

76. WARMAN. *Murray Doell*. (1)
77. WEYBURN. Bill Aldrich, Leo Belanger, Louise Belanger, *Ray Belanger*, Sophie Belanger, Greg Bobbitt, Jim Charlton, Chris Douglas, Ross Douglas, Norm Flaten, Dick Gutfriend, Dorothy Hannah, Grace Kurtz, Betty Layh, Phil Layh, Cyril Marcotte, Ray Neville, Wally Nicholson, Nick Postey, Doug Pulfer, Stewart Stairmand. (21)
78. WHITE BEAR. Darryl, Floyd, Gary and Laine Jordheim, *Sig Jordheim*, Greg McCulloch. (6)
79. WHITE BEAR LAKE (North of Carlyle). *D. G. Bobbit*, Ross Douglas, Wally Nicholson, Nick Postey, Stewart Stairmand. (5)
80. WHITEBEECH (North of Arran). Ida Wotherspoon, *Lindsay Wotherspoon*. (2)
81. WOLSELEY. *Dale Chay*, Donald Hayward. (2)
82. YORKTON. Bill and Joyce Anaka, Joyce Baines, *Joe Bergerman*, Art Griffith, Elenor and Warren Hjertaas, Lance Irvine, Jim Jowsey, Lorne and Marilyn Lepp, Bret Parlee, Ed and Dorothy Skeene, Beth Turberfield, Harold Wilkinson, Julia Wiwchar. (17)

GLAUCOUS-WINGED GULL AT NAICAM

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The Christmas Bird Count at Naicam on 19 December produced the usual hardy winter birds — and one unusual exception, a Glaucous-winged Gull. This large white-headed gull was feeding on the grid road about 3 km west of Naicam. From a distance of 50 m the white head, breast, belly and tail, grey back and wings, pink feet and yellow bill were distinctly seen. Within seconds, a vehicle passed, putting the bird to flight.

Between 12:15 and 12:25, using 8x30 binoculars and with *Birds of North America* by Robbins et al as a reference, the gull was viewed in flight and then at rest on a stubble field.⁶ Viewing conditions were good; although partially overcast it was bright, with light reflecting from the fresh-fallen snow. As the gull flew in arching circles within 150 m, the colour of the primaries were

observed to be the same grey that mantled the back and wings. This was the best feature for separating the Glaucous-winged from the Glaucous Gull as depicted by Robbins. When it settled again within 75 m its large size was noted, roughly equal to that of a Herring or California Gull, with which the author is familiar. The large size, with the tail as long as or longer than the wing tips, excluded the smaller Iceland Gull. Once more the pink feet, yellow bill with a red dot, and a yellow eye were noted, all of which matched the text and illustration in Robbins for the Glaucous-winged Gull.⁶

Julie Jensen and the author returned at 13:30 with a camera. The gull was uncooperative, flying and resting beyond camera range. Blowing snow made viewing conditions less satisfactory. We

again observed the solidly grey back and wings, lacking any contrast in the primary feathers. We would lose the wing outline against the white background and realized the wings were outlined in white, again matching the illustration in Robbins.

Details for an unusual or rare bird sighting were recorded on the CBC tally sheet. It was not until after returning to Saskatoon that it was made apparent how unusual this sighting had been; the species was not on the most recent "Check-list of Saskatchewan Birds." Other field guides, including Peterson, Terres, and the National Geographic field guide, were searched and checked again with Stuart and Mary Houston. All showed the Glaucous-winged Gull with a dark eye. This cast some doubt upon my identification, though the wing pattern was certainly not that of the Glaucous Gull. Bernie Gollop, located three references to the variability of eye colour (from yellow to brown) in the Glaucous-winged Gull.^{1 2 5} The author is now quite certain of the identification of Saskatchewan's first Glaucous-winged Gull.

