SEASONAL REPORT - BIRDS

Report dates - December 1, 1985 thru February 28, 1986

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Common Loon	COMMON NAME	DATE(S)	# SEEN	LOCATION	COUNTY	OBSERVER
Pied-billed Grebe	Common Loon	12/28	2	kp	bу	mo
Horned Grebe 1/4 3 np	reported on bay	city christmas	bird cou	nt		
Great Blue Heron	Pied-billed Grebe	1/26	3	kp	bу	mo
Mute Swan 2/21 2 sa mh Canada Goose late Dec. 50 sa bw 2/15 500 snwr sa bw most of these overwintered 1/1 8 mn jw Wood Duck 12/21 1 mi - Am. Black Duck 2/2 2 mg by gp Mallard thru period 10-20 mg by jz Mallard thru period 10-20 mg by mo N. Pintail 12/26 200 kp by mo Redhead 1/26-2/16 1 mg by mo Scaup Sp. 12/28 1 kp by tw by <td>Horned Grebe</td> <td>1/4</td> <td>3</td> <td>np</td> <td>mi</td> <td>tw</td>	Horned Grebe	1/4	3	np	mi	tw
Canada Goose	Great Blue Heron	1/19	WIN TO SEE	Star Park	ру	pa, js
Canada Goose	Mute Swan	2/21	2		sa	mh
Mood Duck	Canada Goose	late Dec.	50		sa	
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Am. Black Duck	Wood Duck	12/21	1		mi	-
Mallard thru period 10-20 mg by jz 1/26 200 kp by mo N. Pintail 12/21 1 mi - reported on Midland CBC Redhead 1/26-2/16 1 mg by mo scaup sp. 12/21 2 mi - reported on Midland CBC Oldsquaw 12/28 1 kp by mh bay city CBC common Goldeneye thru period 100 mg by js Bufflehead 2/27 1 mi cf Common Merganser 1/4 thru period - kp by tw,cf Red-br Merganser 1/26 3 by tw Red-br Merganser 1/26 3 by tw Ruddy Duck 12/28 1 kp by Bald Eagle 2/22 2ad,1im by js js Sharp-sh Hawk 1/19 1 tu mi Cooper's Hawk 1/19 1 tu		reported on Mid	lland CBC			-4-1-1
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Common Merganser			1			•
Max. # 4000 Red-br Merganser			-	kp	bу	tw, cf
Ruddy Duck		max. # 4000				
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Am. Kestrel thru period tri mo	Am. Kestrel				tri	mo

