhere
21	Loggerhead Shrike	2	LC
22	Starling	75	everywhere
23	House Sparrow	60	everywhere
24	Meadowlark	5	LC
25	Redwing Blackbird	18	LC
26	Common Grackle	20	X - bvd
27	Cardinal	3	X - bvd
28	Ducksissel	1	LC
29	American Goldfinch	1	LC
30	Chipping Sparrow	2	o

Today was cloudy & cool all day with some rain all around St Joe but only a sprinkle at our home. The temperatures were low about high about. This evening I thought that I would go down and around Lake Contrary and get September off to a good start but birds were scarce.

Saturday, September 2, 1972

1	Pied billed Grebe	25	SQ
2	White Pelican	125	SQ
3	Great Blue Heron	140	SQ
4	Green Heron	4	SQ
5	Little Blue Heron	2	SQ
6	Common Egret	3	SQ
7	Mallard	20	SQ
8	Pintail	60	SQ
9	Green wing Teal	18	SQ
10	Blue wing Teal	15	SQ

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Saturday, September 2, 1972

This is my largest flock of Purple Martins I have ever seen. I have often heard of large flocks in migration but this is my first. They were around the City Hall here in town

11	Shoveller	4	SQ
12	Wood Duck	2	SQ
13	Turkey Vulture	5	River Rd - SQ
14	Red tailed Hawk	3	River Rd - SQ
15	Broad wing Hawk	1 imm.	SQ
16	Sparrow Hawk	2	o - Hy I 29
17	Ring-necked Pheasant	22	SQ
18	Sara	2	SQ
19	Killdeer	1	SQ
20	Greater Yellowlegs	12	SQ
21	Lesser Yellowlegs	25	SQ
22	Pectoral Sandpiper	6	SQ
23	Stilt Sandpiper	26	SQ
24	Sanderling	2	SQ
25	Avocet	2	SQ
26	Wilson's Phalarope	12	SQ
27	Ring-billed Gull	2	SQ
28	Black Tern	28	SQ
29	Rock Dove	6	d.t.
30	Mourning Dove	250	everywhere
31	Yellow-billed Cuckoo	6	River Rd - SQ
32	Great Horned Owl	1	SQ
33	Night Hawk	3	near X
34	Chimney Swift	30	everywhere
35	Ruby-throated Hummingbird	6	SQ ~~Hy~~
36	Yellow-shafted Flicker	5	SQ ~~Hy~~
37	Red-bellied Woodpecker	1	SQ ~~Hy~~
38	Red-headed Woodpecker	8	everywhere
39	Downy Woodpecker	4	SQ
40	Eastern King Bird	50	mostly SQ
41	Great Crested Flycatcher	1	SQ
42	Eastern Wood Pewee	1	SQ
43	Olive-sided Flycatcher	4	River Rd - SQ
44	Barn Swallow	30	River Rd - SQ
45	Cliff Swallow	500	SQ
*46	Purple Martin *	1500 (one Flock)	d.t.
47	Blue Jay	10	everywhere
48	Common Crow	11	River Rd - SQ

Saturday, September 2, 1972

70. Bob White	35	SQ
49 Black capped Chickadee	6	River Rd - SQ
50 Catbird	5	SQ
51 Robin	20	everywhere
52 Eastern Bluebird	2	River Rd
53 Cedar Waxwing	15	SQ
54 Loggerhead Shrike	1	AR
55 Starling	50	everywhere
56 Bell's Vireo	3	SQ
57 Red eyed Vireo	1	SQ
58 House Sparrow	30	everywhere
59 Meadowlark (Sp)	1	Hy I 29
60 Eastern Meadowlark	1	Hy I 29
61 Red wing. Blackbird	75	SQ
62 Orchard Oriole	2	SQ
63 Baltimore Oriole	5	SQ
64 Common Grackle	15	everywhere
65 Cardinal	7	everywhere
66 Indigo Bunting	2	SQ
67 Chickadee	1	SQ
68 American Goldfinch	75	everywhere
69 Bobolink	6	SQ

Today was mostly cloudy with showers this morning. I drove to K.C. this morning for flowers then this afternoon Pearl + I drove to S. G. Koeck. We got home 5:45 PM. Temperatures today low 55° high about 70°.

Sunday, September 3, 1972

1 Great Blue Heron	1	0
2 Sparrow Hawk	1	X
3 Bob White	1	0
4 Killdeer	5	0
5 Rock Dove	8	X
6 Mourning Dove	40	0 - X
7 Yellow billed Cuckoo	2	0
8 Night Hawk	8	X
9 Chimney Swift	10	X
10 Yellow shafted Flicker	6	AC
11 Red headed Wood pecker	3	0

Sunday. September 3, 1972

12 Downy Woodpecker	2	X - 0
13 Eastern Kingbird	1	0
14 Barn Swallow	10	0
15 Blue Jay	3	X - 0
16 Common Crow	3	X - 0
17 Black capped Chickadee	5	AC - 0
18 House Wren	1	X
19 Mockingbird	1	0
20 Catbird	3	X
21 Brown Thrasher	2	X
22 Robin	20	everywhere
23 Eastern Bluebird	3	0
24 Starling	50	everywhere
25 Bells Vireo	1	X
26 Warbling Vireo	1	X
27 House Sparrow	25	everywhere
28 Eastern Meadowlark	8	0
29 Common Grackle	3	6 or 7 - X
30 Cardinal	1	X
31 American Goldfinch	2	0

Today was cloudy and cool all day. The temperatures today were low about 59° high about 70°. I slept till 9 a.m., went to Church this a.m., and spent most of the afternoon watching Olympics on T.V.

Monday September 4, 1972

1 Great Blue Heron	1	HC
2 Red tailed Hawk	2	AR
3 Turkey Vulture	1	AR
4 Sparrow Hawk	3	AR
5 Spotted Sandpiper	1	HC
6 Solitary Sandpiper	1	AR
7 Rock Dove	10	X
8 Mourning Dove	35	X - AR
9 Yellow billed Cuckoo	10	AR - HC
10 Night hawk	40	X
11 Chimney Swift	40	X - HC
12 Ruby throated Hummingbird	1	X

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13	Yellow shafted Flicker	5	AR
14	Red bellied Woodpecker	2	AR - HC
15	Red headed Woodpecker	4	AR - HC
16	Noisy Woodpecker	3	AR - HC
17	Eastern Kingbird	18	AR - HC
18	Least Crested Flycatcher	2	AR
19	Acadian Flycatcher	2	HC
20	Eastern Wood Pewee	1	AR
21	Olive sided Flycatcher	3	AR - HC
22	Barn Swallow	60	AR - HC
23	Cliff Swallow	150	AR - HC
24	Purple Martin	2	AR - X
25	Blue Jay	10	X - AR - HC
26	Common Crow	4	AR - X
27	Black capped Chickadee	12	AR - HC
28	Tufted Titmouse	7	AR
29	White breasted Nuthatch	3	HC - AR
30	Mockingbird	1	AR
31	Catbird	6	X - HC
32	Brown Thrasher	4	AR - HC
33	Robin	30	X - AR - HC
34	Eastern Bluebird	5	AR - HC
35	Starling	60	X - AR - HC
36	Warbling Vireo	1	X
37	Parula Warbler	1	HC
38	House Sparrow	50	X - AR - HC
39	Baltimore Oriole	1	AR
40	Common Grackle	50	X - AR - HC
41	Cardinal	10	X - AR - HC
42	American Goldfinch	15	AR - HC
43	Field Sparrow	1	HC

Today was a beautiful day. It was clear with temperatures low about 60° high about 75°. I got up at 8 A.M. Pearl & I birded 9 A.M. till 12:30 P.M. to Honey Creek and back. I was real tired all afternoon so I stayed in to watch the Summer Olympics on T.V. and rest up. Today Mark Spitz of the U.S.A. won his 7th Gold Medal in the Olympics. No one has ever done this in the history of the Olympics.

