

BIRD SIGHTINGS

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SUMMARY



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Few of us will forget the winter of 1994: cold, snowy, and generally unpleasant. January's temperature averaged 22.2°, 6.4° below normal, ranking it as the 10th coldest January in 124 years of records. The low for the month was -4° on the 16th. The high was 54° on the 28th, up 54° from the zero reading the previous day. Snowfall totaled 33.7 inches, 21.7 inches higher than the average and the third highest January snowfall in 104 years. February was no improvement. Snowy and cold, the temperature averaged 26.9°, 3.4° below normal. The high was 62° on the 20th, and the low was 3° on the 10th. Snow totaled 36.2 inches, 24.9 inches over the past average. This was second only to 1969 for the snowiest February in 104 years, and the third snowiest of any month. Combined with January, the total of 69.9 inches set a new January-February record.

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LOONS THROUGH WATERFOWL

An excellent count of Red-throated Loons was made along the south coast of Martha's Vineyard in mid-January. The loons were undoubtedly forced south by the hard weather that began immediately after Christmas day and continued seemingly unabated. The loon count is the best-ever documented occurrence of such a hard weather movement. The Pacific Loon found in Truro was likely the same bird that has been present in the Provincetown/Truro area for at least the past two winters. Both Horned and, particularly, Red-necked grebes were poorly reported. An Eared Grebe was discovered at Andrew's Point, Rockport, one of the few recent reports of this species during winter. It remained through the reporting period to be enjoyed by a large contingent of observers. A Northern Fulmar found beached but alive in Gloucester was an unusual report.

The waterfowl situation became alarming in early January when the prolonged cold weather froze most fresh water and even some coastal bays and inlets. The widespread frozen water resulted in concentrations of birds at the few remaining areas of open water. At the Mystic River in Medford, for example, among a varied assortment of ducks, seven Redheads were present. Further testimony to the severe conditions was a large flock of scaup and Canvasbacks on the ocean off Woods Hole. Fortunately conditions ameliorated just enough at the end of February to forestall widespread mortality of waterfowl. Otherwise, waterfowl were reported in normal numbers. A drake Blue-winged Teal was a rare find at Marstons Mills, and a total of four Northern Shovelers from three locations was a good winter total. Harlequin Ducks were present in good numbers, while King Eiders were unusually scarce. Reports of Barrow's Goldeneyes, mostly singles, were widespread. Most impressive was the number of Common Goldeneyes on Nantucket.

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RAPTORS THROUGH WOODPECKERS

Raptors in general were very well reported. Included in the Turkey Vulture reports were migrants returning after a brief warm spell in mid-February. Bald Eagles were particularly widespread in January, perhaps in response to more birds being displaced due to frozen waters further north. Rough-legged Hawks were a little below average except for a fine showing in Middleboro. The only Golden Eagles were noted at their Quabbin stronghold.

Rails were poorly reported, but the Clapper Rail in Fairhaven was a nice find at an unusual location. The usual wintering shorebirds were present in reduced numbers. Killdeers also responded to the brief warm spell in February and were reported from several locations. The American Oystercatcher at Fairhaven on January 1 represented one of the few mid-winter reports for the species. The Short-billed Dowitcher on Martha's Vineyard was clearly the shorebird of the season. The bird was carefully studied at very close range. More importantly it was heard to utter its distinctive call on numerous occasions. All previous records of winter dowitchers that were identified to species were the more expected Long-billed Dowitcher.

Few reports were received for Purple Sandpiper.

Like other waterbirds, gulls were reported in low numbers this season. The number of wintering Common Black-headed Gulls was well below recent standards. After a few reports on January 1, Bonaparte's Gulls were reported only once more in the period, in late February. A sprinkling of Iceland Gulls were observed inland. At Newburyport a high percentage of the Iceland Gulls were adults, and among the obvious "kumlieni" subspecies (with gray in the tips of its wings) were individuals apparently with clear white tips to the primaries. This leads to speculation that these may have been nominate "glaucoides" that breed in Greenland and winter in Iceland and Great Britain. Determining whether nominate "glaucoides" winters in North America, at least on occasion, is one of the more perplexing questions concerning gull distribution. Two Herring Gull x Great Black-backed Gull hybrids were reported, one of these a bird that returned to Lynn for at least the third consecutive winter. It was a fine winter for Glaucous Gull including birds both along the coast and inland. Amazingly two of these birds were color-banded, leading to the possibility that we can determine the breeding source of those few individuals that reach our area in winter. Reports of Black-legged Kittiwake were better than usual for mid-winter, but more significant was the total lack of reports from outer Cape Cod.

The scattering of Dovekie reports were unusual because they are normally very scarce in mid-winter. The typical few Thick-billed Murres were reported, and a Common Murre was observed at Provincetown where it has become fairly regular in recent winters. With the single exception of a significant report from Provincetown, Razorbill numbers were about average. Black Guillemots were present in good numbers at Cape Ann, and a handful of Atlantic Puffins graced the Outer Cape, including one that was unfortunately found dead.

A Barn Owl in West Newbury in January was a particularly hardy individual. A surprising number of Snowy Owls appeared at coastal locations south of Boston, somewhat more surprising in a presumably "nonflight" year. Long-eared and Short-eared owls were not well reported. Most Northern Saw-whet Owls were in Worcester County. A single Red-headed Woodpecker was reported, but Red-bellied Woodpeckers were widespread and appear to be well established. Yellow-bellied Sapsuckers were noted in widely scattered locations. A **Black-backed Woodpecker**, unaccompanied by details, was reported from Mt. Auburn Cemetery in Cambridge, but could not be relocated despite an intensive search. R. A. F.

FLYCATCHERS THROUGH GROSBEAKS

A maximum of over 80 Fish Crows could be found each early morning congregating near the Friendly's at the Watertown Mall, a step up from the McDonald's crow roost in Framingham. Red-breasted Nuthatches continued in exceptional numbers, especially in Worcester County (the Quabbin CBC on January 1 tallied 1886 individuals!). The Boreal Chickadee continued throughout the period along River Road in West Boylston, where White-winged Crossbills and Pine Siskins were also found.

Carolina Wrens and Eastern Bluebirds seem to be adjusting to the harsh New England weather. American Robins were also reported in exceptionally high numbers throughout the area. The **Townsend's Solitaire** first found in Hingham on November 13, 1993, was last seen on New Year's Day.

At least six **Varied Thrushes** turned up near feeders. Varied Thrush has a similar range to that of the **Bohemian Waxwing**, which also staged an unprecedented invasion. A full report of the Bohemian invasion appears elsewhere in this issue of *Bird Observer*.

An **Ovenbird** in Ipswich was among the warbler highlights. A male Painted Bunting frequented the same feeder in Brewster where it wintered last year. Good numbers of towhees were noted, many seen at feeders, where they were apparently driven by the harsh winter. It was a good winter for sparrows. A **Harris' Sparrow** and as many as 12 White-crowned Sparrows were found at a farm in South Dartmouth. Other noteworthy sparrows included a Clay-colored Sparrow on Nantucket, a Lark Sparrow in Bridgewater, and a Grasshopper Sparrow in Peabody.

