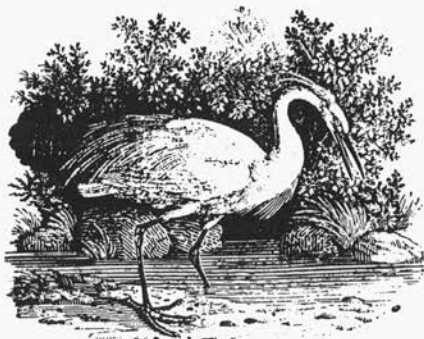


BIRD SIGHTINGS

MAY 1995

SUMMARY



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May 1995 was cool, cloudy, and dry. The temperature in Boston averaged 57.2°, 1° below normal. No daily temperature records were broken, but the first 70° reading did not occur until May 18, surpassing the previous late date of May 14, 1924. The average date is around April 10. The first half of the month was quite cool, but the last half was above normal. The high mark for the month was 89° on May 31, while the low was 38° on May 2. Rainfall totaled only 1.82 inches, the fourth dry month in a row. Thunderstorms were noted on two days. The storm on May 29 will be remembered for the devastating tornado in Great Barrington in western Massachusetts. Winds were out of the southwest on May 3, 5, 10, and 24th, and from the south or southeast on six additional days.

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LOONS THROUGH WOODPECKERS

An extended period of cloudy, drizzly, or rainy weather dominated by easterly winds for about a week at midmonth may have contributed to the better than average presence of loons and grebes. The same weather pattern may also, in part, have been responsible for the fine representation of shearwaters along inshore waters. In particular note the presence of Northern Fulmar on May 20. The presence of fulmars on inshore waters is very erratic, but the latter half of May has proved to be perhaps the best time to expect them. The numbers reported this year represent the best ever showing. The excellent count of Sooty Shearwaters on Nantucket on the 29th falls neatly into the brief window during late May and early June, when they can be reasonably expected in sight of land regardless of the weather. Wilson's Storm-Petrels were in relatively good numbers considering they had just arrived.

The obvious highlight of the heron group was the return of the **Little Egret** to Nantucket for the fourth consecutive year. Little Blue Herons were sparsely reported away from their now traditional breeding site on Kettle Island in Manchester, and only two Tricolored Herons were found. Among the few Yellow-crowned Night-Heron reports were two unusual inland sightings. Excellent numbers of scoters and Oldsquaw were reported from Nantucket. Otherwise, the most interesting reports were a Eurasian Wigeon in Newburyport, a King Eider at Marblehead Neck, and a scattering of Ruddy Duck reports. There is usually a small but reliable migration of hawks in May, consisting of one-year-old birds. They were almost nonexistent this year due to the lack of the necessary southwest winds. However, the month was not without its highlights, with a **Black Vulture** in Bolton and a **Mississippi Kite** in Newbury. Both species are now expected annual visitors during spring migration but are still a welcome sight to fortunate observers.

Two pairs of Clapper Rails in the Newburyport/Plum Island area were obliging, and the two reports of King Rail came from southeastern Massachusetts, which is a likely area to search for this scarce and elusive species. Very good numbers of Virginia Rails were noted in favored locations, but Soras were rather sparsely reported. The shorebird migration was somewhat below average, with little diversity and maximum counts of regular migrants below normal. Clearly the highlights of the month were **Black-necked Stilts**. The first ever inland record occurred at Middleboro, and another appeared at Newburyport. Three Ruffs graced Newburyport harbor during the first week as well as a rare-in-spring Stilt Sandpiper.

Highlights of the Laridae family were a **Franklin's Gull** at Martha's Vineyard and a **Gull-billed Tern** at Newburyport. Other interesting sightings were a scattering of both Pomarine and Parasitic jaegers, several Little Gulls, and several gull species that are typical winter visitors. Several Caspian Terns were noted in passage.

Reports of cuckoos were average or slightly above average. Chuck-will's-widows were reported from their Martha's Vineyard stronghold, and a more exceptional individual was heard in Norfolk. The usual scattering of Whip-poor-wills was found with notable reports from more inland locations.