Tuesday, September 5, 1972

1	Rock Dove	4	
2	Mourning Dove	50	X - Hy I 29
3	Chimney Swift	10	X
4	Red headed woodpecker	1	
5	Blue Jay	4	Hy I 29
6	Common Crow	3	bvd - Hy I 29
7	Robin	3	Hy I 29
8	Starling	60	bvd
9	House Sparrow	35	everywhere

Today was clear and nice. The temperatures were low about 52° high about 78°. I drove to Kansas City this A.M. and then the rest of the day I didn't do anything. For a long in a time week and I really feel tired today. If I live to see retirement and am anywhere near as active as I am now I will really be happy. I think that right now I could sleep at least 16 hours a day.

Wednesday, September 6, 1972

1	Rock Dove	1	X
2	Mourning Dove	3	X - bvd
3	Chimney Swift	10	X
4	Red headed Woodpecker	1	bvd
5	Blue Jay	4	bvd
6	White Breasted Nuthatch	1	bvd
7	Brown Thrasher	1	bvd
8	Robin	4	bvd
9	Starling	15	X - bvd
10	House Sparrow	12	X - bvd
11	Cardinal	2	bvd

Today was clear and rather warm. The temperatures today were low about 64° high about 79°.

Thursday, September 7, 1972

1	Green Heron	1	0
2	Bob White	1	0
3	Killdeer	3	0
4	Common Snipe	1	0
5	Rock Dove	15	X - 0

Thursday, September 7, 1972

6	Mourning Dove	60	0
7	Night Hawk	3	0
8	Chimney Swift	40	X - 0
9	Red headed Woodpecker	4	0
10	Eastern Kingbird	10	0
11	Barn Swallow	10	0
12	Purple Martin	2	0
13	Blue Jay	6	bvd - 0
14	Black capped Chickadee	2	bvd - 0
15	Catbird	1	X
16	Brown Thrasher	1	X
17	Robin	30	everywhere
18	Eastern Bluebird	7	0
19	Loggerhead Shrike	1	0
20	Starling	40	everywhere
21	House Sparrow	40	everywhere
22	Meadowlark	7	0
23	Cardinal	4	X - 0
24	American Goldfinch	3	0
25	Chipping Sparrow	1	0

Today was mostly cloudy & cool with some showers.
Temperatures were low about 67° high about 76°.

Friday, September 8, 1972

1	Red tailed Hawk	2	X
2	Rock Dove	20	dt - X
3	Mourning Dove	7	X
4	Yellow billed Cuckoo	1	X
5	Night hawk	45	X
6	Chimney Swift	140	d.t. - X
7	Ruby throated Hummingbird	1	X
8	Yellow shafted Flicker	2	X
9	Barn Swallow	1	X
10	Purple Martin	1	X
11	Blue Jay	6	bvd - X
12	Common Crow	3	X
13	House Wren	1	X
14	Catbird	1	X

	Brown Thrasher		
15	~~Quail~~	2	X
16	Robin	30	bvd-X
17	Starling	75	d.t. X
18	House Sparrow	60	X
19	Common Grackle	10	bvd-X
20	Cardinal	2	X
21	American Goldfinch	2	X

Today was clear and nice. The temperatures today were low about 62° high about 77°.

Saturday, September 9, 1972

1	Pied-billed Grebe	35	SA
2	White Pelican	600	SA
3	Great Blue Heron	145	SA
4	Green Heron	3	'AR 2SA
5	Common Egret	12	SA
6	Yellow-crowned Night Heron	4	SA
7	American Bittern	1	AR
8	Mallard	20	SA
9	Pintail	1250	SA
10	Green-wing Teal	500	SA
11	Blue-wing Teal	300	SA
12	Shoveler	60	SA
13	Wood Duck	4	SA
14	Turkey Vulture	3	AR-River Rd
15	Copiers Hawk	1	SA
16	Red-tailed Hawk	4	River Rd ~~SA~~ SA
17	Marsh Hawk	3	SA
18	Sparrow Hawk	12	River Rd-AR-SA
19	Bob White	2	AR
20	Ring-necked Pheasant	6	SA
21	American Coot	4	SA
22	Semipalmated Plover	6	SA
23	Killdeer	60	SA
24	Common Snipe	1	SA
25	Greater Yellowlegs	18	SA
26	Lesser Yellowlegs	600	SA
27	Pectoral Sandpiper	50	SA

Saturday, September 9, 1972

Today we saw thousands of monarch butterflies, mostly at Spang Creek

(63)	Olive sided fly catcher	1	River Rd.
28	Least Sand piper	5	SG
29	Howitzer (Sp?)	3	SG
30	Stilt Sand piper	200	SG
31	Semipalmated Sand piper	20	SG
32	Cootie	1	SG
33	Ring billed Gull	1	SG
34	Rock Dove	20	River Rd - X
35	Mourning Dove	250	everywhere
36	Yellow billed Cuckoo	5	River Rd - SG
37	Great Horned Owl	1	Hiway 59
38	Chimney Swift	30	everywhere
39	Ruby throated Hummingbird	7	SG
40	Belted Kingfisher	2	SG
41	Yellow shafted Flicker	4	AR - SG
42	Red billed Wood pecker	2	SG
43	Red headed Wood pecker	7	everywhere
44	Eastern Kingbird	25	everywhere
45	Tree Swallow	150	SG
46	Barn Swallow	60	everywhere
47	Blue Jay	6	everywhere
48	Common Crow	15	SG
49	Black capped Chickadee	4	SG
50	White breasted Nuthatch	1	brd
51	Brown Thrasher	1	AR
52	Robin	35	everywhere
53	Eastern Bluebird	6	River Rd - SG
54	Loggerhead Shrike	4	River Rd - SG
55	Starling	150	everywhere
56	House Sparrow	250	everywhere
57	Meadowlark (Sp?)	6	River Rd - SG
58	Redwing Blackbird	750	SG
59	Brown headed Cowbird	150	SG
60	Cardinal	8	everywhere
61	American Goldfinch	18	SG
62	Chipping Sparrow	1	X

I got a letter from Mark Robins today. Since he went to Arizona he has already added 42 lifers. Some of them from California.

Today was cloudy & cool all day. Visibility poor. Temp. low 62° high 70°. Pearl & I went to Spang Creek 1 PM to 7 PM. I am not getting the woodland birding that I would like to have

Sunday, September 10, 1972

1 Turkey Vulture	1	o
2 Red tailed Hawk	1	AR
3 Sparrow Hawk	1	o
4 Killdeer	1	o
5 Rock Dove	14	X - AR
6 Mourning Dove	18	X - AR - o
7 Yellow billed Cuckoo	1	X
8 Night Hawk	16	X
9 Chimney Swift	50	mostly X
10 yellow shafted Flicker	3	AR
11 Red headed Woodpecker	2	AR
12 Eastern Kingbird	1	o
13 Wood Pewee	1	AC
14 Olive sided Fly catcher	1	AR
15 Barn Swallow	160	AR - o - X
16 Purple Martin	12	X
17 Blue Jay	8	AR - o - X
18 Common Crow	3	o
19 Black capped Chickadee	1	X
20 Robin	15	o - X
21 Eastern Bluebird	5	AR - o
22 Starling	200	everywhere
23 House Sparrow	250	everywhere
24 Meadowlark	10	AR - o
25 Common Grackle	5	bud - AC
26 Cardinal	2	X
27 American Goldfinch	2	o
28 Chipping Sparrow	3	AC

Today was clear & nice. The temperatures were low about 64° high about 85°. I went to Church this morning and then this afternoon Pearl & I took about a 50 mile ride from northwest at Amazonia, north to Rosendale and on east of town & back through Ashland Cemetery.