A **Chestnut-collared Longspur**, originally reported on December 31, continued in Salisbury through the first week of January. The longspur was only the fifth state record. A **Yellow-headed Blackbird** made a brief appearance in South Dartmouth on New Year's Day.

Common Redpolls were everywhere, and by mid-January more and more were showing up at feeding stations. At least three **Hoary Redpolls** were reported among these, although details were not received. Pine Grosbeaks, both Red and White-winged crossbills, Pine Siskins, and Evening Grosbeaks were all reported, with the majority of reports from central Massachusetts. R. H. S.

Date	Location	Number	Observers	Date	Location	Number	Observers
Red-throated Loon				1/20	Newburyport	1	R. Forster#
1/2	P.I.	4	D. Chickering	Greater White-fronted Goose			
1/12	Chilmark	600+	V. Laux#	2/7	New Bedford	2	M. LaBossiere
2/6	Salisbury	8	M. Lynch#	Snow Goose			
Pacific Loon				1/1	W. Boxford	1	T. Walker#
2/18	Truro	1	G. Martin	1/15-31	Falmouth	1	P. Trimble#
Common Loon				1/27-2/28	Boston	1 imm	T. Aversa + v. o.
1/2	Ipswich	15	J. Berry	1/30	Nantucket	1	J. Papale
2/5	Westport	16	M. Lynch#	2/15	Plymouth	1	K. Hamilton
2/6	Salisbury	17	M. Lynch#	Brant			
Pied-billed Grebe				1/1	Bourne	12	K. Anderson
thr	Lakeville	1-2	v. o.	1/3	New Bedford	88	M. Boucher
1/8	Newton	1	J. Hepburn#	1/22	Provincetown	500	M. Lynch#
1/15	Wareham	8	M. Lynch#	1/22	Duxbury	25	H. Wiggin#
1/23	Edgartown	1	V. Laux	2/8	Nahant	30	I. Lynch
1/29	Marstons Mills	1	P. Trimble	2/21	Boston H.	630	TASL (M. Hall)
2/3	Plymouth	1	M. LaBossiere	Barnacle Goose			
Horned Grebe				2/6	S. Dartmouth	1	R. Stymeist#
1/2	P.I.	7	D. Chickering	Canada Goose			
1/2	Ipswich	14	J. Berry	1/2	Newburyport	500	J. Berry
1/29	Westport	7	BBC (R. Stymeist)	1/2	W. Boxford	385	S. Charette
1/31	Fairhaven	38	J. Botelho	1/29	Westport	1275	BBC (R. Stymeist)
2/13	Lawrence	1	J. Hogan	2/20	Rochester	1000	G. d'Entremont#
2/18	Cape Ann	14	N. Nash	Wood Duck			
2/20	Lakeville	1	K. Anderson	thr	Medford	2 m	v. o.
2/20	P.I.	6	M. Pelikan	1/8	Boston (F.Pk)	1 f	T. Aversa
Red-necked Grebe				1/31	Westport	1 m	M. Boucher
1/1-31	Dennis	15 max 1/2	B. Nikula	2/21	Waltham	3	C. Ralph
1/3	Gloucester	2	D. Chickering	2/27	Cumb. Farms	1 m	J. Hoye#
2/19	Provincetown	10	B. Nikula	2/27	Lakeville	3 m	J. Hoye#
2/19	Newbypt H.	1	N. Nash	Green-winged Teal			
Eared Grebe (details submitted)				1/1-31	Rosindale	1-3	T. Aversa
1/25-2/28	Rockport (A.P.)	1	D. Lane + v. o.	1/2	Cambridge	2 m	L. Taylor
Northern Fulmar				1/6	Salisbury	1 m	H. Wiggin#
1/16	Gloucester	1	J. Steigar	1/15	W. Barnstable	13	P. Trimble
Northern Gannet				1/25	Marstons Mills	3	T. Aversa
1/1	Rockport	12	BBC (J.J. Nove)	2/5	Newburyport	1 f	R. Heil
2/19	Rockport	1	H. D'Entremont#	2/26	W. Peabody	2 m	R. Heil
Great Cormorant				2/28	Cambridge	6	M. Rines
1/22	Eastham (F.E.)	100	J. Hoye#	American Black Duck			
2/5	Lakeville	3	K. Holmes	1/2	P.I.	1000	D. Chickering
2/18	Waltham	1 ad	R. Forster	1/15	Wareham	290	M. Lynch#
2/19	Newburyport	65+	R. Heil	1/15	Plymouth	520	M. Lynch#
2/19	Amesbury	70	J. Berry	2/5	Westport	1400	M. Lynch#
Double-crested Cormorant				2/19	Newburyport	875	R. Heil
1/1	Plymouth	1	R. Forster	Northern Pintail			
1/2	Nantucket	2	G. d'Entremont#	thr	Medford	2	v. o.
1/15	Wareham	1	M. Lynch#	1/2	Yarmouthport	20+	B. Nikula
1/15	Plymouth	1	M. Lynch#	1/22	Edgartown	20	V. Laux#
American Bittern				1/29	Westport	12	BBC (R. Stymeist)
2/8	Harwich	1	B. Nikula	2/5	Ipswich	2 m	J. Berry
2/19	Nantucket	1	P. Loring#	2/20	Cumb. Farms	3	K. Anderson
Great Blue Heron				thr	Reports of individuals from 5 locations		
1/2	Nantucket	20	G. d'Entremont#	Blue-winged Teal			
1/15	Falmouth	6	P. Trimble	1/30	Marstons Mills	1 m	P. Trimble
1/29	Westport	7	BBC (R. Stymeist)	Northern Shoveler			
2/19	Amesbury	2	J. Berry	1/1	S. Dartmouth	1	M. Boucher
thr	Reports of indiv. from 12 locations			1/15	W. Barnstable	1	P. Trimble
Black-crowned Night-Heron				2/17	Medford	2	L. Taylor
1/2	Nantucket	4	G. d'Entremont#	Gadwall			
1/20	M.V.	2	V. Laux	1/1	S. Dartmouth	1 m	M. Boucher
2/6	Boston	1 ad	T. Aversa	1/2	Belmont	3	L. Taylor
2/7	Charlestown	1	M. Hall	1/2	Marstons Mills	27	B. Nikula#
Mute Swan				1/5	Fairhaven	2	J. Botelho
thr	Medford	4-6	v. o.	1/11	Wareham	1	M. Sylvia
1/1	Wareham	75	K. Anderson	1/15	Plymouth	2	M. Lynch#
1/22	Falmouth	110	R. Turner	1/15	Medford	2	P. Roberts
1/29	Westport	143	BBC (R. Stymeist)	1/22	Chilmark	10	V. Laux
Black Swan (escape)				2/3	Plymouth	3	M. LaBossiere

