

Birds Around the State: June 1980-May 1981

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The following is a summary of noteworthy bird sightings in Mississippi for the period 1 June 1980 through 30 May 1981. No year will be indicated with dates of records: those June through December are 1980 records; those January through May are 1981 records. The sequence of information in each account is: species, number, date, place, observer. When a species was seen on more than one date at the same location by the same observer(s), the account is written as: species, number, date; number, date, place, observer(s). Numbers of birds sighted are underlined. The significance of sightings is indicated by a letter in parentheses following a record. These letters are as follows: (A) = arrival date; (D) = departure date; (E) = early date; (L) = late date; (N) = unusually large number; (R) = species rare in area. Other abbreviations used include the following: m = male; f = female; imm = immature; ad = adult; pr = pair; pl = plumage; CBC = Christmas Bird Count; BBS = U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service Breeding Bird Survey; NWR = National Wildlife Refuge. The list of sightings is followed by keys to observers' initials and new or unusual localities mentioned. Localities that have been frequently cited in past issues of "Birds Around the State" and identified in previous keys may not be included in the present key.

While many individuals contributed records, I strongly urge even greater participation in providing records for future issues of "Birds Around the State." Only with the assistance of many individuals over several years can we come to a good understanding of the dynamics of Mississippi's avifauna. I encourage submission of bird records, but I also ask that you submit records in a form that can be easily processed. Please type or neatly print each record on a 3" X 5" card or slip of paper and include the following information: species, number seen, date (including year!), observer, and details and significance of observation. It would help if records were prepared in the format in which they are printed in "Birds Around the State" with details and observers names spelled out at the bottom of the card. While records are welcomed at any time, those received by 15 March, 15 June, 15 August, and 15 December can be submitted with the seasonal report to American Birds as well as used in the Mississippi Kite.

Special note: While you know the area in which you bird intimately, others do not. So that records can be clearly interpreted in the future, please use place names that can be found on a Mississippi highway map. Always include the county of your observation. For example, Logtown appears on no recent highway map, nor does Lake Serene. Noxubee National Wildlife Refuge is spread over parts of three counties, Sardis Lake occurs in two counties, and rivers such as the Pearl flow through large areas of the state.

- COMMON LOON -- 1, 6 July, Cat I, JJ, BS; 1, 4 Sept., 19, 22, 26 Oct.; 5, 27 Oct.; 2, 11 Nov.; 1, 30 Nov., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH; 1, 3 Oct., Bay St. Louis, JT; 4, 20 Oct., Moon L., MD; 3 in group, 27 Oct., Lake Serene, RM, PR; 140, 18 Nov., Bellefontaine Beach, MH, JT; 1, 31 Dec., Moon Lake, BC, LC, WF; 2, 10 Jan., Lake Serene, TF, PK, MW; 1, 3 May, Hattiesburg sewage lagoons, JRM, PR; 1, 16 May, Hattiesburg sewage lagoons, JRM, PR; 1, 24 May, lower lake, Sardis Reservoir dam, BC, LC.
- ARCTIC LOON -- 1, 21 Dec., Pascagoula River Marsh at Gautier, RC (R).
- HORNED GREBE -- 1, 4 Sept., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF (A); 40, 15 Nov., Biloxi, JT; 4, 27 Dec., Sardis Lake CBC, MD et al.; 1, 31 Dec., Moon Lake, BC, LC, WF.
- EARED GREBE -- 1, 3 Sept., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF (A); 55, 30 Nov., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF (N); 55, 18 Dec., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH; 2, 16 May, Hattiesburg sewage lagoons, JRM, PR.
- PIED-BILLED GREBE -- 1, 18 Aug., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH (A); 5, 17 Sept., Choctaw, NH, JH; 31, 29 Oct., Starkville, DM; 9, 29 Oct.; 3, 24 Nov., Oktibbeha Co. L., DM; 4, 31 Dec., Moon Lake, BC, LC, WF; 1, 30 Apr., Archer I., Ark., NH.
- BROWN PELICAN -- 1, 26 Aug., Long Beach, JT; several, 25 Sept., along U.S. 90, JM; 1, 10 Nov., Biloxi, MH; 1, 4 Dec., Jackson Co., JT, MH; 1, 2 Apr., Biloxi Bay, JT; 10, 21 May, Ocean Springs, JT.
- WHITE PELICAN -- 70, 5 Oct., Pascagoula River Marsh, MH (N); 25, 6 Oct., Pascagoula River Marsh, MH; 21, 9 Oct., West Ship I, JW; 12, 11 Oct., Pascagoula River Marsh, JT; 88, 12 Oct., Hancock Co., JT, MH; 1, 13 Oct., West Ship I, JJ; 30, 22 Oct., Hancock Co., MH, JT; 31, 4 Nov., Horn I, RM, PR; 35, 4 Nov., Horn I, JT; 135, 5 Nov., Horn I, JT; 1 ad., 28 Nov. & 7 Dec., Sardis L., MD; 5, 20 Dec., Pascagoula River Marsh at Gautier, Jackson Co., (CBC), JT, AD; 6, 6 Mar., Pascagoula River marsh, JT, JoC, PC; 18, 10 Mar., East Ship I., JRM, PR; 11, 17 Apr., Pascagoula River Marsh, MH; 1, 2 May, Pascagoula River Marsh, MH, JT.
- MAGNIFICENT FRIGATEBIRD -- 5, 25 Sept., Biloxi Bay, JM; 24 ad m, 4 Nov., Horn I, JT; 1 m, 28 Mar., Mississippi Sound, Ocean Springs, JT, TF.
- GANNET -- 8 imm., 28 Mar., Mississippi Sound, Ocean Springs, JT, TF.
- DOUBLE-CRESTED CORMORANT -- 2, 23 Sept., 3, 4 Oct., 5, 1 Nov., Sardis Lake, MD; 6, 27 Sept.; 2, 4 Oct.; 1, 10, 21, 25 Oct., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH; 2 ad., 11 Oct.; 3, 30 Oct.; 5 (4 imm., 1 ?), 14 Nov.; 2 (1 ad., 1 imm), 21 Nov., Oktibbeha Co. L., DM; 1, 14 Oct., West Ship I, JJ.
- OLIVACEOUS CORMORANT -- 1, 20 Dec., Bellefontaine Beach, RC, TF.
- ANHINGA -- 2, 21 Sept., Pearl River, RL; 1 ad., 14 May, Pascagoula River Wildlife Management Area, MH, JT, GM.
- GREAT BLUE HERON -- 55 (in roost), 19 Sept., Oktibbeha Co. L., DM; 2, 9 Oct., Mississippi R., Washington Co., NH; 27, 12 Oct., Archer I., Ark., NH; 3, 31 Dec., Moon Lake, BC, LC, WF.