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Canada Geese, Wascana, 1978

Lorne Scott

Table 1. COUNT COVERAGE AND WEATHER CONDITIONS

LOCALITY													
1. ABERNETHY-KATEPWA	161	1	15	0.5	0.5	-11		40		6	2		Clear
2. ASSINIBOIA	80	0	3	0	0	-2	-5	10	5	2			Clear
3. BANGOR	30	24	2	5	3	-10	-12	22	20	5	3		Mostly clear
4. BATTLEFORD	40	2	1	1	1	-17							Clear-cloudy
5. BIGGAR	200	11.5	12	5	2	-16	-21	40	30	10	0		Mostly cloudy
6. BIG GULLY CREEK	150	10	7	4	0	-24	-27	40	30	20	5		Clear
7. BIRCH HILLS	176	5	6	2	0.5	-9	-17	10	0	20	16		Foggy;cloudy
8. BROADVIEW	105	6	3.5	4	0	0	-9	20		3	0		Clear
9. BROMHEAD	176	2	9	1	0	-10		0		1	0		Clear
10. CABRI	92	0	3	0	0	-15	-20	45	35	8	2		Mostly clear
11. CARRAGANA	6.5	4	1	2	8	-4	-10	10	8	20	15		Clear
12. CLEARWATER LAKE	98	0	3	0	0								
13. CODETTE	8	6	1	3	0	-9		0					
14. CRAVEN	25	2	2	1	0	0	-1	0		2	1		Mostly clear
15. CROOKED LAKE PP	133	6	5	2	1	-2	-12	10	0	2	1		Clear
16. DALMENY	40	24	1	10	0	0	-4	10	5	3	0		Partly cloudy; clear
17. DILKE	90	2	2.5	1	3	-10	-20	50	15	5	0		Partly cloudy;overcast
18. DUVAL	180	8	8	3	0	-7	-12	10	0	7	0		Clear; partly cloudy
19. ENDEAVOUR	22	11	1.5	5	2	-8	-13	5	3	23	18		Overcast
20. ESTEVAN	110	5	6	2	0	-5	-9	5	0	2	0		Mostly cloudy; clear
21. FORT QU'APPELLE	190	2	13	0.5	10	-6		25		1			Partly cloudy
22. FORT WALSH	177	67	20	28	2	-5	-10	70	20	45	10		Mostly clear; mostly cloudy
23. GARDINER DAM	255	13	11	5.5	0	-8	-10	40	0	15	0		Mostly cloudy
24. GLAMIS-WISETON	45	2.5	2.5	1	0	-5	-12	5	0	10	0		Clear
25. GOOD SPIRIT LAKE	105	4	5	3	1	-3	-9	25	15	6	2		Mostly clear;partly cloudy
26. GOVENLOCK	150	29	18	14	0	-9	-14	15	0	0			Clear
27. GRAND CENTRE	119	4	4	2	0	0	-3	11	7	7	5		Partly cloudy; mostly clear
28. GREENWATER LAKE PP	58	11	4.5	6	4	-9	-14	0		20	15		Clear
29. HERBERT	79		3			-10		45	30				Blowing snow
30. HUMBOLDT	40	1	2.5	2	3	-1	-5	6	3	12	8		Partly cloudy; mostly clear
31. INDIAN HEAD	109	4	32	8	3	0	-1	8	5	3	0		Clear; mostly clear
32. KAMSACK-TOGO					55	0	-2					5	Mostly clear
33. KEDLESTON	25	0.5	3	1	0	2		15	0	0			Mostly clear
34. KELVINGTON	143	4	6	1.5	3	-11	-26	0		18	3		Clear; mostly clear
35. KENASTON	20	1	3	2	0	-5	-15	16		10			Overcast; mostly cloudy
36. KINDERSLEY	40	0	4	0	0	0	-6	7	2	4	2		Mostly clear
37. KUTAWAGAN LAKE	210	5	4	1.5	0	-34	-36	80	50	6	0		Overcast;cloudy with snow
38. LA RONGE	121	6	4	2	1	-3	-7	14	0	35	25		Overcast; mostly cloudy
39. LAST MOUNTAIN LAKE	225	4	6	2	0	0	-6	10	0	5	0		Clear
40. LEADER	4	3	1	3	0	2	-10	0		0	0		Clear
41. LEASK	25	0	2.5	0	1	-2		5	0	8			Overcast
42. LITTLE MANITOU LAK	135	3	5	1	0	-10	-15	10	5	5	0		Mostly cloudy
43. LIVELONG	0	10	0	3	5	2	-10	10		5	3		Mostly clear
44. LOON LAKE	10	1	0.5	1	4	3	-2	10	5	4			Clear
45. LOVE-TORCH RIVER	200	10	8	4	5	-10	-15	10	0	40	25		Clear; partly cloudy
46. LUSELAND	157	35	4	13	2	-2	-10	5	0	6	2		Clear
47. MAIDSTONE BRIDGE	160	10	7	3	0	-11	-20	70	20	20	0		Cloudy & snowing
48. MARSDEN	76	6.5	5	3	6	3	-5	5		15	8		Mostly cloudy; clear
49. MAYMONT	96	0	2	0	1	4		0		5	3		Partly cloudy
50. MELVILLE	10	1	1	0.5	3	5	-12	15	5	0			Partly cloudy;mostly clear
51. MISSIWIPE					4	15	-16	4	0	7	5		Overcast & light snow; overcast
52. MOOSE JAW	198	22.5	12.5	15.5	3	2	-2	4	0	2	0		Partly cloudy; mostly clear
53. NAICAM	76	4	6	4	0	-2	-3	30	0	30	20		Cloudy & snow; cloudy
54. NIPAWIN	6	8	0.5	6	7	-4	-9	5	0	20	12		Clear
55. PIKE LAKE	167	46	14	17	0	-10	-12	54	0	15	2		Cloudy & snow; cloudy
56. PINE CREEK PARK	25	4	2	2	0	-5	-10	6	0	30	3		Clear
57. PREECEVILLE	17	2.5	0.5	3	0.5	-10	-18	8	1	10	3		Clear
58. PRINCE ALBERT EAST					6	-25	-28	50	40	50	20		Mostly clear
59. PRINCE ALBERT CITY	84	8.5	4	3.5	0	-13	-16	25	0	14	12		Partly cloudy; mostly cloudy
60. PANP	130	42	10	20	3	-10	-20	4	3	30	20		Clear
61. QU'APPELLE DAM	15	3	1	2	0	-14	-19	12	8	8	5		Partly cloudy & snow
62. RAYMORE	213	10	8	5	1	-24	-25	30	3	5	0		Clear
63. REGINA	945	86	33	28	0	1	-13	15		4	0		Partly cloudy
64. ROUND LAKE	106	0.5	5	1	4	-8	-13	30	9	0			Most clear;cloudy & light snow
65. SASKATOON	730	156	55	65	37	0	-5	19	7	10	8		Partly cloudy
66. SCOTT	175	3	6	1.5	0	-10	-12	60	30	10	0		Mostly cloudy & light snow
67. SKULL CREEK	10	6	3	2	0.5	3	2	0		20			Mostly clear
68. SNOWDEN	117	3	3	1	1.5	-4	-11	15	0	18	4		Clear
69. SOMME	160	4	4	3	2.5	-8	-18	5	0	25	15		Partly cloudy
70. SPINNEY HILL	90	1	5	0.5	0	-22	-24	15					Light fog

Table 1. (continued)

LOCALITY												
71. SPRING VALLEY	39	5	2	2	0	-10	-22	8	0	2	0	Clear; mostly clear
72. SQUAW RAPIDS	40	80	17	16		-10	-14	5	0	30	20	Overcast & light snow
73. TISDALE	40	0	2	0	4	-5	-15			18	15	
74. TOMPKINS	20	0	3	0	0	0	-18	30	10	5	2	Mostly clear
75. TUBEROSE	35	2	2	2								
76. WARMAN	75	10	7	2	0	-1	-5	10	0	8	0	Partly cloudy & light snow
77. WEYBURN	516	28	18.5	8	2	-3	-9	30	20	2	0	Partly cloudy; mostly clear
78. WHITE BEAR	32	26	0.5	6	0.5	0	-5	5	2	8	6	Clear
79. WHITE BEAR LAKE	130	7	3	3	0	-5	-11	20	10	2		Overcast; partly cloudy
80. WHITEBEECH	5	5	0.5	2	6	-2		0		18		
81. WOLSELEY	53	3	1.5	2	0	-2		0		4	3	Clear
82. YORKTON	70	30	3	3	0.5	-8	-9	28		6	4	Partly cloudy



