

14 Starling	20	everywhere
15 House Sparrow	18	everywhere
16 Common Grackle	30	x - AC - bud
17 Cardinal	2	x - AC
18 Purple Finch	4	AC
19 American Goldfinch	35	o - AC
20 Dark eyed Junco	20	o - AC

Today was cloudy & cool. Temperatures were low 59° high 68°. I had the feeling today that I would have seen lots of birds if I could have birded all day but I had to work at our open house at the Wholesale 10:30am until 4:30pm.

Monday, November 3, 1975

1 Common Crow	2	x
2 Robin	4	x
3 Starling	10	x
4 House Sparrow	6	x
5 Dark eyed Junco	3	x
6 White throated Sparrow	1	x

Today was cloudy and warm all day. The temperatures were low 59° high 67°. I didn't even get out on my ~~lunch~~ lunch hour today. The weather has been milder this fall than I can ever remember. Insects are still out and there are still many flowers blooming outside.

Tuesday, November 4, 1975 P.L. - Perry Lake

1. Common Loon	2	PL
2. Pied-billed Grebe	4	PL
3. Double Crested Cormorant	22	PL
4. Great blue heron	5	PL
5. Canada Goose	150	PL
6. White-fronted Goose	50	PL
7. Snow Goose	6000	PL
8. Snow (blue form) Goose	4000	PL
9. Mallard	40,000	PL
10. Gadwall	1500	PL
11. Pintail	15	PL
12. Shoveller	6	PL
13. Ringnecked Duck	1500	PL
14. Lesser Scaup	1000	PL
15. Ruddy Duck	150	PL
16. Hooded Merganser	12	PL
17. Sharp-shinned Hawk	1	PL
18. Red-tailed Hawk	7	Mo - PL
19. Marsh hawk	2	PL
20. American Kestrel	1	near Sugar Lake ~~PL~~
21. American Coot	6000	PL
22. Killdeer	20	PL
23. Ring-billed Gull	150	PL
24. Franklins Gull	30	PL
25. Bonapartes Gull	20	PL
26. Rock Dove	35	d. t. - Atchison, Ks.

27 Mourning Dove	1	Mo	
28 Common Flicker	3	Mo -	PL Kans
29 Red-bellied Woodpecker	2		PL Kans
30 Red-headed Woodpecker	6		PL Kans
31 Downy Woodpecker	3		PL Kans
32 Blue Jay	40	Mo -	PL Kans
33 Common Crow	25	Mo -	PL Kans
34 Black capped Chickadee	5		PL Kans
35 Tufted Titmouse	2		PL Kans
36 Robin	50	X -	PL Kans
37 Eastern Bluebird	30		PL Kans
38 Loggerhead Shrike	3		near PL Kans
39 Starling	500	Mo -	everywhere Ks.
40. House Sparrow	125	Mo -	everywhere Ks.
41 Meadowlark (I.E) (40?) 41 est		Mo -	everywhere Ks.
42 Red wing Blackbird	50	Mo.	Kans
43 Common Grackle	25		X
44 Dark eyed Junco	2		X

Today was cloudy all day but a wonderful day for birding. If it had been clear it would have been too hot. The temperatures were low 58° high 64°. Pearl + I left home at 8:30 a.m. and drove to Lake Perry just east of Topeka, Ks. where we spent the day. We got home at 5 P.M. Tomorrow we plan on going to Sugar Creek. Visibility was not really as good as it could have been. I am still looking for my first Horned Grebe + Western Grebe for the year.
I drove today 190 miles

Wednesday November ~~4~~⁵ 1975

1	Pied billed Grebe	2	SQ
2	White Pelican	4	SQ
3	Double crested Cormorant	7	SQ
4	Great Blue Heron	6	SQ
5	Canada Goose	1500	SQ
6	White fronted Goose	600	SQ
7	Snow Goose	50,000	SQ
8	Snow (blue form) Goose	40,000	SQ
9	Mallard	60,000	SQ
10	Black duck	1	SQ
11	Gadwall	100	SQ
12	Pintail	1500	SQ
13	Green winged Teal	2000	SQ
14	American Wigeon	20	SQ
15	Shoveller	800	SQ
16	Wood Duck	4	SQ
17	Ring necked Duck	500	SQ
18	Canvasback	100	SQ
19	Ruddy Duck	10	SQ
20	Red tailed hawk	8	SQ
21	Bald eagle	2 (1a 1i)	SQ
22	Marsh hawk	5	SQ
23	American Kestrel	1	SQ
24	Ring necked pheasant	3	SQ
25	Sora Rail	1	SQ
26	American Coot	5000	SQ

Wednesday, November 5, 1975

✓ 27	Cattle Egret	3	SQ
✓ 28	Ross' Goose	3	SQ
29	Killdeer	6	SQ
30	American Golden Plover	2	SQ
31	Common Snipe	100	SQ
32	Dunlin	4	SQ
33	Dowitcher	8	SQ
34	Semipalmated Sandpiper	2	SQ
35	Rock Dove	1	X
36	Mourning Dove	8	near HC
37	Common Flicker	4	near HC-SQ-AC
38	Red bellied woodpecker	2	SQ-AC
39	Red headed woodpecker	5	near HC
40	Downy woodpecker	3	near HC-SQ-AC
41	Horned Lark	2	near SQ
42	Blue Jay	25	everywhere
43	Common Crow	6	SQ
44	Black capped Chickadee	8	near HC-SQ-AC
45	White breasted Nuthatch	5	near HC-SQ
46	Red breasted Nuthatch	4	AC
47	Brown Creeper	2	near HC-SQ
48	Long billed Marsh Wren	1	SQ
49	Robin	50	everywhere
50	Goldencrowned Kinglet	2	SQ
51	Ruby crowned Kinglet	2	SQ
52	Loggerhead Shrike	1	SQ

Wednesday November 5, 1975

53	Starling	200	everywhere
54	House Sparrow	100	everywhere
55	Meadowlark	2	near Big Lake
56	Redwing Blackbird	1500	SL
57	Rusty Blackbird	50	SL
58	Common Grackle	150	x - SL
59	Brown headed Cowbird	2	SL
60	Cardinal	6	x - AC - SL
61	Purple Finch	8	AC - SL
62	American Goldfinch	6	AC - SL
63	Rufous sided Towhee	1	SL
64	Dark eyed Junco	150	mostly AC - SL
65	Tree Sparrow	30	SL
66	Harris Sparrow	1	SL
67	White crowned Sparrow	1	SL
68	Fox Sparrow	3	SL
69	Swamp Sparrow	12	SL
70	Song Sparrow	20	SL

Today was cloudy, wet and foggy all day. Pearl + I left home at 8:30 am. + drove to Squaw Creek + Big Lake where we spent the day. Visibility was very poor. I know there were more duck species than I show but the bulk of the birds were out in the middle. We drove through Ashland Cemetery on our way home and then got home at about 4:45 PM. Temperatures were low 54° high 63°. I drove 112 miles.