- GREEN HERON -- 1 imm., 29 Oct., Oktibbeha Co. L., DM; 1 imm., 15 Nov., Pascagoula River Marsh, JT, BM, et al.; 1, 29 Nov., L. Serene, TF; 2, 4 Dec., Jackson Co., Marsh I Golf Course, JT, MH; 1, 15 Mar., Pascagoula River Marsh, JT, TF, RD (A).
- CATTLE EGRET -- 30, 16 Dec., I-10 Hancock Co., JT, MH; 11, 11 Mar., Ocean Springs, JT; 1, 31 Mar., Hickory, JM; 11, 29 Apr., Choctaw, NH.
- REDDISH EGRET -- 1, 6 July, se tip of Cat I, JJ, BS; 3, 3 Aug., beach between Gulfport and Biloxi, JT; 1, 9 Aug., Pascagoula River Marsh, MH; 2 ad, 14 Aug., Gulfport, JT; 2, 15 Aug., Gulfport, TF, MF; 3, 20 Aug., Gulfport harbor, MH; 2 ad, 26 Aug., Gulfport, JT; 3 imm, 2 ad, 5 Sept., Gulfport, JT; 1, 25 Sept., Biloxi, JM; 4, 30 Sept., Jackson Co., JT; 1, 30 Sept., Ocean Springs, MH; 1, 3 Oct., Hancock Co., JT; 1, 7 Oct., Gulfport, JT; 1, 25 Oct., Ocean Springs, JT, et al.
- GREAT EGRET -- 55±, 17, 18 Aug., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF (N); 100±, 9 Oct., near Mississippi R., Washington Co., NH; 500±, 12 Oct., near Mississippi R., Washington Co., NH, JH.
- SNOWY EGRET -- 51, 3 Sept., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF (N).
- LOUISIANA HERON -- 2, 11 Aug. & 18 Sept., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH.
- BLACK-CROWNED NIGHT HERON -- 1, 8 Aug., Pascagoula River Marsh, JT, MH.
- YELLOW-CROWNED NIGHT HERON -- 12, 1 Sept., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH; 1, 11 Nov., Bay St. Louis, RL; 1, 21 Nov., Bay St. Louis, RL; 1, 25 & 27 Mar., Hickory, JM.
- LEAST BITTERN -- 1, 28 Apr., Pascagoula River Marsh, JT, B & IG.
- AMERICAN BITTERN -- 1, 11 Oct., Pascagoula River Marsh, JT, JI; 1, 22 Oct., Clermont Harbor, JT, MH; 1, 25 Oct., Pascagoula River Marsh, JT, et al.; 1, 30 Nov., Pearlinton, JT; 1, 20 Dec., Pascagoula River Marsh, JT.
- PLEGADIS sp. -- 1, 6 Jan., Pascagoula River Marsh, JT, MH; 1, 15 Mar., Pascagoula River Marsh, JT, TF, RD.
- GLOSSY IBIS -- 1, 22 Nov., Pascagoula River Marsh, JT, MH, et al.
- WHITE IBIS -- 22 imm., 6 dates, 6-23 Aug., Noxubee NWR, DM; 1-13 (most imm), 15 Aug.-22 Oct., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH; 1, 23 Oct., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, RM, PR; 25 ad, 10 imm, 1 Nov., Pascagoula River Marsh, JT, MH, et al.
- WHISTLING SWAN -- 1 ad., 6 Dec., Sardis L., MD.
- CANADA GOOSE -- 25, 20 Dec., Jackson Co., (CBC), JI, MH; 150, 31 Dec., Moon L., BC, LC, WF.
- WHITE-FRONTED GOOSE -- 1 imm., 19 Oct., Biloxi, MH; 15, 7 Dec., 17, 13 Dec., 21, 23 Dec., Sardis L., MD; 1, 20 Dec., Pascagoula River Marsh, JoT, BM; 4 ad, 18 Mar., Choctaw, NH, JH.
- SNOW GOOSE -- 1 imm., 19-21 Oct., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, DH, TF, RM, PR, MS, BG; 35 (blue), 22 Oct., Hancock Co., MH, JT; 5 (white), 25 (blue), 22 Oct., Pass Christian, MH, JT; 1 imm. blue, 26 Oct.-1 Nov., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, PR, RM; 7 (Blue, 4 ad., 3 imm.), 30 Oct., Noxubee NWR, DM; 12 (6 ad., 5 imm. blues; 1 ad. snow), 19 Nov., Noxubee NWR, DM; 2 ad., 11 Nov., Hattiesburg

- sewage ponds, DH, TF, RM, PR, MS, BG; 5, 28 Dec.-8 Jan., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, BL, DH, MH; 150, 18 Mar., Archer I, NH, JH.
- FULVOUS TREE DUCK -- 1, 5-6 Sept., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH (R)
- MALLARD -- 3, 17 Sept., Oktibbeha Co. L., DM; 2 m, 15 Oct., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH (A); 76, 31 Dec., Moon L., BC, LC, WF.
- BLACK DUCK -- 3, 5 Oct., Noxubee NWR, DM; 80, 27 Dec., Sardis L., CBC, MD et al.; 17, 31 Dec., Moon L., BC, LC, WF; 18, 15 Mar., Pascagoula River Marsh, JT, TF, RD.
- MOTTLED DUCK -- 2 ad, 10 young, 2 May, Pascagoula River Marsh, MH, JT; 10 pr., 9 May, Pascagoula River Marsh, JT; 6 ad, 13 young, 17 May, Pascagoula River Marsh, MH.
- GADWALL -- 4 m, 2 f, 9 Sept., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF (A); 26, 11 Oct., Pascagoula River Marsh, JT, JI (E); 4, 31 Dec., Moon L., BC, LC, WF.
- PINTAIL -- 6, 14 Sept., Oktibbeha Co. L., DM; 3 m, 2 f, 17 Sept., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH (A); 2 m, 2 f, 20 Nov., Clermont Harbor, JT (A).
- GREEN-WINGED TEAL -- 1, 15 Aug., Noxubee NWR, DM; 5, 22 Aug., Oktibbeha Co. L., DM; 2 m, 3 f, 5 Sept., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH (A); 1 f, 3 Oct., Buccaneer State Park, JT (E); 12 (10 m, 2 f), 14 Dec.; 1 m, 24 Feb., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF; 6 m, 2 prs, 22 Mar., Hattiesburg sewage lagoons, JRM, PR.
- BLUE-WINGED TEAL -- 2 f, 3 Aug., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH (A); 2, 14 Aug., Starkville sewage lagoons, DM; 1, 22 Oct., Oktibbeha Co. L., DM; 1 ad m, 1 imm (4/5 grown), 16 Aug., Pascagoula River Marsh, JT, MH; 1, 24 Feb.; 15, 25 Feb., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH; 2 m, 1 f, 9 May, Pascagoula River Marsh, JT.
- AMERICAN WIGEON -- 1 ad m, 16 Sept., Clermont Harbor, JT (A); 8, 17 Sept., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH (A); 1 f, 19 Sept., Oktibbeha Co. L., DM; 30, 31 Dec., Moon L., BC, LC, WF.
- EUROPEAN WIGEON -- 2 pr, 27 Sept., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH (R).
- NORTHERN SHOVELER -- 4, 31 Aug., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH; 14, 17 Sept., Oktibbeha Co. L., DM; 260, 31 Dec., Moon L., BC, LC, WF.
- WOOD DUCK -- 21 (in a group), 1 Sept., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, RM, PR; 50, 17 Sept., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH (N); 7, 31 Dec., Moon L., BC, LC, WF; 3 pr, 28 Feb., Hattiesburg, TF, DH; 5 ad, 11 young, 11 May, Pascagoula River Marsh, JJ, JT, BS, OD; 5 ad, 11 downy young, 14 May, Pascagoula River Marsh, MH, JT, GM; 5 m, 2 f, 11 downy young, 17 May, Pascagoula River Marsh, MH.
- REDHEAD -- 6, 16 Oct., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH (A); 30, 29 Oct., Starkville, DM; 1, 31 Dec., Moon L., BC, LC, WF.
- RING-NECKED DUCK -- 2 m, 1 f, 3 Oct., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH (A); 6, 5 Oct., Noxubee NWR, DM; 30, 31 Dec., Moon L., BC, LC, WF.