Pheasant tracks in snow

J.B. Gollop

LOCATIONS OF COUNTS

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| 1. ABERNETHY-KATEPWA | 28. GREENWATER LAKE PROV. PARK | 56. PINE CREE REGIONAL PARK (NE of Eastend) |
| 2. ASSINIBOIA | 29. HERBERT | 57. PREECEVILLE |
| 3. BANGOR | 30. HUMBOLDT | 58. PRINCE ALBERT EAST |
| 4. BATTLEFORD | 31. INDIAN HEAD | 59. PRINCE ALBERT CITY |
| 5. BIGGAR | 32. KAMSACK-TOGO | 60. PRINCE ALBERT NATIONAL PARK (PANP) |
| 6. BIG GULLY CREEK | 33. KEDLESTON (east of Dilke) | 61. QU'APPELLE DAM |
| 7. BIRCH HILLS | 34. KELVINGTON | 62. RAYMORE |
| 8. BROADVIEW | 35. KENASTON | 63. REGINA |
| 9. BROMHEAD | 36. KINDERSLEY | 64. ROUND LAKE (Stockholm) |
| 10. CABRI | 37. KUTAWAGAN LAKE | 65. SASKATOON |
| 11. CARRAGANA | 38. LA RONGE | 66. SCOTT |
| 12. CLEARWATER LAKE | 39. LAST MOUNTAIN LAKE W.M.U. | 67. SKULL CREEK |
| 13. CODETTE | 40. LEADER | 68. SNOWDEN |
| 14. CRAVEN | 41. LEASK | 69. SOMME |
| 15. CROOKED LAKE PROV. PARK | 42. LITTLE MANITOU LAKE | 70. SPINNEY HILL (near Baljennie) |
| 16. DALMENY | 43. LIVELONG | 71. SPRING VALLEY |
| 17. DILKE | 44. LOON LAKE | 72. SQUAW RAPIDS |
| 18. DUVAL | 45. LOVE-TORCH RIVER | 73. TISDALE |
| 19. ENDEAVOUR | 46. LUSELAND | 74. TOMPKINS |
| 20. ESTEVAN | 47. MAIDSTONE BRIDGE | 75. TUBEROSE |
| 21. FORT QU'APPELLE | 48. MARSDEN | 76. WARMAN |
| 22. FORT WALSH | 49. MAYMONT | 77. WEYBURN |
| 23. GARDINER DAM | 50. MELVILLE | 78. WHITE BEAR |
| 24. GLAMIS-WISETON | 51. MISSINIFE | 79. WHITE BEAR LAKE (North of Carlyle) |
| 25. GOOD SPIRIT LAKE | 52. MOOSE JAW | 80. WHITEBEECH |
| 26. GOVENLOCK | 53. NAICAM | 81. WOLSELEY |
| 27. GRAND CENTRE-PIERCELAND | 54. NIPAWIN | 82. YORKTON |
| | 55. PIKE LAKE | |