Thursday, November 6, 1975

1	Red billed Grebe	1	0
2	American Kestrel	1	0
3	Rock Hens	75	d. t.
4	Red headed Woodpecker	1	0
5	Blue Jay	6	everywhere
6	Common Crow	3	0
7	Robin	12	everywhere
8	Starling	35	everywhere
9	House Sparrow	20	everywhere
10	Eastern Meadowlark	1	0
11	Western Meadowlark	15	0
12	Red wing blackbird	1	0
13	Common Grackle	200	0
14	Cardinal	2	0
15	Dark eyed Junco	3	X - 0
16	Harris Sparrow	10	0
17	White crowned Sparrow	3	0

Today was mostly clear and pleasant. The temperatures were low 50° high 66°.

Friday, November 7, 1975

1	Rock Dove	156	d. t. railroad yds.
2	Blue Jay	1	X
3	Common Crow	1	X
4	Black capped Chickadee	1	bvd
5	Robin	6	X
6	Starling	56	0 - X

7	House Sparrow	20	o - X
8	Red wing	50	o.h. X
9	Common Grackle	5000	o.h. X
10	Cardinal	1	X
11	Black eyed Junco	4	X

Today was clear and nice. The temperatures were low 49° high 69°.

Saturday, November 8, 1975

1	Lesser Scaup	14	LC
2	Red tailed Hawk	6	HL - AP - B.W.
3	American Coot	3	A.P.
4	Killdeer	4	H.L.
5	Dunlin	2	H.L.
6	Rock Dove	60	L.E. - ML
7	Red bellied woodpecker	2	B.W.
8	Red-headed Woodpecker	5	B.W.
9	Blue Jay	10	everywhere - B.W.
10	Common Crow	6	AP - B.W.
11	Black capped Chickadee	3	B.W.
12	Robin	40	X - bvd - o
13	Starling	50	everywhere
14	House Sparrow	20	everywhere
15	Meadowlark	6	near HL - AP
16	Red winged Blackbird	50	Lake areas
17	Common Grackle	150	Lake areas

18	Cardinal	8	B.W.
19	Dark-eyed Junco	50	B.W.

Today was clear and warm. Almost too warm for comfort. Temperatures were low 55° high 76°. This afternoon Pearl + I drove south of town just off U.S. hiway 59 about 13 to 14 miles south from my home to "Bluff Woods". It is an area of about 2000 acres of Missouri River Bluffs. It was purchased by the state of Missouri and have created a State Park which is called "Bluff Woods State Park". It isn't marked very well yet and it is cut up so much it is hard to tell when you are in or near it. They have big plans for its future. I expect it to be a good warbler birding area, also hawks.

Sunday, November 9, 1975

1	Red-billed Grebe	6	PEL
2	White Pelican	1	PEL
3	Great Blue Heron	1	PEL
4	Canada Goose	150	PEL
5	Blue Goose	3	PEL
6	Mallard	25	PEL
7	Pintail	1	PEL
8	Green-winged Teal	25	PEL
9	American Wigeon	1	PEL
10	Shoveller	1	PEL

PEL - Pond Express Lake Wildlife Area

Sunday, November 9, 1975

11. Lesser Scaup	6	PEL
12. Red tailed hawk	3	E. R. - P.E.L.
13. Marsh Hawk	1	PEL
14. Boh White	2	PEL
15. American Coot	500	PEL
16. Killdeer	6	PEL
17. Rock Dove	6	X - E. R.
18. Mourning Dove	1	E. R.
19. Common Flicker	10	AC
20. Redbellied Woodpecker	1	Nw. bvd.
21. Red headed Woodpecker	5	PEL
22. Hairy Woodpecker	2	AC - PEL
23. Horned Lark	1	near ER
24. Blue Jay	10	AC - ER
25. Common Crow	15	bvd - X - PEL
26. Black capped Chickadee	4	AC - PEL
27. White breasted Nuthatch	1	AC
28. Mocking bird	3	E. R. - P.E.L.
29. Robin	18	X - AC
30. Eastern Bluebird	6	PEL
31. Golden crowned Kinglet	2	AC
32. Cedar Waxwing	15	AC
33. Loggerhead Shrike	2	PEL
34. Starling	500	X - bvd - ER
35. House Sparrow	50	X - bvd - ER
36. Eastern Meadowlark	8	E. R. - PEL

37. Western Meadowlark	2	ER
38. Redwinged Blackbird	50	o.h. AC
39. Common Grackle	150	bvd - o.h. AC
40. Cardinal	4	X - AC
41. Masked Jay	50	X - AC - ER - PEL
42. Tree Sparrow	10	PEL
43. Harris Sparrow	15	E.R. - PEL
44. White crowned Sparrow	5	E.R.
45. Lincoln Sparrow	1	E.R.

Today the weather began changing. This morning it was cloudy with a light mist and warm. The temperature was some where around 70°. Late this afternoon the wind changed to the north and it began getting colder. We had a very hard rain of one inch plus at about 4 P.M. The temperatures today were low 53° high 69°. I banded this morning in Ashland Cemetery 8:45 a.m. until 9:30 a.m. and then 9:30 a.m. until 1:20 P.M. from home out Easton Road and then on out to Pony Express Lake Wildlife Area

Monday, November 10, 1975

1 Killdeer	1	o
2 Rock Dove	4	o - X
3 Common Flicker	2	bvd - X
4 Blue Jay	1	bvd
5 Common Crow	3	o.h. X
6 Black capped Chickadee	1	X

7	Robin	3	X
8	Starling	10	bvd - X
9	House Sparrow	6	o - X
10	Dark eyed Junco	7	X

Today was clear + chilly all day. The temperatures were low 34° high 55°.

Tuesday November 11/1975

1	Bob White	3	AR
2	Rock Dove	18	d. t.
3	Mourning Dove	14	AR - o
4	Blue Jay	6	bvd - o
5	Common Crow	8	bvd - AR.
6	Mockingbird	1	AR
7	Robin	35	x-AR-o-bvd
8	Starling	30	x-AR-o-bvd
9	House Sparrow	15	x-AR-o-bvd
10	Redwing Blackbird	18	AR - o
11	Cardinal	10	bvd - AR

Today was mostly clear, windy and chilly. Temperatures were low about 39° high about 63°, Today is our 39th wedding anniversary. We wanted to be home by 6 P.M. so at 3:45 P.M. We started out just for a drive. we drove out Amazonia road, through Amazonia, through Savannah, on east to highway 169 at Avenue City, + back home. We stopped + picked up fish dinners + stayed home the rest of the day.

Wednesday, November 12, 1975

1	Common Loon	1	AP
2	Pied billed Grebe	1	AP
3	Double crested Cormorant	1	AP
4	Snow Goose	} 40	0
5	Snow (blue form) Goose		0
6	Lesser Scaup	15	AP
7	Red tailed hawk	1	AP
8	Rock Dove	10	d.t.
9	Mourning Dove	7	AP-X
10	Common Flicker	2	bvd
11	Common Crow	2000	AP
12	Black capped Chickadee	1	X
13	Robin	2	X
14	Starling	500	everywhere
15	House Sparrow	50	0 - AP
16	Red wing Blackbird	5000	mostly AP
17	Common Grackle	1500	AP
18	Cardinal	1	X
19	Dark eyed Junco	3	X

To day was cloudy, windy and cold all day. Temperatures were low 32° high 40°. We had our first snow of the season today. It wasn't much but it was a reminder of things to come. Because of the blustery weather I drove to the Airport after work but didn't turn up very much. It was terribly windy anyway for much to be stirring.