- CANVASBACK -- 3 m, 2 f, 3 Oct., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH (A); 6, 29 Oct., Oktibbeha Co. L., DM; 1 f, 19 Nov., Noxubee NWR, DM; 2, 2 Dec., Bay St. Louis, RL; 750, 31 Dec., Moon L., BC, LC, WF (N); 14, 17 Jan., Waveland, RL.
- SCAUP spp. -- 8, 4 Oct., Jackson Co., JT (A); 30,000+ (mostly Scaup sp.) 4 Dec., offshore Jackson Co., JT, MH (N).
- GREATER SCAUP -- 5, 2 Dec., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF.
- LESSER SCAUP -- 1 m, 4 Oct., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH (A); 6, 11 Oct., 1800, 29 Oct., Oktibbeha Co. L., DM (N); 1, 19 Oct., Hickory, JM; 217, 31 Dec., Moon L., BC, LC, WF.
- COMMON GOLDENEYE -- 1 m, 1 f, 21 Nov., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, DH, TF (A); 2 m, 1 f, 30 Nov., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH, RM, PR; 20+, 6 Dec., offshore, Waveland, Hancock Co., MH, JT, TF; 202, 20 Dec., Jackson Co., offshore waters, (CBC).
- BUFFLEHEAD -- 1, 1 Nov., Bellefontaine Beach, MH, JT, et al. (A); 1 m, 2 f, 1 Nov., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH (A); 2, 3 Jan., Grenada L. CBC, MD et al.; 1 m, 25 Apr., Ocean Springs, JT, RiL.
- OLDSQUAW -- 1 m, 1 Feb., Hattiesburg, TF; 2 flocks (9 and 21), 10 Mar., Mississippi Sound, Harrison Co., JRM, PR; 6, 2 Apr., Biloxi Bay, JT.
- WHITE-WINGED SCOTER -- 1 imm f, 25 Oct., Pascagoula River Marsh, MH, JT, et al.; 1 f, 1 Nov., Bellefontaine Beach, MH, JT, et al.; 1, 27 Dec., Hancock Co., MH, BL; 5, 14 Mar., Bay St. Louis, JT.
- SURF SCOTER -- 2 f, 1 Nov., Bellefontaine Beach, MH, JT, et al.; 2 imm, 19 Nov., Sardis L., MD; 2, 20 Dec., Bellefontaine Beach, RC, TF.
- RUDDY DUCK -- 1 m, 4 f, entire summer, Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH; 2, 24 Sept., King Ranch, Lowndes Co., DM; 100+, 29 Oct., Oktibbeha Co. L., DM; 3, 31 Dec., Moon L., BC, LC, WF.
- HOODED MERGANSER -- 60, 29 Oct., Oktibbeha Co. L., DM; 2 m, 1 f, 1 Nov.; 5 m, 6 f, 3 Nov., Hattiesburg sewage ponds (A), TF, DH; 1 f, 16 Nov., Lake Serene, RM, PR; 27, 22 Nov., Ocean Springs, JT, GM (N, A); 1 pr, 2 Dec., Hattiesburg sewage lagoons, RM, PR; 30, 17 Dec., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF; 3, 31 Dec., Moon L., BC, LC, WF; 50+, 11 Mar., Ocean Springs, JT (N).
- RED-BREASTED MERGANSER -- 1 m, 5 July, Deer I, JJ, BS; 1 m, 6 July, Gulfport harbor, JJ, BS; 9 f, 29 Oct., Oktibbeha Co. L., DM; 4 f, 10 Nov., 20 f, 11 Nov., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH (A).
- TURKEY VULTURE -- small numbers migrating, 13-19 Oct., Starkville, DM; 50 (roost), 7 Nov., Oktibbeha Co. L., DM.
- SWALLOW-TAILED KITE -- 1-2, 9-28 Aug., Petal, TF, DH, JD; 1, 18 Feb., Pearl River, RL; 1, 31 Mar., over I-10, Gulfport, GM, JT; 1, 6 Apr., Gulf Hills, MH; 2, 2 May, Pascagoula River Wildlife Management Area, MH, JT.
- MISSISSIPPI KITE -- 7, 22 June, Delta National Forest, JM; 1, 30 June, Fayette, JM; 2-6, 9-28 Aug., Petal, TF, DH; 1, 12 Apr., Archer I, NH; 4 (includes 1 pr), 15 Apr., Archer I, NH; 1 imm, 15 April,

- Bellefontaine Beach, MH, JT (A); 10 ad, 2 May, Pascagoula River Wildlife Management Area, MH, JT; 1, 3 May, Hattiesburg sewage lagoons, JRM, PR; 6 ad, 14 May, Pascagoula River Wildlife Management Area, MH, JT, ^{GM}.
- SHARP-SHINNED HAWK -- 1, 3 Oct., Clermont Harbor, JT; 1, 6 Oct., Bellefontaine Beach, MH; 1, 29 Nov., Hancock Co., JT, BM; 1, 27 Dec., Hancock Co. (CBC), RC; 1, 31 Dec., Moon L., BC.
- COOPER'S HAWK -- 1, 18 Sept., Bellefontaine Beach, MH, JT; 1 ad, 7 Nov., Horn I, JT; 1 ad, 4 Dec., Shepard State Park, JT, MH; 1, 27 Dec., Hancock Co. (CBC), RC; 1, 3 Jan., Grenada L. CBC, MD et al.
- RED-TAILED HAWK -- 15 / six miles of roadside, 20 Nov., Hancock Co., JT; 17, 20 Dec., Jackson Co., (CBC); 22, 27 Dec., Hancock Co. (CBC); 12, 31 Dec., Moon L., BC, LC, ^{WF}.
- RED-SHOULDERED HAWK -- 12, 20 Dec., Jackson Co., (CBC); 8, 27 Dec., Hancock Co., (CBC).
- BROAD-WINGED HAWK -- 1 ad, 4 Aug., Lowndes Co., DM; 5, 16 Sept., Hickory, JM; 100+, 4 Oct., Forrest Co., PR, RM, HG, JF; 1, 13 Nov., Pascagoula River Marsh, MH (L); 1, 25 Feb. & 28 Feb., Hattiesburg, TF, DH.
- FERRUGINOUS HAWK -- 1, 27 Dec., Hancock Co., CBC, RC (R).
- BALD EAGLE -- 2 ad at nest, 29 Sept., Gulfport, JT; 1 imm, 30 Oct., 2 imm, 16 Nov.; 1 ad, 1 imm, 30 Nov., Noxubee NWR, Bluff L., DM; 1 imm, 27 Dec., Sardis L. CBC, MD et al.; 1 ad, 22 Apr., at 9 mile marker, I-10, Hancock Co., JT.
- MARSH HAWK -- 1 f, 15 Sept., Petit Bois I, JJ; 1 imm, 26 Oct.-30 Nov., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH, MS, BG; 1 imm m, 4 Nov., Horn I, RM, PR; 14, 20 Dec., Jackson Co. CBC; 1, 31 Dec., Moon L., BC, LC, ^{WF}.
- OSPREY -- 1 at nest, 6 July, Cat I, JJ, BS; 25 sightings in 7 locations, Jackson and Hancock cos., August through the end of the fall migration period (Am. Birds) MH, JT et al.; 2, 20 Sept., Horn I, RM, PR; 4, 22 Oct., Clermont Harbor, MH, JT; 2, 20 Dec., Jackson Co. CBC; 1, 6 Mar., Pascagoula River Marsh, JT, JoC, PC; 8, 10 Mar., East Ship I., JRM, PR; 5+, 28 Mar., Horn I, JT, TF; 1, 12 Apr., Pascagoula River Marsh, MH; 2, 15 Apr., Pascagoula River Marsh, MH, JT; 1, 25 Apr., Gulfport harbor, JT, RiL; 2, 2 May, Pascagoula River Marsh, MH, JT; 2, 9 May, Pascagoula River Marsh, JT.
- PEREGRINE FALCON -- 2 ad, 20 Sept., Pascagoula River Marsh, MH; 1, 1 Oct., E. Ship I, MH; 1 ad m, 11 Oct., East Ship I, JJ; 1, 12 Oct., Ocean Springs, MH; 2, 17 Oct., Bay St. Louis, RL; 2, 21 Oct., Bay St. Louis, RL; 1 ad, 4-6 Nov., Horn I, JT; 1, 7 Nov., Bay St. Louis, RL; 1 ad, 23 Nov., Petal, TF (R); 1, 13 Dec., Bay St. Louis, RL; 1, 17 Dec., Vestry, RL; 1, 28 Dec., Bay St. Louis, MH, JT
- MERLIN -- 1, 21 Sept., Horn I, MH; 1, 26-27 Sept., Ocean Springs, MH; 1, 4 Oct., Bellefontaine Beach, JT; 1, 6 Oct., Bellefontaine Beach, MH; 1, 12 Oct., Buccaneer State Park, MH, JT; 1, 17 Oct., Hickory, JM; 1 imm, 23 Oct. & 4 Nov., Hattiesburg