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| Date | Location | Number | Observers | Date | Location | Number | Observers |
|---------------------------------|-----------------|-------------|------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------|-------------|----------------------|
| Red-throated Loon | | | | Snowy Egret | | | |
| 1, 18 | Nantucket | 500, 40 | J. Soucy# | thr | P.I. | 47 max | W. Drew# |
| 25 | P.I. | 35+ | W. Petersen# | 27 | Manchester | 100 pr | S. Perkins# |
| Common Loon | | | | Little Blue Heron | | | |
| 1, 18 | Nantucket | 75, 20 | J. Soucy# | 8 | Dartmouth | 1 | T. Tynning |
| 4 | N. Dartmouth | 16 | M. Boucher | 12 | Hingham | 1 | K. Godfrey |
| 17 | Duxbury B. | 15 migr | S. Perkins# | 19 | Nantucket | 1 ad | C. Marantz# |
| 18-20 | Nantucket | 100+ | S. Perkins# | 20 | Essex | 4 | S. Arena# |
| 25 | P.I. | 40+ | W. Petersen# | 24 | DWWS | 2 | D. Ludlow |
| Pied-billed Grebe | | | | 27 | Manchester | 15 pr | S. Perkins# |
| 26 | Pepperell | 2 ad + 5 yg | E. Stromsted | Tricolored Heron | | | |
| Horned Grebe | | | | 6-27 | P.I. | 1 | W. Harrington + v.o. |
| 13 | Marblehead Neck | 1 | R. Forster# | 19-20 | N. Monomoy | 1 | B. Nikula + v.o. |
| Red-necked Grebe | | | | Cattle Egret | | | |
| 13 | Marblehead Neck | 1 br pl | R. Forster# | 3 | Ipswich | 7 | J. Berry |
| 20 | Nahant | 1 | H. Coolidge# | 7 | Bolton Flats | 1 | M. Lynch# |
| 31 | Gloucester | 1 | J. Soucy# | 25 | Hamilton | 3 | T. Young |
| Northern Fulmar | | | | 27 | Beverly | 8 | R. Stymeist# |
| 20 | Nant. Sound | 1 | W. Petersen# | 27 | Manchester | 1 pr | S. Perkins# |
| 20 | E. of Chatham | 225 | W. Harrington | Green Heron | | | |
| 20 | Jeffries L. | 75-100 | S. Charette | thr | Mt. A. | pr n | v. o. |
| 25 | P.I. | 1 | G. Bertrand# | 14 | P.I./Newbypt | 6 | M. Lynch# |
| 28 | E. of Monomoy | 15-20 | S. Perkins# | 14 | Wayland | 3 | S. Arena# |
| Sooty Shearwater | | | | 28 | Cumb. Farms | 2 | S. Arena# |
| 11 | Nantucket | 1 | J. Soucy# | Black-crowned Night-Heron | | | |
| 20 | E. of Chatham | 10 | W. Harrington | 27 | Manchester | 8-10 pr | S. Perkins# |
| 24 | Jeffries L. | 12 | C. Paine# | 30 | Mt. A. | 8 | v.o. |
| 25 | P.I. | 1 | W. Petersen# | Yellow-crowned Night-Heron | | | |
| 29 | Provincetown | 1 | S. Perkins# | 7-8 | Wellesley | 1 ad | R. Forster# |
| 29 | Nantucket | 700+ | B. Perkins | 15 | Middleboro | 1 ad | K. Anderson |
| 31 | N. Monomoy | 10+ | B. Nikula | 21 | Marblehead | 1 | N. Nash |
| Manx Shearwater | | | | 22 | Wareham | 2 ad | M. LaBossiere |
| 19 | Nantucket | 1 | S. Perkins# | 31 | Nahant | 1 ad | M. Rines |
| Wilson's Storm-Petrel | | | | Glossy Ibis | | | |
| 20 | E. of Chatham | 25 | W. Harrington | 12 | Bolton Flats | 1 | C. Paine |
| 21 | Jeffries L. | 20 | M. Gooley | 20 | Rowley | 50 | S. Arena# |
| 26 | Cape Cod Bay | 7 | S. + E. Miller | 27 | Manchester | 40 pr | S. Perkins# |
| 28 | E. of Monomoy | 25-30 | S. Perkins# | Whooper Swan | | | |
| Northern Gannet | | | | 3, 14 | P.I. | 2, 1 | S. Arena, M. Lynch# |
| 1, 18 | Nantucket | 5000, 1000 | J. Soucy# | 20 | Ipswich | 1 w/pr | Mutes v.o. |
| 4 | P.I. | 4 | S. Perkins# | Snow Goose | | | |
| 9 | Chatham | 300 | W. Bailey | 6 | Newburyport | 13-15 | J. Berry# |
| 12 | Eastham (F.E.) | 100+ | M. Gardler | Brant | | | |
| 13 | Revere | 1 | S. Zende# | 2 | Marblehead | 80 | N. Nash |
| 20 | S. Monomoy | 125+ | W. Petersen# | 3 | Lynn B. | 154 | S. Arena |
| 21 | Jeffries L. | 50 | M. Gooley | 10 | Newburyport | 500 | M. Pelikan |
| 28 | Eastham | 10+ | M. Lynch# | 13 | Boston H. | 1316 | R. Stymeist# |
| 29 | Provincetown | 25 | S. Perkins# | 25 | P.I. | 200 | W. Petersen# |
| Great Cormorant | | | | Wood Duck | | | |
| 19 | Nantucket | 1 imm | S. Perkins# | thr | Provincetown | 14 max | B. Nikula# |
| Double-crested Cormorant | | | | 2 | Mashpee | 15 | S. + E. Miller |
| 14 | P.I. | 427 | M. Lynch# | 13 | GMNWR | 70 | B. Malcolm# |
| 17 | Duxbury B. | 250+ migr | S. Perkins# | 31 | Wayland | 29 | S. Arena |
| American Bittern | | | | Green-winged Teal | | | |
| 7 | Petersham | 1 | D. Chickering | 4 | Newburyport | 6 | S. Perkins# |
| 10, 18 | Boxboro, Stow | 1, 1 | C. Paine | 13 | GMNWR | 2 | S. Perkins# |
| 19 | Wayland | 1 | S. Arena# | Northern Pintail | | | |
| Least Bittern | | | | 4 | P.I. | 7 | W. Drew# |
| 31 | Wayland | 2 | S. Arena | Blue-winged Teal | | | |
| Great Blue Heron | | | | 13 | Bolton Flats | 2 | B. Malcolm# |
| 14 | Wayland | 12 nests | S. Arena# | 14 | Newbury | 2 | P. + F. Vale |
| 21 | Littleton | 60+ n | E. Taylor | 31 | Wayland | 1 m | S. Arena |
| 27 | Westboro | 20+ n | E. Taylor | Northern Shoveler | | | |
| Great Egret | | | | 20 | S. Monomoy | 1 | W. Petersen# |
| thr | P.I. | 22 max | W. Drew# | 24 | P.I. | 1 m | D. + I. Jewell |
| 19-20 | Nantucket | 2 | S. Perkins# | Gadwall | | | |
| 27 | Manchester | 52 nests | S. Perkins# | thr | P.I. | 22 max 5/26 | W. Drew# |
| Little Egret | | | | Eurasian Wigeon | | | |
| 2-31 | Nantucket | 1 | J. Soucy + v. o. | 14 | Newburyport | 1 m | M. Lynch# |