Monday, September 11, 1972

1 Great Blue Heron	1	Hiway I 29
2 Rock Dove	15	Hiway I 29 - X
3 Mourning Dove	16	Hiway I 29 - X

Monday - September 11, 1972

4	Night hawk	10	X
5	Chimney Swift	35	X
6	Yellow shafted Flicker	2	brd
7	Barn Swallow	3	Hiray I 29
8	Blue Jay	4	brd - X
9	Common Crow	2	Hiray I 29
10	Black capped Chickadee	1	X
11	Brown Thrasher	1	X
12	Robin	40	X
13	Starling	75	everywhere
14	House Sparrow	100	everywhere
15	Meadowlark (Sp?)	2	Hiray I 29
16	Common Grackle	10	X
17	Cardinal	2	X

Today was clear, hot and humid till this evening. when it clouded up & cooled off. Now 8 P.M. it looks as if we will get some rain. Temperatures low about 71° high about 89°

Tuesday - September 12, 1972

1	Mourning Dove	2	X
2	Chimney Swift	15	X
3	Blue Jay	4	brd - X
4	Common Crow	1	brd
5	Black capped Chickadee	1	X
6	Brown Thrasher	1	X
7	Robin	10	brd - X
8	Starling	12	everywhere
9	House Sparrow	15	everywhere
10	Common Grackle	8	X

Today was clear, hot and humid. The temperatures were low about 68° high about 89°

Wednesday - September 13, 1972

1	Pied billed Grebe	2	0
2	Rock Dove	10	X
3	Mourning Dove	8	X
4	Night hawk	4	X
5	Chimney Swift	15	X

6	yellow shafted Flicker	3	brd-X
7	Downy Wood pecker	1	X
8	Rufous Martin	3	X
9	Blue Jay	8	brd-X
10	Brown Thrasher	1	X
11	Robin	40	o.h. X
12	Starling	75	everywhere
13	House Sparrow	56	everywhere
14	Meadowlark	2	o
15	Common Grackle	425	o.h. X
16	Cardinal	6	o -X

Today was clear, hot and humid. The temperatures were low about 75°, high about 90°. I took a short drive east of town this evening but nothing of importance showed up.

Thursday, September 14, 1972

1	Pied-billed Grebe	2	o
2	Red-tailed Hawk	2	Hiway I 29- o
3	Killdeer	1	o
4	Rock Dove	20	K C - d.t. -X
5	Mourning Dove	30	mostly o
6	Yellow-billed Cuckoo	1	X
7	Night hawk	5	X
8	Chimney Swift	10	X
9	Yellow-shafted Flicker	2	Hiway I 29
10	Red-bellied Woodpecker	1	o
11	Red-headed Woodpecker	3	Hiway I 29 - o
12	Downy Woodpecker	2	o-X
13	Eastern Kingbird	2	o
14	Blue Jay	6	Hiway I 29
15	Common Crow	2	Hiway I 29
16	Catbird	1	X
17	Brown Thrasher	2	X
18	Robin	56	mostly X
19	Eastern Bluebird	1	o
20	Starling	150	everywhere
21	Solitary Vireo	1	~~everywhere~~ X
22	House Sparrow	125	everywhere

23	Meadowlark (Sp)	8	Highway I 29 - X
24	Common Grackle	6	X
25	Cardinal	4	X

Today was mostly clear but very pleasant after a night of severe electrical storms. The temperatures were low about 59° high about 76°

Friday, September 15, 1972

1	Killdeer	2	AP
2	Rock Dove	15	X - d.t.
3	Mourning Dove	8	X - AP
4	Night Hawk	30	X
5	Chimney Swift	30	o - X
6	Yellow-shafted Flicker	3	bvd - AP
7	Horned Lark	2	AP
8	Blue Jay	6	X - bvd
9	Common Crow	9	X
10	Black capped Chickadee	1	X
11	House Wren	1	X
12	Brown Thrasher	1	X
13	Robin	45	everywhere
14	Starling	150	everywhere
15	House Sparrow	70	everywhere
16	Common Grackle	10	X
17	Brown headed Cowbird	1	AP
18	Cardinal	3	X

Today was clear and nice. The temperatures were low about 53° high about 81°. Pearl & I drove over to the airport this evening hoping to see some early water birds but we would have done as well going to a desert.

Saturday, September 16, 1972

1	Pied-billed Grebe	2	SQ
2	White Pelican	500	SQ
3	Great Blue Heron	15	SQ
4	Pintail	200	SQ
5	Blue wing Teal	40	SQ
6	Turkey Vulture	4	Highway I-29

Saturday, September 16, 1972

7	Red tailed Hawk	1	Hiway I 29
8	Sparrow Hawk	1	HC
9	American Coot	2	SQ
10	Greater yellowlegs	2	SQ
11	Ring billed Gull	2	SQ
12	Rock Dove	15	X
13	Mourning Dove	30	everywhere
14	Owl (Horned I think)	1	HC
15	Night Hawk	1	X
16	Chimney Swift	175	d.t. X
17	yellow-shafted Flicker	3	AR-X
18	Red-headed Woodpecker	2	HC
19	Downy Woodpecker	2	X-HC
20	Tree Swallow	50	SQ
21	Bank Swallow	10	SQ
22	Barn Swallow	150	everywhere
23	Blue Jay	4	X-HC
24	Common Crow	12	X-SQ
25	Black capped Chickadee	3	HC-SQ
26	White-breasted Nuthatch	1	HC
27	Robin	40	mostly X
28	Eastern Bluebird	6	HC
29	Starling	60	everywhere
30	House Sparrow	50	everywhere
31	Red Wing Blackbird	150	SQ
32	Common Grackle	15	X-SQ
33	Cardinal	15	X-HC-SQ

Today was clear, hot and humid. It was supposed to be a pleasant day but the temperatures went up to 94° with a low of 70° this a.m. I worked until noon then this afternoon Pearl & I drove to Squaw Creek by way of Honey Creek. Mike Redden and Larry had gone to Honey Creek hunting so we stopped by to see them. Water from heavy rains in northwest Missouri and south east Iowa had raised all the rivers and water was high everywhere. This accounted for poor birding at Squaw Creek. Mike & Larry are staying at Honey Creek tonight. I sure hope it doesn't rain.

Sunday September 17, 1972

1	Turkey Vulture	1	X
2	Red tailed Hawk	1	X
3	Sparrow Hawk	1	X
4	Rock Dove	18	X
5	Mourning Dove	17	X
6	Night Hawk	4	X
7	Chimney Swift	125	X
8	Ruby Throated Hummingbird	1	X
9	Yellow shafted Flicker	3	X
10	Red bellied Woodpecker	1	X
11	Red headed Woodpecker	9	X
12	Yellow bellied Sapsucker ✓	1 (2 weeks earlier than previous early date)	X
13	Downy Woodpecker	1	X
14	Barn Swallow	5	X
15	Purple Martin	1	X
16	Swallow (neither Barn nor Martin)	2	X
17	Blue Jay	30	X
18	Common Crow	9	X
19	Black capped Chickadee	3	X
20	White breasted Nuthatch	1	X
21	House Wren	1	X
22	Catbird	1	X
23	Brown Thrasher	1	X
24	Robin	250	X
25	Starling	750	X
26	House Sparrow	60	X
27	Red wing Blackbird	1	X
28	Common Grackle	10	X
29	Cardinal	5	X
30	~~Orange backed~~ Am. Goldfinch	2	X

Today was clear, hot + humid, but rather windy. If it wasn't for the wind it would have been real uncomfortable. The temperatures today were low about 71° high about 90°. I stayed home all day today. I did not even go out of the yard. I stayed ~~at~~ outside almost all day long from about 9 A.M. until about 6:30 P.M. My most unexpected bird was the sapsucker which is about two weeks early.

Monday September 18, 1972

1 Turkey Vulture	2	N. east
2 Red Tailed Hawk	2	N. east
3 Sparrow Hawk	1	N. east
4 Rock Dove	6	N. east - KC
5 Mourning Dove	40	everywhere
6 Chimney Swift	3	X
7 Red Headed Woodpecker	6	N. east - KC
8 Barn Swallow	10	N. east
9 Blue Jay	18	N. east
10 Common Crow	2	Highway I 29
11 Black Capped Chickadee	1	N. East
12 Brown Thrasher	1	N. East
13 Robin	15	everywhere
14 Eastern Bluebird	2	N. East
15 Starling	100	everywhere
16 House Sparrow	75	everywhere
17 Meadowlark (Sp)	5	N. east
18 Redwing	54	N. east
19 Common Grackle	15	Highway 29 - N. East

Today was clear, hot and humid. The temperatures were low about 71° high about 93°. Early this morning I drove to Kansas City and brought back a load of flowers. Then at 11 AM. I drove the route north & east of St. Joseph to Unionville, Mo and Green City, Mo. It was 6 P.M. when I got in. I drove a total of 410 miles and they were hard miles because I was really hurrying all the time.