- sewage ponds, TF, DH; 1 imm, 4 Nov., Horn I, RM, PR; 1, 18 Nov., Bellefontaine Beach, MH, JT; 1, 20 Dec., Pascagoula River Marsh, JT; 1, 20 Dec., Shepard State Park, JT; 1, 20 Dec., Gautier, EC, DJ; 1, 20 Dec., Bellefontaine Beach, BC, TF (all from Jackson Co.) (CBC); 1, 27 Dec., Hancock Co. CBC; 1, 3 Jan., Hattiesburg, TF; 1 ad m, 19 Mar., Bellefontaine Beach, MH, GM.
- AMERICAN KESTREL -- 8-12/each 4 hours afield, fall 1980, Gulf Coast, JT, MH; 1, 3 Sept., Archer I, Ark., NH, JH; 25, 27 Dec., Hancock Co. CBC; 6, 31 Dec., Moon L., BC, LC, WF; 2, 29 Mar., Choctaw, NH, JH.
- SANDHILL CRANE -- 65, 22 Feb., NSTL, RL.
- KING RAIL -- 1, 25 Apr., Pascagoula River Marsh, JT, RiL.
- VIRGINIA RAIL -- several, Nov., Bay St. Louis, RL.
- SORA -- 1, 16 Aug., Pascagoula River Marsh, MH, JT; 2 (calling), 5 Oct., Noxubee NWR, DM.
- YELLOW RAIL -- 1, 11 Nov., Bay St. Louis, RL.
- BLACK RAIL -- 3, 7 Nov., Bay St. Louis, RL; 1, 11 Nov., Bay St. Louis, RL; 1, 20 Nov., Buccaneer State Park, JT, EJ (R); 1, 2 Dec., Bay St. Louis, RL.
- COMMON GALLINULE -- 1 downy imm, 6 Sept., Pascagoula River Marsh, JT, MH, et al.; 4 downy imm, 2 ad, 12 Sept., Pascagoula River Marsh, MH, JT, et al.; 1 ad, 4 downy young, 2 May, Pascagoula River Marsh, MH, JT.
- AMERICAN COOT -- 12, entire summer, Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH; 5, 17 Sept., Choctaw, NH; 5, 9 Oct., Mississippi R., Washington Co., NH; 10, 3 Oct., Starkville; 135, 11 Oct.; 450, 29 Oct., Oktibbeha Co. L.; 450, King Ranch, Lowndes Co., all DM; 21, 31 Dec., Moon L., BC, LC, WF.
- AMERICAN OYSTERCATCHER -- 2, 11 Sept., Pascagoula River Marsh, JT, MH, GD, CrBC; 3, 29 Sept., Pascagoula River Marsh, MH; 1, 13 Nov., Pascagoula River Marsh, MH; 1, 20 Dec., Pascagoula River Marsh at Gautier, Jackson Co. CBC, JT.
- SEMPALMATED PLOVER -- 16, 14 Aug., Gulfport, JT; 34, 20 Dec., Pascagoula River Marsh at Gautier, Jackson Co. CBC, JT, AD, MH, BL.
- PIPING PLOVER -- 15, 26 Aug., Gulfport, JT.
- WILSON'S PLOVER -- 3, 6 July, Cat I, JJ, BS; 3, 25 Apr., Pascagoula River Marsh, JT, RiL.
- AMERICAN GOLDEN PLOVER -- 1, 25 Aug., Starkville, DM, BS; 1, 15 Sept., Oktibbeha Co. L., DM; 1, 12 Oct., Sardis L., MD; 1, 10 Nov., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH; 27, 5 Mar., Pascagoula River Marsh, MH (N); 10, 24 Mar.; 12, 25 Mar.; 11, 26 Mar.; 3, 27 Mar.; 2, 28 Mar.; Hickory, JM; 1 17 Apr., Pascagoula River Marsh, MH (D); 50, 4 May, Choctaw, NH.
- BLACK-BELLIED PLOVER -- 1, 29 Aug., Oktibbeha Co. L., DM; 2, 4 Sept., 3, 11 Nov., 1, 22 Nov., Sardis L., MD; 1, 6 July, Cat I, JJ, BS; 1, 11 Oct., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, RM, PR.
- RUDDY TURNSTONE -- 2 breeding pl, 6 July, Cat I, JJ, BS; 1, 15 Sept., Horn I, JJ.

- AMERICAN WOODCOCK -- 1, 23 Oct., Gulfport, JT; 2, 30 Nov., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF.
- COMMON SNIPES -- 1, 13 Oct., West Ship I, JJ; 1, 21 Oct., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH; 4+, 16 Nov., Lake Serene, RM, PR; 1, 31 Dec., Moon L., BC, LC, WF.
- LONG-BILLED CURLEW -- 1, 16 Aug., Pascagoula River Marsh, MH.
- UPLAND SANDPIPER -- 1, 10 Aug.; 3, 11 Aug.; 1, 12 Aug.; 4, 25-27 Aug., Oktibbeha & Lowndes cos., DM; 1, 20 Aug., Gulfport harbor, MH; 1, 6 Sept., Pascagoula River Marsh, JT, MH, GD; 2, 29 Mar.; 8, 31 Mar., Hickory, JM; 2, 28 Mar., Vancleave, MH (A);
- SPOTTED SANDPIPER -- 1, winter pl., 12 Oct., near Mississippi R., Washington Co., NH; 10, 30 Nov., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH; 7, winter 1980-81, Hattiesburg, TF, DH; 24, 9 May, Hattiesburg sewage lagoons, JRM, PR (N).
- SOLITARY SANDPIPER -- 1, 3 Aug., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH; 1 24 Mar., Hickory, JM.
- WILLET -- ad with nest and 4 eggs, 30 Apr., Pascagoula River Marsh, MH; ad flushed from same nest & eggs, 11 May, MH; nest found abandoned, ants feeding on eggs, 14 May, MH, JT, GM.
- GREATER YELLOWLEGS -- 1, 27 Dec., Sardis L. CBC, MD et al.; 9, 3 Jan., Grenada L. CBC, MD et al.; 2, 11 Mar., Choctaw, NH; 100+, 16 Mar., Belzoni, NH; 1, 16 Mar., Hickory, JM; 20, 24 Mar., Hickory, JM; 2, 1 Apr., Archer I, NH.
- LESSER YELLOWLEGS -- 3, 31 Aug.; 1, 1 & 14 Sept., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH; 3, 4 Sept.; 12, 17 Sept.; 3, 1 Nov., Sardis L., MD; 2, 11 Mar., Choctaw, NH; 100+, 16 Mar., Belzoni, NH; 1, 9 May, Hattiesburg sewage lagoons, JRM, PR.
- RED KNOT -- 6, 29 Aug.-7 Sept., Oktibbeha Co. L., DM; 6, 15 Sept., Spoil I w of Petit Bois I, JJ; 1, 16 Sept., Clermont Harbor, JT; 9, 21 Sept., Horn I, MH; 5, 1 Oct., E Ship I, MH; 1 (winter pl.), 31 Mar., Bay St. Louis, JT, GM.
- PECTORAL SANDPIPER -- 350, 31 July; 100, 2 Aug.; 650, 7 Aug., Starkville, JJ (N); 5, 4 Aug.; 1, 22-23 Oct., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH, RM; 62, 23 Aug., Noxubee NWR, DM; 6, 7 Sept., Noxubee NWR, JM; 2, 22 Sept., Hickory, JM; 3, 29 Sept., Hickory, JM; 1, 2 Oct., Hickory, JM; 3, 3 Mar., Pascagoula River Marsh, MH (A); 3, 24 Mar., Hickory, JM; 1, 25 Mar., Hickory, JM; 2, 26 Mar., Hickory, JM; 3, 28 Mar., Hickory, JM.
- WHITE-RUMPED SANDPIPER -- 1, 11 Aug., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH; 4, 9 May, Pascagoula River Marsh, JT; 2, 11 May, Pascagoula River Marsh, JT, JJ, BS, OD.
- BAIRD'S SANDPIPER -- 1, 25 Apr., Pascagoula River Marsh, JT, RiL.
- LEAST SANDPIPER -- 1, 16 Nov., Lake Serene, RM, PR; 12, 6 May, Hattiesburg, JRM, PR.
- DUNLIN -- 2, 23 Oct., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, RM, PR; 3, 2-3 Nov., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH; 2, 9 Nov., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, RM, PR; 47, 10 Mar., East Ship I, JM, PR; 150+, 9 May, Pascagoula River Marsh, JT (N).