Gadwall (cont.)								
2/12 Gloucester	4		T. Aversa#	2/20 Newburyport	100		M. Pelikan	
Eurasian Wigeon				Black Scoter				
1/1-15 Plymouth	1		v. o.	1/10 Plymouth B.	50		J.B. Nove	
1/1-31 E. Harwich	1 m		v. o.	1/29 Westport	50	BBC (R. Stymeist)		
1/2 Centerville	1 m		B. Nikula#	2/5 Rockport	24		T. Young	
American Wigeon				Surf Scoter				
thr Medford	1-5		v. o.	1/10 Plymouth B.	400+		J.B. Nove	
1/1 Wareham	5		K. Anderson	2/5 Rockport	3		T. Young	
1/2 Fairhaven	4		D. Zimmerlin	2/5 Westport	400+		M. Lynch#	
1/9 Plymouth	125		BBC (T. Prince)	White-winged Scoter				
1/11 Wareham	19		M. Sylvia	1/10 Plymouth B.	300+		J.B. Nove	
1/25 Barnstable	2		T. Aversa	2/5 Rockport	170		T. Young	
Canvasback				Common Goldeneye				
1/11 Wareham	51		M. Sylvia	thr Lawrence	22		S. Charette	
1/15 Falmouth	6		P. Trimble	1/12 Nantucket	3000		E. Andrews#	
1/22 Woods Hole	175		H. Wiggin#	1/15 Plymouth	72		M. Lynch#	
1/29 Westport	70	BBC (R. Stymeist)		1/31 Fairhaven	470		J. Botelho	
2/12 Gloucester	1 m		T. Aversa	2/19 Westport	200+		S. Arena	
2/20 Lakeville	16		K. Anderson	2/19 Newburyport	610		R. Heil	
Redhead				2/20 Lakeville	20		K. Anderson	
1/1 Cambridge (F.P.)	1		C. Cook	2/21 Boston H.	531	TASL (M. Hall)		
1/9-2/14 Medford	7		v. o.	Barrow's Goldeneye				
1/15 Plymouth	2		M. Lynch#	1/1-31 M.V.	5+		V. Laux#	
1/22 Woods Hole	1 m		H. Wiggin#	1/1-15 Osterville	1 m		P. Trimble	
1/22 Gay Head	1 m		V. Laux#	1/1-2/6 S. Dartmouth	1 m		M. Boucher	
1/29 Westport	4	BBC (R. Stymeist)		1/3 Wellfleet	1 m		G. Martin	
2/3 Plymouth	1		M. LaBossiere	1/9 Rockport	1 m		B. Parker	
Ring-necked Duck				1/22-2/19 Newbypt.	1-2		v. o.	
thr Medford	3-6		v. o.	1/24-2/28 Winthrop	1		v. o.	
1/9 Taunton	5		S. Arena	1/28-31 S. Yarmouth	2 m		v. o.	
1/15 Plymouth	38		M. Lynch#	2/6 Gloucester	1 m		J. Berry#	
1/22 Falmouth	30		H. Wiggin#	2/6 Lawrence	1 f		J. Hogan	
2/8 Framingham	9		M. Krier	2/20 Magnolia	1		L. High	
2/12 Wayland	4		B. Howell	Bufflehead				
2/20 Lakeville	27		M. Boucher	1/15 Wareham	270		M. Lynch#	
Greater Scaup				1/31 Fairhaven	80		J. Botelho	
1/30 Newburyport	9		J. Berry#	2/5 Westport	180+		M. Lynch#	
2/17 Winthrop	1500+		M. Hall	2/6 Salis./Newbypt.	290+		M. Lynch#	
2/19 S. Dartmouth	40		H. Wiggin#	2/21 Boston H.	758	TASL (M. Hall)		
2/20 Rowley	4 m		J. Berry	Hooded Merganser				
2/20 Lakeville	9		K. Anderson	thr Medford	12 max		M. Rines	
Lesser Scaup				1/1 Watertown	35		R. Stymeist	
1/6 Plymouth	2	BBC (T. Prince)		1/2 Nantucket	17	G. d'Entremont#		
1/15 Falmouth	6		P. Trimble	1/11 Wareham	41		M. Sylvia	
1/29 Westport	1 m	BBC (R. Stymeist)		1/15 Falmouth	40		P. Trimble	
2/5 Dartmouth	16		J. Hoye#	1/31 Worcester	6		R. Bradbury	
2/19 Newburyport	1 m		J. Berry#	2/16 Boston	7		T. Aversa	
2/20 Lakeville	40		K. Holmes	2/21 Raynham	8		S. Arena	
scaup species				thr Reports of 1-3 indiv. from 8 locations				
1/22 Woods Hole	600		H. Wiggin#	Common Merganser				
Common Eider				1/1-31 Lawrence	18 max		S. Charette	
1/10 Plymouth B.	2000+		J.B. Nove	1/8 Medford	14		M. Rines	
1/23 Truro/Ptown	1300	BBC (B. Volkle)		1/16 Bridgewater	15		K. Holmes	
1/29 Westport	355	BBC (R. Stymeist)		1/11 Wareham	88		M. Sylvia	
1/29 Rockport	900	BBC (W. Drummond)		1/30 Amesbury	50		J. Berry	
2/5 Nahant	550		J. Brown#	2/19 Newburyport	45		J. Berry	
2/19 Salisbury	550		R. Heil	2/20 Lakeville	27		K. Anderson	
2/17 Winthrop	6500+		M. Hall	Red-breasted Merganser				
King Eider				1/1 Bourne	15		K. Anderson	
1/8-25 Manomet	1 m		J.B. Nove	1/15 Wareham	75		M. Lynch#	
Harlequin Duck				1/15 Plymouth	100		M. Lynch#	
thr Rockport	17 max		v. o.	1/14 Salis./Newbypt	90		M. Lynch#	
1/1-31 Chilmark	37		V. Laux#	1/22 Provincetown	40		M. Lynch#	
1/1 Plymouth	1 m		R. Forster	Ruddy Duck				
1/2 Nantucket	8		G. d'Entremont#	1/3 Waltham	3		R. Forster	
2/1-2 Sandwich	2 m		v. o.	Turkey Vulture				
2/13 Osterville	1		P. Trimble	1/23 Chilmark	1		V. Laux#	
2/18 N. Scituate	4		T. Aversa	2/6 Westport	10		M. Boucher	
Oldsquaw				2/19 Randolph	3		G. d'Entremont	
2/5 Dennis	550		B. Nikula	2/19 Peabody	1		R. Forster#	
				2/20 Easton	1		S. Arena	