Tuesday September 19, 1972

1 Mourning Dove	2	bvd
2 Chimney Swift	4	X
3 Blue Jay	3	bvd
4 Robin	15	X - bvd
5 Starling	6	bvd - 0
6 House Sparrow	20	bvd - 0
7 Cardinal	2	X

Today was clear, hot and humid. The temperatures were low about 67° high about 92°. Too hot to really enjoy anything.

Wednesday September 20, 1972

1	Pied billed Grebe	1	Crowder State Park
2	Canada Goose	4	o. h. near Gallatin
3	Turkey Vulture	3	northeast
4	Red tailed Hawk	4	northeast
5	Red shouldered Hawk	1	near Trenton northeast
6	Sparrow Hawk	1	northeast
7	Rock Dove	3	X
8	Mourning Dove	40	everywhere
9	Night Hawk	3	X
10	Chimney Swift	25	X
11	yellow shafted Flicker	5	everywhere
12	Red bellied Woodpecker	1	Crowder State Park
13	Red Headed Woodpecker	7	everywhere
14	Downy Woodpecker	1	Crowder State Park
15	Bank Swallow	6	highway 6
16	Blue Jay	18	everywhere
17	Common Crow	7	highway 6
18	Black capped Chickadee	1	X
19	Catbird	1	X
20	Robin	125	everywhere
21	Eastern Bluebird	5	highway 6
22	Starling	150	everywhere
23	House Sparrow	60	everywhere
24	Eastern Meadowlark	1	highway 6
25	Meadowlark (S.p.)	10	highway 6
26	Red wing Blackbird	7	o. h. X
27	Common Grackle	18	everywhere
28	Cardinal	5	everywhere

Today was mostly cloudy and pleasant with showers off & on all day. Temperatures were low about 71° high about 84°
 Pearl & I drove the route today east out highway 6 through Gallatin, Trenton, Milan and Green City, Mo. about 265 miles

Thursday September 21, 1972

1	Great Blue Heron	1	0
2	Red tailed Hawk	4	0
3	Rock Dove	4	KC. Mo
4	Mourning Dove	18	I-29 - 0

5	Night hawk	1	X
6	Chimney Swift	40	X
7	Blue Jay	10	everywhere
8	Common Crow	2	Hiway I-29
9	Catbird	1	0
10	Brown Thrasher	1	0
11	Robin	25	everywhere
12	Starling	35	everywhere
13	House Sparrow	25	everywhere
14	Meadowlark	6	0
15	Common Grackle	7	X-0

Today was clear & cool. The temperatures today were low about 52° high about 74°.

Friday - September 22, 1972

1	Great Blue Heron	2	Route
2	Teal (Sp)	24	Granger State Park
3	Turkey Vulture	3	Route
4	Red tailed Hawk	4	Route
5	Marsh Hawk	1	Route
6	Sparrow Hawk	3	Route
7	Rock Dove	3	Route
8	Mourning Dove	7	Route
9	Chimney Swift	18	0
10	yellow shafted Flicker	3	Route
11	Red bellied Woodpecker	2	Route
12	Red headed Woodpecker	5	Route
13	Barn Swallow	4	0. Route
14	Blue Jay	20	Route
15	Common Crow	2	Route
16	Robin	18	Route
17	Eastern Bluebird	10	Route
18	Starling	100	everywhere
19	House Sparrow	50	everywhere
20	Meadowlark	1	Route
21	Common Grackle	4	6-1-X
22	Cardinal	2	X
23	Rufous-sided Towhee	1	Route

Pearl & I drove the Route today delivering flowers to Unionville, Mo. We drove out by way of US Highway 169-136 and back by way of State highways 5-6. 70 day low and pleasant Temperature low 42° high 68°

Saturday, September 23, 1972

1	Rock Dove	1	X
2	Mourning Dove	16	everywhere
3	Chimney Swift	15	0 & X
4	yellow shafted Flicker	25	mostly A.C.
5	Red headed Wood pecker	2	0 - south of town
6	Downy Wood pecker	1	south of town
7	Barn Swallow	1	south of town
8	Blue Jay	20	everywhere
9	Common Crow	2	X - 0
10	Black capped Chickadee	2	X
11	Catbird	1	X
12	Robin	20	everywhere
13	Eastern Bluebird	4	south of town
14	Sterling	20	everywhere
15	House Sparrow	25	everywhere
16	Common Grackle	4	bird - X
17	Cardinal	4	bird - X

Today was cloudy with poor visibility and real cool. The temperatures are low about 54° high about 70°. I had planned on going to Squaw Creek this afternoon but Pearl wanted to go south of town to her nephew's Buddy Jackson and gather walnuts. We came up with about three bushel of walnuts.

Sunday, September 24, 1972

1	Pied billed Grebe	24	SQ
2	White Pelican	700	SQ
3	Great Blue Heron	16	SQ
4	Common Egret	6	SQ
5	Canada Goose	75	SQ
6	Mallard	15	SQ
7	Pintail	500	SQ
8	Blue winged Teal	400	SQ
9	Ruddy Duck	2	SQ
10	Turkey Vulture	14	River Rd - Hy I 29
11	Red tailed Hawk	4	SQ - River Rd
12	Marsh Hawk	3	SQ
13	American Coot	28	SQ

Sunday, September 24, 1972

14 Killdeer	33	SA
15 Common Snipe	1	SA
16 Pectoral Sandpiper	1	SA
17 Howitcher	1	SA
18 Franklin's Gull	3	SA
19 Tern (Sp) Common or Forsters	1	SA
20 Rock Dove	4	AR - SA
21 Mourning Dove	16	River Road
22 Chimney Swift	30	X - River Rd
23 Yellow-shafted Flicker	2	River Rd - SA
24 Red-headed Woodpecker	3	River Rd - SA
25 Downy Woodpecker	1	SA
26 Tree Swallow	2500	SA
27 Barn Swallow	5000	SA
28 Blue Jay	3	Hiway I-29 - SA
29 Common Crow	5	Hiway I-29 - X
30 House Wren	1	X
31 Catbird	1	X
32 Robin	10	everywhere
33 Starling	250	everywhere
34 House Sparrow	100	everywhere
35 Meadowlark (Sp)	1	Hiway 59
36 Redwing Blackbird	500	SA
37 Common Grackle	75	SA
38 Cardinal	2	X
* 39 Carolina Wren	1	X

Today was clear, windy and warm. Temperatures were low about 59° high about 85°. I went to Church this morning and then this afternoon Pearl and I went to Squaw Creek. As the list of birds shows, birding was rather poor. Got home at 6 PM.

Monday, September 25, 1972

1 Rock Dove	12	X - KC
2 Mourning Dove	8	Hy. I-29
3 Night Hawk	1	d.t.
4 Chimney Swift	5	X
5 Blue Jay	8	everywhere

6	Common Crow	2	X-Hy I-29
7	Black capped Chickadee	2	X
8	House Wren	1	X
9	Robin	75	o.h. X
10	Starling	40	everywhere
11	House Sparrow	20	everywhere
12	Common Grackle	60	o.h. X
13	Cardinal	1	bvd

Today was clear, warm + humid. The temperatures were low about 65° high about 82°. This evening Pearl + I went to Central High School to see our first Audubon Lecture for the new season. It was the Charm of Birds by Cleveland Grant. When we came out it was pouring rain. It rained really hard for half an hour 10 PM to 10:30 PM.

Tuesday, September 26, 1972

1	Rock Dove	5	X
2	Mourning Dove	2	X
3	Chimney Swift	35	X
4	Blue Jay	4	bvd - X
5	House Wren	1	X
6	Robin	6	bvd - X
7	Starling	20	bvd - X
8	House Sparrow	12	bvd - X
9	Common Grackle	10	X

Today was partly cloudy and cool. The temperatures were low about 52° high about 69°.

