

Friday, April 26, 1974

1	Turkey Vulture	20	HC
2	Bob White	2	0
3	Killdeer	3	AR
4	Rock Dove	10	X - AR
5	Mourning Dove	12	everywhere
6	Barned Owl	2 seen	HC
7	Chimney Swift	6	X - AR
8	Red bellied Woodpecker	2	AR-HC
9	Red headed Woodpecker	3	AR-HC
10	Hairy Woodpecker	3	HC
11	Downy Woodpecker	1	HC
12	Horned Lark	1	0
13	Rough winged Swallow	2	HC
14	Purple Martin	4	AR
15	Blue Jay	15	everywhere
16	Common Crow	5	AR-HC
17	Black capped Chickadee	6	HC
18	Tufted Titmouse	3	HC
19	White breasted Nuthatch	1	HC
20	House Wren	6	X - HC
21	Brown Thrasher	7	AR - HC - X
22	Robin	15	everywhere
23	Eastern Bluebird	1	0
24	Blue gray gnatcatcher	8	HC
25	Starling	30	everywhere
26	Parula Warbler	3	HC
27	Orange crowned Warbler	1	HC
28	House Sparrow	35	everywhere
29	Eastern Meadowlark	6	0 - AR
30	Red wing Blackbird	30	0 - AR
31	Common Grackle	60	everywhere
32	Brown headed Cowbird	6	AR - HC

33	Cardinal	12	X-0-HC
34	Rose breasted Grosbeak	2	HC
35	Indigo Bunting	1	HC
36	Chickadee	5	AR
37	American Goldfinch	4	HC
38	Rufous sided Towhee	3	HC
39	Grasshopper Sparrow	1	AR
40	Field Sparrow	1	HC
41	White throated Sparrow	14	HC

Today was clear and rather warm. The temperatures were low about 59° high about 79°. I went up to Honey Creek this evening by myself & took my walk.

Saturday, April 27, 1974

1	Bob White	1	0
2	Solitary Sandpiper	1	0
3	Rock Dove	3	X-0
4	Mourning Dove	10	0
5	Chimney Swift	6	X-0
6	Common Flicker	1	0
7	Red headed Woodpecker	2	0
8	Downy Woodpecker	2	0
9	Eastern King bird	1	0
10	Killdeer	1	0
11	Rough winged Swallow	2	0
12	Barn Swallow	2	0
13	Purple Martin	6	0
14	Blue Jay	10	0
15	Common Crow	1	0
16	Tufted Titmouse	3	0
17	Horse Wren	2	0
18	Carolina Wren	1	0

19	Mockingbird	1	0
20	Brown Thrasher	6	X - 0
21	Robin	15	X - 0
22	Blue gray gnatcatcher	5	0
23	Loggerhead Shrike	2	0
24	Starling	30	everywhere
25	Warbling Vireo	2	0
26	Yellow-rumped Warbler	2	0
27	House Sparrow	30	everywhere
28	Eastern Meadowlark	6	0
29	Western Meadowlark	4	0
30	Red Wing Blackbird	15	0
31	Common Grackle	35	0
32	Brown headed Cowbird	6	0
33	Cardinal	5	0
34	Nickel	3	0
35	American Goldfinch	4	0
36	Lark Sparrow	3	0
37	Field Sparrow	1	0

Today was mostly cloudy & warm with light showers. The temperatures were low about 62° high about 77°. I had planned on making a tour of the area lakes today but instead I went fishing with Larry at Stantons Lake, a free fishing lake east of town.

Sunday, April 28, 1974

1	Pied-billed Grebe	40	50
2	White Pelican	2000	50
3	Double Crested Cormorant	60	50
4	Great Blue Heron	2	50
5	Little Blue Heron	1	50
6	Great Egret	1	50

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7	American Bittern	2	SQ
- x 8	Canada Goose	140	SQ
- x 9	White-fronted Goose	110	SQ
10	Snow Goose	25	SQ
11	Snow (Blue form) Goose	6	SQ
12	Mallard	30	SQ
13	Gadwall	25	SQ
14	Pintail	18	SQ
15	Green-winged Teal	15	SQ
16	Blue-winged Teal	1750	all water areas
17	American Wigeon	3	LC - SQ
18	Shoveller	350	LC - SQ - MRL
19	Wood Duck	4	KP - SQ
20	Ring-necked Duck	1	SQ
21	Lesser Scaup	75	SQ
22	Marsh Hawk	2	SQ
23	American Kestrel	1	AR
24	Bob White	15	everywhere
25	Ring-necked Pheasant	25	LC - SQ
26	Sora	10	LC - SQ
27	American Coot	1560	all water areas
28	Semipalmated Plover	40	SQ
29	Killdeer	40	LC - SQ
30	Common Snipe	5	LC - SQ
31	Spotted Sandpiper	2	LC - SQ
32	Solitary Sandpiper	3	0 - SQ
33	Willet	8	SQ
34	Greater Yellowlegs	12	SQ
35	Lesser Yellowlegs	75	MRL - LC - SQ
36	Sectoral Sandpiper	100	LC - SQ
37	Least Sandpiper	15	LC - SQ
38	Dunlin	8	SQ

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39	Long billed Nowitcher	30	SK
40	Semipalmated Sandpiper	15	LC - SK
41	Hudsonian Godwit	1	LC
42	Wilson's Phalarope	3	SK
43	Ring billed Gull	12	SK
44	Forsters Tern	10	SK
45	Rock Dove	16	X - d.e
46	Mourning Dove	40	everywhere
47	Great Horned Owl	1	Hy I-29
48	Chimney Swift	25	everywhere
49	Belted Kingfisher	1	KP
50	Common Flicker	3	KP
51	Red bellied Woodpecker	3	KP - HC
52	Red headed Woodpecker	4	O - HC
53	Downy Woodpecker	4	KP - O
54	Eastern King Bird	3	LC - KP - SK
55	Great crested Flycatcher	1	KP
56	Horned Lark	25	LC - MRL
57	Tree Swallow	30	LC - SK
58	Barn Swallow	40	LC - SK
59	Purple Martin	20	LC - SK
60	Blue Jay	35	everywhere
61	Common Crow	6	KP - SK
62	Black capped Chickadee	5	O - KP
63	Tufted Titmouse	4	KP - HC
64	White breasted Nuthatch	1	HC
65	House Wren	6	everywhere
66	Carolina Wren	1	KP
67	Marsh Wren, long billed	1	SK
68	Mockingbird	1	O
69	Gray Catbird	1	SK
70	Brown Thrasher	25	everywhere

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78° - 67°

71	Robin	100	everywhere
72	Eastern Bluebird	1	AR
73	Blue gray gnatcatcher	3	HC
74	Ruby crowned Kinglet	1	KP
75	Loggerhead Shrike	3	LC - 0
76	Starling	150	everywhere
77	Warbling Vireo	5	LC - 0 - HC
78	Parula Warbler, Northern	3	KP - 0 - HC
79	Yellow Warbler	6	X - LC - SK
80	Yellow rumped Warbler	18	0 - SK
81	Common yellowthroat	10	LC - MKL - SK
82	House Sparrow	35	everywhere
83	Eastern Meadowlark	15	everywhere
84	Western Meadowlark	3	0
85	Yellow headed Blackbird	75	LC - SK
86	Redwinged Blackbird	2500	mostly ^{SK} everywhere
87	Northern Oriole	2	HC
88	Common Grackle	400	everywhere
89	Brown headed Cowbird	40	everywhere
90	Cardinal	30	everywhere
91	Indigo Bunting	1	HC
92	Black-cissel	60	everywhere
93	American Goldfinch	6	KP - SK
94	Rufous sided Towhee	4	KP - SK
95	Savannah Sparrow	12	LC - SK
96	Grasshopper Sparrow	7	LC - AR
97	Lark Sparrow	2	LC - AR
98	Chipping Sparrow	3	SK
99	Field Sparrow	4	KP - HC
100	Harris' Sparrow	4	MAR - HC
101	White-throated Sparrow	10	SK
102	Lincoln Sparrow	12	KP - 0 - SK

Today was cloudy and threatening rain all day. We did have some showers this morning. Temperatures were low about 67° high about 78°. I banded all day from 7am until about 8:30 P.M. Yesterday evening Dave Easterla saw a (Ruff) Reeve at Squaw Creek. He tried to call me but no one ~~was~~ was home here. I call Lee Galloway & John Hamilton at about 11 P.M. & got them out of bed to tell them. They both went up this morning but because I had promised to go birding with Si we didn't get there until 3 P.M. As far as I can tell no one has seen the bird today. Dave was sure that he was right. He said that he was able to check out all field marks.