Turkey Vulture (cont.)				2/6-27 Lawrence	1 ad	J. Hogan
2/20 Wayland	1	C. Ralph		2/13 Winthrop	1	P. + F. Vale
2/25 Medford	1	L. Beady		Ring-necked Pheasant		
2/27 S. Dartmouth	6	W. Petersen#		1/2 Nantucket	5	G. d'Entremont#
2/27 Waltham	1	M. Murphy		1/31 Roslindale	15	T. Aversa
Bald Eagle				Ruffed Grouse		
thr Newbpt area	13+	v. o.		1/1 Middleboro	1	K. Holmes
thr Lakeville area	6+	v. o.		1/9 Westford	1	S. Selesky
1/9 Quabbin	37	fide W. Davis		2/3 Essex	2	T. Young
1/13 Dighton	3	B. LaPointe		2/6 W. Newbury	1	M. Hale
1/15 Plymouth	2	fide R. Turner		2/18 Marshfield	1	T. Aversa
1/25 Nantucket	2	D. Sutherland		2/19 Wayland	1	J. Hoye#
1/27 Lowell	3	fide W. Petersen		Wild Turkey		
thr Reports of indiv. from 16 locations				1/1-31 W. Newbury	6	R. Heil
Northern Harrier				1/5 Danvers	10	T. Floyd
thr Middleboro	2	v. o.		1/14 Barre	19	R. Bradbury
1/1 S. Dartmouth	1	M. Boucher		1/21 Middleboro	20	K. Holmes#
1/3 P.I.	1	J. Hepburn		1/22 Harvard	12	K. Seltzer
1/12 N. Truro	3	R. Forster		1/23 Athol	32	J. Johnstone#
1/12 Salisbury	1	S. Charette		1/25 Worcester	18	M. Lynch#
1/22 DWWS	1	H. Wiggin#		1/25 Sterling	2	K. Hamilton#
1/22 Orleans	1	R. Stymeist#		1/27 Lexington	2	M. King
1/22 Wellfleet	1	M. Lynch#		2/19 Bridgewater	1	K. Anderson
1/25 Cotuit	1	T. Aversa		2/20 Gay Head	14	T. Young
Sharp-shinned Hawk				Northern Bobwhite		
1/2 Lakeville	2	K. Anderson		1/5 E. Middleboro	5	K. Anderson
1/2 Nantucket	3	G. d'Entremont#		1/21 W. Roxbury	10	T. Aversa
1/7 Sudbury	2	R. Forster#		1/22 Truro	6	T. Aversa
1/15 Newburyport	2	BBC (T. Young)		2/20 Halifax	20	D. Brown#
2/6 Dartmouth	2	R. Stymeist#		Clapper Rail		
thr Reports of indiv. from 25 locations				1/2 Fairhaven	1	D. Zimmerlin
Cooper's Hawk				Virginia Rail		
thr Reports of 1 or 2 indiv. from 28 loc.				1/1 Fairhaven	1	D. Zimmerlin
Northern Goshawk				1/2 Nantucket	1	G. d'Entremont#
1/1 E. Middleboro	1	K. Holmes		1/12 Chilmark	1	V. Laux#
1/1 Newburyport	1 ad	H. Wiggin#		1/19 Edgartown	1	V. Laux#
1/2 Wayland	1	F. Richardson		American Coot		
1/6 Magnolia	1 ad	J.J. Nove		1/6 Medford	22	M. Rines
1/16 Newbury	1	D. Chickering		1/15 Plymouth	160	M. Lynch#
1/23 Holliston	1	M. Rines#		2/20 Brockton	10	S. Arena
1/29 Salisbury	1 ad	H. Wiggin#		Black-bellied Plover		
Red-shouldered Hawk				1/10 Plymouth B.	2	J.B. Nove
thr Reports of indiv. from 14 locations				1/15 Eastham	3	W. Petersen
Red-tailed Hawk				2/19 Edgartown	2	T. Young
1/1 Quabbin	8	M. Lynch#		Killdeer		
1/29 P.I./Salisbury	10	P. Roberts		1/1 Buzzards Bay	2	K. Anderson
1/30 Bridge./Middleb.	15	W. Petersen#		2/20 Easton	2	K. Ryan
2/5 Uxbridge/Worc.	9	M. Lynch#		2/20 Newbury	2	P. + F. Vale
Rough-legged Hawk				2/21 Newburyport	2	T. Maloney
1/19 Edgartown	2	V. Laux#		thr Reports of individuals from 8 locations		
1/22 P'town/Truro	2	M. Lynch#		American Oystercatcher		
1/30 Middleboro	7	W. Petersen#		1/1 Fairhaven	1	D. Zimmerlin
2/1 Salisbury	2	H. Parker		Greater Yellowlegs		
thr Reports of indiv. from 12 locations				1/15 Falmouth	1	P. Trimble
Golden Eagle				1/29 Hyannis	4	P. Trimble#
1/1 Quabbin 1 imm, 1 ad		CBC (S. Surner)		Ruddy Turnstone		
American Kestrel				1/2 Nantucket	16	G. d'Entremont#
1/29 P.I./Salisbury	3	R. Roberts		1/23 N. Scituate	15	K. Anderson
1/30 Halifax	2	W. Petersen		1/31 Fairhaven	5	D. Zimmerlin
thr Reports of individuals from 10 loc.				2/19 Westport	3	S. Arena
Merlin				Sanderling		
thr Reports of 1 or 2 indiv. from 14 loc.				1/12 Salisbury	32	S. Charette
Peregrine Falcon				1/22 Provincetown	7	M. Lynch#
1/5, 2/23 Saugus	1	J. Berry		1/24 Nantucket	135	E. Andrews#
1/9 Salisbury	1	D. Chickering		1/29 Westport	50	BBC (R. Stymeist)
1/12 Eastham	1 ad	R. Forster		2/19 Revere	210	T. Aversa
1/21 Edgartown	1	V. Laux#		Purple Sandpiper		
1/22 Boston	1 ad	R. Stymeist#		1/14 Salisbury	4	M. Lynch#
1/22 Provincetown	1	S. Arena		1/22 Scituate	12	H. Wiggin#
1/24 New Bedford	1	D. Zimmerlin		1/30 Rockport (A.P.)	8	S. Charette
1/28-2/4 Revere	1	L. Pivacek		2/19 Westport	34	S. Arena