- DOWITCHER sp. -- 4, 6 July, Cat I, JJ, BS; max. 7, 9 dates, 22 Aug.-19 Sept., Oktibbeha Co. L., DM; 5, 11 Oct., Oktibbeha Co. L., DM.
- LONG-BILLED DOWITCHER -- 1, 20 Dec., Pascagoula River Marsh, RC.
- STILT SANDPIPER -- 1, 4 Oct., Tupelo, National Fish Hatchery, MD.
- BUFF-BREASTED SANDPIPER -- 7, 29 Aug., 80, 4 Sept., 21, 6 Sept., Sardis L., MD (N); 3-9, 31 Aug.-19 Sept., Pascagoula River Marsh, MH, JT, et al.; 1, 4 Sept., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH, RM, PR; 1, 7 Sept., near Noxubee NWR, JM; 4 juv., 15 Sept.; 1, 30 Sept., Oktibbeha Co. L., DM; 1, 1 Apr., Pascagoula River Marsh, MH; 1, 11 May, Pascagoula River Marsh, JT, JJ, BS, OD.
- MARbled GODWIT -- 1, 26 Aug., Gulfport, JT (A); 1, 18 Sept., Ocean Springs, MH, JT; 1, 24 Sept., Clermont Harbor, JT, MH; 1, 22 Nov., Pascagoula River Marsh, JT; 1, 6 Jan., Pascagoula River Marsh, Jackson Co., JT, MH.
- SANDERLING -- 7, 3 Sept.; 3, 17 Sept., Oktibbeha Co. L., DM.
- AMERICAN AVOCET -- 1, 17 Sept., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF; 70, 5 Oct., Pascagoula River Marsh, MH (N); 10+, 22 Nov., Pascagoula River Marsh, JT; 1, 20 Dec., Pascagoula River Marsh, JT, AD.
- BLACK-NECKED STILT -- 11, 14 Aug., Pascagoula River Marsh, JT, MH; 2, 20 Dec., Pascagoula River Marsh, JT, AD; 15+, 15 Mar., Pascagoula River Marsh, JT, TF, RD; 18+, 25 Apr., Pascagoula River Marsh, JT, RiL.
- WILSON'S PHALAROPE -- 1, 14 Aug., Pascagoula River Marsh, MH, JT; 4, 6 Sept., Sardis L., MD; 1, 11 May, Pascagoula River Marsh, JJ, BS, OD, JT (R).
- RED PHALAROPE -- 1, 12-15 Oct., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH RM, PR (R).
- NORTHERN PHALAROPE -- 1, 4 Sept., Oktibbeha Co. L., DM; 1, 5 Sept., Long Beach, JT (R); 1, 11 Sept., Gulfport, JT (R).
- JAEGER sp. -- 1 (small, very dark, imm?), Mississippi Sound, Jackson Co., JT (R)
- HERRING GULL -- 1, 31 Dec., Moon L., BC, LC, WF.
- RING-BILLED GULL -- 10, 21 Nov., Oktibbeha Co. L., DM; 3, 30 Nov., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, RM, PR; 18, 31 Dec., Moon L., BC, LC, WF.
- LAUGHING GULL -- 1, 22 Oct., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF.
- FRANKLIN'S GULL -- 22 ad, 10 Nov., Bay St. Louis, MH, JT; 1 ad, 11 May, Pascagoula River Marsh, JT (R).
- BONAPARTE'S GULL -- 200+, 20 Nov., Clermont Harbor, JT (A,N); 214, 27 Dec., Sardis L. CBC, MD et al.; 4, 1 Feb., Hattiesburg, TF; 4, 28 Feb., Hattiesburg sewage lagoons, JM, PR.
- GULL-BILLED TERN -- 10 ad, 17 May, Pascagoula River Marsh, MH.
- FORSTER'S TERN -- 1, 6 July, Gulfport Harbor, JJ, BS; 1, 23 Aug.; 2, 5 Sept.; 1, 28 Oct., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, DH, TF; 3, 29 Aug., Oktibbeha Co. L., DM.
- COMMON TERN -- 5, 4 Aug.; 3, 23 Aug.; 2, 5 Sept.; 1, 22 Oct.,

- Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH; 15, 4 Nov., Mississippi Sound between Ocean Springs and Horn I, JT; 1, 30 Nov., Lake Serene, RM, PR; 6-8, 9 May, Pascagoula River Marsh, JT.
- LEAST TERN -- ca 6-10 nests near Ft. Massachusetts, 4 July, West Ship I, JJ; 210 nests, 5 July, w tip of Deer I, JJ, BS; 2, 4 Sept., Sardis L., MD; 1, 20 Aug. & 5 Sept., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF; 1 ad, 28 Mar., Bellefontaine Beach, MH (E); 250+ ad, 3 active nests, 30 Apr., Pascagoula River Marsh, MH.
- SANDWICH TERN -- 1, 5 Sept., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF.
- CASPIAN TERN -- 7, 23 Aug., 1, 5 Oct., Sardis L., MD; 7, 3 Sept.; 2, 30 Sept., Oktibbeha Co. L., DM.
- BLACK TERN -- 1, 6 July, Gulfport harbor, JJ, BS; 3, 9 Aug.; 2, 14 Aug., Starkville sewage lagoons, DM; 2-28, 10 Aug.-5 Sept., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH; 8, 17 May, Choctaw, NH, JH.
- BLACK SKIMMER -- 17 nests, 5 July, w tip of Deer I, JJ, BS; 1-2, 3 Aug.-8 Sept., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH.
- WHITE-WINGED DOVE -- 1, 13 Oct., West Ship I, JJ; 1, 13 Nov., Bellefontaine Beach, MH.
- GROUND DOVE -- 1, 20 Aug. and 18 Nov., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF.
- YELLOW-BILLED CUCKOO -- 2, 1 Oct.; 1, 5 Oct.; 2, 8 Oct., Archer I, Ark.; 1, 12 Oct., Washington Co., NH; 1, 13 Oct., West Ship I, JJ; 1, 28 Oct., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH; 1, 12 Apr., Archer I, NH.
- BLACK-BILLED CUCKOO -- 1, 4 Nov., Horn I, JT.
- GROOVE-BILLED ANI -- 1, 12 Oct., Buccaneer State Park, MH, JT.
- GREAT HORNED OWL -- 1, 22 Oct., Buccaneer State Park, MH, JT; 1, 5, 7 Nov., Horn I, JT (captive bird released on island, very tame); active nest, 15 Dec., Archer I, NH.
- BURROWING OWL -- 1, 18 Feb., Shaw, NH, JH (R).
- WHIP-POOR-WILL -- 1, 27 Dec., Buccaneer State Park, BL; 6, 1 Apr., Archer I, NH, JH.
- COMMON NIGHTHAWK -- 1, 1 Oct., Archer I, Ark., NH; 2, 3 Oct., Biloxi beach, MH (D); 4, 4 Oct., Archer I, Ark., NH; 1, 5 Apr., Choctaw, NH.
- CHIMNEY SWIFT -- 50, 8 Oct., Archer I, Ark., NH; 8, 8 Nov., Shaw, TF, DH, MS; 1, 18 Dec., Forrest Co., TF; 5, 22 Mar., Gulfport, JT (A); 1, 26 Mar., Hickory, JM.
- HUMMINGBIRD sp. -- 3, 15 Nov., Ocean Springs, MJ.
- SELASPHORUS sp. -- 2 (1 f, 1 changing imm. m), 11 Mar., Ocean Springs, JT.
- RUBY-THROATED HUMMINGBIRD -- 100's, 14 Oct., Bay St. Louis, RL (a large "flight" heading s over the water in late afternoon, not in flocks, but in a constant stream of singles); 1, 25 Oct., Petal, TF, DH (L); 1, 30 Mar., Hickory, JM.
- BELTED KINGFISHER -- 1, 31 Dec., Moon L., BC, LC, WF; 1, 5 Apr., Archer I, Ark., NH.
- COMMON FLICKER -- 50, 20 Dec., Jackson Co. CBC; 28, 31 Dec., Moon L., BC, LC, WF