Thursday, November 13, 1978

1	American Kestrel	1		0
2	Rock Dove	4	X -	0
3	Common Flicker	3	X - bvd -	0
4	Red headed Woodpecker	2		0
5	Downy Woodpecker	1		0
6	Blue Jay	3	bvd -	0
7	Common Crow	10	bvd -	0
8	Black Capped Chickadee	2	X -	0
9	Mockingbird	2		0
10	Robin	1		X
11	Loggerhead Shrike	1		0
12	Starling	50	X - bvd -	0
13	House Sparrow	25	X - bvd -	0
14	Western Meadowlark	6		0
15	Red winged Blackbird	10,000		0
16	Brewer's Blackbird			0
17	Common Grackle			0
18	Cardinal	5	bvd -	0
19	American Goldfinch	4	bvd	
20	Dark eyed Junco	3	X -	0
21	House Sparrow	4		0
22	White crowned Sparrow	3		0

Today was cloudy and cold. The temperatures were low 26° high 39°. This was my evening to drive to Helena, Mo. It is dark now by the time I get back home from Helena.

Friday, November 14, 1975

1 Ruddy Duck	2	M.S.L.
2 American Coot	15	M S L
3 Killdeer	4	M S L
4 Blue Jay	2	bvd - o
5 Black capped Chickadee	1	X
6 Robin	1	X
7 Starling	50	o - X - bvd
8 House Sparrow	20	o - X - bvd
9 Red wing Blackbird	50	o.h. Q
10 Common Grackle	50,000	o.h. o
11 Cardinal	2	X
12 Noddyed Junco	2	bvd
13 Snow Bunting	1 - ♀	M S L

Today was clear & chilly but nice. Temperatures were low about 24° high about 55°. Dave Easterla called me at 2:30 this afternoon to tell me that he had a Snow Bunting. I called John Hamilton & Leo Galloway. John had to be in K.C. at 4:30 P.M. but Leo Galloway said he would go with me. Pearl was baby sitting with Chad so she couldn't go. We met Dave at the Sewage Lagoon at 4:30 P.M. The bird an adult female was still there and we were able to approach within about 15 to 20 feet of the bird.

It was a new state bird for Leo. I am sorry that Pearl didn't get to go.

Saturday, November 15, 1975

1	White Pelican	1	SQ
2	Canada Goose	150	SQ
3	White-fronted Goose	75	SQ
4	Snow Goose	} 100,000	SQ
5	Snow (blue form) Goose		SQ
6	Mallard	75,000	SQ
7	Pintail	3,000	SQ
8	Green-winged Teal	50	SQ
9	Shoveler	50	SQ
10	Lesser Scaup	10	SQ
11	Ruddy Duck	6	SQ
12	Sharp-shinned Hawk	1	near SQ
13	Red-tailed Hawk	3	M.S.L. - SQ
14	Marsh Hawk	2	SQ
15	American Coot	500	M.S.L. - SQ
16	Killdeer	6	M.S.L. - SQ
17	Common Snipe	4	SQ
18	Downy Woodpecker	2	SQ
19	Blue Jay	3	X - br L - SQ
20	Common Crow	5	SQ
21	Black-capped Chickadee	2	X - brd
22	Robin	2	X
23	Starling	500	mostly SQ
24	House Sparrow	50	everywhere
25	Western Meadowlark	6	M.S.L.
26	Red-winged Blackbird	1,000,000 est	SQ

27	Rusty Blackbird	150	SL
28	Common Grackle	2500	mostly SL
29	Cardinal	2	X - bvd
30	Dark eyed Junco	3	SL
31	Tree Sparrow	15	SL
32	Song Sparrow	2	SL
33	Snow Bunting	1-9	MSL

Today was clear and nice. Really a beautiful day. The temperatures were low 55° high 75°. I felt so bad over Pearl missing the Snow Bunting yesterday that I went back today after lunch. I worked until noon and then headed for Marquille. It is just 45 miles to the Sewage Lagoons from my home. From there we drove to Squaw Creek 42 miles and then back home by way of the Wholesale house 34 miles. In addition to this we drove 24 miles on the Refuge. Pearl was happy to see the Bunting. We got home at 5:40 PM.

Sunday November 16, 1975.

1	Pied billed Grebe	2	AP
2	Double crested Cormorant	1	AP
3	Mallard	50	MSL
4	Pintail	1	AP
5	Teal (Sp) I think C. W.	1	MSL
6	Shoveller	40	MSL
7	Red head	3	MSL

Sunday - November 16, 1975

8	Lesser Scaup	75	MSL - AP
9	Bufflehead	7	MSL
10	Ruddy Duck	6	MSL - AP
11	Red-tailed Hawk	2	MSL - AP
12	American Coot	10	MSL
13	Killdeer	8	MSL
14	Ring-billed Gull	1	MSL
15	Rock Dove	15	d.t. - Maryville
16	Mourning Dove	2	Hiway 71
17	Common Flicker (Y.S.)	6	AC
18	Common Flicker (R.S.)	1	AC
19	Red-bellied Woodpecker	3	AC
20	Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	1	AC
21	Downy Woodpecker	2	AC
22	Blue Jay	4	AC
23	Common Crow	100	everywhere
24	Black-capped Chickadee	4	AC
25	Red-breasted Nuthatch	2	AC
26	Brown Creeper	1	AC
27	Robin	15	AC
28	G.C. Kinglet	3	AC
29	Cedar Waxwing	10	AC
30	Loggerhead Shrike	1	Hiway 71
31	Starling	100	everywhere
32	House Sparrow	25	everywhere
32	Eastern Meadowlark	3	MSL

33	Western Meadowlark	2	MSL
34	Redwing Blackbird	50	Hiway 71
35	Brewer's Blackbird	15	MSL
36	Common Grackle	25	Hiway 71
37	Cardinal	4	AC
38	Purple Finch	1	AC
39	Pine Siskin	20	AC
40	Evening Grosbeak	1	AC
41	Savannah Sparrow	1	MSL
42	Dark eyed Junco	30	AC - MSL
43	Tree Sparrow	1	AP

To day was clear and warm. The temperatures were low 42° high 67°. I got up at 6:30 a.m. ate breakfast and then Ival Lawhon and I drove to Maryville, Mo. to try a third time for the Snow Bunting. Apparently the bird had left because even though we covered the area good we couldn't find it. There were six of us there. It was Ival, myself, Dave Easterla, Alrew Thate, Elizabeth Cole and Jellie Bart. On coming back to St Joe Ival and I spent about an hour at Ashland Cemetery. I was surprised at how many good birds we found at Ashland Cemetery. Later in the afternoon I drove to the Airport and then on down to Lake Contrary. There was too much activity at Lake Contrary to find any waterfowl there.