Purple Sandpiper (cont.)	2/19	Winthrop	5	M. Pelikan	2/17	Provincetown	2 dead	G. Martin
Dunlin	1/1	Westport	25	M. Pelikan	2/19	Provincetown	3	B. Nikula#
	1/15	Eastham	1200	W. Petersen	Razorbill			
	1/21	Fairhaven	9	D. Zimmerlin	1/12	Chilmark	12	V. Laux#
	1/29	Westport	50	BBC (R. Stymeist)	1/20	Edgartown	6	V. Laux#
	2/4	S. Dartmouth	70	T. Aversa	1/22	Truro	21	M. Rines#
	2/5	Revere	73	P. + F. Vale	1/29	Rockport	16	BBC (W. Drummond)
Short-billed Dowitcher					1/30	Provincetown	500	R. Abrams
1/18-2/28 M.V.	1			V. Laux#	2/19	Rockport (A.P.)	8	R. Forster#
Common Snipe					2/19	Provincetown	20	B. Nikula
1/6	Newburyport	1		R. Forster	large acid species			
1/8	N. Dartmouth	1		M. Boucher	1/29	Provincetown	27	B. Nikula
1/15	Sandwich	2		P. Trimble	Black Guillemot			
1/17	Ipswich	1		J. Berry	1/2	Nantucket	1	G. d'Entremont
2/18	Buzzards Bay	1		R. Turner	1/9	Rockport	13	J. Nove
American Woodcock					1/15	Manomet	1	M. Lynch#
1/1	Braintree	1		R. Forster	1/29	Cape Ann	28	R. Forster
1/20	M.V.	1		V. Laux	2/19	Rockport (A.P.)	11	R. Forster#
Common Black-headed Gull					2/19	Provincetown	5	B. Nikula
thr	Winthrop	8 max		v. o.	Atlantic Puffin			
thr	Newburyport	1 ad		v. o.	1/22	Truro	2	R. Stymeist#
1/10	N. Falmouth	1 ad		I. Nisbet	2/17	Provincetown	3	G. Martin
1/24	Nantucket	1		fide J. Papale	2/17	Provincetown	1 dead	G. Martin
Bonaparte's Gull					Monk Parakeet			
1/1	Rockport	6		J. Berry#	1/18	Lexington	1	A. Bevington
1/1	Lynn	20		J. Quigley	Barn Owl			
1/1	New Bedford	30		D. Zimmerlin	1/28	W. Newbury	1	J. Kelly
2/20	Newburyport	3		M. Pelikan	2/19	E. Orleans	1	D. Emerson
Iceland Gull					Eastern Screech-Owl			
1/2	Sudbury	1 W		R. Forster	thr	Mt.A.	2-4	R. Stymeist#
1/6	Amesbury	2 ad		R. Forster	2/5	E. Middleboro	3	K. Holmes
1/22	P'town (R.P.)	3		M. Lynch#	2/28	S. Dartmouth	2	M. Boucher
1/29	Brocton	1 W		S. Arena	thr	Reports of individuals from 7 locations		
1/31	Medford	1 W		M. Rines	Great Horned Owl			
2/16	Hull	5		N. Swirka	1/1	Ipswich	3	J. Berry
2/18	Waltham	1 W		R. Forster	1/1	Quabbin	7	M. Lynch#
2/19	Newbypt/Salis.	38		R. Heil	1/30	Easton	5	S. Arena
thr	Reports of 1 or 2 indiv. from 8 coastal loc.				thr	Reports of 1-2 indiv. from 6 locations		
Lesser Black-backed Gull					Snowy Owl			
1/1, 2/13	Lynn	1 ad		J. Quigley	1/1	Barnstable	1	G. Ferguson
1/2	Dennis	1 ad		B. Nikula#	1/5	Fairhaven	1	J. Botelho
Glaucous Gull					1/8	New Bedford	1	M. Boucher
thr	Provincetown	1-2		v. o.	1/17	Nahant	1	J.J. Nove
1/4	New Bedford	1		M. Boucher	1/21, 2/18	P.I.	1	D. Chickering
1/9	Taunton	3		S. Arena	1/29	WBWS	2	v. o.
1/12	5 mi. off Boston	1 b		D. Breen	1/30	S. Orleans	1	H. Dickson#
1/23	Gloucester	1		D. Lane	1/30	Harwichport	1	E. Banks#
1/23	Lynn	1 W		R. Forster	2/1, 2/19	Salisbury	1	v. o.
1/29	Salisbury	1 ad		H. Wiggins#	2/18	Boston (Logan)	5	N. Smith
2/5	Acton	1 b		v. o.	Barred Owl			
2/6	Gloucester	2		J. Berry#	1/1	Quabbin	7	M. Lynch#
2/19	Halifax	1 W		W. Petersen	2/28	S. Dartmouth	2	M. Boucher
Herring x Great Black-backed Gull					Long-eared Owl			
1/1	Lynn	1 ad		J. Quigley	1/2	Uxbridge	1	S. Wheelock#
1/31	New Bedford	1 ad		J. Botelho	1/2	Ipswich	1	P. + F. Vale
Black-legged Kittiwake					1/12	Salisbury	1	D. Chickering
1/1	Rockport	115		BBC (J.J. Nove)	1/22	Middleboro	1	M. Lynch#
2/5	P.I.	8		W. Petersen#	1/22	Amesbury	1	M. Sullivan
2/5	Rockport	25 ad		R. Heil	Short-eared Owl			
Dovekie					1/22	Ipswich	1	L. Pivacek#
1/4	Scituate	1		fide D. Ludlow	1/30	S. Dart. (A.Pd)	1	J. Botelho
1/12	Chilmark	1		V. Laux	2/1	Salisbury	1	H. Parker
2/7	Rockport (A.P.)	1		C. Paine	2/20	Cumb. Farms	3	S. Arena#
2/20	Rockport	1		J. Hoye#	Northern Saw-whet Owl			
Common Murre					1/1	Quabbin	6	M. Lynch#
2/19	Provincetown	1		B. Nikula	1/16	Salisbury	1	v. o.
Thick-billed Murre					1/18	Wayland	1	L. Giardino
1/29-2/20	Rockport	1		v. o.	1/30	Uxbridge	3	R. Bradbury#
2/5	Gloucester	1		T. Walker	1/30	Middleboro	1	W. Petersen#
					2/5	Newburyport	1	R. Heil
					2/6	Easton	1	S. Arena