Monday, April 29, 1974

1 Mourning Dove	3	o
2 Chimney Swift	6	X - o
3 Blue Jay	1	bvd
4 American Robin	10	X - bvd
5 Starling	12	X - o
6 House Sparrow	6	X - o
7 Eastern Meadowlark	4	o
8 Red wing Blackbird	1	bvd
9 Common Grackle	30	everywhere
10 Cardinal	2	X
11 Dickcissel	1	o
12 Chipping Sparrow	1	o

Today was cloudy and rainy all day. The temperatures were low about 58° high about 65°.

Tuesday, April 30, 1974

1 Bob White	1	AC
2 Rock Dove	1	X

3	Mourning Dove	15	everywhere
4	Chimney Swift	20	X - AC
5	Common Flicker	1	AC
6	Downy Woodpecker	1	AC
7	Eastern Kingbird	1	o
8	Olycatcher (Species?)	1	AC
9	Blue Jay	6	AC
10	Common Crow	2	AC
11	Black capped Chickadee	2	AC
12	Tufted Titmouse	1	AC
13	House Wren	6	X - AC
14	Brown Thrasher	6	AC
15	Robin	35	everywhere
16	Starling	25	everywhere
17	House Sparrow	20	everywhere
18	Eastern Meadowlark	10	o
19	Common Grackle	75	everywhere
20	Cardinal	6	X - AC
21	Rose breasted Grosbeak	1	near bud
22	Wickissel	2	o
23	Pine Siskin	8	AC
24	Chipping Sparrow	15	AC
25	White Throated Sparrow	5	AC

Today was clear & cool but real pleasant. The temperatures were low about 48° high about 72°. I wanted to go birding this evening but I was so tired I couldn't hardly navigate so after supper Pearl went with me to Ashland Cemetery where I parked the car and I took my usual walk. Apparently it is a little early yet for most of the warblers. If I didn't see them at least I should hear a few of them while driving along some of the roadways.

Wednesday - May 1, 1974

1	Rock Dove	2	X
2	Mourning Dove	4	X
3	Chimney Swift	15	X
4	Hummingbird, Ruby throated	1	X
5	Common Flicker	1	bvd
6	Blue Jay	3	X
7	Common Crow	1	X
8	Black capped Chickadee	1	X
9	House Wren	2	bvd - X
10	Robin	10	bvd - X
11	Starling	4	X
12	House Sparrow	5	X
13	Red winged Blackbird	2	X
14	Common Grackle	30	everywhere
15	Cardinal	2	X

Today was clear & cool. The temperatures were low about 45° high about 71°. We were real busy today & I didn't bird any.

Thursday May 2, 1974

1	Blue winged Teal	2	o
2	Red tailed Hawk	1	o
3	Bob White	1	o
4	American Coot	1	E.R.
5	Killdeer	3	o
6	Rock Dove	6	X
7	Mourning Dove	20	everywhere
8	Chimney Swift	12	X
9	Red headed woodpecker	3	o - E.R
10	Barn Swallow	6	o - E.R
11	Purple Martin	1	o
12	Blue Jay	7	everywhere
13	Common Crow	2	X - o

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14	Black capped Chickadee	2	o
15	Tufted Titmouse	3	6vd - o
16	House Wren	6	everywhere
17	Mockingbird	3	o - ER
18	Brown Thrasher	4	o - ER
19	Robin	25	everywhere
20	Blue gray gnatcatcher	1	o
21	Loggerhead Shrike	4	o - ER
22	Starling	50	everywhere
23	Parula Warbler	1	o
24	Common Yellowthroat	3	o
25	House Sparrow	25	everywhere
26	Eastern Meadowlark	20	o - E.R.
27	Western Meadowlark	10	o
28	Redwinged Blackbird	20	o - E.R.
29	Northern Oriole	2	o - E.R.
30	Common Grackle	60	everywhere
31	Brown headed Cowbird	15	o - ER
32	Cardinal	6	o - X
33	Chickadee	25	o - ER.
34	Grasshopper Sparrow	3	o
35	Lark Sparrow	3	o
36	Field Sparrow	2	o
37	Song Sparrow	1	ER

Today was clear and warm. The temperatures were low about 51° high about 76°. This was our evening to drive to Ellers, Mo., then after supper we had to take a two wheeler back to a friend's house in the south east part of town so from there we just took a little drive on out the Easton Road.

Friday, May 3, 1974

1	Turkey Vulture	12	HC
2	Bob White	7	AR - HC
3	Killdeer	3	AR
4	Lesser yellowlegs	1	AR
5	Pectoral Sandpiper	2	AR
6	Rock Dove	18	X - d.t.
7	Mourning Dove	20	everywhere
8	Great horned Owl	1	HC
9	Chimney Swift	8	X
10	Common Flicker	2	HC
11	Red bellied Woodpecker	2	HC
12	Hairy Woodpecker	1	HC
13	Downy Woodpecker	2	HC
14	Great crested Flycatcher	5	HC
15	Barn Swallow	4	AR
16	Purple Martin	12	AR
17	Blue Jay	15	X - HC
18	Common Crow	3	HC
19	Black capped Chickadee	6	HC
20	Tufted Titmouse	5	HC
21	White breasted Nuthatch	1	HC
22	House Wren	10	X - HC
23	Brown Thrasher	5	AR - HC
24	Robin	25	everywhere
25	Wood Thrush	4	HC
26	Eastern Bluebird	1	AR
27	Blue gray gnatcatcher	2	HC
28	Loggerhead Shrike	2	AR
29	Starling	35	everywhere
30	Parula	3	HC
31	Kentucky Warbler	1	HC
32	Common Yellowthroat	1	HC

33	House Sparrow	15	everywhere
34	Eastern Meadowlark	3	o-AR
35	Redwing Blackbird	15	AR
36	Common Grackle	50	everywhere
37	Brown headed Cowbird	6	AR-HC
38	Scarlet Tanager	2	HC
39	Summer Tanager	1	HC
40	Cardinal	10	HC
41	Rose breasted Grosbeak	7	HC
42	Indigo Bunting	2	HC
43	Chickadee	15	o-AR
44	Pink Siskin	1	bvd
45	Lark Sparrow	1	HC
46	Chipping Sparrow	2	X-bvd
47	Field Sparrow	2	HC
48	Harris Sparrow	2	HC
49	Lincoln Sparrow	1	HC

Today was clear and very pleasant. The temperatures were low about 49° high about 67°. We ate supper this evening at Lois' house and then Pearl and I drove to Honey Creek. We were gone about 2 1/2 hours. I took a walk of about an hour and a half while Pearl stayed in the car.

Saturday, May 4, 1974

1	Turkey Vulture	3	HC
2	Broadwinged Hawk	1	AR
3	Killdeer	2	AR
4	Lesser yellowlegs	1	AR
5	Pectoral Sandpiper	2	AR
6	Rock Dove	6	X-AR
7	Mourning Dove	18	everywhere

8	Chimney Swift	15	everywhere
9	Red bellied Woodpecker	2	HC
10	Redheaded Woodpecker	2	o - AR
11	Hairy Woodpecker	1	HC
12	Hairy Woodpecker	1	HC
13	Eastern Kingbird	2	HC
14	Great crested Flycatcher	6	HC
15	Horned Lark	2	o
16	Barn Swallow	8	AR-HC
17	Purple Martin	6	AR
18	Blue Jay	10	everywhere
19	Common Crow	3	HC
20	Black capped Chickadee	8	HC
21	Tufted Titmouse	5	HC
22	White breasted Nuthatch	3	HC
23	House ~~Wren~~ Wren	12	everywhere
24	Mockingbird	1	AR
25	Catbird	1	X
26	Brown Thrasher	12	everywhere
27	Robin	20	everywhere
28	Swainson's Thrush	2	HC
29	Eastern Bluebird	2	AR
30	Blue gray gnatcatcher	5	HC
31	Starling	56	everywhere
32	Parula Warbler	3	HC
33	Ovenbird	4	HC
34	Yellow breasted Chat	1	HC
35	Common yellow ~~throat~~ throat	2	HC
36	House Sparrow	20	everywhere
37	Eastern Meadowlark	6	o-AR
38	Red wing Blackbird	10	o-AR
39	Northern Oriole	3	AR-HC