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| American Wigeon | | | | | | | | | | |
| 10 | Newburyport | 3 | | M. Pelikan | | | | | | |
| 14, 27 | P.I. | 2, 1 | | M. Lynch# | | | | | | |
| Ring-necked Duck | | | | | | | | | | |
| 18 | Pepperell | 1 | | E. Stromsted | | | | | | |
| 20 | W. Newbury | 1 m | | S. Arena# | | | | | | |
| 20 | Harvard | 1 m | | M. Lynch# | | | | | | |
| Greater Scaup | | | | | | | | | | |
| 20 | Nahant | 1 | | H. Wiggin# | | | | | | |
| 20 | Nantucket | 1 m | | S. Perkins# | | | | | | |
| 20 | Boston (Logan) | 30 | | N. Smith | | | | | | |
| Lesser Scaup | | | | | | | | | | |
| 7 | Newburyport | 1 | | S. Perkins# | | | | | | |
| Common Eider | | | | | | | | | | |
| 17 | Duxbury B. | 150 | | S. Perkins# | | | | | | |
| 28 | N. Monomoy | 30 | | S. Perkins# | | | | | | |
| King Eider | | | | | | | | | | |
| 20 | Marblehead | 1 imm | m | E. Landre | | | | | | |
| Harlequin Duck | | | | | | | | | | |
| 8 | Swampscott | 1 | fide | M. Gardler | | | | | | |
| 20 | Martha's Vineyard | 1 | | V. Laux | | | | | | |
| Oldsquaw | | | | | | | | | | |
| 6, 18 | Nantucket | 4000, 2 | | J. Soucy# | | | | | | |
| 4, 22 | Newburyport | 600, 75 | | S. Perkins# | | | | | | |
| Black Scoter | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1, 18 | Nantucket | 1000, 10 | | J. Soucy# | | | | | | |
| 7 | Dennis | 200+ | | S. + E. Miller | | | | | | |
| 17 | Duxbury B. | 275 | | S. Perkins# | | | | | | |
| 20 | E. Orleans | 150+ | | B. Nikula# | | | | | | |
| Surf Scoter | | | | | | | | | | |
| 17 | Duxbury B. | 75 | | S. Perkins# | | | | | | |
| 20 | E. Orleans | 100+ | | B. Nikula | | | | | | |
| 1, 18 | Nantucket | 300, 8 | | S. Perkins# | | | | | | |
| White-winged Scoter | | | | | | | | | | |
| 15 | Wayland | 2 | | K. Hamilton | | | | | | |
| 20 | Westport | 89 | | M. Boucher | | | | | | |
| 20 | Chatham | 250 | | B. Nikula# | | | | | | |
| 20 | Nantucket | 14,000+ | | S. Perkins# | | | | | | |
| Common Goldeneye | | | | | | | | | | |
| 18 | Pepperell | 2 | | E. Stromsted | | | | | | |
| 21 | Newburyport | 3 | | D. Chickering | | | | | | |
| Bufflehead | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1, 3 | Andover | 29, 19 | | D. Chickering | | | | | | |
| 6 | Lakeville | 22 | | S. Arena# | | | | | | |
| 19 | Lincoln | 1 | | S. Arena# | | | | | | |
| 19 | Nantucket | 1 m | | S. Perkins# | | | | | | |
| 20 | Boston (Logan) | 2 | | N. Smith | | | | | | |
| Hooded Merganser | | | | | | | | | | |
| 12 | Quabbin (G45) | 1 f | | T. Aversa | | | | | | |
| 12 | Bolton | 1 f | | C. Paine | | | | | | |
| 14 | P.I. | 1 f | | M. Lynch# | | | | | | |
| 20 | Stow | 1 f | | C. Paine | | | | | | |
| Common Merganser | | | | | | | | | | |
| 20 | W. Newbury | 1 f | | S. Arena# | | | | | | |
| Red-breasted Merganser | | | | | | | | | | |
| 10, 31 | P.I. | 35, 6 | | M. Pelikan, J. Nove | | | | | | |
| 19 | Nantucket | 8 | | S. Perkins# | | | | | | |
| Ruddy Duck | | | | | | | | | | |
| 10 | Arlington Res. | 2 | | M. Pelikan | | | | | | |
| 12 | Pembroke | 2 | | W. Petersen | | | | | | |
| 13 | GMNWR | 1 m | | S. Perkins# | | | | | | |
| 19 | Lincoln | 2 | | S. Arena# | | | | | | |
| Black Vulture | | | | | | | | | | |
| 13 | ONWR | 1 | | E. Salmela# | | | | | | |
| Turkey Vulture | | | | | | | | | | |
| 4 | Bolton | 1 n | | E. Gossen | | | | | | |
| 13 | Wayland | 6 | | S. Perkins# | | | | | | |
| 17 | Essex | 5 | | M. Rines | | | | | | |
| 23 | Marion | 5 | | M. LaBossiere | | | | | | |
| 27 | Westboro | 6 | | E. Taylor | | | | | | |
| Osprey | | | | | | | | | | |
| thr | S. Dart. (A.Pd) | 6 | | LCES (J. Hill) | | | | | | |
| 20 | Nantucket | 10 | | S. Perkins# | | | | | | |
| 20 | Wakefield | 1 | | P. + F. Vale | | | | | | |
| 21 | GMNWR | 1 | | E. Taylor | | | | | | |
| 24 | Lakeville | 3 | | K. Anderson | | | | | | |
| 27 | Rowley/P.I. | 3-5 | | J. Berry | | | | | | |
| 29 | Provincetown | 1 | | S. Perkins# | | | | | | |
| Mississippi Kite | | | | | | | | | | |
| 20 | MBWMA | 1 sub ad | | P. Roberts | | | | | | |
| Bald Eagle | | | | | | | | | | |
| thr, 5 | Plymouth | 1 ad, 1 imm | | S. Arena | | | | | | |
| 10 | Newbury | 1 imm | | S. Charette | | | | | | |
| 13-31 | P'town-Wellfleet | 2 imm | | v. o. | | | | | | |
| 20 | Quabbin (G15) | 1 | | J. Nove | | | | | | |
| 22 | Quincy | 1 imm | | E. Oldham | | | | | | |
| 26 | Lakeville | 2 yg | | S. King | | | | | | |
| Northern Harrier | | | | | | | | | | |
| 4 | Wayland | 1 | | N. Patterson | | | | | | |
| 15, 27 | Cumb. Farms | 2, 3 | | K. Anderson | | | | | | |
| 21 | Topsfield | 1 | | J. Berry# | | | | | | |
| 20 | P.I. | 2 | | S. Arena# | | | | | | |
| Sharp-shinned Hawk | | | | | | | | | | |
| 14 | P.I. | 3 | | P. Roberts | | | | | | |
| 1-18 | Reports of individuals from 5 locations | | | | | | | | | |
| Cooper's Hawk | | | | | | | | | | |
| thr | N. Dartmouth | 1 | | M. Boucher | | | | | | |
| 4, 5 | Mt. A. | 1 | | v. o. | | | | | | |
| 7 | Acushnet | 1 | | K. Anderson# | | | | | | |
| 17 | Pepperell | 1 | | E. Stromsted | | | | | | |
| 19 | Nantucket | 1 imm | | S. Perkins# | | | | | | |
| 20 | Medford | 1 | | P. + F. Vale | | | | | | |
| 20, 21 | P'town, Truro | 1 imm | | B. Nikula# | | | | | | |
| 28 | Ipswich | 1 | | J. Berry | | | | | | |
| Northern Goshawk | | | | | | | | | | |
| thr | Essex | pr n | | M. Hoar | | | | | | |
| 4 | Harvard | 1 | | M. McCarty | | | | | | |
| 12 | Newbury | 1 | | D. Chickering | | | | | | |
| 20 | W. Newbury | 1 | | S. Arena# | | | | | | |
| 20 | Princeton | 1 | | M. Boucher | | | | | | |
| Red-shouldered Hawk | | | | | | | | | | |
| thr | Sherborn | 4 | | E. Taylor | | | | | | |
| 6 | Lakeville | 2 | | S. Arena# | | | | | | |
| 6 | Westport | 1 | | M. Boucher | | | | | | |
| 7 | Acushnet | 1 | | K. Anderson# | | | | | | |
| 28 | Worc. (BMB) | 1 | | C. Phillips | | | | | | |
| 29 | Marshfield | 1 | | S. Perkins# | | | | | | |
| 30 | Holliston | 2 | | T. Aversa | | | | | | |
| Broad-winged Hawk | | | | | | | | | | |
| 21 | N. Truro | 10 | | EMHW | | | | | | |
| American Kestrel | | | | | | | | | | |
| 27 | Medford | pr | | D. Oliver | | | | | | |
| Merlin | | | | | | | | | | |
| 10 | Boston (F.Pk) | 1 | | T. Aversa | | | | | | |
| 17 | P.I. | 3 | | C. Ralph | | | | | | |
| Peregrine Falcon | | | | | | | | | | |
| thr | Boston | pr + 2 yg | | J. Berry\ | | | | | | |
| 2, 4, 10 | Mt. A. | 1, 1, 1 | | v. o. | | | | | | |
| 7 | Newburyport | 1 ad | | S. Perkins# | | | | | | |
| 10, 12, 14 | P.I. | 1, 1, 1 | | v. o. | | | | | | |
| 28 | Rowley | 1 | | J. Berry | | | | | | |
| Wild Turkey | | | | | | | | | | |
| thr | Sherborn | 12 | | E. Taylor | | | | | | |
| 13 | ONWR | 2 | | E. Salmela# | | | | | | |
| 20 | Bedford | 2 | | C. Floyd# | | | | | | |
| thr | Reports of individuals from 9 locations | | | | | | | | | |
| Northern Bobwhite | | | | | | | | | | |
| 28 | Sharon | 4 | | M. Hall | | | | | | |
| 28 | Chatham | 1 | | S. Perkins# | | | | | | |
| Clapper Rail | | | | | | | | | | |
| 18-27 | P.I. | 2 | | P. Vale + v. o. | | | | | | |
| 27 | Newburyport | 2 | | M. Lynch# | | | | | | |