Northern Saw-whet Owl (cont.)				1/23 Athol	4	J. Johnstone#
2/22 Essex	1	T. Young		1/23 Hardwick	5	R. Bradbury
Red-headed Woodpecker				1/23 Holden	1	M. Lynch#
1/2 Millville	1	CBC (B. Cassie)		Black-capped Chickadee		
Red-bellied Woodpecker				1/1 Quabbin	501	M. Lynch#
1/1-19 Weston	pr	A. Kiskadday		1/29 Westport	135	BBC (R. Stymeist)
1/1 Acoaxet	3	E. Salmela		Boreal Chickadee		
1/16 Marlboro	2	T. Gooley		thr W. Boylston	1-2	v. o.
1/23 W. Brookfield	2	R. Bradbury		1/1 Quabbin	1	M. Lynch#
thr Reports of indiv.	from 15 locations			Red-breasted Nuthatch		
Yellow-bellied Sapsucker				1/1 Quabbin	552	M. Lynch#
1/1 Acoaxet	1	E. Salmela		1/7 Boston	6	T. Aversa
1/2 Millville	1	CBC (B. Cassie)		1/22 Topsfield	5	J. Brown#
1/13-15 Mt. A.	1 m	M. Rines + v. o.		1/23 Edgartown	12	V. Laux#
1/22-23 Ipswich	1	J. Berry		Brown Creeper		
1/24 Nantucket	1	fide J. Papale		1/1 Quabbin	15	M. Lynch#
Hairy Woodpecker				1/22 W. Boylston	3	G. d'Entremont
1/1-31 Sherborn	2	E. Taylor		1/23 Lakeville	2	M. Boucher
1/1-31 Natick	2	E. Taylor		2/1-21 Mattapoisett	2	F. Smith
1/1 Quabbin	9	M. Lynch#		2/5 Acton	4	M. Rines#
1/17 Lynnfield	2	P. + F. Vale		2/20 N. Middleboro	2	K. Holmes
1/27 Wayland	5	S. Arena		2/20 IRWS	pr	J. Berry
2/1-28 Hamilton/Wenham	3	N. Nash		Carolina Wren		
Northern Flicker				thr Sherborn	5-10	E. Taylor
2/1 Cumb. Farms	10	T. Aversa		1/15 Woods Hole	4	P. Trimble
2/4 S. Dartmouth	10	T. Aversa		1/29 Westport	34	BBC (R. Stymeist)
Black-backed Woodpecker (no details)				1/30 Marstons Mills	6	P. Trimble
1/13 Mt. A.	1 m	A. Bennett		2/6 Dartmouth	34	R. Stymeist#
Pileated Woodpecker				2/18 Marshfield	3	T. Aversa
thr Sherborn	pr	E. Taylor		thr Reports of indiv.	from 13 locations	
1/1 Quabbin	2	M. Lynch#		Winter Wren		
1/14 Millville	1	M. Chickering		1/1-31 Manomet	1-2	J.B. Nove
1/14 Wellesley	1	P. Ferro		1/22 Chilmark	4	V. Laux
1/16 Barre	1	M. Lynch#		thr Reports of indiv.	from 12 locations	
1/22 N. Andover	1	J. Dowd		Marsh Wren		
1/23 Pepperell	1	L. High		1/2 Nantucket	2+	G. d'Entremont#
1/23 Carlisle	1	S. Selesky		Golden-crowned Kinglet		
1/30 Hardwick	1	M. Lynch#		1/1 Quabbin	16	M. Lynch#
2/1-2/28 E. Boxford	2-3	J. Brown#		Ruby-crowned Kinglet		
2/2 Wachusett Mead.	1 m	C. Ralph		thr Reports of indiv.	from 9 locations	
Eastern Phoebe				Eastern Bluebird		
1/1 Barnstable	1	R. Forster		1/8 Stow	10	D. Glorioso
2/20 Middleboro	1	K. Holmes		1/15 Wellfleet	11	G. Martin
Horned Lark				1/20 M.V.	18	V. Laux
1/1 S. Dartmouth	100	M. Boucher		1/21 Lakeville	10	K. Holmes#
1/13 E. Middleboro	50	K. Anderson		1/23 Uxbridge	10	M. Rines
1/14 Salisbury	30	M. Lynch#		1/23 Sterling	10	M. Lynch#
1/29 Westport	120	BBC (R. Stymeist)		thr Reports of 1-8 indiv.	from 17 locations	
2/6 Salisbury	16	M. Hale		Townsend's Solitaire		
2/19 Dartmouth	24	S. Arena		1/1 Hingham	1	D. Clapp
2/20 Rowley	16	J. Berry#		Hermit Thrush		
2/20 P.I.	40	M. Pelikan		1/1-31 W. Newbury	2	R. Heil
2/27 Winthrop	22	P. + F. Vale		1/15 Osterville	3	P. Trimble
Tree Swallow				1/22 Truro	3	T. Aversa
2/9 Nantucket	3	S. Tiffney		1/22 Chilmark	6	V. Laux
American Crow				1/22 Wellfleet	6	R. Stymeist#
thr Framingham	4500 max	E. Taylor		2/6 Dartmouth	3	R. Stymeist#
1/27 Wakefield	1000+	P. + F. Vale		thr Reports of individuals	from 4 locations	
2/6 Lawrence	4256	J. Hogan		American Robin		
Fish Crow				1/1-31 Wellfleet	200+	B. Nikula#
thr Watertown	80 max	R. Stymeist		1/1 Mt. A.	90+	R. Stymeist#
thr Framingham	15-20	E. Taylor		1/19 W. Newbury	100	R. Heil
1/13 Lawrence	1	S. Charette		2/2 N. Andover	250	S. Charette
1/25 Brookline	1	H. Wiggin		2/8 Essex	150+	T. Young
1/30 Worcester	1	R. Bradbury		2/14 N. Dartmouth	500+	M. Boucher
2/1 Wayland	6	S. Arena		2/20 Roslindale	65	T. Aversa
2/21 Arlington	17	M. Pelikan		Varied Thrush		
2/27 Dedham	1	W. Petersen		1/1-21 Athol	1 f	M. Nappari
Common Raven				1/9-2/11 Holliston	1 m	J. Howe + v. o.
1/1 Quabbin	4	M. Lynch#		1/23-2/1 W. Boxford	1 m	L. Doherty + v. o.
1/16 Salisbury	1	G. Gove#		1/23 Athol	1 m	fide D. Small

