

9/10 mi. S and 2 1/2 mi. W Lawrence (P.O.); Douglas Co., Kansas

Dec. 28, 1948

visited study area of Dec 16 and reclaimed all traps which were covered on Dec 23 with snow, but now exposed. There were only a few mammals in these traps but they were so far gone no record was kept.

Lawrence, Douglas Co., Kansas

December 30, 1948

Mr. Chas G. Sibley, Dr. Henry S Fitch, Mr D Arvey and I made Christmas bird census today. Area covered was within 7 1/2 miles radius of the Post Office in Lawrence and consisted of 70 per cent open farmland, 10% roadside fence rows, 10% deciduous woodland, 5% river, 3% or less marsh, 2% urban. Several main focal points were checked including Haskell Bottoms, canyon east of Pleasant Grove, area west of Pleasant Grove, Lake View, Robinson Farm. Observed the following

Anas p. platyrhynchos 6
Anas acuta tzytzylova 1
Glaucionetta clangula americana 14
Accipiter striatus 1
Buteo jamaicensis borealis 19 (5 melanistic)
Buteo lagopus s. johnsoni 1
Circus cyaneus 13
Falco sparverius 7
Colinus virginianus 18
Zenaidura macroura 2
Bubo virginianus 2
Colaptes auratus 63
Sphyrapicus varius 8
Melanerpes erythrocephalus 1
Dendrocopos villosus 2
 " *pubescens* 10
Otocoris alpestris 8
Cyanocitta cristata 6
Corvus brachyrhynchos 99
Parus atricapillus 90
Baeolophus bicolor 6
Certhia familiaris 1
Thryothorus ludovicianus
Turdus migratorius