40	Orchard Oriole	2	near HC
41	Common Grackle	75	everywhere
42	Brown leaved Cowbird	12	everywhere
43	Scarlet Tanager	2	HC
44	Summer Tanager	1	HC
45	Rose breasted Grosbeak	6	HC
46	Indigo Bunting	3	HC
47	Chickadee	25	o - AR-HC
48	Savannah Sparrow	1	o
49	Grasshopper Sparrow	1	AR
50	Lark Sparrow	1	near HC
51	Chipping Sparrow	2	X
52	Field Sparrow	3	HC
53	White throated Sparrow	2	HC
54	Cardinal	10	everywhere

Today was partly cloudy, warm and pleasant. After work and lunch, Larry and I drove to Honey Creek where we both took a nice long walk. We came home at 4 P.M. in order to clean up and go out. Today is Pearl's 56th birthday so Pearl, Lois, Marella, Larry and I went out for dinner. The temperatures today were low about 52° high about 73°.

Sunday, May 5, 1974

1	Eared Grebe	1	SQ
2	Pied Billed Grebe	2	SQ
3	White Pelican	36	SQ
4	Great Blue Heron	7	SQ
5	Least Bittern	1	SQ
6	American Bittern	1	SQ
7	Canada Goose	6	SQ
8	White fronted Goose	2	SQ

Sunday ~~Monday~~ May 5, 1974

9	Snow Goose	25	SK
10	Snow (Blueform) goose	7	SK
11	Mallard	150	SK
12	Hadwall	3	SK
13	Pintail	4	SK
14	Green winged Teal	25	SK
15	Blue winged Teal	250	SK
16	Shoveller	75	SK
17	Lesser Scaup	20	SK
18	Turkey Vulture	5	AR - SK
19	Red tailed Hawk	1	SK
20	Broad winged Hawk	4	NW bud - AR
21	Sparrow Hawk	1	# SK
22	Bob White	2	0
23	Ring necked Pheasant	10	SK
24	Sora	1	SK
25	American Coot	150	SK
26	Semipalmated Plover	15	SK
27	Killdeer	10	SK
28	Greater yellow legs	13	SK
29	Lesser yellow legs	75	SK
30	Pectoral Sand piper	150	SK
31	Bairds Sand piper	3	SK
32	Howitcher (Sp?)	10	SK
33	Semipalmated Sand piper	12	SK
34	Wilsona Phalarope	4	SK
35	Ring billed Gull	10	SK
36	Bonaparte Gull	2	SK
37	Fordsters Tern	12	SK
38	Caspian Tern	2	SK
39	Black Tern	2	SK
40	Rock Plover	6	AR

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41. Mourning Dove	60	everywhere
42. Great Horned Owl	2	SK
43. Chimney Swift	30	everywhere
44. Rubythroated Hummingbird	1	0
45. Belted Kingfisher	1	SK
46. Common Flicker	2	SK
47. Redheaded Woodpecker	3	AR-SK - 0
48. Hairy wood pecker	1	0
49. Eastern Kingbird	2	0
50. Great crested Flycatcher	2	Nw bvd
51. Tree Swallow	75	SK
52. Bank Swallow	20	SK
53. Barn Swallow	50	SK
54. Cliff Swallow	40	SK
55. Purple Martin	10	AR
56. Blue Jay	25	everywhere
57. Common Crow	2	SK - 0
58. Black capped Chickadee	4	Nw bvd - SK
59. Tufted Titmouse	5	Nw bvd - SK
60. House Wren	12	everywhere
61. Carolina Wren	2	Nw. bvd
62. Long billed Marsh Wren	2	SK
63. Mockingbird	2	0
64. Catbird	3	SK - 0
65. Brown Thrasher	15	everywhere
66. Robin	30	everywhere
67. Eastern Bluebird	2	SK - 0
68. Blue gray gnatcatcher	3	0
69. Loggerhead Shrike	2	AR-SK
70. Starling	150	everywhere
71. Bell's Vireo	1	SK
72. Solitary Vireo	1	SK

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73	Warbling Vireo	6	SL
74	Tennessee Warbler	10	Nw. bvd - SL
75	Parula Warbler	10	Nw. bvd - SL
76	Yellow Warbler	8	SL
77	Yellow rumped Warbler	1	0
78	Yellow breasted Chat	2	SL
79	Common Yellowthroat	8	SL
80	House Sparrow	30	everywhere
81	Eastern Meadowlark	20	6 AR - SL
82	Western Meadowlark	3	0
83	Yellow headed Blackbird	50	SL
84	Red winged Blackbird	1500	mostly SL
85	Orchard Oriole	6	SL
86	Northern Oriole	7	A.R. - SL
87	Common Grackle	500	everywhere
88	Brown headed Cowbird	40	everywhere
89	Cardinal	15	everywhere
90	Rose breasted Grosbeak	2	SL
91	Indigo Bunting	1	Nw bvd
92	Blackbird	50	AR - SL - 0
93	American Goldfinch	4	SL
94	Savannah Sparrow	2	SL
95	Grasshopper Sparrow	1	AR
96	Lark Sparrow	1	near SL
97	Chipping Sparrow	2	X - 0
98	Harris Sparrow	2	0
99	Song Sparrow	1	0
* 100	Night hawk	1	d. t.

I drove down town after 10 P.M. to hear the night hawk just so I would have 100 species for the day. I didn't hear it down town but was almost all the way back home when I heard it. Today was clear, warm, windy and very dusty.

The temperatures were low about 40° high about 77°
 I slept until 7:30 a.m. I bided along N.W. Blvd for
 only half an hour. at 9:30 a.m. Pearl, Larry and I
 headed for Squaw Creek. Pearl & Larry went to
 fish and I went to bird. It was so windy and dirty
 none of us did very much good. ^{Lois} & Marcella came up
 about 1:30 PM & brought lunch. Pearl & I then went on
 back home with Lois & Marcella to go fishing at Stanton's
 Lily Lake and I stayed to make another round at the
 refuge. I missed most of my birds by not birding in timber.

Monday, May 6, 1974

1	Rock Dove	3	X
2	Mourning Dove	12	everywhere
3	Great Horned Owl	1	AC
4	Chimney Swift	15	X - AC
5	Common Flicker	4	X - AC
6	Red headed woodpecker	1	X
7	Downy woodpecker	1	AC
8	Great Crested Flycatcher	2	AC
9	Blue Jay	6	X - AC
10	Black capped Chickadee	3	X - AC
11	Tufted Titmouse	4	bvd - AC
12	House Wren	6	X - AC
13	Catbird	2	bvd - AC
14	Brown Thrasher	2	AC
15	Robin	30	everywhere
16	Starling	35	everywhere
17	Warbling Vireo	1	X
18	Tennessee Warbler	3	AC
19	Parula Warbler	1	bvd
20	Yellow-rumped Warbler	1	AC

21	Blackpoll Warbler	1	AC
22	Wilson's Warbler	1	AC
23	House Sparrow	25	everywhere
24	Eastern Meadowlark	6	o
25	Redwing Blackbird	2	x - o
26	Common Grackle	50	everywhere
27	Cardinal	10	x - AC
28	Rosebreasted Grosbeak	2	AC
29	Indigo Bunting	1	bvd
30	Dickcissel	3	o
31	Chipping Sparrow	1	x
* 32	Swainson's Thrush	2	AC

Today was clear + cool. The temperatures were low about 48° high about 76°. I was really tired today as I always seem to be on Monday. After supper I went to Ashland Cemetery for about an hour.