Varied Thrush (cont.)								
1/31-2/28 Concord	1 m	A. Connolly + v. o.		1/1	Falmouth	1		R. Forster
2/25-28 Sudbury	1 f	J. Gobbi		Northern Cardinal				
Gray Catbird				thr Sherborn	25			E. Taylor
1/1 Dartmouth	10	E. Salmela		thr Ipswich	36 max			J. Berry
1/1 Fairhaven	3	D. Zimmerlin		2/4 S. Dartmouth	42			T. Aversa
1/1 Yarmouthport	1	R. Forster		Painted Bunting				
1/1 Falmouth	3	R. Forster		thr Brewster	1 m			A. Furman
1/2 Nantucket	4	G. d'Entremont#		Rufous-sided Towhee				
1/7 Boston	1	T. Aversa		1/1 Acoaxet	6			E. Salmela
1/8 Roslindale	1	T. Aversa		1/1 Dartmouth	10			E. Salmela
1/15 Osterville	1	P. Trimble		1/1 Falmouth	2			R. Forster
1/24 New Bedford	1	D. Zimmerlin		1/9 Upton	2			E. Arnold
1/29 Westport	1	BBC (R. Stymeist)		1/14 Uxbridge	2			J. Huntington
2/4 S. Dartmouth	4	T. Aversa		1/29 Westport	3			BBC (R. Stymeist)
Brown Thrasher				1/31 S. Natick	2			B. Howell
1/1 Dartmouth	1	E. Salmela		thr Reports of indiv.	from 13 locations			
1/6 P.I.	1	H. Coolidge#		American Tree Sparrow				
1/12 N. Falmouth	1	I. Nisbet		1/1-31 Sherborn	12			E. Taylor
1/17-2/1 Nantucket	1	J. Van Vorst		1/1 Quabbin	37			M. Lynch#
1/23 W. Boxford	1	L. Doherty		1/1 Quincy	30			J. Hepburn#
1/29 Westport	1	BBC (R. Stymeist)		1/3 Belmont	20			M. Rines
2/7-10 Danvers	1	J. Gordon		1/14 P.I.	15			M. Lynch#
American Pipit				1/15 Wareham	15			M. Lynch#
1/1 Acoaxet	1	E. Salmela		Chipping Sparrow				
2/20 E. Middleboro	6	K. Holmes		1/1-31 Yarmouthport	3 max			K. Hamilton
Bohemian Waxwing				Clay-colored Sparrow				
1/3-2/24 Wellfleet	204 max	B. Nikula + v. o.		1/19-2/28 Nantucket	1			F. Reed#
1/5-2/11 Truro	110 max	W. Bailey + v. o.		Field Sparrow				
1/9 Rockport	80	B. Parker		1/3 N. Dartmouth	2			M. Boucher
1/14-2/1 W. Newby	320 max	C. Leahy + v. o.		1/15 Falmouth	4			P. Trimble
1/16-2/2 Athol	150 max	D. Small		1/24 Westport	6			BBC (R. Stymeist)
1/17 Haverhill	80	W. Drummond#		1/24 Acushnet	4			D. Zimmerlin
1/22 Wakefield	300	J. Hepburn#		2/22 Truro	1			T. Aversa
1/23 Amesbury	300	B. Peacock		2/26 Ware	1			T. Aversa#
1/25 Wachusett	100	B. Steinberg		Lark Sparrow				
1/30 Heath	250	J. Gary		thr Bridgewater	1			K. Weinheimer
1/30 Hardwick	415	M. Lynch#		Savannah Sparrow				
1/18-2/16 Nantucket	100+ max	v. o.		1/1-31 Yarmouthport	5 max			K. Hamilton
thr Reports of 1-60 individuals from 42 loc.				1/6 S. Dart. (A.Pd)	1			LCES (J. Hill)
Cedar Waxwing				1/6 N. Dartmouth	2			M. Boucher
1/9 Wellfleet	60+	B. Nikula		1/22 WBWS	1			A. Hirschkop
1/16 Sterling	300	M. Lynch#		2/12-28 Nantucket	1			E. Andrews
1/22 W. Newbury	105	R. Heil		"Ipswich" Savannah Sparrow				
1/27 Wayland	200	S. Arena		1/1 Fairhaven	1			D. Zimmerlin
2/2 N. Andover	150	S. Charette		1/9 Salisbury	2			M. Rines
2/5 Ipswich	125	R. Heil		Grasshopper Sparrow				
2/27 Halifax	100	W. Petersen#		1/3 Peabody	1			R. Heil
Northern Shrike				Fox Sparrow				
1/1 Bolton	1 imm	R. Bradbury		1/11 Wrentham	1			R. Danca
1/3 Wayland	1	K. Hamilton		1/16 S. Dartmouth	2			M. Boucher
2/12-19 Wayland	1 ad	B. Howell + v. o.		1/22 Falmouth	1			H. Wiggin#
Yellow-rumped Warbler				1/23 Gay Head	1			V. Laux#
1/1 Quincy	7	J. Hepburn#		1/25 Walpole	1			A. Wilson
1/2 Ipswich	2	P. + F. Vale		2/1 Boxford	1			D. Chickering
1/6 Fairhaven	10	J. Botelho		2/1-28 Brewster	1			v. o.
1/29 Westport	15	BBC (R. Stymeist)		2/1-28 Easton	1			K. Ryan
2/6 Dartmouth	13	M. Rines#		Song Sparrow				
2/18 Marshfield	5	T. Aversa		1/13 N. Dartmouth	15			M. Boucher
2/20 Middleboro	4	K. Holmes		1/30 Marstons Mills	20			P. Trimble
Pine Warbler				2/1-28 Nantucket	21			E. Andrews
1/4 S. Truro	2	J. Talin#		Swamp Sparrow				
2/1-28 Harwich	4	M. Marion		thr Nantucket	4 max			E. Andrews#
2/1-28 Brewster	1-5	v. o.		1/1 Fairhaven	3			D. Zimmerlin
thr Reports of indiv. from 9 locations				1/15 W. Barnstable	6			P. Trimble
Ovenbird				1/15 Plymouth	7			M. Lynch#
1/1-4 Ipswich	1	J. Berry		2/1 Cumb. Farms	3			T. Aversa
Common Yellowthroat				thr Reports of indiv. from 5 locations				
1/1 Acoaxet	1	E. Salmela		White-throated Sparrow				
2/19 Newburyport	1 m	R. Heil		thr Ipswich	8-10			J. Berry
Yellow-breasted Chat				1/9 W. Barnstable	12			P. Trimble
				1/13 N. Dartmouth	20			M. Boucher