Monday November 17, 1975

1	Rock Dove	4	d.t.
2	Downy Woodpecker	2	o - AC
3	Blue Jay	4	o - AC
4	Common Crow	6	o - X
5	Black capped Chickadee	4	X - AC
6	Brown Creeper	1	AC
7	Robin	12	X - AC
8	Starling	10	o - AC
9	Yellow-rumped Warbler	1	AC
10	House Sparrow	10	X - o
11	Cardinal	4	bvd
12	Dark-eyed Junco	8	AC

Today was clear & nice. The temperatures were low 46° high 69°. As of this afternoon late I am no more manager of the wholesale Dept. It has been turned over to Bette Murphy. I had told them over a year ago that I would like to be relieved of the responsibility of managing the place.

Tuesday November 18, 1975

1	American Kestrel	2	d.t. - a
2	Rock Dove	15	d.t.
3	Blue Jay	2	bvd
4	Black capped Chickadee	2	X
5	Robin	6	X
6	Starling	50	everywhere

7	House Sparrow	10	X
8	Common Grackle	50	o.h. X
9	Black-eyed Junco	2	X

Today was mostly clear & cool. The temperatures were low 57° high 67°.

Wednesday, November 19, 1975

1	Red tailed hawk	1	o
2	Killdeer	2	o
3	Rock Dove	10	d.t.
4	Blue Jay	2	o - bvd
5	Common Crow	1	o
6	Robin	2	X
7	Starling	20	o - bvd - X
8	House Sparrow	6	o - X

Today was cloudy most all day & warm. Temperatures were low 52° high 65°. Bad weather is in the forecast though. There is now 8" of snow in Western Kansas.

Thursday, November 20, 1975

1	Killdeer	1	o
2	Rock Dove	30	d.t.
3	Mourning Dove	1	o
4	Common Flicker	1	o
5	Downy Woodpecker	1	o
6	Robin	60	o

7	Sterling	150	d.t. - 0
8	House Sparrow	90	d.t. - 0
9	Meadowlark (mostly W.)	30	0
10	Redwinged Blackbird	150	0
11	Common Grackle	2000	0

Today was cold, wet and windy with bits of snow and rain. The temperatures were low 33° high 52° . I drove to Helena, Mo. this evening.

Friday, November 21, 1975

1	Rock Dove	25	0 - d.t.
2	Blue Jay	1	0
3	Common Crow	3	0
4	Robin	30	6rd
5	Sterling	400	0
6	House Sparrow	20	0
7	Common Grackle	75	0

Today was cloudy, windy and chilly. The temperatures were low 28° high 33° .

Saturday, November 22, 1975

1	Shoveller	4	0
2	Redtailed Hawk	1	0
3	American Kestrel	1	0
4	Rock Dove	7	d.t.
5	Horned Lark	1	0

6	Blue Jay	1	0
7	Robin	1	X
8	Starling	15	0
9	House Sparrow	10	X-0
10	Meadowlark (I think W.)	15	0
11	Red Winged Blackbird	18	0
12	Common Grackle	60	0
13	Harris Sparrow	1	0
14	White crowned Sparrow	1	0
15	Song Sparrow	3	0

Today was clear, cold and nice. The temperatures were low 21° high 52°. I worked until noon and then stayed in the rest of the day.

Sunday November 23, 1975

1	Pied-billed Grebe	3	P.E.L. - AP
2	White Pelican	1	P.E.L.
3	Canada Goose	115	P.E.L.
4	Snow Goose	1	P.E.L.
5	Snow (blue form) Goose	6	P.E.L.
6	Mallard	8	P.E.L.
7	Green-winged Teal	40	P.E.L.
8	Shoveller	4	P.E.L.
9	Lesser Scaup	2	P.E.L.
10	Merganser, R.B.	4	Karsen
11	Red-tailed Hawk	1	E.R.

Sunday - November 23, 1975

The eight day deer hunting season for guns in Missouri just ended today with a kill of over 51,000 deer.

12	American Kestrel	3	ER - AC - PEL
13	Killdeer	2	PEL
14	Rock Dove	10	d.t.
15	Mourning Dove	2	AP
16	Common Flicker	4	AC - PEL
17	Red Bellied Woodpecker	1	0
18	Red headed Woodpecker	2	PEL
19	Hairy Woodpecker	1	AC
20	Downy Woodpecker	1	0
21	Blue Jay	6	AC - ER - PEL
22	Common Crow	2500	AP - ER
23	Black capped Chickadee	4	AC - ER
24	White breasted Nuthatch	2	AC
25	Robin	4	X - AC
26	Loggerhead Shrike	1	E.R.
27	Starling	3000	X-AP-0-ER-PEL
28	House Sparrow	50	X - 0 - ER - P.E.L.
29	Meadowlark	15	ER - PEL
30	Red winged Blackbird	20	ER - PEL
31	Common Grackle	30	PEL
32	Cardinal	3	AC - PEL
33	American Goldfinch	4	PEL
34	Dark eyed Junco	30	AC - PEL
35	Tree Sparrow	18	ER - PEL
36	Harris Sparrow	1	E.R.
37	White crowned Sparrow	5	E.R. - PEL

Today was clear, cool and real pleasant. The temperatures

Low 23° high 43°

I got up at 6:45 a.m. ate breakfast and then at 8 a.m. Pearl and I drove to Pony Express Lake and then back to St Joe by way of the Easton Road. On our way home we went through Ashland Cemetery. This afternoon I took a drive to the airport. I was disappointed in the lack of water birds.

Monday, November 24, 1975

1	Common Crow	4	0
2	Black Capped Chickadee	1	X
3	Starling	3	bvd
4	House Sparrow	10	X - 0

Today was cloudy and cold. The temperatures were low 24° high 38°.

Tuesday, November 25, 1975

1	Red tailed Hawk	1	Hy I 29
2	American Kestrel	1	Hy I 29
3	Blue Jay	2	X
4	Common Crow	2	X
5	Starling	50	X - Hy I 29
6	House Sparrow	16	X - Hy I 29
7	Red winged Blackbird	15	Hy I 29
8	Common Grackle	1200	Hy I 29

Today was cloudy all day with snow afternoon & evening. Blowing continually became worse late this afternoon.

I drove to Oregon, Mo this afternoon with some flowers. When I got off work at 3:30 P.M. I drove down town and left my car which had snow tires on it and drove Lois' car back home to put her snow tires on. I did that & took her car back. My car then had a flat tire. I couldn't get my jack to work so Lois & Pearl came on home and brought some more jacks back. Larry came with them so we got my tire changed and we got home about 6:15 P.M. Temperatures low 20° high 24°

Wednesday, November 26, 1975

1	Starling	6	d. t.
2	House Sparrow	5	x - d. t.
3	Black eyed Junco	5	bvd

Today was cloudy and snowing all day. The temperatures were low 26° high 30° . I worked until noon and then came home for the rest of the day. With about 5 inches of snow on the roads we did not run our routes and because of tomorrow being Thanksgiving day we closed at noon.