Tuesday May 7, 1974

1	Rock Dove	1	x
2	Mourning Dove	5	x
3	Chimney Swift	15	x
4	Purple Martin	3	x
5	Blue Jay	1	x
6	Black capped Chickadee	1	x
7	House Wren	1	x
8	Catbird	1	x
9	Robin	5	x
10	Starling	10	x
11	Tennessee Warbler	1	x
12	House Sparrow	12	x
13	Eastern Meadowlark	4	o
14	Common Grackle	20	o - x

17. Nighthawk

1

x

15 Cardinal

2

X

16 Dickcissel

2

o

To day was mostly cloudy but pleasant. I was busy all day long with Mothers Day work so I didn't get out at all. Temperatures low about 50° high about 78°

Wednesday, May 8, 1974

1 Green Heron

1

AR

2 Turkey Vulture

20

HC

3 Red tailed Hawk

1

AR

4 Bob White

4

HC

5 Killdeer

1

AR

6 Pectoral Sandpiper

5

AR

7 Rock Dove

4

x-AR

8 Mourning Dove

25

everywhere

9 Barned Owl

1

HC

10 Night Hawk

1

X

11 Chimney Swift

20

everywhere

12 Red bellied Woodpecker

1

HC

13 Red headed Woodpecker

6

AR-HC

14 Downy Woodpecker

1

HC

15 Eastern Kingbird

1

AR

16 Great Crested Flycatcher

1

HC

17 Rough winged Swallow

2

AR

18 Barn Swallow

6

AR

19 Purple Martin

8

AR

20 Blue Jay

12

everywhere

21 Common Crow

4

o HC

22 Tufted Titmouse

4

HC

23 House Wren

5

x-HC

24 Robin

25

everywhere

25 Wood Thrush

1

HC

26	Gray checked Thrush	1	HC
27	Eastern Bluebird	1	AR
28	Blue gray gnatcatcher	2	HC
29	Red edged Vireo	2	HC
30	Warbling Vireo	3	HC
31	Tennessee Warbler	3	HC
32	Nashville Warbler	2	HC
33	Parula Warbler	5	HC
34	Yellow Warbler	2	HC
35	Northern Waterthrush	1	HC
36	Louisiana Waterthrush	1	HC
37	Kentucky Warbler	1	HC
38	Yellowthroat	1	AR
39	Yellow breasted Chat	2	HC
40	Wilson's Warbler	1	HC
41	American Redstart	3	HC
42	Sterling	30	everywhere
43	House Sparrow	20	everywhere
44	Eastern Meadowlark	12	o - AR
45	Red winged Blackbird	10	o - AR
46	Orchard Oriole	1	HC
47	Common Grackle	75	everywhere
48	Brown headed Cowbird	5	AR - HC
49	Cardinal	8	x - HC
50	Rose breasted Grosbeak	1	HC
51	Indigo Bunting	10	HC
52	Chickadee	12	o - AR
53	Baltimore Oriole	1	HC
54	American Goldfinch	1	HC
55	Rufous sided Towhee	1	HC
56	Field Sparrow	1	HC
57	Lincoln Sparrow	1	HC

Today was clear and very nice. The temperatures were low about 47° high about 67°. We were really busy today with Mother's Day business. After work I went to Honey Creek where I took a nice walk. I sure wish I could have spent the day there. The warblers seemed to be everywhere. I heard many that I did not see.

Thursday, May 9, 1974

1	Red tailed Hawk	3	0
2	Sparrow Hawk	2	0
3	Bob White	4	0
4	Killdeer	3	0
5	Rock Wren	3	X-0
6	Mourning Dove	20	X-0
7	Chimney Swift	15	X-0
8	Common Flicker	2	0
9	Red headed Woodpecker	5	0
10	Downy Woodpecker	2	0
11	Eastern Kingbird	7	0
12	Horned Lark	4	0
13	Barn Swallow	15	0
14	Purple Martin	4	0
15	Blue Jay	6	X-0
16	Common Crow	2	0
17	Black capped Chickadee	1	0
18	Tufted Titmouse	3	0
19	House Wren	6	X-0
20	Carolina Wren	1	0
21	Mockingbird	3	0
22	Catbird	2	0
23	Brown Thrasher	5	0
24	Robin	20	X-0

25	Eastern Bluebird	2	0
26	Loggerhead Shrike	5	0
27	Starling	15	X - 0
28	Warbling Vireo	1	0
29	Tennessee Warbler	6	X - 0
30	House Sparrow	20	X - 0
31	Eastern Meadowlark	17	0
32	Western Meadowlark	8	0
33	Redwing Blackbird	10	0
34	Northern Oriole	2	0
35	Common Grackle	50	X - 0
36	Brown headed Cowbird	12	0
37	Cardinal	5	X - 0
38	Rose breasted Grosbeak	1	0
39	Nickel	40	0
40	Grosbeak Sparrow	8	0

To day was clear & pleasant. The temperatures were low about 46° high about 67°. This was my evening to go to Helena, Mo.

Friday, May 10, 1974

1	Least Bittern	1	LC
2	Mallard	4	LC
3	Blue winged Teal	8	LC
4	Shoveller	2	LC
5	Ring necked Pheasant	1	LC
6	Sora	3	LC
7	American Coot	5	LC
8	Killdeer	4	LC
9	Pectoral Sandpiper	12	LC
10	Rock Dove	10	L.T.
11	Mourning Dove	15	LC

12	Chimney Swift	25	X-LC
13	Red headed Woodpecker	3	LC
14	Eastern Kingbird	12	LC
15	Horned Lark	3	LC
16	Bank Swallow	35	LC
17	Barn Swallow	25	LC
18	Purple Martin	6	LC
19	House Wren	2	bvd
20	Robin	15	everywhere
21	Starling	20	everywhere
22	Tennessee Warbler	2	bvd
23	Yellowthroat	2	LC
24	House Sparrow	15	everywhere
25	Eastern Meadowlark	8	o LC
26	Yellow headed Blackbird	1	LC
27	Red winged Blackbird	30	LC
28	Common Grackle	50	everywhere
29	Cardinal	1	LC
30	Indigo Bunting	1	o
31	Chickadee	5	o
32	American Goldfinch	3	LC
33	Grasshopper Sparrow	2	LC
34	Chipping Sparrow	6	X-LC

Today was partly cloudy and pleasant although a bit windy. Temperatures were low about 51° high about 70°
 I was real tired this evening but Paul and I drove down around Lake County. I had planned on seeing Western King Bird and maybe Scissor tail, maybe Bobolink and maybe Virginia rail but I didn't get any of them. Maybe this week end if the weather is half way decent I'll get something

Saturday, May 11, 1974

1	Turkey Vulture	7	HC
2	Red tailed Hawk	2	AR - HC
3	Belted Kingfisher	12	0 - AR - HC
4	Ring-necked pheasant	1	HC
5	Killdeer	7	AR - 0
6	Spotted Sandpiper	1	0
7	Rock Dove	6	AR - X
8	Mourning Dove	20	everywhere
9	Night Hawk	1	X
10	Chimney Swift	15	everywhere
11	Red-headed Woodpecker	4	AR - HC
12	Downy Woodpecker	1	HC
13	Eastern Kingbird	18	everywhere
14	Western Kingbird	1	AR
15	Great crested Flycatcher	4	HC
16	Horned Lark	5	0 - HC
17	Barn Swallow	15	everywhere
18	Purple Martin	12	0 - AR
19	Blue Jay	8	everywhere
20	Common Crow	3	AR - HC
21	Black capped Chickadee	5	HC - 0
22	Tufted Titmouse	5	HC
23	House Wren	6	everywhere
24	Mockingbird	1	0
25	Catbird	3	X - 0 - HC
26	Brown Thrasher	7	AR - HC
27	Robin	25	everywhere
28	Blue gray gnatcatcher	3	HC
29	Starling	30	everywhere
30	Belted Vireo	1	AR
31	Warbling Vireo	1	HC
32	Tennessee warbler	15	everywhere

33	Parula Warbler	5	HC
34	Common Yellowthroat	4	o - HC
35	Yellow Breasted Chat	1	HC
36	House Sparrow	15	everywhere
37	Bobolink	5	o
38	Eastern Meadowlark	10	AR - o
39	Western Meadowlark	3	o
40	Redwinged Blackbird	20	AR - o
41	Orchard Oriole	1	o
42	Baltimore Oriole	3	X - AR - HC
43	Common Grackle	75	everywhere
44	Brown headed Cowbird	6	AR - X
45	Scarlet Tanager	1	HC
46	Cardinal	5	X - HC
47	Rosebreasted Grosbeak	3	HC
48	Indigo Bunting	6	HC
49	Nickiessel	20	o - HC
50	American Goldfinch	3	HC
51	Savannah Sparrow	1	o
52	Grasshopper Sparrow	4	AR
53	Lark Sparrow	3	AR
54	Chipping Sparrow	2	o - X
55	Field Sparrow	4	o - HC

Today was really a pretty day. The temperatures were low about 56° high about 73°. I got off from work at noon very happy to see the end of a very busy week. After lunch Pearl & I drove to Honey Creek where I did most of my birding just sitting in the car and resting. Then this evening after supper we took a short ride out east of town. It has been a beautiful day. If I didn't have to work and if the weather was all like today I feel like I could live forever.