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| King Rail | | | | | | | | | |
| 13 | Hanson | 1 | S. Arena# | | 13 | Bolton Flats | 1 | B. Malcolm# | |
| 18-28 | Cumb. Farms | 1 | T. Aversa + v. o. | | 18 | Cumb. Farms | 4 | T. Aversa | |
| Virginia Rail | | | | | 20 | Boston (Logan) | 2 | N. Smith | |
| 4 | Milford | 5+ | R. Lockwood | | 20 | Lexington | 4 | R. Stymeist# | |
| 7 | Bolton Flats | 9 | M. Lynch# | | 27 | Newburyport | 1 | J. Berry | |
| 13 | W. Roxbury | 4 | R. Stymeist# | | Whimbrel | | | | |
| 13 | S. Hanson | 13 | S. Arena# | | 5 | WBWS | 3 | A. King# | |
| 14, 31 | Wayland | 9, 15 | S. Arena | | 27 | P.I. | 1 | I. Lynch | |
| Sora | | | | | 31 | N. Monomoy | 1 | B. Nikula | |
| 2 | Mashpee | 1 | S. + E. Miller | | Ruddy Turnstone | | | | |
| 7 | Bolton Flats | 1 | M. Lynch# | | 17 | Duxbury B. | 12 | S. Perkins# | |
| 13 | Marshfield | 3 | S. Arena# | | 20 | Newburyport | 2 | H. Coolidge# | |
| 18 | Harvard | 1 | S. + L. Hennin | | 20 | Fairhaven | 6 | M. Boucher | |
| 19, 31 | Wayland | 2 | S. Arena# | | 22, 31 | N. Monomoy | 150 | B. Nikula | |
| 19 | Wakefield | 1 | P. + F. Vale | | 28 | Nauset | 250+ | M. Lynch# | |
| 28 | P.I. | 1 | T. Young | | 28 | Plymouth B. | 116 | M. Rines# | |
| Common Moorhen | | | | | Red Knot | | | | |
| 20-31 | P.I. | 1 | v. o. | | 4-31 | N. Monomoy | 80 max | B. Nikula | |
| Black-bellied Plover | | | | | 10 | Newburyport | 1 | H. Wiggin# | |
| thr | N. Monomoy | 850 max | B. Nikula | | Sanderling | | | | |
| 14 | M.V. | 200 | V. Laux | | thr | N. Monomoy | 600 max | B. Nikula | |
| 14, 27 | Newburyport | 300+, 300+ | M. Lynch# | | 19-20 | Nantucket | 70 | S. Perkins# | |
| 17 | Duxbury B. | 180 | S. Perkins# | | Semipalmated Sandpiper | | | | |
| 25 | P.I. | 125 | W. Petersen | | 22 | Newburyport | 400 | S. Perkins | |
| Semipalmated Plover | | | | | 22, 31 | N. Monomoy | 600, 400 | B. Nikula | |
| 4-31 | N. Monomoy | 40 max | B. Nikula | | Least Sandpiper | | | | |
| 17 | Duxbury B. | 12 | S. Perkins# | | 4, 22 | Newburyport | 25, 500 | S. Perkins# | |
| 20 | Chatham (S.B.) | 45 | B. Nikula# | | 13 | GMNWR | 25+ | T. Maloney# | |
| 25 | P.I. | 125 | S. Perkins# | | 17 | Cumb. Farms | 14 | K. Anderson | |
| Piping Plover | | | | | White-rumped Sandpiper | | | | |
| 13 | Duxbury B. | 3 | S. Arena | | 20 | Fairhaven | 2 | M. Boucher | |
| 18 | P.I. | 40 | W. Drew# | | 22 | N. Monomoy | 15 | B. Nikula | |
| 28 | Nauset | 11 | M. Lynch# | | 25 | Newbypt | 20 | W. Petersen# | |
| American Oystercatcher | | | | | 28 | Cumb. Farms | 3 | S. Arena# | |
| thr | N. Monomoy | 20 max | B. Nikula | | Pectoral Sandpiper | | | | |
| 16 | P.I. | 4 | N. Nash | | 4, 7 | Newburyport | 10, 1 | S. Perkins# | |
| 19-20 | Nantucket | 16 | S. Perkins# | | 20 | Rowley | 2 | S. Arena | |
| 20 | Fairhaven | 3 | M. Boucher | | Purple Sandpiper | | | | |
| 20 | Boston (Logan) | 2 | N. Smith | | 4, 22 | Newburyport | 80, 20 | S. Perkins# | |
| 23 | Yarmouthport | 3 | S. + E. Miller | | 13 | Scituate | 100+ | P. O'Neill# | |
| Black-necked Stilt | | | | | 20 | Nahant | 75 | S. Arena# | |
| 14-27 | Middleboro | 1 | R. Finch + v. o. | | 20 | S. Dartmouth | 2 | M. Boucher | |
| 22-31 | Newburyport | 1 | J. Nove + v. o. | | 25, 27 | P.I. | 82, 8 | S. Perkins# | |
| Greater Yellowlegs | | | | | 28 | Salisbury | 10-15 | S. Charette | |
| 2 | Concord (NAC) | 1 | S. Perkins# | | Dunlin | | | | |
| 3 | Newburyport | 350 | S. Arena | | thr | N. Monomoy | 900 max | B. Nikula | |
| 4, 11 | Wayland | 1, 3 | N. Patterson | | 4, 31 | S. Dart. (A.Pd) | 87, 9 | LCES (J. Hill) | |
| 13 | Bolton Flats | 5 | S. Perkins# | | 4, 22 | Newburyport | 350, 150 | S. Perkins# | |
| 13 | GMNWR | 4 | T. Maloney | | 17 | Duxbury B. | 175 | S. Perkins# | |
| Lesser Yellowlegs | | | | | 25 | P.I. | 75 | W. Petersen# | |
| 3 | Rowley | 7 | S. Arena | | Stilt Sandpiper | | | | |
| 4, 14, 22 | Newbypt | 8, 25, 3 | S. Perkins# | | 24 | Newburyport | 1 | H. Wiggin# | |
| 11 | Wayland | 1 | N. Patterson | | Ruff | | | | |
| Solitary Sandpiper | | | | | 3, 4-6 | Newburyport | 1 m, 2 f | v. o. | |
| 12 | ONWR | 4 | C. Paine | | Short-billed Dowitcher | | | | |
| 13 | Middleboro | 2 | P. O'Neill | | 14, 22, 27 | Newbypt | 2, 65, 3 | S. Perkins# | |
| 13 | GMNWR | 6 | S. Perkins# | | 19 | Ipswich | 7 | T. Young# | |
| 14, 19 | Wayland | 5, 1 | S. Arena# | | 22, 31 | N. Monomoy | 4, 12 | B. Nikula | |
| 14 | Newbury | 3 | P. + F. Vale | | Common Snipe | | | | |
| 16 | Mt. A. | 2 | v. o. | | 2 | Concord (NAC) | 1 | S. Perkins | |
| Willet | | | | | 5 | Cumb. Farms | 1 | K. Anderson | |
| thr | N. Monomoy | 60 max | B. Nikula | | 7 | Bolton Flats | 5 | M. Lynch# | |
| thr | S. Dart. (A.Pd) | 47 max 5/4 | LCES | | 14 | Newburyport | 1 | S. Perkins# | |
| 20 | Fairhaven | 2 | M. Boucher | | American Woodcock | | | | |
| 22 | P.I./Newbypt | 40+ | S. Perkins | | 13 | Boston | nest w/4 eggs | C. Floyd# | |
| Spotted Sandpiper | | | | | 24 | Newbury | 3 | J. Berry | |
| 10-30 | Mt. A. | 1-6 | v. o. | | 26 | Sharon | 2 ad + 5 yg | T. Aversa | |
| 26 | P.I. | 6 | W. Drew# | | 27 | Wayland | 4 | N. Patterson | |
| 27 | Rowley | 4 | J. Berry | | Wilson's Phalarope | | | | |
| Upland Sandpiper | | | | | 12 | Hingham | 1 f | K. Godfrey | |
| | | | | | 13 | Rowley | pr | T. Aversa# | |