Thurs Day, November 27, 1975

1	Red-tailed Hawk	1	o
2	Killdeer	7	o
3	Rock Dove	6	x
4	Mourning Dove	8	o

5	Great horned Owl	1	AC
6	Common Flicker	6	AC
7	Downy woodpecker	1	AC
8	Blue Jay	6	X - AC
9	Common Crow	15 (2 on ground by my back door)	X
10	Black-capped Chickadee	5	X - AC
11	Tufted Titmouse	2	AC
12	Horned Lark	35	o
13	Robin	50	o.h. Bvd - o.h. AC
14	Cedar Waxwing	8	AC
15	Starling	350	X - bvd - AC - o
16	Yellow-rumped Warbler	4	AC
17	House Sparrow	40	X - bvd - AC - o
18	Meadowlark (mostly W.)	70	roadside, feeding o
19	Red winged Black bird	500	o.h. AC - o
20	Brewers Black bird	~~500~~ 10	o
21	Common Grackle	500	o.h. AC - o
22	Cardinal	4	X - AC
23	Dark eyed Junco	18	X - bvd - AC - o
24	Lapland Long spur	12	o

Today was mostly clear (cloudy am) and nice, even with 5 inches of snow on the ground. We slept until 7 a.m., ate breakfast & then I took a walk through Ashland Cemetery. We had Lois, Larry, Maretta and Chad home for Thanksgiving dinner. at 4 P.M. Pearl & I drove to Helena, Ms. with the fields snow covered and the roadsides graded off is what attracted the horned Larks, Long spurs & Meadowlarks. Temperature Low 14° high 29°

Friday, November 28, 1975

1 Rock Dove	1	X
2 Common Crow	2	c.h. brd
3 Starling	3	o
4 House Sparrow	2	o
5 Dark-eyed Junco	3	brd

Today was mostly cloudy, warm + sloppy underfoot after getting off to an early start with clear skies. The temperatures were low 15° high 43°.

Saturday, November 29, 1975

1 American Kestrel	1	near LC
2 Rock Dove	150	d.t.
3 Blue Jay	2	X - LC -
4 Common Crow	15	LC
5 Robin	1	brd
6 Starling	150	X - LC - brd
7 House Sparrow	15	X - LC - brd
8 Redwinged Blackbird	2500	LC
9 Common Grackle	150	LC
10 Cardinal	1	X

Today was cloudy, warm, rainy, windy and stormy all day. The temperatures were low 44° high 62°. I did not work today. I took a drive of only about 1½ hours this morning to Lake County and back. It has really stormed all afternoon with severe thunder storms and chance of tornadoes.

Sunday
~~Friday~~ November 30, 1975

1	Pied billed Grebe	2	PEL
2	White Pelican	1	PEL
3	Canada Goose	75	PEL
4	Mallard	30	PEL
5	Green winged teal	2	PEL
6	American Wigeon	1	PEL
7	Wood Duck	1	PEL
8	Red head Duck	3	PEL
9	Ring necked Duck	10	PEL
10	Red tailed Hawk	1	ER
11	American Coot	10	PEL
12	Ring billed Gull	3	PEL
13	Rock Dove	1	X
14	Common Flicker	4	AC
15	Red bellied Woodpecker	1	Hiway 36
16	Yellow bellied Sapsucker	1	AC
17	Downy woodpecker	1	AC
18	Blue Jay	11	X-PEL-ER-AC
19	Common Crow	15	PEL-ER-AC
20	Black capped Chickadee	6	X-PEL-ER-AC
21	Brown Creeper	1	AC
22	Mockingbird	2	PEL
23	Starling	60	X-ER-bvd
24	House Sparrow	15	X-ER-bvd
*25	Robin *	1	X
26	Meadowlark (sp)	10	PEL-ER

27 Red winged Blackbird	50	PEL
~~28 Red winged Blackbird~~		
28 Cardinal	3	X-PEL
29 White winged Crossbill	1	AC
30 Hark eyed Junco	50	PEL-ER
31 Tree Sparrow	25	PEL

Today was cloudy, windy + cold all day with snow flurries. The temperatures were low 21° high 35°. At 8:15 AM Pearl + I drove to Pony Express Lake and then came back home by way of Easton Road.

Monday, December 1, 1975

1 Red tailed Hawk	1	near River d.t.
2 American Kestrel	1	near River d.t.
3 Rock Dove	4	X - d.t.
4 Blue Jay	2	bvd
5 Black capped Chickadee	1	X
6 Robin	6	o.h. bvd
7 Starling	15	X - d.t. - 0
8 House Sparrow	10	X - d.t.
9 Hark eyed Junco	1	X

Today was partly cloudy and windy and cold. The temperatures were low 19° high 43°. I worked this evening at getting my report ready for American birds. I missed the nesting season report in early August.

Tuesday - December 2, 1975

1 Mourning Dove	1	0
2 Common Flicker	1	0
3 Black capped Chickadee	1	X
4 Robin	3	X
5 Starling	4	0 - X
6 House Sparrow	6	0 - X
7 Cardinal	2	6 - X

Today was clear and nice. Temperatures low 30° high 52°

Wednesday, December 3, 1975

1 Rock Dove	3	X
2 Blue Jay	1	X
3 Black capped Chickadee	1	X
4 Robin	1	X
5 Starling	6	0 - X
6 House Sparrow	5	0 - X
7 Mock eyed James	8	X

Today was clear and pleasant all day. The temperatures were low 32° high 52°.

Thursday, December 4, 1975

1 Rock Dove	1	X
2 Mourning Dove	1	0
3 Common Flicker	1	0
4 Blue Jay	3	X - bud
5 Common Crow	8	0

6 Tufted Titmouse	1	X
7 Robin	6	0 - X
8 Starling	50	0 - X
9 House Sparrow	10	0 - X
10 Meadowlark, W.	4	0
11 Common Grackle	35	0
12 Cardinal	2	0
13 Black-eyed Junco	1	X

Today was clear and very pleasant. The temperatures were low 38° high 62°.

Friday December 5, 1975

1 Mourning Dove	1	bvd
2 Blue Jay	1	X
3 Starling	10	0 - X
4 House Sparrow	12	0 - X
5 Cardinal	3	bvd

Today was mostly cloudy and warm. The temperatures were low 38° high 65°.