- RED-BELLIED WOODPECKER -- 31, 31 Dec., Moon L., BC, LC, WF.
 RED-HEADED WOODPECKER -- 2, 12 Oct., near Mississippi R., Washington Co., NH; 1, 27 Oct., Gulfport, JT; 4, 31 Dec., Moon L., BC, LC, WF.
- YELLOW-BELLIED SAPSUCKER -- 1, 3 Oct., Buccaneer State Park, JT (A); 1 m, 1 f, 2 imm. m, 1 imm. f, 8 Oct., near Mississippi R., Washington Co., NH; 12, 12 Oct., near Mississippi R., Washington Co., NH; 2, 13 Oct., Choctaw, NH; 1, 25 Apr., Jackson Co., JT, RL.
- RED-COCKADED WOODPECKER -- 2, 27 Aug., Waveland, RL.
 EASTERN KINGBIRD -- 1, 14 Sept., Starkville, DM; 1, 4 Oct., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH; 6, 22 Apr., Archer I, Ark., NH.
 WESTERN KINGBIRD -- 1, 15 Nov., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH (R).
 SCISSOR-TAILED FLYCATCHER -- 1 ad m, 22 Oct., Ansley, MH, JT (R); 1, 20 May, Choctaw, NH, JH.
 GREAT-CRESTED FLYCATCHER -- 2, 12 Apr., Archer I, NH; 1, 17 Apr., Ragland Hills, JRM, PR.
 EASTERN PHOEBE -- 1, 27 Sept., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH (A); 1, 1 Oct., Archer I, Ark., NH.
 YELLOW-BELLIED FLYCATCHER -- 1, 26 Apr., McLaurin, JRM, PR.
 EASTERN WOOD PEWEE -- 1, 27 Sept., Horn I, RM, PR; 1, 13 Oct., West Ship I, JJ; 10, 24 Apr., Bellefontaine Beach, JT.
 OLIVE-SIDED FLYCATCHER -- 1, 7 Sept., near Noxubee NWR, JM; 1, 14 Sept., Hickory, JM; 1 banded, 13 Oct., West Ship I, JJ.
 HORNED LARK -- 102, 31 Dec., Moon L., BC, LC, WF; 2, 3 Jan., Forrest Co., JT, TF.
- TREE SWALLOW -- varying numbers, Aug. through Feb., Bay St. Louis, RL; 500+, 17 Sept., Choctaw, NH; few imm, 4 Oct., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, RM, PR; 100+, 9 Oct., Archer I, Ark., NH; 25, 30 Oct., Noxubee NWR, DM; 100+, 3 Mar., Benoit, NH, JH.
- BANK SWALLOW -- 6, 27 Aug.; 5, 5 Sept., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF; 2, 3 Oct., Starkville, DM; several, 5 May, Hattiesburg, JRM, PR.
 ROUGH-WINGED SWALLOW -- 4, 30 Oct., Noxubee NWR, Bluff L., DM.
 BARN SWALLOW -- 200+, 17 Sept., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF (N); 100+, 4 Oct., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, RM, PR; 1, 20 Dec., Escatawpa Bridge, TF; 1, 14 Mar., Gulfport, JT (A); 1, 16 Mar., Hickory, JM; 3, 25 Mar., Choctaw, JH, NH; 2, 25 Mar., Winterville, JH, NH.
 CLIFF SWALLOW -- 2, 23 Aug., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF; 14, 17 Sept., Starkville, DM.
 PURPLE MARTIN -- hundreds, maybe thousands, going to roost, 6 July, Biloxi Bay bridge, JJ, BS; few, 4-9 Aug., Starkville, DM; 2, 24 Sept., King Ranch, Lowndes Co., DM; 1, 29 Jan., Moselle, TF, SD, PD (A); 1, 15 Feb., Choctaw, NH, JH (A); 1, 20 Mar., Hickory, JM; 12, 1 Apr., Archer I, NH, JH.
 BLUE JAY -- large numbers, 3 Oct.-29 Oct., Starkville, DM; 300+ migrants, 5 Oct., Noxubee NWR, DM; unusually common, 14 Oct., West Ship I, JJ.

- FISH CROW -- 45, 3 Jan., Grenada L. CBC, MD et al.; 2, 5 Jan., Hattiesburg, TF; large numbers, 20 Feb., Hancock Co., RL.
- RED-BREASTED NUTHATCH -- 1, 27 Sept., Horn I, RM, PR; 1, 3 Oct., Buccaneer State Park, JT (A); 1, 10 Oct., East Ship I, JJ; 1, 12 Oct., West Ship I, JJ; many, 25 Oct.-30 Nov., Hattiesburg-Petal area, TF, DH; common, 4 Nov., Horn I, RM, PR; 20-30/day, 4-7 Nov., Horn I, JT (N); 7, 3 Jan., Grenada L. CBC, MD et al.; 2, 14 Jan., Bay St. Louis, RL.
- BROWN CREEPER -- 6 banded, 12 Oct., West Ship I, JJ; 4, 25 Oct., Lamar Co., TF, DH; 5, 3 Jan., Grenada L. CBC, MD et al.; 1, 25 Mar., Archer I, NH.
- HOUSE WREN -- 1, 9 Oct., Archer I, Ark., NH; 3, 12 Oct., near Miss. River, Washington Co., NH; 1, 14 Oct.-30 Nov., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH.
- WINTER WREN -- 1, 4 Oct., Bellefontaine Beach, JT (E); 1, 9 Oct., Archer I, Ark., NH; 1, 6 Nov., Horn I, JT; 1, 8 Nov., Archer I, Ark., TF, DH; 6, 31 Dec., Moon L., BC, LC, WF.
- BEWICK'S WREN -- 1, 19 Feb., Hickory, JM.
- LONG-BILLED MARSH WREN -- 1, 16 Oct., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, RM, PR.
- SEDGE WREN -- 17+ (singing), 15 Aug., Noxubee NWR, DM; 1, 2 Oct., Hickory, JM; 1, 16 Nov., NSTL, RL.
- GRAY CATBIRD -- 50+, 1 Oct., Archer I, Ark., NH; 200+, 4 Oct., Bellefontaine Beach, JT (N); 1, 8 Oct., Archer I, Ark., NH; 25, 11 Oct., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH (N); 1, 10 Jan., Hattiesburg, TF, PK, JF, EM; 1, 15 Apr., Archer I, NH.
- BROWN THRASHER -- common, 27 Sept., Horn I, RM, PR; 300+, 4 Oct., Bellefontaine Beach, JT (N); unusually common, 11 Oct., West Ship I, JJ.
- AMERICAN ROBIN -- 4 pr, entire summer, Petal, TF, DH; 13, 4 Nov., Horn I, JT (A).
- WOOD THRUSH -- 1, 12 Oct., West Ship I, JJ; 1, 15 Nov., Ragland Hills, RM, PR.
- HERMIT THRUSH -- 2, 12 Oct., near Mississippi R., Washington Co., NH; 4, 9 Nov., Leroy Percy State Park, TF, DH; 12, 20 Nov., Buccaneer State Park, JT.
- SWAINSON'S THRUSH -- 2, 12 Oct., near Mississippi R., Washington Co., NH; 1, 13 Oct., West Ship I, JJ.
- GRAY-CHEEKED THRUSH -- 2, 11 Oct., Lamar Co., TF, DH; 1, 12 Oct., near Mississippi R., Washington Co., NH; 1, 12 Oct., West Ship I, JJ.
- VEERY -- 2, 15 Aug., Starkville (nocturnal migrants heard), DM; 300+, night of 10-11 Sept., migrants heard over Starkville, DM; 1 seen, several heard, 25 Apr., Archer I, Ark., NH.
- EASTERN BLUEBIRD -- 15, 18 Nov., Graveline L., JT, MH.
- BLUE-GRAY GNATCATCHER -- 1, 27 Sept., Horn I, RM, PR; 1, 21 Mar., Hickory, JM; 100+, 1 Apr., Archer I, NH.
- GOLDEN-CROWNED KINGLET -- 1 f, 12 Oct., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, RM, PR; 5, 25 Oct., Lamar Co., TF, DH (A); 49, 20 Dec., Jackson Co. CBC.