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| Wilson's Phalarope (continued) | | | | | | | |
| 14 | Newbypt. P.I. | 2, 2 | M. Lynch# | 22 | Bolton | 1 | S. + L. Hennin |
| Red-necked Phalarope | | | | 22 | Boston (F.Pk) | 1 | T. Aversa |
| 21 | Nantucket | 44 | S. Perkins# | 23 | N. Attleboro | 1 | M. Lynch# |
| 21 | Jeffries L. | 12 | M. Gooley | 24, 29 | Medford | 1, 1 | M. Rines |
| Pomarine Jaeger | | | | 25 | Salem | 1 | I. Lynch |
| 19 | Chatham | 3 | W. Harrington | 27 | Westboro | 1 | E. Taylor |
| Parasitic Jaeger | | | | 27 | P.I. | 1 | J. Berry |
| 12-15 | Nantucket | 1 | J. Soucy# | Barn Owl | | | |
| 17 | Duxbury B. | 2 ad lt | S. Perkins# | 20 | Nantucket | 2 | S. Perkins# |
| 28 | E. of S. Monomoy | 1 | S. Perkins# | Eastern Screech-Owl | | | |
| Laughing Gull | | | | thr | Mt.A. | 2 pr n | v.o. |
| 19-20 | Nantucket | 16 | S. Perkins# | thr | S. Orleans | pr n | S. Thompson |
| 13 | Revere | 3 | S. Zende# | Great Horned Owl | | | |
| 21 | P.I. | 2 ad | T. Young | thr | Ipswich | pr n + 1 yg | J. Berry |
| 28 | Eastham-Orleans | 500+ | M. Lynch# | 1-9 | Essex | pr + 1 yg | T. Young# |
| Franklin's Gull | | | | 8 | Mt.A. | 2 | v.o. |
| 20 | Martha's Vineyard | 1 | V. Laux | Barred Owl | | | |
| Little Gull | | | | 18 | Topsfield | 1 | D. Chickering |
| 20 | Lynn | 1 imm | R. Stymeist# | 20 | Quabbin (G15) | 1 | J. Nove |
| 22 | N. Monomoy | 1 imm | B. Nikula# | 20 | S. Dartmouth | 1 | M. Boucher |
| 25 | Newburyport | 2 imm | W. Petersen# | 30 | Holliston | 1 | T. Aversa |
| Common Black-headed Gull | | | | Short-eared Owl | | | |
| 20 | Lynn | 1 | M. Rines# | 20 | S. Monomoy | 1 | W. Harrington |
| Bonaparte's Gull | | | | 20 | Nantucket | 1 | S. Perkins# |
| 6, 20 | Newbypt 110, 20 | J. Berry, M. Lynch | | Northern Saw-whet Owl | | | |
| 19 | Nantucket | 2 | S. Perkins# | 20 | Petersham | 1 | M. Lynch# |
| Iceland Gull | | | | 22 | Wellfleet | 1 | S. + E. Miller |
| 15, 20 | Martha's Vineyard | 1 | V. Laux | Common Nighthawk | | | |
| 19 | Nantucket | 1 IS | S. Perkins# | 18 | S. Natick | 1 | E. Landre |
| Lesser Black-backed Gull | | | | 18 | Boston (Fenway) | 3 | R. Forster# |
| 15 | Martha's Vineyard | 1 | V. Laux | 18, 27 | Wayland | 3, 30 | N. Patterson |
| Glaucous Gull | | | | 23 | Concord | 20+ | R. Lockwood |
| 1-6 | Nantucket | 1 | J. Soucy# | 23 | Boxboro | 40+ | C. Paine |
| 13 | S. Boston | 1 imm | R. Stymeist# | Chuck-will's-widow | | | |
| 25 | P.I. | 1 | W. Petersen# | 14, 20 | Martha's Vineyard | 2, 3 | V. Laux |
| Black-legged Kittiwake | | | | 26 | Norfolk | 1 | M. Hurder |
| 25 | P.I. | 3 imm | S. Perkins# | Whip-poor-will | | | |
| Gull-billed Tern (details submitted) | | | | 4 | S. Dartmouth | 3 | M. Boucher |
| 27 | Newburyport | 1 | M. Lynch + v.o. | 9 | ONWR | 1 | S. + L. Hennin |
| Caspian Tern | | | | 9 | Nantucket | 2 | J. Soucy# |
| 13 | Newburyport | 1 | T. Aversa# | 11 | Dover | 1 | E. Taylor |
| 14 | Attleboro | 3 | D. Nyzio | 14 | Clinton | 3 | M. Lynch# |
| 28 | Plymouth | 1 | R. Stymeist# | 20 | Petersham | 1 | M. Lynch# |
| Roseate Tern | | | | 20 | W. Newbury | 5 | R. Stymeist# |
| 14, 26 | Edgartown | 60, 400 | V. Laux | 24 | Newbury | 2 | J. Berry |
| 19 | Nantucket | 15 | S. Perkins# | Chimney Swift | | | |
| 22 | P.I. | 2 | S. Perkins# | 7 | Framingham | 75+ | E. Taylor |
| Common Tern | | | | 13 | Worcester | 30+ | M. Lynch# |
| 4 | Revere | 1 | J. Berry | 13 | GMNWR | 40 | S. Perkins# |
| 4, 22 | P.I., P.I./Newbypt | 4, 250 | S. Perkins# | 22 | Newburyport | 200 | S. Perkins |
| 19-20 | Nantucket | 350 | S. Perkins# | Ruby-throated Hummingbird | | | |
| Arctic Tern | | | | 7 | E. Middleboro | 1 | K. Anderson |
| 19, 28 | Plymouth B. | 2, 3 | P. O'Neill# | 10 | Bolton | 1 | S. + L. Hennin |
| Least Tern | | | | 16-27 | Mt.A. | 1-6 | v.o. |
| 20 | Salisbury | 150-200 | S. Charette | 22 | P.I. | 1 migr | S. Perkins |
| Black Tern | | | | Red-headed Woodpecker | | | |
| 20 | S. Monomoy | 1 | W. Petersen# | thr | Sherborn | 2 ad | E. Taylor |
| Black Skimmer | | | | 2 | Dennis | 1 | R. Fisher |
| 20 | Eastham | 4 pr | fide S. Hecker | 20 | Petersham | 1 ad | M. Lynch# |
| 22 | N. Monomoy | 1 | B. Nikula# | Red-bellied Woodpecker | | | |
| Monk Parakeet | | | | thr | Lincoln | 1 pr n | S. Perkins# |
| 31 | Taunton | 2-3 nests | W. Petersen# | thr | Medford | 2 pr n | M. Rines |
| Black-billed Cuckoo | | | | thr | Woburn | 1 pr n | M. Rines |
| 14 | Clinton | 1 | M. Lynch# | thr | Sherborn | 4 ad | E. Taylor |
| 17-18 | Mt.A. | 1 | v.o. | 6 | Holliston | 1 pr n | J. Howe |
| 25 | Salem | 2 | I. Lynch# | 10-31 | E. Orleans | 1 pr n | J. Talin# |
| 20-31 | Reports of individuals from 10 locations | | | thr | Reports of individuals from 5 locations | | |
| Yellow-billed Cuckoo | | | | Yellow-bellied Sapsucker | | | |
| 18 | Wellesley | 1 | R. Forster | 2 | Medford | 1 f | M. Rines |
| 21 | Topsfield | 1 | J. Berry# | 20 | Princeton | 1 | M. Boucher |