Wednesday September 27, 1972

1	Red tailed Hawk	4	east Route
2	Sparrow Hawk	6	east Route
3	Bob White	1	east route
4	Rock Dove	4	east route
5	Mourning Dove	10	east route
6	Night Hawk	2	X
7	Chimney Swift	20	east route
8	Yellow shafted Flicker	4	east route
9	Red headed woodpecker	6	east route

Wednesday, September 27, 1972

10	Downy Woodpecker	1	east route
11	Barn Swallow	3	east route
12	Blue Jay	30	east route
13	Common Crow	3	east route
14	Robin	6	east route
15	Eastern Bluebird	25	east route
16	Loggerhead Shrike	2	east route
17	Starling	40	everywhere
18	House Sparrow	50	everywhere
19	Meadowlark	18	east route
20	Common Grackle	20	east route
21	Cardinal	1	bvd.
22	American Goldfinch	1	east route

Today was mostly cloudy, cool and pleasant. Temperatures were low about 53° high about 75°. I drove the east - N. east route today. I drove a total of 320 miles. Lois is on vacation this week so both Pearl and Lois went with me. I was only about 15 miles east of town on my way out when the right front tire blew out. I was driving about 60 to 65 M. P. H. and before I could get stopped it had pulled me off of the highway. It really scared all three of us. Had there been a deep ditch there we could have turned over. Knowing that I had about 300 miles to go and without a spare I was nervous all the rest of the day. We didn't get home until about 6:20 P. M.

Thursday, September 28, 1972

1	Great Blue	1	0
2	Coopers Hawk	1	0
3	Sparrow Hawk	9	0
4	Rock Dove	4	X
5	Mourning Dove	13	0
6	Chimney Swift	15	X - 0
7	Yellow-shafted Flicker	4	X - 0
8	Red-bellied Woodpecker	1	0
9	~~Downy Woodpecker~~ Barn Swallow	12	0

10	Blue Jay	18	everywhere
11	Common Crow	7	0
12	Robin	6	X - 6
13	Eastern Bluebird	4	0
14	Starling	150	mostly 0
15	House Sparrow	35	everywhere 0
16	Meadowlark (some western for sure)	25	0
17	Common Grackle	125	X - 0

Today was partly cloudy & nice. The temperatures were low about 49° high about 81°. I drove to Kansas City this morning to pick up a load of flowers and this evening after work I drove out to Helena, Mo.

Friday, September 29, 1972

1.	Pied-billed Grebe	2	Camp Crowder
2.	Turkey Vulture	6	Highway 6
3.	Red-tailed Hawk	2	Highway 6
4.	Sparrow Hawk	6	Highway 6-136
5.	American Coot	1	Camp Crowder
6.	Rock Dove	12	X - Hwy 6
7.	Mourning Dove	26	Highway 6-136
8.	Chimney Swift	18	X - Gallatin, Mo.
9.	Yellow-shafted Flicker	15	Highway 6-136
10.	Red-bellied Woodpecker	1	Camp Crowder
11.	Downy Woodpecker	1	X
12.	Blue Jay	40	Highway 6-136
13.	Common Crow	19	X - Hwy 6
14.	Black-capped Chickadee	1	X
15.	Robin	3	Highway 6
16.	Eastern Bluebird	18	Highway 6-136
17.	Loggerhead Shrike	2	Highway 6
18.	Starling	200	everywhere
19.	House Sparrow	75	everywhere
20.	Meadowlark (Sp.)	40	Highway 6-136
21.	Common Grackle	250	mostly Hwy 6
22.	Cardinal	3	Camp Crowder

Today was cloudy & cool all day. Temperatures low 37° high 53°. Pearl & I drove the east route today 298 miles. Got home 5:30 PM.

Saturday, September 30, 1972

1	Pied billed Grebe	50	SQ
2	White Pelican	165	SQ
3	Double Crested Cormorant	1	SQ
4	Great Blue Heron	1	SQ
5	Canada Goose	150	SQ
6	Snow Goose	400	SQ
7	Blue Goose	100	SQ
8	Mallard	60	SQ
9	Gadwall	8	SQ
10	Pintail	750	SQ
11	Green winged Teal	3	SQ
12	Blue winged Teal	500	SQ
13	American Widgeon	155	SQ
14	Shoveller	10	SQ
15	Red ~~Crowned~~ Head Duck	1	SQ
16	Ruddy Duck	23	SQ
17	Turkey Vulture	5	River Rd. - Hy I 29
18	Red tailed Hawk	8	River Rd - SQ
19	Marsh Hawk	4	SQ
20	Sparrow Hawk	2	River Rd - Hy I 29
21	Bob White	1	River Road
22	King necked Pheasant	1	SQ
23	American Coot	3000	SQ
24	Yellowlegs (Sp)	6	SQ
25	Phalarope (Sp)	1	SQ
26	Owlet	4	SQ
27	Herring Gull	1	SQ
28	Ring billed Gull	4	SQ
29	Bonapartes Gull	2	SQ
30	Rock Dove	1	Hiway I 29
31	Mourning Dove	25	River Rd - SQ
32	Chimney Swift	20	+ - o - SQ
33	Belted Kingfisher	1	SQ
34	Yellow shafted Flicker	30	AC - SQ
35	Red bellied Woodpecker	3	River Rd - SQ
36	Downy Woodpecker	1	River Rd
37	Tree Swallow	20	SQ
38	Rough winged Swallow	50	River Rd

39	Barn Swallow	500	River Rd - SQ
40	Blue Jay	40	everywhere
41	Common Crow	3	SQ
42	Brown Thrasher	1	SQ
43	Robin	2	X - SQ
44	Eastern Bluebird	2	River Rd
45	Ruby crowned Kinglet	1	SQ
46	Starling	125	everywhere
47	House Sparrow	300	everywhere
48	Meadowlark (Sp)	5	River Rd
49	Redwing Blackbird	400	SQ
50	Common Grackle	10	SQ
51	Cardinal	2	SQ
52	American Goldfinch	5	River Rd - SQ

Today was clear, real cool but nice. Temperatures were low about 52° high about 72°. We had a heavy frost this morning but it didn't seem to do much damage. This afternoon Pearl and I went to Squaw Creek. We got back home at 6 P.M.

Sunday, October 1, 1972

1	Great Blue Heron	1	Hy. I-29
2	Rock Dove	6	K.C.
3	Mourning Dove	5	Hy. I-29
4	Night Hawk	15	Hy. I-29
5	Chimney Swift	10	Hy. I-29
6	Belted Kingfisher	1	Hy. I-29
7	Blue Jay	6	Hy. I-29
8	Common Crow	2	Hy. I-29
9	Robin	4	X
10	Starling	20	everywhere
11	Meadowlark (Sp)	15	Hy. I-29
12	Common Grackle	250	Hy. I-29

Today was clear and nice. Cool this morning but warm this afternoon. The temperatures were low about 45° high about 83°. I had to work all day today at our Kansas City Wholesale House. ~~we~~ left home at dawn this morning and arrived back home at dusk this evening.

Monday, October 2, 1972

1	Rock Dove	6	X - KC
2	Mourning Dove	3	Hy I-29
3	Chimney Swift	36	X - Hy I-29
4	Yellow Shafted Flicker	1	Hy I-29
5	Barn Swallow	5	X - Hy I-29
6	Blue Jay	6	X - Hy I-29
7	Common Crow	32	X - Hy I-29
8	Carolina Wren	1	KW. bud
9	Robin	74	~~max~~ X
10	Starling	60	X - everywhere
11	House Sparrow	30	X - everywhere
12	Meadowlark, Eastern	18	0 - Hy I-29
13	Common Grackle	180	X - Hy I-29
14	Shoveler	1	0
15	Nighthawk	6	X
16	Gowny Woodpecker	1	X
17	Black capped Chickadee	2	X
18	Cardinal	2	X

Today was clear and nice. The temperatures were low about 45° high about 80°. I went to K.C. this a.m.

Tuesday, October 3, 1972

1	Pied billed Grebe	1	AP
2	Double crested Cormorant	15	AP
3	Great Blue Heron	3	AP
4	American Widgeon	1	AP
5	American Coot	2	AP
6	Rock Dove	3	X
7	Mourning Dove	20	AP - Kansas
8	Night Hawk	2	X
9	Chimney Swift	40	everywhere
10	Tree Swallow	10	Kansas
11	Rough winged Swallow	6	Kansas
12	Barn Swallow	50	AP - Kansas
13	Blue Jay	12	everywhere
14	Common Crow	2	0
15	Black capped Chickadee	1	bud
16	Robin	20	o.h. X

Tuesday, October 3, 1972

17	Ruby Crowned Kinglet	1	X
18	Starling	75	everywhere
19	House Sparrow	30	everywhere
20	Red wing Blackbird	3	AP
21	Common Grackle	50	X - AP
22	Cardinal	1	X

Today was mostly cloudy and pleasant with showers before noon and late this evening. The temperatures today were low about 57° high about 74°.