- RUBY-CROWNED KINGLET -- 1, 27 Sept., Horn I, RM, PR; 1, 5 Oct., Archer I, Ark., NH; numerous, 12 Oct., along Mississippi R., Washington Co., NH; 2, 7 Oct., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF (A).
- WATER PIPIT -- 1, 1 Oct., East Ship I, MH; 6, 7 Oct., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF (A); 60, 19 Nov., Noxubee NWR, DM; 85, 29 Nov., King Ranch, Lowndes Co., DM; 4, 31 Dec., Moon L., BC, LC, WF.
- CEDAR WAXWING -- 57, 31 Dec., Moon L., BC, LC, WF; 10, 25 Apr.; 4, 26 Apr.; 4, 1 May, Hattiesburg, RM, PR.
- WHITE-EYED VIREO -- 24 singing m, 16 Sept., Logtown, JT; 4, 11 Mar., Ocean Springs, JT.
- YELLOW-THROATED VIREO -- 1, 5 Oct., Archer I, NH; 1, 14 Mar., Slidell St. Tammany Par., La., JT, m. ob.; 2, 27 Mar., Hickory, JM.
- RED-EYED VIREO -- 1, 1 Oct., Archer I., Ark., NH; 50+, 2 May, Jackson Co., JT, MH, CR, MC.
- PHILADELPHIA VIREO -- 1, 26 Sept., 1, 4 Oct., Bellefontaine Beach, JT; 2, 8 Oct., near Mississippi R., Washington Co., NH.
- WARBLING VIREO -- 1, 24 Apr., Bellefontaine Beach, JT.
- BLACK-AND-WHITE WARBLER -- 2+, 27 Sept., Horn I, RM, PR; 1, 27 Dec., Hancock Co., TF; 1, 14 Mar., Buccaneer State Park, GM, JT (A).
- PROTHONOTARY WARBLER -- 2, 14 Mar., Buccaneer State Park, JT (A).
- SWAINSON'S WARBLER -- 1, 2 Sept., Hickory, JM; 1, 16 Sept., Logtown, JT.
- WORM-EATING WARBLER -- 1, 16-19 Aug., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH; 1, 31 Aug., 30 Sept., & 7 Oct., Hickory, JM; 2, 25 Sept., Ocean Springs, JM; 1, 7 Oct., Eastabuchie, TF, DH.
- GOLDEN-WINGED WARBLER -- 1, 17 Oct., Hickory, JM.
- BLUE-WINGED WARBLER -- 1, 23, 30, 31 Aug., 14, 19, 21, 27 Sept., & 3 Oct., Hickory, JM; 1, 30 Mar., Hickory, JM.
- TENNESSEE WARBLER -- a few, 10, 18, 19, 23 Sept.; many, 29, 30 Sept., 2, 3, 4, 8, 11, 14, 16, 17 Oct., Hickory, JM; numerous, 5 Oct., Mississippi R., Washington Co., NH; 100+, 3 Nov., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, DH, TF (N); 1, 4 Nov., Horn I, JT.
- ORANGE-CROWNED WARBLER -- 1, 4 Oct., Bellefontaine Beach, JT (A); 1, 5 Oct., Mississippi R., Washington Co., NH; 1, 10 Mar., East Ship I, RM, PR.
- NASHVILLE WARBLER -- 1, 2 Oct., Hickory, JM; 1, 3 Oct., Buccaneer State Park, JT.
- NORTHERN PARULA -- 3, 1 Oct., Archer I, Ark., NH; 1, 27 Mar., Hickory, JM (A).
- YELLOW WARBLER -- 1, 17 Aug., Hickory, JM; 1, 4 Dec., Shepard State Park, JT, MH (L).
- MAGNOLIA WARBLER -- a few, 13, 14, 17, 18, 20, 27, 28 Sept.; many, 29, 30 Sept., 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 11, 13, 14 Oct., Hickory, JM; 1, 4 Oct., Noxubee NWR, JJ; 1, 14 Nov., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH (L); 1 m, 20 May, 4 m. S Seminary, RM, PR.
- BLACK-THROATED BLUE WARBLER -- 1 m, 21 Oct., Biloxi, JT (R).
- YELLOW-RUMPED WARBLER -- 2, 12 Oct., near Mississippi R., Washington Co., NH; common, 14 Oct., West Ship I, JJ; common, 25 Oct.,

- Hattiesburg sewage ponds, RM, PR; very abundant, 4 Nov., Horn I, RM, PR; 128, 31 Dec., Moon L., BC, LC, WF; 1 singing m, 27 Apr., Gulfport, JT (D).
- AUDUBON'S WARBLER -- 1, 8 Nov., Archer I, Ark., TF (R).
- BLACK-THROATED GREEN WARBLER -- 1, 13 Oct., West Ship I, JJ; 1, 3 Nov., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH.
- YELLOW-THROATED WARBLER -- 2, 16 Aug., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF; 1, 12 Mar., Hickory, JM (A).
- CHESTNUT-SIDED WARBLER -- 1, 27 Sept., Petal, TF, DH.
- BAY-BREASTED WARBLER -- 2 m, 25 Apr., Hattiesburg, RM, PR.
- PINE WARBLER -- 1, 10 Oct., East Ship I, JJ; 18, 3 Jan., Grenada L. CBC, MD et al.; 4, 11-17 Feb., Hickory, JM.
- PRAIRIE WARBLER -- 1 m, 1 f, 26 Apr., McLaurin, RM, PR.
- PALM WARBLER -- 20, 8 Oct., Pascagoula River Marsh, JT, MH; 1, 13 Oct., West Ship I, JJ; 7, 4 Nov., Horn I, JT; 8, 22 Nov., Pascagoula River Marsh, JT; 4, 20 Dec., Jackson Co. CBC (all western).
- OVENBIRD -- 1, 4 Oct., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF.
- NORTHERN WATERTHRUSH -- 1, 18 Aug., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH; 1, 10 Sept., Hickory, JM.
- LOUISIANA WATERTHRUSH -- 1, 20 May, 6 mi. S Seminary, RM, PR.
- MOURNING WARBLER -- 1 imm, 18 Sept., Bellefontaine Beach, JT, MH (R).
- CONNECTICUT WARBLER -- 1, 4 Oct., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH.
- COMMON YELLOWTHROAT -- 1, 3 Jan., Grenada L. CBC, D & MS.
- YELLOW-BREASTED CHAT -- 1, 4 Oct., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF.
- HOODED WARBLER -- 1 m, 15 Dec., Elks L., EM, TF, JF, PK; 1, 29 Mar., Gulfport, JT (A).
- WILSON'S WARBLER -- 1, 2 Oct., Hickory, JM; 1-3 m, 4, 7, 10-11 Oct., 3 Nov., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH; 1 f, 24 Apr., Bellefontaine Beach, JT.
- CANADA WARBLER -- 1, 19 Aug., Eastabutchie, TF; 1, 10, 11, 14 Sept., Hickory, JM.
- AMERICAN REDSTART -- 1 m, 18 Sept., West Ship I, JW; 2+ f, 27 Sept., Horn I, RM, PR.
- BOBOLINK -- 1-3, 7 dates between 23 Aug.-6 Oct., Oktibbeha Co., DM; 2 m, 29 Apr., Ocean Springs, MaH (A); 500+, 3-4 May, Choctaw, NH.
- YELLOW-HEADED BLACKBIRD -- 1 imm. m, 7 Sept., Oktibbeha Co. L., DM (R); 1 m, 14 Oct., West Ship I, JW.
- RED-WINGED BLACKBIRD -- 1621, 31 Dec., Moon L., BC, LC, WF.
- ORCHARD ORIOLE -- 3 m, 12 Apr., Archer I., NH.
- RUSTY BLACKBIRD -- 7, 4 Dec., Shepard State Park, JT, MH; 1, 31 Dec., Moon L., BC, LC, WF.
- BREWER'S BLACKBIRD -- 13, 31 Dec., Moon L., BC, LC, WF; 1 m, 3 Jan., Forrest Co., JT, MH, TF, DH; 20+, 31 Mar., Hancock Co., JT, GM (D).
- COMMON GRACKLE -- 755, 31 Dec., Moon L., BC, LC, WF.
- BROWN-HEADED COWBIRD -- 60, 31 Dec., Moon L., BC, LC, WF.
- SCARLET Tanager -- 20+, 2 May, Jackson Co., JT, MH, CR, MC