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| Pileated Woodpecker | | | | 20 | Boxford | 2 | C. Floyd# |
| thr Pepperell | pr n | E. Stromsted | | 22 | Ipswich | 2 | T. Young |
| 20 Harvard | 2 | M. Lynch# | | 27 | Concord | 1 | R. Lockwood |

FLYCATCHERS THROUGH GROSBEAKS

Birders reported good numbers of migrants from many locations in eastern Massachusetts, and several peak "waves" were noted following southerly winds. The only unusual bird was the report of a **Fork-tailed Flycatcher** in Attleboro on May 21. There was a good flight of Olive-sided Flycatchers, White-eyed Vireos, and as many as eight Philadelphia Vireos. Thirty-five species of warblers were reported, not to mention two hybrids, constituting an impressive list for this May. Highlights included 2 Golden-winged, 2 Orange-crowned, a **Yellow-throated** at Manomet, 3 Ceruleans, 4 Prothonotaries, 5 Kentuckys, and 6 Hooded warblers, and 2 Yellow-breasted Chats.

Other highlights included 4 **Summer Tanagers**, 5 **Blue Grosbeaks**, a **Painted Bunting** in North Truro, and a **Yellow-headed Blackbird** in Norton. A great flight of White-crowned Sparrows occurred and a good number of Lincoln's Sparrows was also noted. A Clay-colored Sparrow was found in Hingham, and the **Harris' Sparrows**, holdovers from the winter, finally departed from Hopkinton and Nantucket. R. H. S.

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| Olive-sided Flycatcher | | | | 25 | Provincetown | 20 | R. Abrams# |
| 17-27 MBWMA | 1 | D. Chickering# | | Great Crested Flycatcher | | | |
| 19-21, 25 Mt.A. | 1, 2, 1 | v. o. | | thr Mt. A. | 6 max | 5/23 | v. o. |
| 20 Hamilton | 1 | T. Young# | | 9-31 Medford | 11 max | 5/16 | M. Rines |
| 22 MNWS | 1 | P. + F. Vale | | 10-31 Boston (F.Pk) | 8 max | 5/22 | T. Aversa |
| 23 Yarmouthport | 1 | S. + E. Miller | | 25 Provincetown | 20' | | R. Abrams# |
| 25, 27 Provincetown | 1 | S. Highley | | Eastern Kingbird | | | |
| 27 Milton | 1 | P. O'Neill# | | thr Mt.A. | 10 max | | v. o. |
| 27 Norwell | 1 | J. Norton | | 13 Worcester | 9 | | M. Lynch# |
| 28 Malden | 1 | P. + F. Vale | | 22 P.I. | 20 migr | | S. Perkins# |
| 30 Holliston | 1 | J. Howe | | Fork-tailed Flycatcher | | | |
| Eastern Wood-Pewee | | | | 21 Attleboro | 1 | | J. Lash |
| 18 MNWS | 1 | T. Aversa | | Horned Lark | | | |
| 18-31 Medford | 6 max | 5/22 | M. Rines | 19-20 Nantucket | 8 | | S. Perkins# |
| 20-31 Mt.A. | 5 max | 5/23 | v. o. | Purple Martin | | | |
| 21-31 Boston (F.Pk) | 6 max | 5/23 | T. Aversa | 14, 27 P.I. | 60+ | | M. Lynch# |
| 21 Topsfield | 8 | J. Berry | | Tree Swallow | | | |
| Yellow-bellied Flycatcher | | | | 13 Pembroke | 150 | | S. Arena |
| 17-31 Mt.A. | 3 max | 5/23 | v. o. | 14 P.I. | 100+ | | M. Lynch# |
| 22 MNWS | 1 | P. + F. Vale | | N. Rough-winged Swallow | | | |
| 24 P.I. | 1 | S. Charette | | 8 Milton | 24 | | P. O'Neill |
| 25-28 Provincetown | 1 | R. Abrams + v. o. | | Bank Swallow | | | |
| Acadian Flycatcher | | | | 13 GMNWR | 80 | | S. Perkins# |
| 7 Middleboro | 1 | K. Anderson | | 20 New Braintree | 15+ | | M. Lynch# |
| 26 Manomet | 1 b | MBO staff | | 20 Nantucket | 100 | | S. Perkins# |
| Alder Flycatcher | | | | 26 Burlington | 233 nests | | M. Rines |
| 22 Wayland | 1 | R. Stymeist# | | 29 Andover | 22 nests | | S. Charette |
| 25 Woburn | 2 | M. Rines | | Cliff Swallow | | | |
| 27 W. Newbury | 2 | M. Rines | | 4, 22 P.I. | 2, 1 | | S. Perkins# |
| 27 P.I. | 6 | J. Berry | | 8 Nantucket | 1 | | J. Soucy# |
| 28 Groveland | 2 | J. Center | | 13 Pembroke | 2 | | S. Arena# |
| 31 MNWS | 2 | M. Rines | | 13 Worcester | 1 | | M. Lynch# |
| 25-31 Reports of individuals from 6 locations | | | | 13 GMNWR | 12-15 | | S. Perkins# |
| Willow Flycatcher | | | | 28 Eastham | 2 | | M. Lynch# |
| 19, 31 Wayland | 5, 15 | S. Arena | | 31 Newbury | 6 | | D. Chickering |
| 27 P.I. | 10 | R. Forster | | Barn Swallow | | | |
| 30 W. Roxbury | 10 | T. Aversa | | 13 GMNWR | 120 | | S. Perkins# |
| "Traill's" Flycatcher | | | | 14 Newburyport | 100 migr | | S. Perkins# |
| 10 Mt. A. | 1 | S. Perkins# | | American Crow | | | |
| 30 Manomet | 14 b | MBO staff | | thr Framingham | 200+ | | E. Taylor |
| Least Flycatcher | | | | 31 Mt.A. | 136 | | R. Stymeist |
| 7 Bolton | 1 | M. Lynch# | | Fish Crow | | | |
| 8 Mt.A. | 1 | v. o. | | thr Mt.A. | 8 pr | | R. Stymeist# |
| 12 Manomet | 5 b | MBO staff | | 2 Wellfleet | 14 | | J. Sones |
| 12 Quabbin (G45) | 20 | T. Aversa | | 7, 27 Worc. (BMB) | 1, 2 W. | | Rasku + v. o. |
| 13 ONWR | 5 | E. Salmela# | | 13 Bolton Flats | 2 | | S. Perkins# |
| 19 MNWS | 3 | P. + F. Vale | | 14 Weston | 1 | | D. Oliver |
| 20 Princeton | 8 | M. Boucher | | Common Raven | | | |
| 26 Leominster | 6 | S. Arena | | 7 Athol | 5 | | D. Chickering |
| 27 P.I. | 3 | R. Forster | | 20 Quabbin (G15) | 3 | | J. Nove |

