

	Spring	Fall		Spring	Fall
Kentucky Warbler	29		Rose-b Grosbeak	86(d)	1(m)
Yellowthroat	82	3	Blue Grosbeak	43	
Y-breasted Chat	105(d)	*(k)	Indigo Bunting	145	6
Hooded Warbler	40		American Goldfinch	375	23
Canada Warbler	4		Rufous-sided Towhee	330	194
American Redstart	22		Savannah Sparrow	9	46
House Sparrow	703	478	Grasshopper Sparrow		1
Bobolink	169		Vesper Sparrow	1(i)	10
Eastern Meadowlark	177	196	Slate-colored Junco		6
Red-w Blackbird	378	814	Chipping Sparrow	97	69
Orchard Oriole	53		Field Sparrow	72	92
Baltimore Oriole	21(g)		White-cr Sparrow	*(j)	
Rusty Blackbird		*	White-th Sparrow	35	301
Common Grackle	225	892	Fox Sparrow		*(n)
Br-headed Cowbird	122	107	Lincoln's Sparrow	2(m)	4
Scarlet Tanager	39(e)	*	Swamp Sparrow	5	108
Summer Tanager	78	*	Song Sparrow	2	126
Cardinal	376	216			

## Explanation of Notations

- \* Observed within a week of the count date but not on the count.
- (b) A permanent resident on East Lake since first reported on 4-19-66.
- (c) Total numbers of individuals include two unidentified hawks and five unidentified Empidonax Flycatchers on the spring count and 1,500 unidentified blackbirds on the fall count.
- (d) High state record for abundance in Alabama.
- (e) High inland record in abundance for Alabama, except for a fall ceilometer casualty record in the case of the Scarlet Tanager.
- (f) High record in abundance for Northern Alabama.
- (g) High record in abundance for Mountain Region of Alabama.
- (h) Second inland spring record of this western species in Alabama.
- (i) Late state record for Alabama.
- (j) Late state record, outside of the Tennessee Valley.
- (k) Late inland record for Alabama.
- (l) Late record for Northern Alabama.
- (m) Late record for Mountain Region. Tie records for Blue-winged Teal and Nashville Warbler. The Lesser Yellowlegs was a cripple, minus a wing.
- (n) Early record for Mountain Region.
- (o) Three Palm Warblers were banded and were the yellow eastern race.

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## GENERAL NOTES

## AVOCET RECORD

Two American Avocets, Recurvirostra americana, were collected one mile north of Montgomery, Montgomery Co., Alabama, August 20, 1967. They were in a shallow, one-acre open pond with a small flock of Blue-winged Teal. This is the first record for the upper coastal plain for this western species. There has been only one specimen for the state and it is in the National Museum. The specimens reported here are in the collection of the Alabama Department of Conservation.- - Robert W. Skinner, State Conservation Department, Montgomery, Alabama, 36100.

## WHITE-WINGED SCOTER RECORD

A female White-winged Scoter, Melanitta deglandi, was seen in the Gulf of Mexico, one mile west of Pelican Point, Dauphin Island, Mobile Co., Alabama, on August 12, 1967. The bird was about 200 yards off shore and was approached to within 30 yards by boat. This represents an early record for the Gulf Coast. - - Robert W. Skinner, State Conservation Department, Montgomery, Alabama, 36100.

## LONG-BILLED CURLEW RECORD

A single Long-billed Curlew, Numenius americanus, was sighted on the beach at Destin, Okaloosa Co., Florida, July 23, 1967.- - Robert W. Skinner, State Conservation Department, Montgomery, Alabama, 36100.