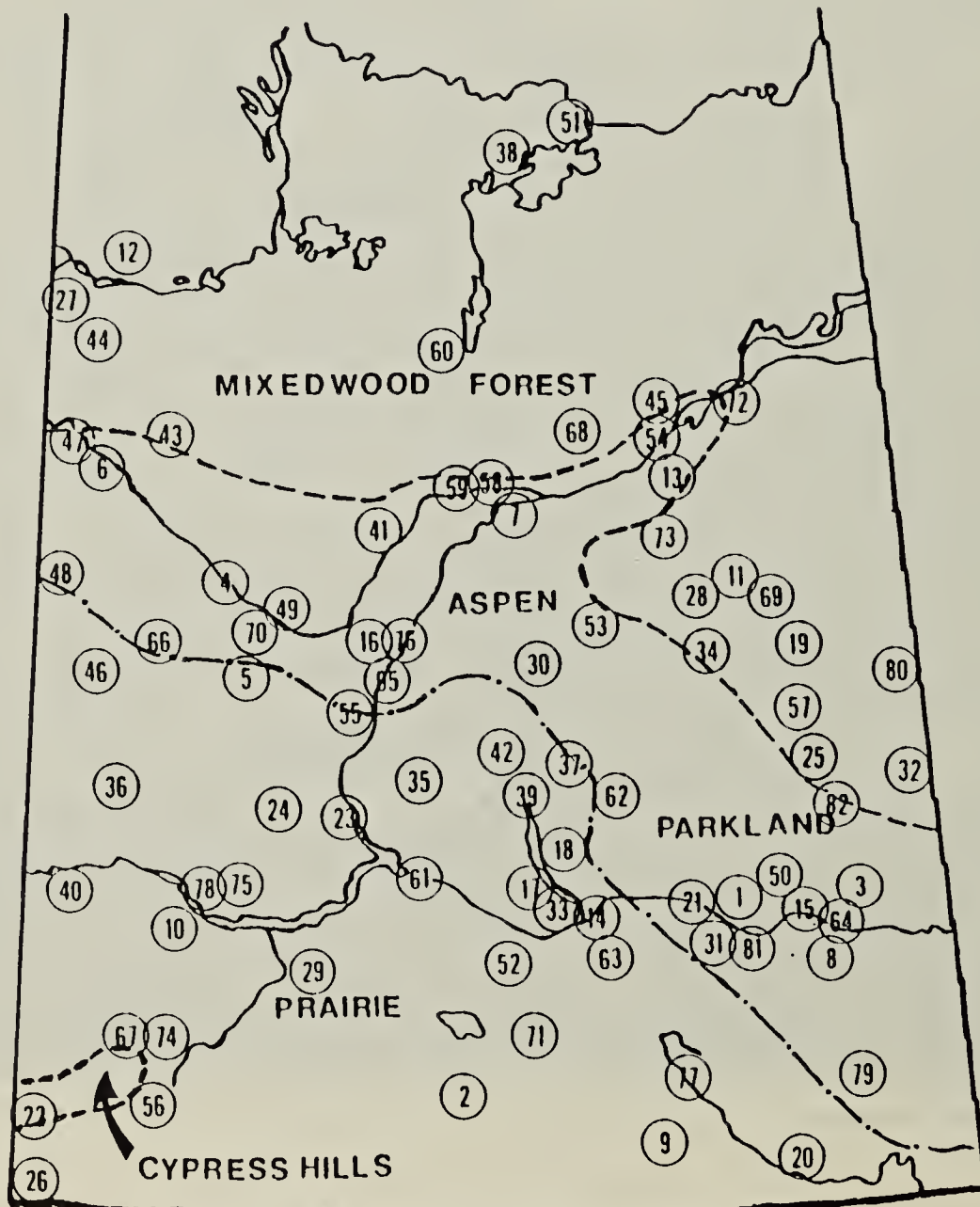


Table 2-1. SPECIES RECORDED FROM MORE THAN FIVE LOCALITIES

+ = high count for a species seen during count period but not on count day

SPECIES	LOCALITY & DATE										
	ABERNETHY-KATEPWA 29 December	ASSINIBOIA 25 December	BANGOR 28 December	BATTLEFORD 24 December	BIGGAR 30 December	BIG GULLY CREEK 03 January	BIRCH HILLS 21 December	BROADVIEW 29 December	BROMHEAD 27 December	CABRI 31 December	CARRAGANA 04 January
CANADA GOOSE	9							12			
MALLARD	609										
COMMON GOLDENEYE											
BALD EAGLE	1										
NORTHERN GOSHAWK	1										
ROUGH-LEGGED HAWK									2		
GOLDEN EAGLE	1				1						
MERLIN				1	1						
GRAY PARTRIDGE		57	12		10	+6	18		53		+14
RING-NECKED PHEASANT		+6							3		
RUFFED GROUSE	1		2			1		1			
SHARP-TAILED GROUSE	12	2	12	+1	61	+11		34		+6	
ROCK DOVE	14	6	6	+4	74		138	7	3	5	
MOURNING DOVE											
GREAT HORNED OWL	3	+2			2	+1		1	5		
SNOWY OWL	+1	1	2	+1		+1	1		4		
DOWNY WOODPECKER	5		2		1	+1	1	1	1		
HAIRY WOODPECKER	7		2	1	1	1	6	3			
THREE-TOED WOODPECKER						1					
BLACK-BACKED WOODPECKER						1					
PILEATED WOODPECKER											
HORNED LARK					2				96	110	
GRAY JAY											1
BLUE JAY	+1		+1		10	1	4	1			1
BLACK-BILLED MAGPIE	44	1	6	6	50	41	21	19	11	10	1
COMMON RAVEN				1		2	6	+1			2
BLACK-CAPPED CHICKADEE	23		14	3	14	11	31	17			4
BOREAL CHICKADEE						2					
RED-BREASTED NUTHATCH			1		3	1					
WHITE-BREASTED NUTHATCH	2							4			
GOLDEN-CROWNED KINGLET					1						
BOHEMIAN WAXWING				120	81			200	10	41	
NORTHERN SHRIKE											
EUROPEAN STARLING					3		7		1		
DARK-EYED JUNCO (S-C)											
SNOW BUNTING	+250	96	+50	10	1943	180	83		2	120	18
RED-WINGED BLACKBIRD					1			+1			
RUSTY BLACKBIRD					7						
PINE GROSBEAK	+6					23		7			
WHITE-WINGED CROSSBILL							+4	6			
COMMON REDPOLL					136	30					
HOARY REDPOLL					5						
EVENING GROSBEAK			5		1	6	7	7			
HOUSE SPARROW	143	50	23	2	899	200	308	95	159	138	10
NO.INDIV TABLES 3&4	18	0	0	0	2	9	0	1	2	1	0
NO.SPECIES COUNT DAY	16	7	12	8	25	15	13	17	14	7	7
NO.SPECIES COUNT PERIOD	20	9	15	11	25	20	14	19	14	8	8
NO.SPECIES TABLES 3&4	1	0	1	0	2	2	0	1	1	1	0
NO.INDIV COUNT DAY	893	213	87	144	3309	510	631	416	352	425	37

Table 2-2. SPECIES RECORDED FROM MORE THAN FIVE LOCALITIES

+ = high count for a species seen during count period but not on count day

SPECIES	LOCALITY & DATE										
	CLEARWATER LAKE 27 December	CODETTE 27 December	CRAVEN 26 December	CROOKED LAKE P.P. 27 December	DALMENY 26 December	DILKE 01 January	DUVAL 22 December	ENDEAVOUR 25 December	ESTEVAN 23 December	FORT QU'APPELLE 19 December	FORT WALSH 19 December
CANADA GOOSE									308	17	
MALLARD									165	68	2
COMMON GOLDENEYE				2					15	1	
BALD EAGLE										1	5
NORTHERN GOSHAWK											1
ROUGH-LEGGED HAWK			1								
GOLDEN EAGLE							+1			+1	14
MERLIN						+1				+1	1
GRAY PARTRIDGE	+9	22				+7	+41		64	18	24
RING-NECKED PHEASANT										6	4
RUFFED GROUSE		2			8			3		1	3
SHARP-TAILED GROUSE		5		18	2	3	32	+7	11	35	67
ROCK DOVE		5	46	9	+46	9	26	+14	51	38	5
MOURNING DOVE								1		+1	
GREAT HORNED OWL		1		1		1	2			+1	1
SNOWY OWL										1	
DOWNY WOODPECKER	2	2		5		+1	1			4	2
HAIRY WOODPECKER		2		6	7	+1	2	2	1	1	1
THREE-TOED WOODPECKER										1	2
BLACK-BACKED WOODPECKER											
PILEATED WOODPECKER								1			
HORNED LARK						21			2	+5	5
GRAY JAY								+2			
BLUE JAY		1		6		2	+2	+1		2	1
BLACK-BILLED MAGPIE	25	5	6	46	24	19	19	5	15	28	324
COMMON RAVEN		29		2	1			60			
BLACK-CAPPED CHICKADEE		8	2	55	18	1	8	3	11	21	103
BOREAL CHICKADEE											
RED-BREASTED NUTHATCH											10
WHITE-BREASTED NUTHATCH				5					3	3	
GOLDEN-CROWNED KINGLET										2	20
BOHEMIAN WAXWING		3		242	16	18	29		40	50	8
NORTHERN SHRIKE		1								1	4
EUROPEAN STARLING											
DARK-EYED JUNCO (S-C)										1	2
SNOW BUNTING		30				20	7	35		+3	104
RED-WINGED BLACKBIRD											4
RUSTY BLACKBIRD										+1	30
PINE GROSBEAK		5		2				1		4	
WHITE-WINGED CROSSBILL		4		+6						+26	7
COMMON REDPOLL		6		42		24		35			140
HOARY REDPOLL											
EVENING GROSBEAK		15		16						4	15
HOUSE SPARROW	6	12	125	143	10	110	662	20	35	370	260
NO.INDIV TABLES 3&4	2	0	0	1	2	0	0	1	8	7	137
NO.SPECIES COUNT DAY	4	19	5	17	10	11	10	12	16	27	38
NO.SPECIES COUNT PERIOD	5	19	5	18	11	15	13	16	16	37	38
NO.SPECIES TABLES 3&4	1	0	0	1	2	0	0	1	3	5	10
NO.INDIV COUNT DAY	35	158	180	601	88	228	788	167	729	685	1306