Saturday December 6, 1975

1 Canada Goose	50	SQ
2 Snow Goose	} 120,000	SQ
3 Snow (blue form) Goose		SQ
4 Mallard	75	SQ
5 Gadwall	1	SQ

6	Redtailed Hawk	8	Hy 59-SG - Hy I 29
7	Bald Eagle	13 (3 a - 10 im)	~~Hy 59-SG - Hy I 29~~
8	American Kestrel	5	AR - 0 - Hy 59 - Hy I 29
9	Rock Dove	3	X
10	Common Flicker	6	AR - SG
11	Red-bellied Woodpecker	3	SG
12	Red-headed Woodpecker	2	SG
13	Downy Woodpecker	2	SG
14	Blue Jay	6	X-AR - SG
15	Common Crow	10	X-AR - SG
16	Black-capped Chickadee	4	X - SG
17	Tufted Titmouse	2	SG
18	White-breasted Nuthatch	2	SG
19	Robin	4	AC - SG
20	Eastern Bluebird	1	AR
21	Golden-crowned Kinglet	2	AC
22	Loggerhead Shrike	1	SG
23	Starling	150	X-0-AR-near HC - SG
24	House Sparrow	15	X-0-AR - SG
25	Red-winged Blackbird	100	SG
26	Common Grackle	1	SG
27	Brown-headed Cowbird	2	near SG
28	Cardinal	6	X - AR - SG
29	American Goldfinch	3	SG
30	Dark-eyed Junco	30	SG
31	Tree Sparrow	20	SG

32 Song Sparrow

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Today was clear, windy & cold. I really enjoyed it though. Temperatures were low 28° high 48°. I worked until noon and then at 1 P.M. Pearl and I drove to Squaw Creek only to find most of it closed off. We came back home, drove thru Ashland Cemetery & on home at 4:30 P.M.

Sunday, December 7, 1975

1	Canada Goose	250	PEL
2	Snow Goose	1	PEL
3	Snow (blue form) Goose	4	PEL
4	Mallard	30	PEL
5	Red head	3	PEL
6	Ring necked Duck	4	PEL
7	Lesser Scaup	5	PEL
8	Sharp-shinned Hawk	1	PEL
9	Red-tailed Hawk	4	AC-ER-PEL
10	American Kestrel	4	east of town
11	American Coot	8	PEL
12	Rock Dove	1	X
13	Mourning Dove	1	X
14	Great horned Owl	1	Ac
15	Common Flicker	4	AC-ER
16	Red bellied Woodpecker	1	Ac
17	Red headed Woodpecker	3	ER-PEL
18	Downy Woodpecker	1	X

19	Blue Jay	8	X-AC-ER-PEL
20	Common Crow	5	AC-PEL
21	Black capped Chickadee	3	AC
22	White breasted Nuthatch	3	AC
23	Mockingbird	1	PEL
24	Robin	15	AC
25	Golden Crowned Kinglet	1	AC
26	Starling	100	X-AC-ER-PEL
27	House Sparrow	30	X-ER-PEL
28	Meadowlark	6	east of town
29	Cardinal	3	X-AC-PEL
30	Dark eyed Junco	1	X
31	Tree Sparrow	3	ER
32	Harris Sparrow	1	ER
33	White crowned Sparrow	8	ER

Today was mostly clear & cool. The temperatures were low 26° high 40°.

Monday, December 8, 1975

1	American Kestrel	1	0
2	Mourning Dove	3	near X
3	Common Crow	3	o.h. 0
4	Black capped Chickadee	1	X
5	Starling	6	0 - X
6	House Sparrow	3	0 - X

Today was mostly cloudy, windy & chilly. A few snow flurries & rain early 9 AM. Temperatures low 24° high 42°.

Tuesday December 9, 1975

1	Rock Dove	1	X
2	Black Capped Chickadee	1	X
3	Starling	15	0 - X
4	House Sparrow	5	0 - X
5	Cardinal	1	X
6	Dark eyed Junco	1	X

Today was mostly cloudy, a bit windy and chilly. The temperatures were low 32° high 39°

Wednesday, December 10, 1975

1	Kestrel	1	0
2	Rock Dove	1	X
3	Horned Lark	1	0
4	Chickadee	1	X
5	Starling	6	0 - X
6	House Sparrow	7	0 - X
7	Dark eyed Junco	1	X
8	American Robin	4	AC - X

Today was clear and pleasant all day. The temperatures were low 28° high 60°.

Thursday, December 11, 1975

1	Red tailed Hawk	1	0
2	American Kestrel	3	X - 0
3	Bob White	6	0
4	Common Snipe	1	0

5	Rock Dove	1		X
6	Red headed wood pecker	3		0
7	Blue Jay	3	X - 0	
8	Black capped Chickadee	2	X - 0	
9	Mockingbird	1		0
10	Starling	250	X - 0	
11	House Sparrow	15	X - 0	
12	Meadowlark (sp)	4		0
13	Cardinal	1		X
14	Dark eyed Junco	1		X
15	Harris Sparrow	3		0
16	White crowned Sparrow	2		0

Today was cloudy, damp & chilly all day. Temperature were low 26° high 38°

Friday December 12, 1975

1	Red tailed Hawk	1		0
2	American Kestrel	1		X
3	Common Snipe	1		0
4	Blue Jay	2	0 - X	
5	Mockingbird	1		0
6	Starling	200	X - 0	
7	House Sparrow	10	X - 0	
8	Cardinal	2	X - 0	
9	Dark eyed Junco	2		X

Today was cloudy, damp & chilly all day. Temp. Low 30° high 40°
I got my binoculars today from Penneys that were repaired

Saturday, December 13, 1975

1	American Kestrel	1	0
2	Rock Dove	3	d.b.
3	Red headed Woodpecker	1	0
4	Downy Woodpecker	1	0
5	Blue Jay	1	X
6	Common Crow	4	X - 0
7	Mockingbird	1	0
8	Starling	30	X - 0
9	House Sparrow	40	X - 0
10	Cardinal	1	0
11	Harris Sparrow	3	0
12	White crowned Sparrow	2	0

Today was cloudy, damp, windy & warm. Temperatures were low 44° high 66°

Sunday, December 14, 1975

1	Canada Goose	60	PEL
2	Mallard	6	PEL
3	Red head duck	5	PEL
4	Gadwall	1	PEL
5	Red tailed Hawk	5	0 - ER
6	American Kestrel	4	Hy 36 - 0 - E.R
7	American Coot	1	P.E.L.
8	Ring billed Gull	9	PEL
9	Rock Dove	3	X - 0
10	Belted Kingfisher	1	PEL

11	Common Flicker	6	Nw. bud - E.R. - AC
12	Red bellied Woodpecker	2	Nw. bud
13	Red headed Woodpecker	4	PE.L. - E.R
14	Hairy Woodpecker	3	PE.L. - AC - Nw. bud
15	Downy Woodpecker	1	PE.L.
16	Blue Jay	10	X - PEL - AC - ER - Nw. bud
17	Common Crow	50	Nw. bud - o - E.R.
18	Black capped Chickadee	5	E.R. - AC - Nw. bud
19	Brown Creeper	2	Nw. bud
20	Mockingbird	1	E.R.
21	Robin	3	X
22	Starling	75	X - o - PEL - ER
23	Yellow rumped Warbler	1	Nw. bud
24	House Sparrow	50	X - o - PEL - ER
25	Meadowlark	8	PEL - ER
26	Cardinal	12	X - Nw. bud - PEL - ER
27	Dark eyed Junco	10	X - PEL - AC - ER
28	Tree Sparrow	15	PEL - ER
29	Harrier Sparrow	1	PEL

Today was cloudy and windy & cool all day. The temperatures were low 19° high 63°. I got up at 6:45am and then after breakfast Beal & I drove to Pony Express Lake. There wasn't much there. We drove back by way of the Eastern Road. We drove through Ashland Cemetery & then on home where I stayed the rest of the rest of the day.