Wednesday, October 4, 1972

1	Turkey Vulture	3	X
2	Rock Dove	4	X
3	Mourning Dove	2	X
4	Night Hawk	5	X
5	Chimney Swift	50	X
6	Downy Woodpecker	1	X
7	Blue Jay	10	o - bvd - X
8	Common Crow	1	X
9	Black capped Chickadee	1	X
10	Robin	14	bvd - X
11	Starling	15	o - X
12	House Sparrow	18	o - X
13	Red wing Blackbird	35	o - h. X

Today was partly cloudy. The temperatures were low about 49° high about 80°. Today at noon over lunch with George Stuppy, Jim Stuppy, Ed Matney and Bob Beeler we set up a little different operation for our Wholesale dept. I have been ^{given} complete control of the department to use my own judgment on most all matters. As of this past Monday I have been given a raise which amounts to a raising in salary of over \$2000.⁰⁰ a year. The money is good and I really need it but I don't like the idea of all that extra responsibility I am going to have to keep going ahead all the time. I don't think that I will be real happy until I can retire, only then if I have enough money to live on.

Thursday, October 5, 1972

1	Great Blue Heron	2	0
2	Sparrow Hawk	2	0
3	Common Snipe	1	0
4	Rock Dove	4	X
5	Mourning Dove	4	0
6	Chimney Swift	25	0-X
7	Yellow-shafted Flicker	1	bvd
8	Red-headed Woodpecker	1	0
9	Downy Woodpecker	1	0
10	Blue Jay	20	bvd-X-0
11	Common Crow	2	0
12	Black-capped Chickadee	1	X
13	Robin	20	X-0
14	Eastern Bluebird	12	0
15	Ruby-crowned Kinglet	1	X
16	Loggerhead Shrike	1	0
17	Starling	50	everywhere
18	House Sparrow	20	everywhere
19	Western Meadowlark	6	0
20	Red-wing Blackbird	10	0
21	Common Grackle	250	0
22	Cardinal	1	X
23	Chipping Sparrow	1	X

Today was clear and warm. The temperatures today were low about 45° high about 74°. I was busy all day but didn't really seem to accomplish anything. This evening after supper Pearl, Lois and I went out to the Wholesale and worked about two hours cleaning up and putting away flowers.

Friday, October 6, 1972

1	Pied-billed Grebe	7	LC-AP
2	~~Double~~ Crested Cormorant	112	AP
3	Great Blue Heron	2	AP
4	Canada Goose	60	LC
5	Gadwall	5	AP
6	Coopers Hawk	1	LC
7	Marsh Hawk	2	LC

Friday, October 6, 1972

8	Sparrow Hawk	1	LC-AP
9	American Coot	125	LC
10	Rock Dove	18	d.t.-X
11	Mourning Dove	20	LC-AP
12	Chimney Swift	30	everywhere
13	Belted Kingfisher	1	LC
14	Barn Swallow	75	LC-AP
15	Blue Jay	10	everywhere
16	Common Crow	23	AP
17	Robin	10	X-AP
18	Loggerhead Shrike	1	LC
19	Starling	150	everywhere
20	House Sparrow	30	everywhere
21	Redwing Blackbird	2000	mostly LC
22	Common Grackle	500	mostly LC
23	American Goldfinch	2	AP

Today was cloudy and ~~chilly~~ chilly with a misty rain most of the day. The temperatures were low about 49° high about 63°. This evening after work Pearl and I drove down and around Lake Contrary and then over to Drowning Lake at the Airport. Probably because of the weather there seemed to be lots of birds on the move.

Saturday October 7, 1972

1	Pied-billed Grebe	3	LC
2	Double-crested Cormorant	46	LC-AP
3	Great Blue Heron	2	LC
4	Mallard	1	LC
5	Gadwall	5	LC
6	Green-wing Teal	1	LC
7	Blue-wing Teal	2	LC
8	Red-tailed Hawk	3	LC-AP
9	Sparrow Hawk	4	LC-AP
10	Bob White	15	Nw. bird
11	American Coot	1	LC
12	Rock Dove	200	d.t.
13	Mourning Dove	12	X-LC-AP
14	Night Hawk	1	AC

Saturday, October 7, 1972

15	Chimney Swift	30	everywhere
16	yellow shafted Flicker	10	LC - AC
17	Blowny Wood pecker	1	AC
18	Eastern Phoebe	1	LC
19	Rough winged Swallow	9	LC
20	Barn Swallow	1500	everywhere
21	Blue Jay	12	everywhere
22	Common Crow	15	AP
23	Black capped Chickadee	3	AC
24	Long billed Marsh Wren	1	LC
25	Mockingbird	1	0
26	Robin	30	X - AC
27	Cedar Waxwing	20	AC
28	Sterling	750	everywhere
29	Myrtle Warbler	2	AC
30	House Sparrow	50	everywhere
31	Meadowlark	1	LC
32	Red wing Blackbird	500	LC - ML
33	Common Grackle	250	LC - ML
34	Cardinal	2	X - AC
35	American Goldfinch	1	AP
36	Red Crossbill	5	AC
37	Slate colored Junco	1	AC
38	Chipping Sparrow	8	AC

Today was clear and real nice after a foggy morning. The temperatures were low about 42° high about 74°. Pearl stayed home this afternoon to clean house so I studded by myself.

Sunday, October 8, 1972

1	Red tailed Hawk	2	o.b. X
2	Rock Dove	4	X
3	Chimney Swift	15	X
4	yellow shafted Flicker	2	AC
5	Blue Jay	4	X - AC
6	Black capped Chickadee	1	AC
7	Robin	10	X - AC
8	Sterling	50	X - AC

9. House Sparrow	30	X - AC
10 Common Grackle	15	X - AC
11 Cardinal	3	X - AC

Today was clear and nice all day. ~~The~~ The temperatures were low about 32° high about 75°. Today we had my side of the family reunion here at my home so explains my small bird list.

Monday, October 9, 1972

1 Rock Dove	6	X
2 Mourning Dove	1	X
3 Chimney Swift	30	o - X
4 yellow shafted Flicker	2	bvd - X
5 Red bellied Woodpecker	1	X
6 Red headed Woodpecker	1	bvd
7 Blue Jay	7	o - X
8 Common Crow	2	X
9 Black capped Chickadee	1	X
10 Robin	15	X
11 Starling	40	o - X
12 House Sparrow	15	o - X
13 Cardinal	2	X
14 Chipping Sparrow	1	X

Today was clear & cool all day. The temperatures were low about 45° high about 70°. I felt rotten all day today. I was stung on the hand by a bee yesterday afternoon and it kept me awake quite a bit during the night. This morning my hand was swollen quite a bit. I went to the doctors office this morning and got a shot for it. It is still sore this evening.

Tuesday, October 10, 1972

1 Redtailed Hawk	1	X
2 Rock Dove	4	X
3 Mourning Dove	1	X
4 Chimney Swift	20	X
5 Blue Jay	6	bvd - X
6 Common Crow	8	X

7	Black capped Chickadee	1		X
8	Robin	40	o.h.	X
9	Starling	30	mostly	X
10	House Sparrow	18	mostly	X
11	Common Grackle	140	brd	X
12	Cardinal	1		X

Today was mostly clear. Cool this A.M. but rather warm this afternoon and evening. The temperatures were low about 54° high about 76°.

Wednesday, October 11, 1972

1	Coopers Hawk	1		X
2	Rock Dove	5		X
3	Mourning Dove	1		X
4	Chimney Swift	100		X
5	Downy Woodpecker	1		X
6	Blue Jay	6	brd -	X
7	Black capped Chickadee	1		X
8	Robin	7		X
9	Starling	40	o -	X
10	House Sparrow	16	o -	X
11	Common Grackle	400	o.h.	X
12	Cardinal	2		X
13	Chipping Sparrow	1		X

Today was mostly cloudy but warm and humid. The temperatures were low about 61° high about 82°.