Table 2-3. SPECIES RECORDED FROM MORE THAN FIVE LOCALITIES
 + = high count for a species seen during count period but not on count day

GARDINER DAM 21 December	GLAMIS-WISETON 28 December	GOOD SPIRIT LAKE 22 December	GOVENLOCK 20 December	GRAND CENTRE 26 December	GREENWATER L.P.P. 28 December	HERBERT 02 January	HUMBOLDT 26 December	INDIAN HEAD 27 December	KAMSACK-TOGO 02 January	KEDLESTON 19 December	SPECIES
+10								150			CANADA GOOSE
472				3				400			MALLARD
126				9							COMMON GOLDENEYE
21			1	1				1			BALD EAGLE
		1			+1						NORTHERN GOSHAWK
		+2	3								ROUGH-LEGGED HAWK
			9		+1					1	GOLDEN EAGLE
1								2			MERLIN
45	30		70			73	3	34		4	GRAY PARTRIDGE
1			3								RING-NECKED PHEASANT
		5			15		+1	5	7	1	RUFFED GROUSE
27		28	1				21	58	10	17	SHARP-TAILED GROUSE
47	10	10	21	4			230	29	10	6	ROCK DOVE
					+1						MOURNING DOVE
2		2			3	1	1	1	2		GREAT HORNED OWL
5	2	1	1					2		1	SNOWY OWL
1		8		1	9		2	8	6		DOWNY WOODPECKER
		13		4	6	+1	2	7	4		HAIRY WOODPECKER
					1						THREE-TOED WOODPECKER
							1				BLACK-BACKED WOODPECKER
		1			1						PILEATED WOODPECKER
2			625			56					HORNED LARK
		+2		2	8			1	5		GRAY JAY
1		1		1	8		4	8	10		BLUE JAY
87	12	20	3	20	9	23	7	66	10	10	BLACK-BILLED MAGPIE
		5		116	32				10		COMMON RAVEN
12		51		12	95		15	85	12		BLACK-CAPPED CHICKADEE
				2	3			2	10		BOREAL CHICKADEE
		1			1		10	3			RED-BREASTED NUTHATCH
		+1			10		2	13	2		WHITE-BREASTED NUTHATCH
4											GOLDEN-CROWNED KINGLET
		+1		34		29	3	140	20		BOHEMIAN WAXWING
		1	1		+1				3		NORTHERN SHRIKE
1		17							6		EUROPEAN STARLING
								1	4		DARK-EYED JUNCO (S-C)
471		1	215		50	23	5	30	20	1	SNOW BUNTING
1											RED-WINGED BLACKBIRD
								2			RUSTY BLACKBIRD
		8		5	+2		+18	21	25		PINE GROSBEAK
		9			4		30				WHITE-WINGED CROSSBILL
38			1	8				15			COMMON REDPOLL
											HOARY REDPOLL
		5		3	141			37	400		EVENING GROSBEAK
949	40	253	1011	15	4	60	75	812	50	200	HOUSE SPARROW
76	0	0	92	114	0	0	0	132	29	0	NO.INDIV TABLES 3&4
28	5	21	21	20	18	7	16	33	24	9	NO.SPECIES COUNT DAY
29	5	25	21	20	24	8	18	33	24	10	NO.SPECIES COUNT PERIOD
8	0	0	9	3	1	0	0	6	3	1	NO.SPECIES TABLES 3&4
2390	94	441	2057	354	400	265	411	2065	655	241	NO.INDIV COUNT DAY

Table 2-4. SPECIES RECORDED FROM MORE THAN FIVE LOCALITIES
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SPECIES	LOCALITY & DATE										
	KELVINGTON 23 December	KENASTON 23 December	KINDERSLEY 25 December	KUTAWAGAN LAKE 30 December	LA RONGE 28 December	LAST MOUNTAIN L. 26 December	LEADER 26 December	LEASK 25 December	LITTLE MANITOU L. 17 December	LIVELONG 27 December	LOON LAKE 27 December
CANADA GOOSE							3				
MALLARD											
COMMON GOLDENEYE											
BALD EAGLE					1		1			+1	+1
NORTHERN GOSHAWK											
ROUGH-LEGGED HAWK											
GOLDEN EAGLE											
MERLIN	+1					1					
GRAY PARTRIDGE	12	10		47		7					
RING-NECKED PHEASANT	1						11				
RUFFED GROUSE	2									+3	
SHARP-TAILED GROUSE	8	17	1	23		8	5	16			
ROCK DOVE	56	3		2		80		19			
MOURNING DOVE											
GREAT HORNED OWL	4	2		2				1			
SNOWY OWL			3	+1		3					
DOWNY WOODPECKER	8				1			1	3	2	
HAIRY WOODPECKER	7				4				4	2	
THREE-TOED WOODPECKER											
BLACK-BACKED WOODPECKER											
PILEATED WOODPECKER											
HORNED LARK		6				3		19			
GRAY JAY					6						3
BLUE JAY	24				3			1	5	2	
BLACK-BILLED MAGPIE	18	9		15	1	28	32	2	9	4	2
COMMON RAVEN	91				81			2		6	11
BLACK-CAPPED CHICKADEE	41				6	3	2	4	4	12	2
BOREAL CHICKADEE					2						6
RED-BREASTED NUTHATCH									3		
WHITE-BREASTED NUTHATCH											2
GOLDEN-CROWNED KINGLET						1					
BOHEMIAN WAXWING			50				26			+10	
NORTHERN SHRIKE											
EUROPEAN STARLING					1	1					
DARK-EYED JUNCO (S-C)											
SNOW BUNTING	220	4000	12	2415		25		83		50	
RED-WINGED BLACKBIRD											
RUSTY BLACKBIRD											
PINE GROSBEAK					17					+2	
WHITE-WINGED CROSSBILL		+8						5			
COMMON REDPOLL	60				71						
HOARY REDPOLL					9						
EVENING GROSBEAK	146				29					75	16
HOUSE SPARROW	371	150	17	8		283	4	6	29	50	6
NO.INDIV TABLES 3&4	12	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
NO.SPECIES COUNT DAY	17	8	5	7	15	13	8	5	11	9	11
NO.SPECIES COUNT PERIOD	18	9	5	8	15	13	8	5	11	13	13
NO.SPECIES TABLES 3&4	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1
NO.INDIV COUNT DAY	1081	4197	83	2512	233	444	84	97	107	209	54