Monday, December 15, 1975

1	Rock Dove	1	X
2	Blue Jay	2	X
3	Common Crow	3	near KP
4	Black capped Chickadee	1	X
5	Tufted Titmouse	3	X
6	Starling	15	X
7	House Sparrow	5	X
8	Dark eyed Junco	3	X - bvd

Today was clear and cold. The temperatures were low 9° high 31°.

Tuesday, December 16, 1975

1	American Kestrel	1	0
2	Rock Dove	12	X - 0
3	Mourning Dove	1	0
4	Blue Jay	1	bvd
5	Common Crow	1	bvd
6	Robin	2	X - bvd
7	Starling	20	0 - X
8	House Sparrow	18	0 - X
9	Cardinal	1	X

Today was mostly cloudy, windy & chilly. The temperatures were low 9° high 31°. It seems that I am doing very little birding lately except on the week ends. Even then I am not as active as I used to be.

Wednesday - December 17, 1975

1 American Kestrel	2	0 - Iowa
2 Ring necked Pheasant	1	Iowa
3 Rock Dove	5	0
4 Blue Jay	2	X
5 Common Crow	18	0
6 Starling	50	Mo - Iowa
7 House Sparrow	10	Mo - Iowa
8 Meadowlark	8	Mo.
9 Red winged Blackbird	200	near Maryville, Mo
10 Common Grackle	75	near Maryville, Mo.

Today was clear and cold. The temperatures were low 8° high 17°. One of my drivers didn't show up today so I drove the route for him. Pearl went with me. I had trouble with the truck and I ran out of gas at Savannah, Mo at 6 P.M. on my way in. I couldn't get ~~hold~~ hold of Lois so I called Larry. He brought me some gasoline. I finally got home at 7:30 P.M.

Thursday, December 18, 1975

1 Red tailed Hawk	1	0
2 American Kestrel	2	0
3 Mourning Dove	1	Near Nw bld
4 Common Flicker	1	0
5 Red headed woodpecker	2	0
6 Common Crow	8	Nw. bld
7 Black capped Chickadee	2	X

8	Tufted Titmouse	2	X
9	Mockingbird	1	0
10	Robin	1	0
11	Sterling	150	x - bvd - 0
12	House Sparrow	20	X - 0
13	Cardinal	6	x - 0
14	Dark eyed Junco	1	X
15	Harris Sparrow	1	0

Today was clear and cold. The temperatures were low about 4° high about 27°. This was our evening to drive to Helena, Missouri.

December 19, 1975

1	American Kestrel	1	east of town
2	Rock Dove	10	east of town
3	Canada Goose	250	near Brookfield Mo
4	Red headed Woodpecker	3	east of town
5	Blue Jay	2	0
6	Loggerhead Shrike	1	east of town
7	Sterling	100	everywhere
8	House Sparrow	20	everywhere

Today was clear and real nice. The temperatures were low 25° high 53°. Our other route man called in sick today so I drove his route 304 miles out east as far as Unionville, Mo. I left town at 12 Noon and got back at 7 P.M. Pearl went with me.

Saturday, December 20, 1975

1	Common Flicker	2	AR
2	Red bellied Woodpecker	1	AR
3	Blue Jay	4	X - bvd
4	Common Crow	15	bvd - AR
5	Tufted Titmouse	1	X
6	Robin	1	X
7	Starling	40	X - bvd - 0 - AR
8	House Sparrow	10	X - 0 - bvd
9	Meadowlark (Sp)	1	AR
10	Cardinal	3	X - bvd
11	Dark eyed Junco	3	X

To day was mostly cloudy & cool & windy all day. The temperatures were low 24° high 42°. We plan on taking our Xmas count tomorrow so this afternoon we checked out some of our dirt roads to see what condition they were in.

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Sunday, December 21, 1975

	Floyd	John	Leo	Sammy	Total	
1	3	2	5	2	12	AR - 0 ~~AR~~
2	1				1	AC
3	2	2	5	4	13	AR - 0
4	7	1		2	10	0
5	1				1	AR
6	8	58		107	173	X - AR
7	3		88		91	AR - 0

Sunday, December 21, 1975

		Floyd	John	Leo	Sammy	Total	
8.	8 Great Horned Owl	1	1	3		5	AR
	9 Barred Owl		2			2	
	10 Common Flicker (YS)	47	31	12	18	108	AR-AC-o-Nw bud
	11 Common Flicker (RS)	1				1	AC
	12 Red bellied woodpecker	33	13	7	3	56	AR-AC-o-Nw bud
	13 Red headed woodpecker	9	11	3	2	25	AR-o-Nw bud
	14 yellow bellied Sapsucker	2	3	3	2	10	AR-AC
	15 Hairy woodpecker	3	7		1	11	AR-AC-Nw bud
	16 Downy Woodpecker	28	8	7	7	56	AR-AC-o-Nw bud
	17 Horned Lark		5			5	
	18 Blue Jay	57	42	22	21	142	X-AR-AC-o-Nw bud
	19 Common Crow	449	806	315	349	1919	AR-o
	20 Black capped Chickadee	53	26	26	15	120	AR-AC-o-Nw bud
	21 Tufted Titmouse	7	25	3		35	AR-Nw bud
	22 White breasted Nuthatch	6	14	12	2	34	AR-AC
	23 Red breasted Nuthatch	1				1	AC
	24 Brown Creeper	1	2			3	Nw bud
	25 Winter Wren		1			1	
	26 Carolina Wren	3	3	1		7	AR
	27 Mockingbird	1	2	2	4	9	o
	28 Brown Thrasher		1			1	
	29 Robin	19	51	21	19	110	AR-AC
	30 Eastern Bluebird	7	13	4		24	AR-o
	31 Golden crowned Kinglet	1				1	AC
	32 Ruby crowned Kinglet			1	1	2	
	33 Loggerhead Shrike	2		2		4	AR-o

Sunday December 21, 1975

	Floyd	John	Leo	Sammy		
34 Starling	447	340	120	160	1067	X-AR-AC-o-Nwbd
35 yellow rumped warbler	~~227~~	~~12~~	~~209~~		12	
36 House Sparrow	227	159	209	121	716	X-AR-AC-o-Nwbd
37 Western Meadowlark	6				6	0
38 Meadowlark (Sp)	7	2	57		66	0
39 Red winged Blackbird		66	41	122	223	
40 Common Grackle			1	133	134	
41 Cardinal	53	31	32	74	130	X-AR-AC-o-Nwbd
42 Pine Siskin	1	16			17	AC
43 American Goldfinch	16	27	6	5	54	X-AC-o
44 W. W. Crossbill	6	~~2~~			6	AC
45 Rufous sided Towhee		1			1	
46 Dark eyed Junco	158	38	122	86	398	X-AC-AR-o-Nwbd
47 Tree Sparrow	43	45	83	10	181	AR-o
48 Harris Sparrow	14	1	16		31	AR-o
49 White crowned Sparrow	14		1		15	0
50 White throated Sparrow	3	2	2		7	AR
51 Song Sparrow	8	3	20		31	AR-o
52 Harlans Hawk		1			1	
53 Screech owl				1	1	
54 Eastern Meadowlark				2	2	
55 Brown Headed Cowbird				10	10	