White-throated Sparrow (cont.)									
2/4 S. Dartmouth	65		T. Aversa	1/5 Petersham	30		J. Baird		
White-crowned Sparrow				1/9-2/12 Worc. (Airt.)	25 max		v. o.		
1/1 Malden	2		P. + F. Vale	1/16 Sterling	10		M. Lynch#		
2/4-15 S. Dart.	12 max		T. Aversa + v. o.	1/28 Belchertown	8		R. Abrams		
2/26 Petersham	1		W. Petersen#	1/30 Hardwick	1		M. Lynch#		
Harris' Sparrow				2/1 Worcester	9		R. Wolanin		
2/4-28 S. Dartmouth	1 imm		T. Aversa + v. o.	2/2 Athol	127		D. Small		
Dark-eyed Junco				Purple Finch					
1/1-31 Sherborn	50		E. Taylor	1/16 Hardwick	1		M. Lynch#		
1/1 Quabbin	187		M. Lynch#	1/30 Halifax	2		W. Petersen#		
Lapland Longspur				2/1 Wayland	1		S. Arena		
1/1 S. Dartmouth	1		M. Boucher	2/5 Sudbury	1		R. Forster		
1/3 Newburyport	3		E. Cutler	2/21 Halifax	5		D. Clapp#		
2/2 Salisbury	10		D. Chickering	2/22 S. Carver	1		J. Shaw		
Chestnut-collared Longspur				House Finch					
1/1-9 Salisbury	1		v. o.	1/1 Mt. A.	65		R. Stymeist		
Snow Bunting				1/8 Newbury	65		D. Chickering		
1/1 S. Dartmouth	75		M. Boucher	Red Crossbill					
1/23 Provincetown	12		J. Hoyer#	1/1 Quabbin	45		M. Lynch#		
2/7 P.I.	50		M. Pelikan	1/20 Belchertown	10-15		J. Smith		
2/15 Saugus	50		J. Berry	1/23 Hardwick	4		R. Bradbury		
2/19 Westport	7		S. Arena	1/29 Petersham	40		R. Bradbury		
2/19 Salisbury	70		R. Heil	1/30 Uxbridge	4		R. Bradbury		
2/20 Concord (N.A.C.)	8		J. Hoyer#	2/6 Quabbin	20		R. Donovan		
2/26 Nantucket	8		B. Vigneau#	2/17 Dana	25		D. Small		
2/26 W. Boxford	130		T. Walker#	White-winged Crossbill					
Red-winged Blackbird				1/1 W. Boylston	7		R. Bradbury		
1/3 Dedham	50		M. Orleans	1/1 Quabbin	8		M. Lynch#		
1/5 Lakeville	8		A. Standish	1/29 Belchertown	2		R. Abrams		
1/7 Centerville	16		P. Trimble	Common Redpoll					
1/9 W. Barnstable	95		P. Trimble	thr W. Newbury	125 max		R. Heil		
1/9-31 N. Dartmouth	125 max		M. Boucher	thr Arlington	60 max		M. Rines		
2/1-28 Nantucket	25-30		E. Andrews	1/1 Quabbin	62		M. Lynch#		
2/27 Wayland	20		L. Giardino	1/1 Watertown	100		C. Cook		
thr Reports of 1-5 indiv. from 17 locations				1/1 Cambridge	80		R. Stymeist		
Eastern Meadowlark				1/3-31 Maynard	30-60		L. Nachtrab		
1/6 S. Dart. (A.Pd)	8		LCES (J. Hill)	1/9 Quabbin	100		D. Small		
1/9 Cumb. Farms	13		K. Anderson	1/15 Salisbury	70		T. Young		
1/12 Eastham (F.H.)	8		R. Forster	1/27 Harwich	75		S. Buckler		
2/18 DWWS	2		T. Aversa	2/5 Westport	100		J. Hoyer#		
Yellow-headed Blackbird				2/5 Chatham	75		R. Clem		
1/1 S. Dartmouth	1		M. Boucher#	2/13 Boxford	120		T. Walker#		
Rusty Blackbird				2/26 Athol	125		W. Petersen#		
1/3 Sudbury	68		K. Hamilton	thr Reports of 1-25 indiv. in 41 locations					
1/9-31 W. Barnstable	4 max		P. Trimble	thr Reports of 26-50 indiv. in 22 locations					
1/17-2/28 Lynnfield	45 max		P. + F. Vale	Hoary Redpoll (no details)					
2/1-28 Wayland	34 max		S. Arena	1/13-22 W. Newbury	1 or 2		R. Heil#		
2/22 Brookline	15		P. Willis	2/1 Hull	1-2		H. Cross		
2/23 Acushnet	10		M. Boucher	2/5 Acoaxet	1		J. Hoyer#		
thr Reports of 1-3 indiv. from 5 locations				Pine Siskin					
Common Grackle				thr W. Boylston	38 max		v. o.		
1/9 W. Barnstable	6		P. Trimble	1/1-2/3 Sherborn	15		E. Taylor		
1/25 Woods Hole	13		T. Aversa	1/1-31 WBWS	3 max		J. Sones#		
1/30 Marstons Mills	1		P. Trimble	1/9 Athol	250		D. Small		
2/5 Revere	1		P. + F. Vale	1/23 Holden	30		G. Gove		
2/6 Boston	2		T. Aversa	2/27 Middleboro	17		W. Petersen#		
2/11 Boxford	1		T. Walker	thr Reports of 1-2 indiv. from 8 locations					
2/20 Wayland	30		R. Forster	Evening Grosbeak					
Brown-headed Cowbird				1/1 Quabbin	59		M. Lynch#		
1/1 Quabbin	63		M. Lynch#	1/19 Maynard	2		L. Nachtrab		
1/2 Barry	50		M. Lynch#	1/23 New Braintree	6		R. Bradbury		
1/9 E. Middleboro	1 m		K. Anderson	1/23 Athol	5		M. Lynch#		
1/22 DWWS	1 m		H. Wiggin#	1/23 Petersham	8		M. Lynch#		
1/24 N. Dartmouth	75		M. Boucher	1/23 Acushnet	24		M. Boucher		
1/29 Westport	4		BBC (R. Stymeist)	1/30 Hardwick	7		M. Lynch#		
2/15 S. Dartmouth	2 m		T. Aversa	1/30 Nantucket	2		J. Papale		
2/17 Dorchester	1 f		T. Aversa	2/5 W. Boylston	7		R. Quimby		
Pine Grosbeak				2/6 Barre	20		R. Forster		
thr Athol	5-80		v. o.	2/7 Littleton	25		M. Ransa		
1/1 Quabbin	3		M. Lynch#	2/19 W. Acton	2		A. Sgroi		
				2/20 Middleboro	2		K. Holmes		

LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

ad	adult	H.	Harbor
alt	alternate	I.	Island
b	banded	L.	Ledge
br	breeding	M.V.	Martha's Vineyard
dk	dark (phase)	Mt.A.	Mount Auburn Cemetery, Cambridge
f	female	N.A.C.	Nine Acre Corner, Concord
fl	fledged	Nant.	Nantucket
imm	immature	Newbypt	Newburyport
ind	individuals	P.I.	Plum Island
juv	juvenile	Pd	Pond
loc	location	P'town	Provincetown
lt	light (phase)	Quab.	Quabbin
m	male	Res.	Reservoir
max	maximum	R.P.	Race Point, Provincetown
mi	mile	S.B.	South Beach, Chatham
migr	migrating	S. Dart.	South Dartmouth
n	nesting	S.F.	State Forest
ph	photographed	S.N.	Sandy Neck, Barnstable
pl	plumage	S.P.	State Park
pr	pair	Stellw.	Stellwagen Bank
S	summer (1S = first summer)	Worc.	Worcester
thr	throughout	BBC	Brookline Bird Club
v.o.	various observers	BMB	Broad Meadow Brook, Worcester
W	winter (2W = second winter)	CBC	Christmas Bird Count
w/	with	CCBC	Cape Cod Bird Club
yg	young	DFWS	Drumlin Farm Wildlife Sanctuary
#	additional observers	DWWS	Daniel Webster Wildlife Sanctuary
A.A.	Arnold Arboretum	EMHW	Eastern Massachusetts Hawk Watch
A.P.	Andrews Point, Rockport	GMNWR	Great Meadows National Wildlife Refuge
A.Pd	Allens Pond, S. Dartmouth	HRWMA	High Ridge Wildlife Management Area, Gardner-Westminster
Arl.	Arlington	IRWS	Ipswich River Wildlife Sanctuary
B.	Beach	LCES	Lloyd Center for Environmental Studies
B.I.	Belle Isle, E. Boston	MARC	Massachusetts Avian Records Committee
B.R.	Bass Rocks, Gloucester	MAS	Massachusetts Audubon Society
Buzz.	Buzzards Bay	MBO	Manomet Bird Observatory
Cambr.	Cambridge	MBWMA	Martin Burns Wildlife Management Area, Rowley
C.B.	Crane Beach, Ipswich	MDFW	MA Division of Fisheries and Wildlife
Corp. B.	Corporation Beach, Dennis	MNWS	Marblehead Neck Wildlife Sanctuary
C.P.	Crooked Pond, Boxford	MSSF	Myles Standish State Forest
Cumb. Farms	Cumberland Farms, Middleboro-Halifax	NBC	Needham Bird Club
E.P.	Eastern Point, Gloucester	NEHW	New England Hawk Watch
F.E.	First Encounter Beach, Eastham	ONWR	Oxbow National Wildlife Refuge
F.H.	Fort Hill, Eastham	SRV	Sudbury River Valley
F.M.	Fowl Meadow	SSBC	South Shore Bird Club
F.P.	Fresh Pond, Cambridge	TASL	Take A Second Look Harbor Census
F.Pk	Franklin Park, Boston	USFWS	US Fish and Wildlife Service
G40	Gate 40, Quabbin	WBWS	Wellfleet Bay Wildlife Sanctuary
G45	Gate 45, Quabbin	WMWS	Wachusett Meadow Wildlife Sanctuary