Table 2-5. SPECIES RECORDED FROM MORE THAN FIVE LOCALITIES
 + = high count for a species seen during count period but not on count day

LOVE-TORCH RIVER 29 December	LUSELAND 27 December	MAIDSTONE BRIDGE 02 January	MARSDEN 26 December	MAYMONT 26 December	MELVILLE 26 December	MISSINUIPE 17 December	MOOSE JAW 26 December	NAICAM 19 December	NIPAWIN 26 December	PIKE LAKE 02 January	SPECIES
											CANADA GOOSE
											MALLARD
										16	COMMON GOLDENEYE
									1		BALD EAGLE
										1	NORTHERN GOSHAWK
											ROUGH-LEGGED HAWK
											GOLDEN EAGLE
+1	+1		+1				1				MERLIN
	21	7	5	8	+7		139	12			GRAY PARTRIDGE
							8				RING-NECKED PHEASANT
1		1							3	4	RUFFED GROUSE
	52	6	11	3			2	24	8	86	SHARP-TAILED GROUSE
+1	27		15		+2		276	3	6	1	ROCK DOVE
										1	MOURNING DOVE
	2	2	1		1		+1		2	6	GREAT HORNED OWL
1	3	+1	+1	1			1	1	1	+1	SNOWY OWL
4	8	1	2	2	1		8		1	1	DOWNY WOODPECKER
5	2	1	3				4	1	1	4	HAIRY WOODPECKER
									2		THREE-TOED WOODPECKER
											BLACK-BACKED WOODPECKER
+1									1		PILEATED WOODPECKER
							12			40	HORNED LARK
8						6	+1		3		GRAY JAY
13	11	1	8	4		2	2	2	4	10	BLUE JAY
12	43	12	12	4	+1		122	7	4	91	BLACK-BILLED MAGPIE
32		2	7	2		+4			60		COMMON RAVEN
24		9	56	2	7	12	30	14	27	61	BLACK-CAPPED CHICKADEE
						2			+1		BOREAL CHICKADEE
			2				9				RED-BREASTED NUTHATCH
1	1						5		1	1	WHITE-BREASTED NUTHATCH
		+2									GOLDEN-CROWNED KINGLET
	54		20		45		75		5	375	BOHEMIAN WAXWING
									1	2	NORTHERN SHRIKE
							12			4	EUROPEAN STARLING
							14				DARK-EYED JUNCO (S-C)
320	493	225	22	30		+10	20	50	6	405	SNOW BUNTING
											RED-WINGED BLACKBIRD
										14	RUSTY BLACKBIRD
10		4					5		6	3	PINE GROSBEAK
			23					1	8		WHITE-WINGED CROSSBILL
73	69								30	86	COMMON REDPOLL
5										3	HOARY REDPOLL
100	11	+8	17		3	32	5		22	55	EVENING GROSBEAK
137	947	90	250	24	12		1117	3	15	172	HOUSE SPARROW
1	1	40	1	2	0	0	5	1	3	1	NO.INDIV TABLES 3&4
17	16	14	17	11	6	5	24	12	27	25	NO.SPECIES COUNT DAY
21	17	18	19	11	9	7	26	12	29	26	NO.SPECIES COUNT PERIOD
2	1	2	1	1	0	0	3	1	4	1	NO.SPECIES TABLES 3&4
747	1745	401	455	82	69	54	1872	119	221	1443	NO.INDIV COUNT DAY

Table 2-6. SPECIES RECORDED FROM MORE THAN FIVE LOCALITIES
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SPECIES	LOCALITY & DATE										
	PINE CREE R. PARK 25 December	PREECEVILLE 26 December	PRINCE ALBERT EAST 03 January	PRINCE ALBERT CITY 29 December	PRINCE ALBERT N.P. 20 December	QU'APPELLE DAM 31 December	RAYMORE 24 December	REGINA 26 December	ROUND LAKE 02 January	SASKATOON 26 December	SCOTT 02 January
CANADA GOOSE						4	+ 17	2094		3	
MALLARD						250		85	2	72	
COMMON GOLDENEYE				3		10			2	291	
BALD EAGLE					1	1	+ 1				
NORTHERN GOSHAWK							+ 1				
ROUGH-LEGGED HAWK							+ 1	1			
GOLDEN EAGLE	3					1					
MERLIN	1			1			+ 2	6		13	
GRAY PARTRIDGE	+ 34						37	54	15	38	
RING-NECKED PHEASANT							+ 1	1	1		
RUFFED GROUSE			+ 2		6	2	+ 2		7	3	
SHARP-TAILED GROUSE	1					40	98	4	12	82	
ROCK DOVE		8		273		2	81	2838	15	2303	30
MOURNING DOVE								1			
GREAT HORNED OWL							1	15	1	21	2
SNOWY OWL							2	8		2	1
DOWNY WOODPECKER		+ 2	2	3	3		5	9	8	25	
HAIRY WOODPECKER		1	2	1	5		1	1	8	18	
THREE-TOED WOODPECKER					1						
BLACK-BACKED WOODPECKER					1					1	
PILEATED WOODPECKER				1	1						
HORNED LARK							31	8			38
GRAY JAY			+ 2	4	18		1			1	
BLUE JAY		1	1	4	2		3		4	57	4
BLACK-BILLED MAGPIE	23	1	+ 2	20	10	4	73	133	25	507	30
COMMON RAVEN		1	+ 3	71	18		2		3		
BLACK-CAPPED CHICKADEE	15	5	12	28	132	1	17	56	19	343	3
BOREAL CHICKADEE				2	52					2	3
RED-BREASTED NUTHATCH	14			7	33		1	39		69	
WHITE-BREASTED NUTHATCH		2	1	+ 1	1			2	6	1	
GOLDEN-CROWNED KINGLET							2	5		36	8
BOHEMIAN WAXWING	8						+ 13	289	+ 20	10604	
NORTHERN SHRIKE							1			1	
EUROPEAN STARLING							2	19		87	
DARK-EYED JUNCO (S-C)							1	2		2	
SNOW BUNTING		20				3	1182	470		215	476
RED-WINGED BLACKBIRD								3			
RUSTY BLACKBIRD							3	2			
PINE GROSBEAK				1	1		+ 14	4		40	
WHITE-WINGED CROSSBILL				68	38		3	93	3	166	25
COMMON REDPOLL				10	5		36		+ 15	141	
HOARY REDPOLL					2		+ 1			2	
EVENING GROSBEAK		+ 30	20	73	8		4		150	2	
HOUSE SPARROW		44	+ 12	87		5	1330	4171	110	5038	255
NO.INDIV TABLES 3&4	0	0	0	1	97	1	15	58	1	115	0
NO.SPECIES COUNT DAY	7	9	6	19	21	13	27	36	19	42	12
NO.SPECIES COUNT PERIOD	8	11	10	20	21	13	37	42	21	42	12
NO.SPECIES TABLES 3&4	0	0	0	1	3	1	4	14	1	10	0
NO.INDIV COUNT DAY	65	83	38	658	435	324	2932	10471	392	20301	875