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| Red-breasted Nuthatch | thr Mt.A. | pr | v.o. | 26 Sharon | 4 | T. Aversa |
| 6 Westport | 2 | M. Boucher | | Wood Thrush | | |
| Carolina Wren | | | | thr Medford | 8 max 5/16 | M. Rines |
| 13 Concord | 1 | S. Perkins# | | 1-20 Mt.A. | 5 max 5/15 | v.o. |
| 13 Worcester | 1 | M. Lynch# | | 8-16 Boston (F.Pk) | 5 max 5/16 | T. Aversa |
| 13 Jamaica Plain | 2 | R. Stymeist# | | 13 ONWR | 11 | E. Salmela# |
| 13 Weston | 2 | D. Oliver | | 13 Worcester | 11 | M. Lynch# |
| 13 Lincoln | 1 | T. Maloney# | | 14 Weston | 11 | D. Oliver |
| 16 Mt.A. | 1 | v.o. | | 26 Sharon | 4 | T. Aversa |
| 19-20 Nantucket | 10 | S. Perkins# | | Gray Catbird | | |
| House Wren | | | | thr Boston (F.Pk) | 71 max 5/16 | T. Aversa |
| thr Mt.A. | 1-4 | v.o. | | thr Mt.A. | 25 max 5/18 | v.o. |
| thr Medford | 11 max | M. Rines | | 14, 27 P.I. | 54, 60 | M. Lynch# |
| 3 MNWS | 5 | S. Arena | | 19-20 Nantucket | 70+ | S. Perkins# |
| 13 Weston | 10 | D. Oliver | | Brown Thrasher | | |
| Winter Wren | | | | thr Medford | 8 max 5/16 | M. Rines |
| 2 Boston (F.Pk) | 1 | T. Aversa | | 4 P.I. | 6 | S. Perkins# |
| 5, 21 P.I. | 1 | N. Nash, S. Charette | | 13 Boston (Hyde Pk) | 8 | R. Stymeist# |
| 9 Pepperell | 1 | L. High | | American Pipit | | |
| 18 Groton | 1 | E. Stromsted | | 10 P.I. | 2 | H. Wiggin# |
| 20 Petersham | 2 | M. Lynch# | | 13 Rowley | 1 | T. Aversa# |
| Marsh Wren | | | | 20 Newbury | 1 | S. Charette |
| 14 Newburyport | 2 | M. Lynch# | | 20 S. Monomoy | 1 | W. Petersen# |
| 14, 31 Wayland | 9, 18 | S. Arena# | | 20 Eatham | 1 | B. Nikula# |
| 21 GMNWR | 15 | E. Taylor | | Cedar Waxwing | | |
| Golden-crowned Kinglet | | | | 4 Wayland | 25+ | N. Patterson |
| 20 Lakeville | 1 | K. Anderson# | | 22 P.I. | 70 | S. Perkins |
| Ruby-crowned Kinglet | | | | 19-20 Nantucket | 300+ | S. Perkins# |
| 1-15 Mt.A. | 12 max 5/1 | v.o. | | White-eyed Vireo | | |
| 13 Boston | 3 | R. Stymeist# | | 3 Manomet | 1 b | MBO Staff |
| 17 MBWMA | 1 | D. Chickering | | 3-14 Mt.A. | 1-2 | v.o. |
| Blue-gray Gnatcatcher | | | | 5 Provincetown | 1 | S. Highley |
| thr Provincetown | 6 max | B. Nikula# | | 7 Worcester | 1 | M. Lynch# |
| 1 Wayland | 6 | N. Patterson | | 8 Dartmouth | 1 | C. Leahy |
| 7 Bolton, ONWR | 4, 14 | M. Lynch# | | 10 Hingham | 1 | H. Cross |
| 7 Worc. (BMB) | pr n | B. Rasku# | | 14 Belmont | 1 | M. Rines |
| 12 Quabbin (G45) | 11 | T. Aversa# | | 16 Medford | 1 | M. Rines |
| 13 ONWR | 13 | E. Salmela# | | 16 Wareham | 1 | M. LaBossiere |
| 20 Wakefield | 3 pr n | R. Stymeist# | | 21 Topsfield | 1 | J. Berry# |
| 29 Sudbury | pr n | R. Forster | | 21 MNWS | 1 | M. Lynch# |
| 29 Sudbury | pr n | R. Forster | | 23 Boston (F.Pk) | 1 | T. Aversa |
| Eastern Bluebird | | | | Solitary Vireo | | |
| thr Sherborn | 20 | E. Taylor | | 1-16 Boston (F.Pk) | 14 max 5/3 | T. Aversa |
| 1 Wayland | 4 | N. Patterson | | 1-18 Mt.A. | 7 max 5/1-3 | v.o. |
| 10 Hingham | 5 | K. Godfrey | | 1-18 Medford | 6 max 5/16 | M. Rines |
| Veery | | | | 15 P.I. | 6 | J. Nove |
| 1-25 Mt.A. | 15 max 5/15 | v.o. | | 20 Harvard | 20+ | M. Lynch# |
| 10, 12 Manomet | 10 b, 9 b | MBO staff | | 30 Holliston | 3 | T. Aversa |
| 13 Worcester | 6 | M. Lynch# | | Yellow-throated Vireo | | |
| 19 ONWR | 10+ | R. Lockwood | | 1-4, 21-22 Mt.A. | 1-3, 1 | v.o. |
| 29 Raynham | 11 | S. Arena | | 3 Brookline | 1 | H. Wiggin |
| Gray-checked Thrush | | | | 4 Yarmouthport | 1 | S. + E. Miller |
| 13 Boston | 1 | R. Stymeist# | | 12 Quabbin (G45) | 7 | T. Aversa |
| 14-16, 19-20 Mt.A. | 1, 1, 3 | v.o. | | 13 ONWR | 5 | E. Salmela# |
| 19 Brookline | 1 | H. Wiggin# | | 15 Dedham | 1 | N. Komar |
| 25, 26, 31 Manomet | 1 b, 1 b, 1 b | MBO staff | | 21 Topsfield | 3 m | J. Berry# |
| 27 P.I. | 1 | M. Lynch# | | 22 Worc. (BMB) | pr n | J. Liller |
| Swainson's Thrush | | | | 25 Boston (F.Pk) | 1 | T. Aversa |
| 10-25 Mt.A. | 12 max 5/15, 5/18 | v.o. | | 29 Wayland | 1 | R. Forster |
| 11 Wayland | 1 | N. Patterson | | Warbling Vireo | | |
| 12 Quabbin (G45) | 1 | T. Aversa# | | 2-31 Boston (F.Pk) | 7 max 5/17 | T. Aversa |
| 12, 25 Manomet | 1 b, 10 b | MBO staff | | 7 Bolton/ONWR | 4 | M. Lynch# |
| 14-31 Boston (F.Pk) | 12 max 5/25 | T. Aversa | | 10, 25 Woburn | 6, 10 | M. Rines |
| 20 Ipswich | 12 | T. Young# | | 13 Worcester | 11 | M. Lynch# |
| 25 Provincetown | 6 | R. Abrams# | | 14 Wayland | 9 | S. Arena# |
| Hermit Thrush | | | | 20 Ipswich | 6 | T. Young# |
| thr Sherborn | 6 | E. Taylor | | 25 Salem | 5 | I. Lynch# |
| 1-16 Boston (F.Pk) | 3 max 5/8 | T. Aversa | | Philadelphia Vireo | | |
| 13 Milton | 5+ | P. O'Neill# | | 14, 20-23 Mt.A. | 1 | v.o. |
| 19 Nantucket | 1 | S. Perkins# | | 19 ONWR | 1 | R. Lockwood# |
| 20 Harvard | 30+ | M. Lynch# | | 20 Nahant | 1 | H. Wiggin# |