Sunday, May 12, 1974

72° L 77°
P.H. - Pigeon Hill
wildlife area

1	Pied billed Grebe	1	SA
2	White Pelican	7	SA
3	Noble crested Cormorant	14	SA
4	Great Blue Heron	18	SA
5	Green Heron	3	SA
6	Little Blue Heron	1	SA
7	Black crowned Night Heron	4	SA
8	Least Bittern	1	SA
9	Canada Goose	1	SA
10	Snow Goose	16	SA
11	Snow (blue form) Goose	6	SA
12	Mallard	150	SA
13	Black Duck	1	SA
14	Gadwall	7	SA
15	Pintail	8	SA
16	Green winged Teal	28	SA
17	Blue winged Teal	250	SA
18	Shoveller	60	SA
19	Wood Duck	4	SA
20	Ruddy Duck	1	SA
21	Hooded Merganser	3	SA
22	Turkey Vulture	3	Hyacinth
23	Red Tailed Hawk	3	P.H. - SA
24	American Kestrel	1	0
25	Bob White	30	merganser
26	Ring necked Pheasant	20	SA
27	Sora	8	SA
28	American Coot	50	SA
29	Killdeer	12	P.H. - SA
30	Black bellied Plover	9	SA
31	Spotted Sandpiper	3	SA
32	Greater yellowlegs	6	SA

Sunday, May 12, 1974

PH - Pigeon Hill
wildlife Area

33	Lesser yellow legs	30	SQ
34	Pectoral Sand piper	40	SQ
35	White rumped Sand piper	156	SQ
36	Least Sand piper	12	SQ
37	Gullin	7	SQ
38	Nowitcher (Sp?)	2	SQ
39	Stilt Sand piper	17	SQ
40	Semipalmated Sand piper	16	SQ
41	Western Sand piper	1	SQ
42	Hudsonian Godwit	35	SQ
43	Avocet	18	SQ
44	Wilson's Phalarope	6	SQ
45	Northern Phalarope	1	SQ
46	Ring billed Gull	18	SQ
47	Franklin's Gull	10	SQ
48	Forsters Tern	20	SQ
49	Black Tern	25	SQ
50	Rock Dove	6	d.c. - AR
51	Mourning Dove	60	everywhere
52	<u>Burrowing Owl</u>	2	near SQ
53	Chuck wills Widow	1	heard from my home 9 PM
54	Night hawk	1	AR
55	Chimney Swift	30	everywhere
56	Belted King fisher	2	PH
57	Common Flicker	3	PH
58	Red bellied Woodpecker	3	PH
59	Red headed wood pecker	8	SQ - PH
60	Hairy Woodpecker	1	PH
61	Downy Woodpecker	4	PH
62	Eastern King bird	30	everywhere
63	Great Crested Flycatcher	6	PH
64	Eastern Phoebe	1	0

Sunday, May 12, 1974

PH
Pigeon Hill
wild life area

65	Least Flycatcher	15	PH
66	Eastern Wood Pewee	1	PH
67	Olive sided Flycatcher	1	PH
68	Horned Lark	1	0
69	Tree Swallow	10	SW
70	Barn Swallow	150	SW
71	Roughwing Swallow	3	SW
72	Barn Swallow	300	everywhere
73	Purple Martin	3	0
74	Blue Jay	50	everywhere
75	Common Crow	10	P.H. - 0 - SW
76	Black capped Chickadee	6	PH - SW
77	Tufted Titmouse	20	PH - SW
78	House Wren	10	PH - SW
79	Carolina Wren	1	PH
80	~~Blue~~ Long billed Marsh Wren	1	SW
81	Mockingbird	1	0
82	Catbird	12	everywhere
83	Brown Thrasher	18	everywhere
84	Robin	50	everywhere
85	Wood Thrush	1	SW
86	Swainson's Thrush	50	mostly PH
87	Eastern Bluebird	20	mostly PH
88	Loggerhead Shrike	2	0 - Hy I 29
89	Starling	150	everywhere
90	Bells Vireo	2	X - SW
91	yellow throated Vireo	1	PH
92	Solitary Vireo	2	PH
93	Red eyed Vireo	3	PH
94	Warbling Vireo	6	SW - PH
95	Tennessee warbler	50	mostly PH
96	Nashville Warbler	2	PH

Sunday, May 12, 1974

P. H.: Pigeon Hill
Wildlife Area

97	Northern Parula	3	PH
98	Yellow Warbler	20	SQ - PH
99	Myrtle Warbler (yellow-rumped)	1	PH
100	Blackpoll Warbler	6	PH
101	Kentucky Warbler	4	PH
102	Yellowthroat	18	SQ - PH
103	House Sparrow	50	everywhere
104	Eastern Meadowlark	10	everywhere
105	Western Meadowlark	3	o
106	Yellow-headed Blackbird	60	SQ
107	Red-winged Blackbird	500	everywhere
108	Orchard Oriole	8	SQ
109	Baltimore Oriole (Northern)	12	everywhere
110	Common Grackle	150	everywhere
111	Brown-headed Cowbird	100	mostly PH
112	Scarlet Tanager	2	PH
113	Summer Tanager	4	PH
114	Cardinal	35	everywhere
115	Rose-breasted Grosbeak	12	mostly PH
116	Blue Grosbeak	1	PH
117	Indigo Bunting	30	SQ - PH
118	Chickadee	60	everywhere
119	American Goldfinch	50	PH - SQ
120	Reufus-sided Towhee	2	PH
121	Hopspopper Sparrow	3	o
122	Chipping Sparrow	50	SQ - PH
123	Clay-colored Sparrow	20	PH
124	Field Sparrow	12	SQ - PH
125	Lincoln Sparrow	1	PH
126	Song Sparrow	1	SQ

Today was clear and cool. Real pleasant. I bided 7:30 AM to 10 PM. from home to the Pigeon Hill Wildlife area (about

ten miles south-south east of home) with Don Reynolds. He was trying to collect a few birds for the St. Joseph Museum that they do not have. Then after lunch Beal & I went to Squaw Creek, getting home at 9 P.M. I had two exciting finds today. The first, at about 3 P.M. Beal and I saw a Burrowing Owl sitting on a fence post about four miles east of Squaw Creek Refuge. When we left the refuge at about 8 P.M. we decided to go back by to see if the owl was still there. It was not on the post but just as we went by I thought that I saw something on the ground. We went to the next turn-off and came back. What I had seen was two Burrowing Owls at the mouth of a burrow. If it hadn't been for the Owls we had planned on coming down the river road to listen for Whippoorwills and Chuckwills Widow, so imagine my surprise when we went out in our back yard at 9 P.M. and we could hear a Chuckwills Widow calling in the hills up in back of our home. Temperature low 48° high 73°

Monday, May 13, 1974

1	Rock Dove	2	X
2	Mourning Dove	7	0 - X
3	Night hawk	1	X
4	Chimney Swift	10	X
5	Red Headed Woodpecker	1	0
6	Horned Lark	1	0
7	Barn Swallow	1	0
8	Blue Jay	3	0 - X
9	Common Crow	2	X
10	Black capped Chickadee	1	X
11	House Wren	5	6vd - X

12	Catbird	2	bvd
13	Robin	18	everywhere
14	Eastern Bluebird	1	o
15	Starling	10	everywhere
16	Warbling Vireo	1	X
17	Tennessee Warbler	8	X-bvd
18	House Sparrow	12	everywhere
19	Eastern Meadowlark	4	o
20	Northern Oriole	2	o
21	Common Grackle	20	everywhere
22	Brown headed Cowbird	2	o
23	Cardinal	2	o-X
24	Indigo Bunting	1	o
25	Chipping Sparrow	5	o

Today was mostly clear, windy and hot. As of right now 7 P.M. it looks as if we may have a stormy night. The weather forecast is for bad weather. The temperatures were low about 55° high about 88°

Tuesday, May 14, 1974

1	Black Tern	4	o.h. AC
2	Rock Dove	3	X
3	Mourning Dove	15	everywhere
4	Great Horned Owl	2	AC
5	Night Hawk	1	X
6	Chimney Swift	30	everywhere
7	Common Flicker	3	Nw. bvd
8	Red bellied Woodpecker	2	Nw. bvd
9	Hairy Woodpecker	1	Nw. bvd
10	Downy Woodpecker	1	Nw. bvd
11	Great crested Flycatcher	6	Nw. bvd-AC
12	Epidonax (sp ?)	7	Nw. bvd-AC.