Table 2-7. SPECIES RECORDED FROM MORE THAN FIVE LOCALITIES
 + = high count for a species seen during count period but not on count day

SKULL CREEK 26 December	SNOWDEN 27 December	SOMME 18 December	SPINNEY HILL 31 December	SPRING VALLEY 28 December	SQUAW RAPIDS 17 December	TISDALE 25 December	TOMPKINS 04 January	TUBEROSE 26 December	WARMAN 26 December	SPECIES
					7				+1	CANADA GOOSE
					215				+1	MALLARD
+1		1			17		1	1		COMMON GOLDENEYE
		+1			2					BALD EAGLE
				+1						NORTHERN GOSHAWK
			1	+1			2			ROUGH-LEGGED HAWK
										GOLDEN EAGLE
										MERLIN
23		34		41			16	20		GRAY PARTRIDGE
10										RING-NECKED PHEASANT
	2	4	2		9					RUFFED GROUSE
13		16	2	23		96	2			SHARP-TAILED GROUSE
	2	2		13	1					ROCK DOVE
		+1								MOURNING DOVE
2		+1	1	3						GREAT HORNED OWL
		2		2	1		1			SNOWY OWL
3	2	4	1		3	2			+1	DOWNY WOODPECKER
2		12	1		4	2				HAIRY WOODPECKER
		7			2					THREE-TOED WOODPECKER
		1			1					BLACK-BACKED WOODPECKER
	+1	2			3					PILEATED WOODPECKER
38			5	17			38	30		HORNED LARK
	4	8			9					GRAY JAY
	12	7	2		3	2				BLUE JAY
34	10	15	10	3	18	4	16	15	7	BLACK-BILLED MAGPIE
	25	48	3		79	8				COMMON RAVEN
13	31	48	8		23	6			1	BLACK-CAPPED CHICKADEE
		18			3					BOREAL CHICKADEE
	1				1					RED-BREASTED NUTHATCH
	1	4								WHITE-BREASTED NUTHATCH
										GOLDEN-CROWNED KINGLET
										BOHEMIAN WAXWING
		+1			1					NORTHERN SHRIKE
		1								EUROPEAN STARLING
										DARK-EYED JUNCO (S-C)
5		100	286	232			110			SNOW BUNTING
1										RED-WINGED BLACKBIRD
4										RUSTY BLACKBIRD
1	2	20			2					PINE GROSBEAK
	3	8			15					WHITE-WINGED CROSSBILL
	2	16	8		6		8			COMMON REDPOLL
		5								HOARY REDPOLL
	48	9			1					EVENING GROSBEAK
56	38	86	9	500	6	22	24	15		HOUSE SPARROW
8	0	0	0	0	84	0	0	0	0	NO.INDIV TABLES 3&4
16	15	26	14	9	28	7	10	6	3	NO.SPECIES COUNT DAY
19	16	31	14	12	28	7	10	6	6	NO.SPECIES COUNT PERIOD
4	0	1	0	1	6	0	0	0	0	NO.SPECIES TABLES 3&4
213	183	478	339	834	516	46	312	83	12	NO.INDIV COUNT DAY

Table 2-8. SPECIES RECORDED FROM MORE THAN FIVE LOCALITIES

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SPECIES	LOCALITY & DATE							SPECIES TOTAL	NUMBER OF COUNTS SEEN COUNT DAY	NUMBER OF COUNTS TOTAL COUNT PERIOD
	WEYBURN 19 December	WHITE BEAR 26 December	WHITE BEAR LAKE 17 December	WHITEBEECH 28 December	WOLSELEY 27 December	YORKTON 19 December				
CANADA GOOSE								2600	9	11
MALLARD								2135	12	13
COMMON GOLDENEYE								690	11	12
BALD EAGLE								56	16	20
NORTHERN GOSHAWK								6	5	8
ROUGH-LEGGED HAWK	2							9	5	8
GOLDEN EAGLE	+1	1						34	10	15
MERLIN	5	+1				+1		34	12	21
GRAY PARTRIDGE	200	31			+6			1314	37	45
RING-NECKED PHEASANT	2	9						60	13	15
RUFFED GROUSE			1	1	1			104	30	34
SHARP-TAILED GROUSE	8	91			+8			1214	49	54
ROCK DOVE	503	200			+10	119		7691	52	58
MOURNING DOVE								3	3	6
GREAT HORNED OWL	5	2	1		3	1		110	39	44
SNOWY OWL	7					1		62	29	36
DOWNY WOODPECKER	2		5	1		1		184	50	54
HAIRY WOODPECKER	2		13	2	1	1		194	51	53
THREE-TOED WOODPECKER								17	8	8
BLACK-BACKED WOODPECKER								6	6	6
PILEATED WOODPECKER								11	8	10
HORNED LARK	99	3			8			1314	25	26
GRAY JAY				2				90	18	22
BLUE JAY			8	5		3		272	48	52
BLACK-BILLED MAGPIE	44	51	12		1	15		2501	77	79
COMMON RAVEN				1		9		828	34	37
BLACK-CAPPED CHICKADEE	2	1	27	15	1	24		1776	67	67
BOREAL CHICKADEE								109	14	15
RED-BREASTED NUTHATCH	2					2		213	21	21
WHITE-BREASTED NUTHATCH	3		4	1				81	26	28
GOLDEN-CROWNED KINGLET								79	9	10
BOHEMIAN WAXWING	+76	8	965		20	1439		15067	33	38
NORTHERN SHRIKE	1							18	12	14
EUROPEAN STARLING	31	4						197	16	16
DARK-EYED JUNCO (S-C)	+25				1			28	9	10
SNOW BUNTING	148					2		15089	51	55
RED-WINGED BLACKBIRD								10	5	6
RUSTY BLACKBIRD								62	7	8
PINE GROSBEAK	+4			2				219	25	31
WHITE-WINGED CROSSBILL	+3							519	20	25
COMMON REDPOLL				5	30			1131	28	29
HOARY REDPOLL								31	7	8
EVENING GROSBEAK	1		27	35				1551	38	40
HOUSE SPARROW	1662	300	65	15	+50	974		25752	75	77
NO.INDIV TABLES 3&4	39	1	82	0	0	0		1205		
NO.SPECIES COUNT DAY	24	13	12	12	9	13				
NO.SPECIES COUNT PERIOD	30	14	12	12	13	16				
NO.SPECIES TABLES 3&4	5	1	1	0	0	2				
NO.INDIV COUNT DAY	2768	702	1210	85	66	2591		84676		