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Ring-nk Pheasant
                       thru period
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(one chinese pheasant brought in from saginaw hit by car in Feb.)
Wild Turkey
                       thru period
                                         1 fem.
                                                  cnc
                                                           mi
                                                                   cf
Am. Coot
                       12/28
                                         1
                                                  kp
                                                           bv
                       by city CBC
Ring-billed Gull
                       12/28
                                         12
                                                           bv
                       bay city CBC
Herring Gull
                                         200
                       thru period
                                                           b y
                                                                   pd
Iceland Gull
                       1/26
                                         1 imm.
                                                           by
                                                                   tw
Glaucous Gull
                       1/4
                                         11
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                                                           by
                                                                   tw, cf
                       3 adults and 8 immatures
Rock Dove
                       thru period
                                                           tri
                                                                   mo
Mourning Dove
                       thra period
                                                           tri
                                                                   mo
E. Screech 1:1
                       thro feb.
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                       late feb.
                                                           sa
                                                                   bw
Great Horned Owl
                       thru period
                                                                   pd, bg, gk
                                                           mi, sa
                       nesting in late feb.
Barred Owl
                       12/21
                                                           mi
                       reported on Midland CBC
Snowy Owl(no sightings- first time in many years)
Beited Kingfisher
                       1/26
                                                           by
                                                                   mo
Red-head Woodpecker
                       thru feb
                                                           mi
                                                                   cf
                       at bird feeder
Red-bel Woodpecker
                       thru period
                                                           by, sa
                                                                   mo
Yellow-bel Sapsucker 12/21
                                                           mi
                       on midland CBC
Downy Woodpecker
                       thru period
                                                           tri
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Hairy Woodpecker
                       thru period
                                                           tri
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N. Flicker
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                       scattered sightings thru period
Pileated Woodpecker
                       12/27, 1/29
                                                           mi
                                                                   VS
Horned Lark
                       thru period
                                                           tri
                                                                   mo
Blue Jay
                       thru period
                                                           tri
                                                                   mo
Am. Crow
                       thru period
                                                           tri
                                                                   mo
                                        400 at roost
                                                           mi
                                                                   tw
Bl-cap Chickadee
                       thru period
                                                           tri
                                                                   mo
Tufted Titmouse
                       thru periood
                                                           tri
                                                                   mo
                       this is the first time Bob Grefe has had these at
his feeder in 35 years!
Red-br Nuthatch
                       thru period
                                         1
                                                           sa
                                                                   bg
White-br Nuthatch
                       thru period
                                                           tri
                                                                   mo
Brown Creeper
                       thru period
                                                           tri
                                                                   mo
Carolina Wren
                       12/8 thru period
                                                           mi
                                                                   jd.
                       one bird visiting a feeder at Sanford Lake.
Hernit Thrush
                       2/2 thru period 1
                                                                   jd
                       same feeder as carolina wren.
Am. Robin
                       1/18singing
                                        1
                                                 ene
                                                           mi
                                                                   cf
                       2/24
                                                 ene
                                                           mi
                                                                   cf
Bohemian Waxwing
                       12/20 thru period
                                                           mi
                                                                   mo
                       220 in Midland was max.
                                                                   gk
Cedar Waxwing
                       thru period
                                        40
                                                           mi
                                                                   jz.
N. Shrike
                       scattered sightings thru period
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			MARK Greater
European Starling	thru period	tri	mo
N. Cardinal	thru period	tri	mo
Am. Tree Sparrow	thru period	tri	mo sa de la companya
Song Sparrow	thru period 1	sa	bg un dn
White-thr Sparrow	12/4	by	A Section for the second section of the sec
	dec 1 adamotions	sa	gp
White-cr Sparrow	12/28	and the second of	pd
	also reported on bay city CBC	sa	bw
Dark-eyed Junco	thru period		
Lapland Longspur		tri	mo
Snow Bunting		sa	mh
Red-wing Blackbird	1/4 850 np 2/8 1	mi	tw
Brown-head Cowbird	1/2	by	js.
Pine Grosbeak		by	gp
Purple Finch	thru period 60 max.	mi	mo
House Finch	1/4	mi	mb
	thru period 15	mi	cf
Common Redpoll Pine Siskin	2/20-27 200 200 200 200 200 200 200 200 200 2	tu	mw
	1/4	mi	mb
Am. Goldfinch	thru period	tri	mo
	numbers way down at most feeders	in area	a they have to
Evening Grosbeak		tri	mo
	scattered sightings thru period	nalek	tanel by
House Sparrow	thru period	tri	mo
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ABBREVIATION CODES -

locations

kp karn plant
np nuclear pond
mg middle grounds(saginaw river)
ene Chippewa Nature Center
sr saginaw river
snwr Shiawassee national wildlife refuge



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counties

mi midland

hy hay

sa saginaw

tu tuscola

mn monroe

tri tri-county area(midland, saginaw, and bay)

observers

tw Terry Walsh mo many observers Phil Davis pd Joe Soehnel js Jerry Ziarno jz Bob Grefe bg ra Ron Annelin Myles Willard mw gp Glenn Peterson mh Mark Hubinger bw Bruce Winchell Jan Dennett jd VS Vickie Stilwell mb Mary Brown cf Chip Francke 10 12 Cano Kenaga jw John Wardwell