Tues day, May 14, 1974

13	Horned Lark	1	0
14	Barn Swallow	3	AC
15	Blue Jay	4	Nw. bvd - AC
16	Common Crow	2	Nw. bvd
17	Black capped Chickadee	8	Nw. bvd - AC
18	Tufted Titmouse	1	AC
19	White breasted Nuthatch	1	Nw. bvd
20	House Wren	10	everywhere
21	Carolina Wren	1	Nw. bvd
22	Catbird	4	Nw. bvd - AC
23	Brown Thrasher	2	AC
24	Robin	40	everywhere
25	Gray checked Thrush	2	Nw. bvd -
26	Ruby crowned Kinglet	5	Nw. bvd - AC
27	Starling	20	everywhere
28	Red eyed Vireo	2	Nw. bvd
29	Solitary Vireo	1	Nw. bvd
30	Black & White Warbler	2	Nw. bvd
31	Tennessee Warbler	35	Nw. bvd - AC
32	Nashvilles Warbler	10	Nw. bvd. - AC
33	Parula Warbler	3	Nw. bvd
34	Magnolia Warbler	1	Nw. bvd
35	Chestnut sided Warbler	2	Nw. bvd
36	Black poll	12	Nw. bvd - AC
37	Ovenbird	2	Nw. bvd
38	Wilson's Warbler	2	Nw. bvd
39	American Red start	3	Nw. bvd
40	House Sparrow	20	everywhere
41	Eastern Meadowlark	3	0
42	Northern Oriole	3	Nw. bvd - AC
43	Common Grackle	50	everywhere
44	Summer Tanager	1	bvd

45	Cardinal	10	everywhere
46	Rose breasted Grosbeak	3	Nw. bvd
47	Indigo Bunting	6	Nw. bvd
48	Black-cissel	6	o
49	Pine Siskin	15	AC
50	American Goldfinch	4	Nw. bvd -X
51	Rufous-sided Towhee	2	Nw. bvd
52	Chipping Sparrow	6	AC
53	White-throated Sparrow	1	Nw. bvd

Today was cloudy 9m. then clear + cool afternoon + evening
 Temperature was low about 53° high about 66°.

After work I took a walk in hills along Nw. bvd and
 then after supper I took my walk thru Ashland Cemetery

Wednesday, May 15, 1974

1	Bob White	5	o
2	Rock Dove	1	X
3	Mourning Dove	10	everywhere
4	Night Hawk	3	bvd -X
5	Chimney Swift	15	o - X
6	Common Flicker	2	Nw. bvd
7	Red bellied Woodpecker	2	Nw bvd
8	Red headed Woodpecker	3	o
9	Hairy Woodpecker	1	Nw. bvd
10	Downy Woodpecker	1	Nw. bvd
11	Eastern Kingbird	1	o
12	Great crested Flycatcher	3	Nw. bvd
13	Eastern Phoebe	1	o
14	Epidonax (sp?)	3	o - Nw. bvd
15	Barn Swallow	10	o
16	Blue Jay	8	everywhere
17	Common Crow	5	o

18	Black capped Chickadee	8	Nw. bud
19	House Wren	6	X - Nw. bud
20	Carolina Wren	1	Nw. bud
21	Mockingbird	2	0
22	Catbird	4	0
23	Brown Thrasher	6	Nw bud - 0
24	Robin	25	everywhere
25	Gray cheeked Thrush	5	Nw. bud
26	Swainson's Thrush	2	Nw. bud
27	Loggerhead Shrike	2	0
28	Starling	30	everywhere
29	Black & White Warbler	1	Nw. bud
30	Nashville Warbler	2	Nw. bud
31	Tennessee Warbler	15	bud - Nw. bud
32	Ovenbird	2	Nw. bud
33	American Redstart	1	Nw. bud
34	House Sparrow	50	everywhere
35	Bobolink	20	0
36	Eastern Meadowlark	12	0
37	Western Meadowlark	3	0
38	Northern Oriole	4	Nw. bud - 0
39	Red winged Blackbird	8	0
40	Common Grackle	40	everywhere
41	Brown headed Cowbird	6	0
42	Cardinal	6	everywhere
43	Rose breasted Grosbeak	3	Nw bud - 0
44	Indigo Bunting	7	Nw. bud - 0
45	Chickadee	12	0
46	American Goldfinch	1	0
47	Chipping Sparrow	2	X - Nw bud

clean & nice. Temp low 40° high 71°. I took a walk in Nw. bud timber after work and then later took a drive out east of town

Thursday, May 16, 1974

1	Bob White	5	0
2	Killdeer	1	0
3	Rock Dove	4	X
4	Mourning Dove	20	0
5	Night Hawk	2	X
6	Chimney Swift	15	0 - X
7	Common Flicker	1	0
8	Red headed Woodpecker	3	0
9	Downy Woodpecker	1	0
10	Eastern King Bird	5	0
11	Eastern Phoebe	1	0
12	Barn Swallow	10	0
13	Common Crow	2	0
14	House Wren	3	X - 0
15	~~Starling~~ Mockingbird	1	0
16	Robin	30	X - 0
17	Loggerhead Strike	2	0
18	Starling	30	X - 0
19	Tennessee Warbler	6	X - 0
20	House Sparrow	16	X - 0
21	Eastern Meadowlark	11	0
22	Western Meadowlark	5	0
23	Red wing Blackbird	17	0
24	Baltimore Oriole	2	X - 0
25	Common Grackle	75	X - 0
26	Brown headed Cowbird	15	0
27	Cardinal	5	X - 0
28	Indigo Bunting	3	0
29	Chickadee	18	0
30	Grasshopper Sparrow	3	0
31	Field Sparrow	1	0

Today was partly cloudy, hot and very humid. The

temperatures today were low about 67° high about 89°
 we had a little family work out here at home this evening.
 The heat was very oppressive. It began storming late this evening.

Friday, May 17, 1974

1	Sparrow Hawk	1	0
2	Rock Dove	6	X
3	Mourning Dove	10	X - 0
4	Night Hawk	3	X
5	Chimney Swift	18	0 - X
6	Eastern Kingbird	3	0
7	Horned Lark	1	0
8	Eastern Phoebe	1	0
9	Barn Swallow	5	0
10	Purple Martin	4	X
11	Blue Jay	2	X - 0
12	House Wren	1	0
13	Catbird	1	0
14	Robin	20	X - 0
15	Starling	18	X - 0
16	Tennessee Warbler	6	X - 0
17	House Sparrow	10	X - 0
18	Eastern Meadowlark	5	0
19	Baltimore Oriole	1	X
20	Common Grackle	15	X - 0
21	Cardinal	2	X - 0
22	Wickiissel	3	0
23	Chipping Sparrow	1	0

Today was cloudy and rainy a good part of the day. The temperatures were low about high about We had near 5 inches of rain last night and the forecast is for more of the same for tonight. Several areas south of St. Joe the people are being evacuated.