Today was clear, chilly, but real nice for our St Joseph Annual Christmas Bird Count. We banded 10 hours from 7 a.m. until 5 P.M. It was clear. Temperatures were low 18° high 34°. There were four parties of us

in the field. Pearl, my nephew Ival Lawhon Jr & I banded together, John & Julie Hamilton banded together, Leo Galloway banded by himself and Sammy Pace and another boy John C Dodge banded together. We had 52 species and two subspecies. The other listing was Meadowlark (Sp). We had total party hours 40, (15 by auto and 25 on foot) 203 party miles (184 by auto and 19 on foot) Ground bare, ground frozen, all ponds and most streams frozen over. Total Individuals 6096

Monday December 22, 1975

1	Rock Dove	3	X
2	Common Flicker	1	bvd
3	Common Crow	1	0
4	Tufted Titmouse	1	bvd
5	Sterling	50	X - bvd
6	House Sparrow	6	X - bvd
7	Cardinal	1	X
8	Black eyed Junco	1	X

Today was clear, cool & nice. The temperatures were low 24° high 38°.

Tuesday December 23, 1975

1	Rock Dove	3	X
2	Mourning Dove	1	bvd
3	Common Crow	1	bvd

4	Starling	15	0 - X
5	House Sparrow	6	0 - X
6	Dark eyed Junco	1	X

To day was cloudy damp + Chilly. The temperatures were low 29° high 30°

Wednesday, December 24, 1975

1	Red tailed Hawk	1	AR
2	Rock Dove	3	X
3	Horned Owl	1	AR
4	Common Flicker	10	AR - AC
5	Crow	3	AR
6	Black capped Chickadee	1	X
7	Starling	15	X - 0
8	House Sparrow	10	X - 0

Today was cloudy + cool all day. The temperatures were low 28° high 34°. We had our opening of Christmas presents + a nice Xmas dinner tonight at Larry + Merta. I received lots of nice things. One thing I will greatly enjoy is a large bird book "World Atlas of Birds of the World". It was bought for me by the gang and the Wholesale. I had a call this evening that Everett Andrew (Red) Hoskins had died this afternoon at 4 P.M. in Kansas City, Mo. As teenager he was my closest friend and most constant companion. He died of cancer. He was one of the best of our baseball + softball teams. He was good in all sports and stout as a bull. His burial will be in St Joe Saturday.

Thursday, December 25, 1975
Christmas Day

1	Canada Goose	500	L.J. - Tr.
2	Snow Goose	1500	Tr.
3	(Blue) Goose, Snow	800	Tr.
4	Mallard	200	L.J. - Tr.
5	Pintail	2	L.J.
6	American Wigeon	2	L.J.
7	Redhead	4	L.J.
8	Canvasback	10	L.J.
9	Lesser Scaup	12	L.J.
10	American Goldeneye	6	L.J.
11	Bufflehead	5	L.J.
12	Hooded Merganser	3	L.J.
13	Common Merganser	12	L.J.
14	Red tailed Hawk	5	Roadways
15	Bald Eagle	1	Tr.
16	American Kestrel	13	Roadways
17	~~Common Nighthawk~~ Coot	8	L.J.
18	~~Belted Kingfisher~~ Killdeer	1	L.J.
19	~~Common Nighthawk~~ Rock Dove	6	x - KC
20	Belted Kingfisher	1	L.J.
21	Common Flicker	5	Tr. - L.J.
22	Redheaded Woodpecker	2	Tr. - L.J.
23	Blue Jay	30	everywhere
24	Common Crow	200	mostly highways
25	Black Capped Chickadee	2	X
26	Tufted Titmouse	2	X

27 Mockingbird	1	L. J.
28 Robin	1	X
29 Eastern Bluebird	2	Tr.
30 Starling	1500	Tr. - everywhere
31 House Sparrow	40	Tr. & everywhere
32 Common Grackle	200	mostly near KC
33 Cardinal	3	L. J. - Tr.
34 Dark eyed Junco	15	L. J.
35 Tree Sparrow	3	L. J.
36 Harris Sparrow	3	L. J.
37 White crowned Sparrow	1	L. J.

Today was cloudy & chilly & very damp with very poor visibility. Pearl & I left home this morning at 7:45 AM & headed for Pleasant Hill, Mo., going through Kansas City. We went to put a wreath on the grave of Pearl's Mom & Dad. On our way back we bided for about an hour at Lake ~~Jaco~~ Jacomo. We also ate our lunch there of things we took with us. On our way back in to town we stopped by the Wholesale and drove through Ashland Cemetery. We got home at 2:45 P.M.
 Temperatures low 30° High 34°

Friday December 26, 1975

1 Kestrel	1	X
2 Rock Dove	6	X
3 Starling	6	X

Friday Dec. 26, 1975

Wednesday
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4	House Sparrow	10	X
5	Cardinal	1	X
6	Dark-eyed Junco	3	X

Today was cloudy + chilly all day with a few light snow flurries early this morning. Temperatures today were low 28° high 32°. This evening Al and I went out to the funeral home to see Red Hoskins.

He had died of Cancer. If I'd met him on the street I would not have known him, he went down so fast.

Everett Hoskins

Everett A. Hoskins, 59, a former St. Joseph resident, died Wednesday evening in Kansas City, Mo.

Born in St. Joseph, Mr. Hoskins had lived the past 30 years in Kansas City. He was a retired postal clerk and was a veteran of World War II.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Vera I. Hoskins of the home; his mother, Mrs. Marie Hoskins of the home; two brothers, Raymond Hoskins and William Hoskins, both of St. Joseph and two sisters, Mrs. Frances Roberts, Lenexa, Kan., and Mrs. Edna Mae Loy of the home.

The body will arrive at the Heaton-Bowman East chapel Friday afternoon. The family will receive friends from 7 to 9 on Friday.

Saturday, December 27, 1975

1	Rock Dove	4		X
2	Common Flicker	2	bvd -	X
3	Blue Jay	3	bvd -	X
4	Common Crow	1	bvd	
5	Black capped Chickadee	1		X
6	Tufted Titmouse	3		X
7	Ruby crowned Kinglet	1		X
8	Starling	30	o -	X
9	House Sparrow	10	o -	X
10	Cardinal	2		X
11	Dark-eyed Junco	3		X

Today was cloudy + chilly all day with some snow flurries. I worked until 10 am. and then came home, changed clothes.