Thursday, October 12, 1972

1	Pied billed Grebe	1		o
2	Canada Goose	25		o
3	Coopers Hawk	1		o
4	Red tailed Hawk	3		o
5	Sparrow Hawk	16		o
6	Killdeer	10		o
7	Common Snipe	6		o
8	Rock Dove	10	X -	o
9	Mourning Dove	18		o
10	Chimney Swift	30		X

11	yellow shafted Flicker	4	brd - 0
12	Red headed Woodpecker	4	0
13	Blue Jay	20	X - brd - 0
14	Common Crow	2	0
15	Black capped Chickadee	1	X
16	Robin	15	0
17	Eastern Bluebird	5	0
18	Loggerhead Shrike	1	0
19	Starling	500	everywhere
20	House Sparrow	75	everywhere
21	Western Meadowlark	20	0
22	Redwing Blackbird	150	0
23	Common Grackle	300	0
24	Brown headed Cowbird	60	0
25	Cardinal	4	X - 0
26	Harris Sparrow	2	0

Today was cloudy and chilly all day. The temperatures today were low about 49° high about 61°.

I got a letter today from Mark Robbins. He has now added a total of about 70 lifers just since he has gone to Arizona. That makes about 140 lifers for him just this year. His life list is now 472 and his 1972 year list is at 413. My life list is only 417.

Friday, October 13, 1972

1	Great Blue Heron	2	C.M. - L.Oz.
2	Turkey Vulture	6	L.Oz.
3	Red tailed Hawk	4	C.M.
4	Osprey	1	L.Oz.
5	Sparrow Hawk	12	C.Mo.
6	Rock Dove	3	X
7	Mourning Dove	15	C.Mo.
8	Pileated Woodpecker	1	L.Oz.
9	Red bellied Woodpecker	1	L.Oz.
10	Red headed Woodpecker	1	C.Mo.
11	Hairy Woodpecker	1	L.Oz.
12	Downy Woodpecker	1	L.Oz.

13	Yellow billed Cuckoo	1	L. Oz.
14	Blue Jay	150 (migration)	L. Oz.
15	Common Crow	10	L. Oz.
16	Carolina Chickadee	1	L. Oz.
17	Tufted Titmouse	10	L. Oz.
18	White breasted Nuthatch	2	L. Oz.
19	Brown Creeper	3	L. Oz.
20	Mockingbird	1	C. Mo.
21	Robin	10	everywhere
22	Eastern Bluebird	3	C. Mo.
23	Ruby Crowned Kinglet	3	L. Oz.
24	Loggerhead Shrike	1	C. Mo.
25	Starling	500	everywhere
26	Nashville Warbler	1	L. Oz.
27	House Sparrow	50	everywhere
28	Meadowlark (Sp.)	15	C. Mo.
29	Common Grackle	50	C. Mo.

~~29~~ Today was mostly clear and nice. The temperatures today were low about 40° high about 70°. I worked today untill 9:30 a.m. then Lola came out and picked me up. Read and I left home at 9:45 a.m. and headed for Camp Rising Sun in Lake of the Ozarks State Park. for our annual State Audubon meeting. We had gone 18 miles down the road when we realized that we had forgotten our binoculars so we had to turn around and come back home. We lost 36 miles and about 40 minutes by doing this. We arrived at the camp at 4 P.M. There were only three parties there ahead of us. The meeting really doesn't start untill tomorrow anyway. We did enjoy the afternoon.

Saturday, October 14, 1972

1	Great Blue Heron	1	L. Oz.
2	Gadwall	18	L. Oz.
3	Turkey Vulture	3	L. Oz.
4	Osprey	1	L. Oz.
5	Ring billed Gull	1	L. Oz.
6	Pileated Woodpecker	3	L. Oz.

7. Hairy Woodpecker	1	L. Oz.
8. Downy Woodpecker	2	L. Oz.
9. Blue Jay	500	L. Oz.
10. Common Crow	7	L. Oz.
11. Tufted Titmouse	12	L. Oz.
12. White-breasted Nuthatch	3	L. Oz.
13. Carolina Wren	2	L. Oz.
14. Myrtle Warbler	3	L. Oz.

Today was a poor day for birding for me. It began raining about 3 A.M. and rained almost steadily until noon. Pretty hard at times. What little birding we got in was some just before noon. We ate at noon. Then I had to attend a board meeting from 1 P.M. until 2 P.M. and then a general business meeting from 3 P.M. until 6 P.M. I did bird some from 2 P.M. until 3 P.M. It was cloudy all afternoon. Temperatures were low about 40° high about 60°. This evening we had about two hours of showing of slides.

Sunday, October 15, 1972

1. ~~15~~ Red-billed Grebe	1	L. Oz.
2. ~~20~~ Gadwall	15	L. Oz.
3. ~~4~~ Turkey Vulture	20	C. Mo. - L. Oz.
4. ~~1~~ Sharp-shinned Hawk	4	L. Oz.
5. ~~6~~ Cooper's Hawk	1	L. Oz.
6. ~~1~~ Red-tailed Hawk	6	C. Mo. - L. Oz.
7. ~~1~~ Broad-winged Hawk	1	L. Oz.
8. ~~1~~ Rough-legged Hawk	1	C. Mo.
9. Osprey	1	L. Oz.
10. Sparrow Hawk	3	C. Mo.
11. ~~Wrens~~		
12. American Coot	2	L. Oz.
13. Ring-billed Gull	1	L. Oz.
14. Rock Dove	8	C. Mo.
15. Mourning Dove	12	C. Mo.
16. Belted Kingfisher	1	L. Oz.
17. Yellow-shafted Flicker	4	L. Oz.
18. Pileated Woodpecker	3	L. Oz.
19. Red-bellied Woodpecker	2	L. Oz.

20	Red headed Woodpecker	1	C. Mo.
21	Hairy Woodpecker	1	L. Or.
22	Downy Woodpecker	1	L. Or.
23	Blue Jay	160 (migration)	mostly L. Or.
24	Common Crow	30	L. Or.
25	Carolina Chickadee	6	L. Or.
26	Tufted Titmouse	7	L. Or.
27	White breasted Nuthatch	3	L. Or.
28	Carolina Wren	5	L. Or.
29	Robin	300	L. Or.
30	Eastern Bluebird	5	C. Mo. - L. Or.
31	Golden crowned Kinglet	3	L. Or.
32	Ruby crowned Kinglet	2	L. Or.
33	Cedar waxwing	12	L. Or.
34	Loggerhead Shrike	2	C. Mo. - L. Or.
35	Starling	150	~~C. Mo.~~ C. Mo.
36	Myrtle Warbler	30	L. Or.
37	House Sparrow	20	C. Mo.
38	Meadowlark (Sp.)	12	C. Mo. - L. Or.
39	Common Grackle	30	C. Mo. - L. Or.
40	Cardinal	5	L. Or.
41	American Goldfinch	2	L. Or.
42	Rufous sided Towhee	3	L. Or.
43	Skate colored Junco	1	L. Or.
44	White throated Sparrow	10	L. Or.
45	Song Sparrow	1	L. Or.

Today was a beautiful day. It was clear and chilly enough to be invigorating. The temperatures were low about 35° high about 58°. We got up 6 AM. ate breakfast 7 AM. Birded 8 AM till Noon. ate lunch at 12 Noon + headed for home at 1:05 P.M. we arrived at home at 5:25 P.M. Birds marked C. Mo. stands for Central Missouri but really means generally on the road to and from the Park. I birded quite with Hazel and Fitzhugh. Riggs from north west Missouri near Hamburg Iowa and with John and Mabel Ott of Lincoln Nebraska. at long last got to see and visit again with David Easterla, also many other old friends.

Monday, October 16, 1972

o. h. means overhead

1	Canada Goose	3	o. h. X
2	Snow Goose	16	o. h. X
3	Blue Goose	3	o. h. X
4	Red tailed Hawk	1	o. h. X
5	Rock Dove	12	o. h. X
6	Mourning Dove	2	X
7	Yellow-shafted Flicker	1	o. h. X
8	Blue Jay	6	X
9	Common Crow	1	o
10	Black capped Chickadee	1	X
11	Robin	75	o. h. X
12	Starling	200	o - X
13	Myrtle Warbler	2	X
14	House Sparrow	18	o - X
15	Redwing	15	o. h. X
16	Common Grackle	500	o. h. X
17	Cardinal	3	X
18	White-throated Sparrow	3	X

Today was clear and real nice. The temperatures today were low about 39° high about 76°. Most of the above birds I observed flying overhead while sitting out in my back yard after I got home from work.