Saturday, May 18, 1974

1	Red tailed Hawk	1	o
2	Bob White	14	o
3	Killdeer	1	o
4	Rock Dove	4	x
5	Mourning Dove	25	everywhere
6	Night Hawk	15	x - AC
7	Chimney Swift	30	everywhere
8	Rubythroated Hummingbird	2	o - AC
9	Common Flicker	2	o - AC
10	Redheaded Woodpecker	1	o
11	Downy Woodpecker	2	o - AC
12	Eastern Kingbird	10	o - AC
13	Great crested Flycatcher	2	o
14	Eastern Wood Pewee	2	bvd
15	Barn Swallow	20	o
16	Purple Martin	15	x - AC
17	Blue Jay	6	o - KP-AC
18	Common Crow	2	AC
19	Black capped Chickadee	8	x - KP-AC
20	Tufted Titmouse	3	o - AC
21	House Wren	4	x - AC
22	Mockingbird	1	- o
23	Catbird	2	x - AC
24	Brown Thrasher	10	x - o - AC
25	Robin	20	everywhere
26	Eastern Bluebird	1	o
27	Swainson's Thrush	3	x - AC
28	Starling	20	everywhere
29	Warbling Vireo	2	x - o
30	Tennessee Warbler	25	x - KP - o - AC
31	Parula Warbler	2	o
32	Black poll Warbler	5	KP-AC

33	yellowthroat	1	0
34	American Redstart	5	KP - AC
35	House Sparrow	20	everywhere
36	Bobolink	1	0
37	Eastern Meadowlark	10	0
38	Western Meadowlark	3	0
39	Northern Oriole	4	AC - X - 0
40	Redwinged Blackbird	12	0
41	Common Grackle	75	everywhere
42	Brown headed Cowbird	5	0
43	Cardinal	6	AC - 0 - X
44	Rose breasted Grosbeak	2	AC
45	Indigo Bunting	4	0
46	Nickassil	20	0
47	American Goldfinch	1	600
48	Grasshopper Sparrow	2	0
49	Chipping Sparrow	2	AC

Today was cloudy most of the morning and clear part of the afternoon after a stormy early A.M. storm. I have heard that since it began Thursday evening that we have had about 10 inches of rain. Many of the main highways leaving St Joe are closed to traffic because of water over them. I bided today only locally. Krug Park, east of town a ways by car and a walk through Ashland Cemetery. Temperatures were low about 62° high about 82°

Sunday, May 19, 1974 PH = Pigeon Hill

1	Red tailed Hawk	2	PH - 0
2	Broad winged Hawk	1	X
3	Bob white	20	P.H. - 0
4	Rock Dove	12	X - 0
5	Mourning Dove	40	everywhere

Sunday, March 19, 1974
May

6	yellow billed Cuckoo	1	0
7	Night Hawk	12	0 - X
8	Chimney Swift	20	everywhere
9	Ruby throated Hummingbird	3	PH
10	Belted Kingfisher	1	PH
11	Common Flicker	3	KP - P.H.
12	Red bellied woodpecker	2	KP - P.H.
13	Red headed woodpecker	3	PH - X - 0
14	Downy wood pecker	1	PH
15	Eastern Kingbird	16	everywhere
16	Great crested Flycatcher	8	PH
17	Least Flycatcher	10	PH
18	Eastern Wood Pewee	12	PH
19	Barn Swallow	20	PH - 0
20	Purple Martin	6	X - 0
21	Blue Jay	15	everywhere
22	Common Crow	3	PH - 0
23	Black Capped Chickadee	5	PH
24	Tufted Titmouse	6	PH
25	White breasted Nuthatch	1	PH
26	House Wren	10	X - KP - PH
27	Carolina Wren	2	PH
28	Mockingbird	1	0
29	Catbird	4	X - PH
30	Brown Thrasher	15	everywhere
31	Robin	20	everywhere
32	Swainson's Thrush	4	PH
* 33	Sparrow Hawk	1	0
34	Starling	30	everywhere
35	Bells Vireo	2	P.H. - X
36	yellowthroated Vireo	1	PH
37	Solitary Vireo	2	PH

38	Red eyed Vireo	*'collected 6 by D.R.	PH
39	Warbling Vireo	2	PH
40	Tennessee Warbler	15	KP - PH
41	Black poll Warbler	3	PH
42	Ovenbird	2	PH
43	Louisiana Waterthrush	*'collected 1 by D.R.	PH
44	Kentucky Warbler	2	PH
45	Mourning Warbler	1	PH
46	Yellowthroat	1	0
47	Canada Warbler.	1	PH
48	American Red start	5	PH
49	House Sparrow	50	everywhere
50	Eastern Meadowlark	12	0 - PH
51	Western Meadowlark	4	0
52	Red winged Blackbird	25	0 - P.H
53	Orchard Oriole	*'collected 1 by D.R.	P.H
54	Northern Oriole	20	everywhere
55	Common Grackle	75	everywhere
56	Brown headed Cowbird	35	mostly PH
57	Scarlet Tanager	1	PH
58	Summer Tanager	2	PH
59	Cardinal	15	mostly PH
60	Rose breasted Grosbeak	10	PH
61	Indigo Bunting	12	mostly PH
62	Chickadee	25	0 - PH
63	American Goldfinch	3	0
64	Rufous sided Towhee	4	PH
65	Savannah Sparrow	1	0
66	Lark Sparrow	1	0
67	Chipping Sparrow	5	X - bird
68	Field Sparrow	18	PH

To day was clear, hot and very humid all day. The temperature

were low about 72° high about 87°. I left home at 7am & got back home at 12:30 P.M. I went to Don Reynolds home and from there he and I went to the Pigeon Hill wildlife area. I went to bird and Don is trying to collect a few species of birds that they need yet at the St Joseph Museum. Last Sunday when I went with him to Pigeon Hill he collected a Solitary Vireo, Clay-colored Sparrow and Chipping Sparrow. This afternoon Pearl & I took a short drive east of town. I had planned on going to Squaw Creek but for me it was to hot for comfort.

May
Monday, ~~March~~ 20, 1974

1	Rock Dove	5	X
2	Mourning Dove	6	X
3	Nighthawk	2	X
4	Chimney Swift	25	o - X
5	Red headed Woodpecker	1	bvd
6	Downy Woodpecker	1	bvd
7	Eastern Kingbird	3	o - bvd - X
8	Great crested Flycatcher	1	bvd
9	Eastern Wood Pewee	1	bvd
10	Barn Swallow	1	o
11	Purple Martin	1	X
12	Blue Jay	5	X
13	House Wren	4	o - X
14	Catbird	2	o - X
15	Brown Thrasher	3	o - X
16	Robin	12	o - X
17	Starling	15	o - X
18	Bells Vireo	1	X
19	Warbling Vireo	1	X
20	Tennessee Warbler	1	bvd

21	House Sparrow	16	0 - X
22	Eastern Meadowlark	3	0
23	Northern Oriole	2	0 - X
24	Common Hawk	30	606 - 0 - X
25	Brownheaded Cowbird	1	0
26	Cardinal	2	X

Today was clear, hot and humid. The temperatures were low about 70° high about 89°. I stayed home this evening. I heard today from Jerry Nugent that the two Burrowing Owls are still there and that they are being watched carefully.

May
Tuesday, ~~March~~ 21, 1974

1	Double crested Cormorant	3	SA
2	Green Heron	3	SA
3	Common Egret	1	SA
4	Snowy Egret	1	SA
5	Least Bittern	1	SA
6	Snow Goose	12	SA
7	Snow (blue form) Goose	5	SA
8	Mallard	4	SA
9	Gadwall	1	SA
10	Blue winged teal	5	SA
11	Wood Duck	4	SA
12	Red breasted Merganser	1	SA
13	Belted Kingfisher	12	SA
14	Ring necked Pheasant	5	SA
15	American Coot	10	SA
16	Killdeer	6	SA
17	Spotted Sandpiper	1	SA
18	Gorstera Tern	4	SA
19	Black Tern	40	SA
20	Rock Dove	2	X SA