Table 3. SPECIES SEEN IN FIVE OR FEWER LOCALITIES

SPECIES	LOCATIONS AND NUMBERS SEEN
Common Loon	Grand Centre-Pierceland, 1
Double-crested Cormorant	Gardiner Dam, 1; Grand Centre-Pierceland, 1
Tundra Swan	Kedleston, 4; Qu'Appelle Dam, 1
Northern Pintail	Crooked Lake P.P., 1
Gadwall	Regina, 1; Skull Creek, 1
Canvasback	Regina, +1
Redhead	Yorkton, +1
Lesser Scaup	Ft Qu'Appelle, 4; Gardiner Dam, 2; Regina, +1
Hooded Merganser	Gardiner Dam, 1
Common Merganser	Ft Qu'Appelle, 2; Gardiner Dam, 60; Squaw Rapids, 3
Red-breasted Merganser	Gardiner Dam, 3; Saskatoon, 2
Northern Harrier	Govenlock, 1
Sharp-shinned Hawk	Last Mountain Lake, 1
American Kestrel	Govenlock, 1
Peregrine Falcon	Cabri, 1
Gyrfalcon	Raymore, 1
Prairie Falcon	Govenlock, 1; Skull Creek, +1; Spring Valley, +1; Weyburn, 1; White Bear, 1
Spruce Grouse	Kamsack-Togo, 10; La Ronge, 1; Love-Torch River, 1; Luseland, 1; Squaw Rapids, 10
Sage Grouse	Ft Walsh, 1; Govenlock, 67
Wild Turkey	Ft Walsh, 17
American Coot	Estevan, 2; Regina, +1
Ring-billed Gull	Grand Centre-Pierceland, 112
Herring Gull	Gardiner Dam, 3
Iceland Gull	Ft Qu'Appelle, +1
Glaucous Gull	Gardiner Dam, 4
Northern Hawk-Owl	Nipawin, 1
Great Gray Owl	Bangor, +1; Love-Torch River, +1; Nipawin, 1; PANP, 1
Long-eared Owl	Dalmeny, 1
Short-eared Owl	Raymore, 1; Regina, 9; Weyburn, +2
Boreal Owl	Nipawin, 1
Northern Saw-whet Owl	Prince Albert City, 1
Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	Saskatoon, 2
Northern Flicker	Moose Jaw, 1; Regina, 11; Saskatoon, 14; Weyburn, 2
American Crow	Regina, 1; Saskatoon, 1
Mountain Chickadee	Ft Qu'Appelle, 1; Marsden, 1; Skull Creek, +1
Brown Creeper	Ft Walsh, 1; Indian Head, 1; Moose Jaw, 3; Regina, +4; Saskatoon, 5
Mountain Bluebird	Broadview, 1
American Robin	Indian Head, 4; Moose Jaw, 1; Regina, +2; Round Lake, 1; Saskatoon, 4
Northern Mockingbird	Regina, 1
Water Pipit	Govenlock, 1
Cedar Waxwing	Indian Head, 120; Kamsack-Togo, 15; Maymont, 2; Regina, 13; Saskatoon, 7
American Tree Sparrow	Ft Walsh, 32; Govenlock, 2; Skull Creek, 7
Fox Sparrow	Biggar, 1
Song Sparrow	Saskatoon, 1
White-throated Sparrow	Indian Head, 5; Regina, +1
White-crowned Sparrow	Pike Lake, 1
Harris' Sparrow	Indian Head, 1
Dark-eyed Junco (Oregon)	Biggar, 1
Lapland Longspur	Govenlock, 17; Weyburn, 33
Western Meadowlark	Dalmeny, 1; Ft Walsh, 1
Common Grackle	Ft Qu'Appelle, +1; Regina, 1; Weyburn, 3
Brown-headed Cowbird	Endeavour, 1; Yorkton, +2
Rosy Finch	Ft Walsh, 64; Loon Lake, +1
Purple Finch	Estevan, 5; Indian Head, 1; Kelvington, 12; Maidstone Bridge, +1; Somme, +1
Red Crossbill	Ft Walsh, 6; Raymore, 7; Regina, 21; Saskatoon, 58; Squaw Rapids, 16
Pine Siskin	Greenwater Lake P P., +1; Kamsack-Togo, 4; Nipawin, +4; Saskatoon, 21; White Bear Lake, 82

Table 4. BIRDS NOT IDENTIFIED TO SPECIES

SPECIES	LOCATIONS AND NUMBERS SEEN
EAGLE species	Clearwater Lake, 2; Estevan, 1
BUTEO species	Ft Walsh, 2; Govenlock, 1
FALCON species	Govenlock, 1
GULL species	Naicam, 1
WOODPECKER species	PANP, 1; Squaw Rapids, 1
CHICKADEE species	Big Gully Creek, 1
BLACKBIRD species	Ft Walsh, 3
CROSSBILL species	Big Gully Creek, 8; Squaw Rapids, 10
REDPOLL species	Abernethy-Katepwa, 18; Bromhead, 2; Ft Walsh, 10; Gardiner Dam, 2; Maidstone Bridge, 40; PANP, 95; Raymore, 6; Squaw Rapids, 44



Common Redpoll

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