Tuesday, October 17, 1972

1	Pied-billed Grebe	7	AP
2	Blue-wing Teal	1	AP
3	Ring-necked Duck	5	AP
4	Lesser Scaup	6	AP
5	Ruddy Duck	9	AP
6	Red-tailed Hawk	1	AP
7	Sparrow Hawk	2	AP
8	American Coot	100	AP
9	Common Snipe	5	AP
10	Ring-billed Gull	1	AP
11	Rock Dove	100	d. e.
12	Mourning Dove	2	AP
13	Yellow-shafted Flicker	4	AC
14	Barn Swallow	10	AP

15	Blue Jay	10	everywhere
16	Common Crow	20	AP
17	Black capped Chickadee	2	X - AC
18	~~White breasted Nuthatch~~ Brown Creeper	1	AC
19	White breasted Nuthatch	1	AC
20	Robin	20	AC
21	Cedar Waxwing	2	AC
22	Starling	150	everywhere
23	House Sparrow	50	everywhere
24	Red wing Blackbird	5000	AP
25	Brown headed Cowbird	2000	AP
26	Cardinal	3	AC - AP
27	Slate colored Junco	10	AC
28	Joe Sparrow	2	AP

Today was mostly cloudy, damp, windy and chilly all day. The temperatures today were low about 39° high about 50°, After work I drove over to Browning Lake and then back thru Ashland Cemetery.

Wednesday, October 18, 1972

1	Red tailed Hawk	1	o.k. X
2	Blue Jay	3	brd - X
3	Mockingbird	1	X
4	Robin	1	X
5	Starling	10	o - X
6	House Sparrow	9	o - X
7	Common Grackle	3	X
8	Cardinal	2	X

Today was partly cloudy & chilly all day. Temperatures were low about 32° high about 43°.

Thursday, October 19, 1972

1	Great Blue Heron	1	o
2	Red tailed Hawk	4	o
3	Sparrow Hawk	2	o
4	Killdeer	40	o
5	Common Snipe	1	o
6	Rock Dove	12	X

7	Mourning Dove	6	6
8	Yellow Shafted Flicker	7	0
9	Blue Jay	7	0
10	Common Crow	2	o. h. X
11	Black capped Chickadee	1	0
12	Mockingbird	1	0
13	Eastern Bluebird	45	0
14	Starling	50	everywhere
15	Myrtle Warbler	1	0
16	House Sparrow	20	everywhere
17	Western Meadowlark	28	0
18	Red-wing Blackbird	15	0
19	Brewer's Blackbird	20	0
20	Common Grackle	18	0
21	Brown leaped Cowbird	15	0
22	Cardinal	2	X
23	Slate colored Junco	1	0
24	White-throated Sparrow	8	0
25	Swamp Sparrow	1	0
26	Song Sparrow	5	0

Today was clear and cold all day but pretty the way I like cold weather. The temperatures were low about 18° high about 45°

Friday, October 20, 1972

1	Rock Dove	3	X
2	Starling	10	o - X
3	House Sparrow	3	o - X
4	Common Grackle	4	X

Today was cloudy, rainy & chilly all day. The temperatures today were low about 35° high about 45°

Saturday, October 21, 1972

1	Pied-billed Grebe	1	AP
2	Houli Crested Cormorant	5	AP
3	Canada Goose	35	ML
4	Gadwall	50	HL-LC-AP
5	Lesser Scaup	16	HL

6	Ruddy Duck	1	AP
7	Redtailed Hawk	6	LC - ML - AP
8	Marsh Hawk	1	ML
9	Sparrow Hawk	2	ML - AP
10	American Coot	1500	LC - ML - AP
11	Killdeer	1 ~~1~~	AP
12	Rock Dove	200	mostly dt.
13	Mourning Dove	3	AP
14	yellow shafted Flicker	4	AC
15	Red-bellied Woodpecker	2	LC - AC
16	Gray Woodpecker	1	AC
17	Barn Swallow	20	LC - AP
18	Blue Jay	7	everywhere
19	Common Crow	150	mostly AP
20	Horned Lark	4	LC
21	Robin	30	mostly AC
22	Cedar Waxwing	35	AC
23	Starling	200	everywhere
24	House Sparrow	125	everywhere
25	Eastern Meadowlark	30	everywhere
26	Redwing Blackbird	40	LC - ML - AP
27	Brewer's Blackbird	70	ML
28	Common Grackle	1	X
29	Cardinal	3	AC
30	Slate colored Junco	14	AC
31	Chipping Sparrow	5	AC
32	Swamp Sparrow	10	LC
33	Song Sparrow	3	LC

Today was cloudy & chilly all day with intermittent light rain. I worked until noon, ate lunch and then Pearl and I took a drive down and around Lake Contrary, Horseshoe Lake, Mud Lake & then back by Browning Lake and then through Ashland Cemetery. I got a letter from Mark Robbins today. His life list now stands at 475. He has added over 70 lifers since mid August, when he went to Arizona. If I had the birds that he has seen since going to Arizona I would have about 500 now on my list.

Temperatures
Low - 48°
High - 57°

Sunday, October 22, 1972

1	Great Blue Heron	4	Kans
2	Lesser Scaup	50	Kans
3	Red tailed Hawk	22	Mo - Kans
4	Osprey	1	Kans
5	Sparrow Hawk	2	Kans
6	American Coot	175	Kans
7	Killdeer	8	Kans
8	Shorebird (I think Bairds Sandp.)	2	Kans
9	Ring billed Gull	36	Kans
10	Forked line Gull	2	Kans
11	Rock Dove	18	Mo - Kans
12	Mourning Dove	16	Mo - Kans
13	Barn Swallow	1	Kans
14	Blue Jay	10	Mo - Kans
15	Common Crow	6	Mo - Kans
16	Robin	20	Mo - Kans
17	Eastern Bluebird	35	Mo - Kans
18	Starling	200	Mo - Kans
19	House Sparrow	175	Mo - Kans
20	Meadowlark (Sp.)	40	Mo - Kans
21	Red Wing Blackbird	250	Mo - Kans
22	Common Grackle	6	Mo - Kans

Today was cloudy and rainy all day long with very poor visibility. Earl, Lois and I left home this morning at 9:30 A.M. for Topeka, Kansas where our Topeka Wholesale was having open house. We stopped at Perry Lake both going and coming where we saw many of the birds. I saw a raft of a couple thousand or more ducks out in the lake quite a way from shore. Several of them were scarp but visibility was so poor I couldn't make out most of them. Temperatures were low about 38° high about 58°.

Monday, October 23, 1972

1	Yellow shafted Flicker	1	X
2	Blue Jay	2	X
3	Mockingbird	1	X
4	Robin	1	X
5	Starling	15	X

6 House Sparrow	25	X
7 ~~House~~ Cardinal	2	X

Today was cloudy, damp and chilly all day. Temperatures were low about 41° high about 45° . I was too tired this evening to go birding. I had planned on going to the airport.

Tuesday, October 24, 1972

1 Red tailed Hawk	1	Karnes Road
2 Mourning Dove	1	X
3 Yellow Shafted Flicker	1	X
4 Blue Jay	2	X
5 Mockingbird	1	X
6 Robin	4	X
7 Cedar Waxwing	1	X
8 Starling	20	0 - X
9 House Sparrow	40	0 - X
10 Common Grackle	4	X
12 Cardinal	2	X

Today was mostly clear & cool but nice compared to weather we have had. Temperatures 34° to 53° .

Wednesday, October 25, 1972

1 Red tailed Hawk	2	Hiway I-29
2 Rock Dove	1	R.E.
3 Mourning Dove	2	Hiway I-29
4 Blue Jay	5	0 - Hiway I-29
5 Common Crow	7	Hiway I-29
6 Black capped Chickadee	1	0
7 Hairy Woodpecker	1	0
8 Starling	40	everywhere
9 House Sparrow	35	everywhere
10 Meadowlark	2	Hiway I-29
11 Common Grackle	1500	Hiway I-29

Today was mostly clear and pleasant. The temperatures today were low about 30° high about 60° . I spent all afternoon in Kansas City attending a business meeting. I got home at 6:15 P.M., ate supper, stopped by the