- SUMMER Tanager -- 1 m, several f or imm., 1 Oct.; 1 m, 1 f or imm., 5 Oct.; 2 f or imm., 12 Oct., Archer I, Ark., NH.
- ROSE-BREASTED GROSBEAK -- 2, 8 Oct., near Mississippi R., Washington Co., NH; 50+, 9 Oct., near Mississippi R., Washington Co., NH; 1, 10 Oct., East Ship I, JJ; 1 f, 25 Oct., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH (L); 1 f, 22 Mar., Gulfport, JT; 1 f, 26 Apr., Archer I, Ark., NH.
- BLACK-HEADED GROSBEAK -- 1, 13 Feb., Hattiesburg, MN, TF, DH, PK, JF.
- BLUE GROSBEAK -- 1 m, 4 Oct., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF (L); 1 m, 31 Mar., Logtown, Hancock Co., JT, GM (A).
- INDIGO BUNTING -- several hundred, 8 Oct., flushed from Johnson grass at edge of levee, Archer I, Ark., NH; 50+, 9 Oct., Archer I, Ark., NH; abundant imm., 10 Oct., East Ship I, JJ; 1, 31 Oct., Starkville, JJ; 1 imm., 5 Nov., Horn I., JT (D); 1 m, 24 Mar., Gulfport, JT (A); 1 m, 12 Apr., Archer I, NH.
- PAINTED BUNTING -- 12+ pr, entire summer, 18 Aug. (D), Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH; pr., 3 Apr.; 4 m, 1 f, 4 Apr., Choctaw, NH; 1 m, 19 Apr., Hattiesburg sewage lagoons, RM, PR; 2, 11 May, Hattiesburg sewage lagoons, RM.
- DICKCISSEL -- 1 f, 10 Oct., East Ship I, JJ; 2, 22 Apr., near Scott, Bolivar Co., NH.
- PURPLE FINCH -- 2 m, 3 Nov., Hattiesburg, TF (A); 2, 16 Nov.; 15, 19 Nov., Noxubee NWR, DM; 1 m, 29 Nov., Gulfport, JT (A).
- HOUSE FINCH -- 1 f, 10 Nov., Port Bienville Industrial Park, JT, MH.
- PINE SISKIN -- 14, 30 Oct., Noxubee NWR, DM; 1, 4 Nov., Starkville, DM; 25+, 9 Nov., Rosedale State Park, TF, DH, MS; 8, 8 Dec., Petal, DH, TF; 43, 27 Dec., Hancock Co. CBC; 1, 1 May, Gulfport, JT (D).
- AMERICAN GOLDFINCH -- 2, 22 Aug., Oktibeha Co. L., DM; 1, 24 Sept., King Ranch, Lowndes Co., DM; abundant, 1 Apr., Archer I, NH; 3, 1 May, Gulfport, JT (D).
- RUFOUS-SIDED TOWHEE -- 50 singing, 1 June, D'Iberville BBS route, JT (N).
- SAVANNAH SPARROW -- 1, 13 Sept., Pascagoula River Marsh, JT et al., (E); 1, 6 Oct., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH (A); hundreds, 1 Nov., Jackson Co., JT et al. (N); 1, 14 May, Pascagoula River Marsh, JT, MH.
- GRASSHOPPER SPARROW -- several, mid-August, Golden Triangle Airport, Lowndes Co., DM (possible nesting); 1, 27 Dec., Hancock Co., MH, BL; 12, 20 Jan., Poplarville, RL; 1, 26 Apr., Archer I, Ark., NH.
- LE CONTE'S SPARROW -- 1 ad, 20 Dec., Pascagoula River Marsh, JT (R); 2, 3 Jan., Grenada L. CBC, MD et al.
- SHARP-TAILED SPARROW -- 1, 15 Sept., West Ship I, JJ; 4, 15 Oct., Ocean Springs, MH; 1, 7 Feb., NSTL, RL; 1, 11 Feb., NSTL, RL.
- SEASIDE SPARROW -- 1, 28 June, Gulfport (in Least Tern colony), JT.
- VESPER SPARROW -- 1, 1 Nov., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH; 2, 8 Nov., Archer I, Ark., TF, DH; 55-60, 6 Jan., Forrest Co., TF, DH (N).

- LARK SPARROW -- 2, 16 Aug., Noxubee NWR, EP; 1 imm., 21 Sept., Bellefontaine Beach, JT; 1 ad m, 3 Oct., Clermont Harbor, JT; 1, 6 Oct., Ocean Springs, MH; 2, 8 Apr., Archer I, NH, JH.
- BACHMAN'S SPARROW -- 41, 1 June, D'Iberville BBS route, JT; 1, 27 Dec., Hancock Co., JT, RR; 2, 11 Feb., NSTL, RL.
- DARK-EYED JUNCO -- 10, 1 Nov., Petal, TF, DH (A); 3, 1 Nov., Bellefontaine Beach, JT, MH (A); 120, 16 Nov., Noxubee NWR, DM; 3 (including one Oregon race), 4 Dec., Shepard State Park, JT, MH.
- AMERICAN TREE SPARROW -- 1, 20 Dec., Jackson Co., TF, GM; 1, 27 Dec., Hancock Co., HanCo CBC, TF, GM.
- CHIPPING SPARROW -- 5, 25 Oct., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH; 5, 25 Oct., Columbia, TF, DH.
- CLAY-COLORED SPARROW -- 1, 27 Dec., Hancock Co., RC.
- FIELD SPARROW -- 1, 1 Nov., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH; 113, 31 Dec., Moon L., BC, LC, WF.
- WHITE-CROWNED SPARROW -- 1 imm., 8 Oct., Escatawpa, JT, MH (E); 2 imm., 14 Oct., West Ship I, JJ; 5, 5 Nov., Horn I, JT; 21, 31 Dec., Moon L., BC, LC, WF; 1, 1 Jan., Petal, TF; 6, 2 Apr., Choctaw, NH.
- WHITE-THROATED SPARROW -- 1, 7-8 June, Petal, DH, MH (L); 2, 25 Oct., Petal, TF, DH (A).
- FOX SPARROW -- 5, 9 Nov., Rosedale, TF, DH, MS; 1, 15 Nov., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH; 15, 29 Nov., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH (N); 10, 31 Dec., Moon L., BC, LC, WF; 32, 1 Feb., Hattiesburg, TF.
- LINCOLN'S SPARROW -- 1 ad, 5 Nov., Horn I, JT; 2, 27 Dec., Hancock Co., RC.
- SWAMP SPARROW -- 3, 5 Oct., Noxubee NWR, DM; 1, 7, 8 Oct., Hickory, JM; 24, 31 Dec., Moon L., BC, LC, WF.
- SONG SPARROW -- 10, 21 Oct., Hattiesburg sewage ponds, TF, DH (A); 86, 31 Dec., Moon L., BC, LC, WF.
- LAPLAND LONGSPUR -- 45, 31 Dec., Moon L., BC, LC, WF.
- LARK BUNTING -- 1 f, 28 Aug., Gulfport, JT, MH (R).

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