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21 Mourning Dove	35	everywhere
22 Burrowing Owl	1	near SQ
23 Night Hawk	2	X
24 Chimney Swift	25	mostly X
25 Common Flicker	2	Hy 59
26 Redheaded Woodpecker	3	Hy 59 - SQ
27 Eastern Kingbird	10	everywhere
28 Tree Swallow	4	SQ
29 Bank Swallow	12	SQ
30 Barn Swallow	50	SQ
31 Purple Martin	1	0
32 Blue Jay	3	X - 0
33 Common Crow	2	SQ
34 Black capped Chickadee	1	SQ
35 Tufted Titmouse	1	bvd
36 House Wren	6	X - bvd
37 Catbird	3	SQ
38 Brown Thrasher	5	SQ
39 Robin	20	everywhere
40 Eastern Bluebird	1	0
41 Cedar Waxwing	18	SQ
42 Starling	50	everywhere
43 Bell's Vireo	1	SQ ~~Hy 59~~
44 Warbling Vireo	2	SQ
45 Yellow Warbler	15	SQ
46 Yellowthroat	6	SQ
47 House Sparrow	20	everywhere
48 Eastern Meadowlark	15	0 - Hy 59
49 Yellow-headed Blackbird	40	SQ
50 Red winged Blackbird	50	SQ
51 Orchard Oriole	15	SQ
52 Northern Oriole	8	X - SQ

53	Common Grackle	75	everywhere
54	Brown headed Cowbird	10	SG Hy I 29
55	Cardinal	6	X - 0 - SG
56	Indigo Bunting	15	0 - SG
57	Black-capped Chickadee	25	0 - SG
58	Rose breasted Grosbeak	1	SG
59	American Goldfinch	2	SG
60	Chipping Sparrow	1	0
61	Song Sparrow	2	SG

Today was mostly clear and warm. The temperatures were low about 68° high about 80°. This afternoon it clouded up and cooled off some so Pearl and I drove to Squaw Creek. We wanted to check on the Owls and see what shore birds would be at Squaw Creek, as I have missed some of them. I was not too much surprised to see all pools full with no mud flats for shore birds. I saw one white bird flying that I believe to have been a Cattle Egret but not sure.

Wednesday, May 22, 1974

1	Bob White	2	0
2	Rock Dove	5	X
3	Mourning Dove	3	X
4	Night Hawk	2	X
5	Chimney Swift	18	X
6	Eastern King Bird	2	0 - X
7	Barn Swallow	2	0
8	Blue Jay	3	X
9	Common Crow	1	0
10	Black capped Chickadee	1	X
11	House Wren	3	6 - X
12	Catbird	1	X
13	Brown Thrasher	1	X

14	Robin	15	everywhere
15	Starling	18	everywhere
16	House Sparrow	4	everywhere
17	Eastern Meadowlark	3	o
18	Northern Oriole	2	X
19	Common Grackle	25	o - X
20	Cardinal	2	X
21	Nickcissel	2	o

Today was clear, humid + warm. Temperatures were low about 65° high about 85°. I didn't bird any today. After supper Pearl, Lois and I went back to work at the wholesale at 7 P.M. and worked until 10 P.M. putting away flowers and cleaning up the place.

Thursday, May 23, 1974

1	Bob White	4	o
2	Killdeer	2	o
3	Rock Dove	3	X
4	Mourning Dove	20	o
5	Night Hawk	3	X
6	Chimney Swift	15	X - o
7	Redheaded Woodpecker	1	o
8	Eastern Kingbird	7	o
9	Barn Swallow	5	'X - o
10	Purple Martin	1	o
11	Blue Jay	4	o
12	Black capped Chickadee	2	o
13	House Wren	1	X
14	Robin	12	X - o
15	Loggerhead Shrike	1	o
16	Starling	15	everywhere
17	Warbling Vireo	1	o

18	House Sparrow	30	everywhere
19	Eastern Meadowlark	15	o
20	Western Meadowlark	4	o
21	Red winged Blackbird	18	o
22	Northern Oriole	3	X - o
23	Common Grackle	30	everywhere
24	Brown headed Cowbird	6	o
25	Cardinal	2	o
26	Indigo Bunting	2	o
27	Black vireo	24	o
28	Grasshopper Sparrow	1	o

Today was mostly clear and warm. The temperatures were low about 55° high about 83°. This was our evening to drive to Helena, Mo. but we didn't see much. My nephew Ival Lawhon Jr came out tonight to show some slides that he had of many pictures he had taken at Squaw Creek. He got my fever up again. He had some pretty good pictures of the Burrowing Owl

Friday, May 24, 1974

1	Bob White	1	o
2	Rock Dove	2	X
3	Mourning Dove	5	X - o
4	Night Hawk	2	X
5	Chimney Swift	6	X
6	Eastern Woodpecker	1	o
7	Black capped Chickadee	2	X
8	Robin	10	X - o
9	Sterling	15	everywhere
10	House Sparrow	12	everywhere
11	Eastern Meadowlark	3	o
12	Common Grackle	30	X - o

13 Indigo Bunting

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Today was clear and warm. The temperatures were low about 52° high about 77°. Pearl + I decided today to go out to where Ival Lawhon works at Ziercher Studios and buy us a slide projector. We did this after work. We bought the projector, two wheels which holds a hundred slides each, two rolls of new film, an extra projector bulb. They came to \$105.00. I was surprised when I got home to find out that right now I have about 165 slides already. A few have been given to me.

Saturday, May 25, 1974

1	Blue winged Teal	2	LC
2	Mallard	2	LC
3	Red tailed Hawk	1	LC
4	Sparrow Hawk	2	0 - LC
5	Killdeer	2	LC
6	Rock Dove	75	d.t.
7	Mourning Dove	20	everywhere
8	Night Hawk	1	X
9	Chimney Swift	10	everywhere
10	Common Flicker	1	0
11	Horned Lark	6	LC - ML
12	Bank Swallow	30	LC
13	Belted Swallow	25	LC
14	Cliff Swallow	20	LC
15	Purple Martin	18	LC
16	Eastern Kingbird	15	0 - LC - ML
17	Western Kingbird	1	LC
18	Blue Jay	3	X - LC
19	House Wren	2	X
20	Catbird	1	X
21	Tufted Titmouse	1	0

22	Robin	35	everywhere
23	Loggerhead Shrike	1	LC
24	Starling	50	everywhere
25	Warbling Vireo	2	LC
26	House Sparrow	20	everywhere
27	Eastern Meadowlark	10	o LC
28	Yellow headed Blackbird	2	LC
29	Red winged Blackbird	30	LC-MC
30	Orchard Oriole	1	LC
31	Northern Oriole	6	X-o-LC
32	Common Grackle	30	everywhere
33	Brown headed Cowbird	6	o-LC
34	Cardinal	2	X
35	Indigo Bunting	4	o-LC
36	Blackissel	6	o-LC
37	Grasshopper Sparrow	1	LC

Today was clear and warm. The temperatures were low about 64° high about 69°. After work Pearl and I took a drive down around the lakes. We planned on going on out east of town but a train had derailed back behind our home and some cars were turned over and the engine was almost turned over, so we stayed home and watched all the action.

Sunday, May 26, 1974

1	Blue winged Teal	2	AR
2	Turkey Vulture	38	HC
3	Red Tailed Hawk	1	o
4	Bob White	12	o-AR-HC
5	Killdeer	1	AR
6	Ring necked Pheasant	1	HC
7	Rock Dove	15	X-o
8	Mourning Dove	60	everywhere

Sunday May 26, 1974

9	Yellow billed Cuckoo	5	HC
10	Great horned Owl	1	HC
11	Barred Owl	2	HC
12	Whippoorwill	5	HC
13	Night hawk	2	X
14	Chimney Swift	20	mostly X
15	Common Flicker	4	X - HC
16	Red bellied Woodpecker	3	HC
17	Red headed Woodpecker	2	0
18	Downy woodpecker	1	HC
19	Eastern Kingbird	15	everywhere
20	Great Crested Flycatcher	6	0 - HC
21	Eastern Wood Pewee	1	0
22	Rough winged Swallow	2	HC
23	Barn Swallow	40	everywhere
24	Purple Martin	12	0 - AR
25	Blue Jay	8	everywhere
26	Common Crow	4	AR - HC
27	Black capped Chickadee	3	AR - HC
28	Tufted Titmouse	1	HC
29	House Wren	5	X - HC
30	Catbird	2	X - HC
31	Brown Thrasher	4	HC
32	Robin	20	everywhere
33	Blue gray Gnatcatcher	1	HC
34	Loggerhead Shrike	3	0 - AR
35	Starling	50	everywhere
36	Warbling Vireo	2	0 HC
37	Kentucky warbler	1	HC
38	Yellowthroat	2	HC
39	House Sparrow	30	everywhere
40	Eastern Meadowlark	20	0 - AR - HC