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| Philadelphia Vireo (continued) | | | |
| 20-22 | Provincetown | 3+ | v.o. |
| 20 | Martha's Vineyard | 1 | V. Laux |
| 25 | Provincetown | 1 | R. Abrams# |
| Red-eyed Vireo | | | |
| 7 | Bolton, ONWR | 2 | M. Lynch# |
| 12-31 | Mt.A. | 7 max 5/19 | v.o. |
| 16-31 | Medford | 11 max 5/22 | M. Rines |
| 16-31 | Boston (F.Pk) | 10 max 5/25 | T. Aversa |
| 19-20 | Nantucket | 11 | S. Perkins# |
| 25 | Provincetown | 60 | R. Abrams# |
| Blue-winged Warbler | | | |
| 2-18 | Mt.A. | 5 max 5/12 | v.o. |
| 13 | ONWR | 12 | E. Salmela# |
| 14 | Weston | 4 | D. Oliver |
| 26 | Sharon | 11 | T. Aversa |
| 27 | W. Newbury | 15 | M. Rines |
| Golden-winged Warbler | | | |
| 11 | Sharon | 1 | P. Dorcus |
| 28 | Groveland | 1 | D. Chickering |
| "Brewster's" Warbler | | | |
| 29 | W. Newbury | 1 m | J. Berry |
| "Lawrence's" Warbler | | | |
| 10-17 | MBWMA | 1 | S. Charette + v.o. |
| Tennessee Warbler | | | |
| 16-26 | Mt.A. | 6 max 5/18 | v.o. |
| 20 | Nantucket | 1 | C. Marantz |
| 25 | Provincetown | 4 | R. Abrams# |
| 27 | Milton | 1 | R. Donovan# |
| Orange-crowned Warbler | | | |
| 2, 19 | Mt.A. | 1, 1 | C. Paine#, W. Petersen# |
| Nashville Warbler | | | |
| 1-30 | Mt.A. | 9 max 5/14 | v.o. |
| 3-16 | Boston (FPk) | 9 max 5/19 | T. Aversa |
| 10 | Medford | 6 | M. Rines |
| Northern Parula | | | |
| 1-25 | Boston (F.Pk) | 17 max 5/16 | T. Aversa |
| 1-25 | Mt.A. | 20 max 5/9, 5/16 | v.o. |
| 13 | Boston | 17 | R. Stymeist# |
| 14 | M.V. | 70 | V. Laux |
| 17 | P.I. | 30 | M. Rines |
| 20 | Provincetown | 20 | B. Nikula# |
| Yellow Warbler | | | |
| thr | Mt.A. | 10 max 5/20 | v.o. |
| 7 | Bolton, ONWR | 50+ | M. Lynch# |
| 14, 27 | P.I. | 90+, 50+ | M. Lynch# |
| 19-20 | Nantucket | 45 | C. Marantz# |
| 27 | Essex County | 64 | J. Berry |
| Chestnut-sided Warbler | | | |
| thr | Mt.A. | 20 max 5/20 | v.o. |
| 7-25 | Boston (F.Pk) | 6 max 5/16 | T. Aversa |
| 24 | MBWMA | 9 | T. Aversa |
| 25 | Provincetown | 22 | R. Abrams# |
| Magnolia Warbler | | | |
| 6-30 | Mt.A. | 23 max 5/19 | v.o. |
| 14-25 | Boston (F.Pk) | 11 max 5/23 | T. Aversa |
| 16-22 | Medford | 11 max 5/18 | M. Rines |
| 24 | P.I. | 61 | T. Aversa |
| 20 | Nahant | 15+ | S. Arena# |
| 25 | Provincetown | 45 | R. Abrams# |
| 19-20 | Nantucket | 16 | S. Perkins# |
| Cape May Warbler | | | |
| 9, 14 | Mt.A. | 1, 2 | v.o. |
| 14 | M.V. | 1 | V. Laux |
| 14 | Newburyport | 1 | M. Lynch# |
| 19 | P.I. | 3 | D. Chickering |
| 21 | Bolton | 1 | S. + L. Hennin |
| Black-throated Blue Warbler | | | |
| 5-25 | Mt.A. | 10+ max 5/20 | v.o. |
| Yellow-rumped Warbler | | | |
| 1-25 | Boston (F.Pk) | 77 max 5/10 | T. Aversa |
| 1-26 | Mt.A. | 42 max 5/18 | v.o. |
| 4 | Milford | 50+ | R. Lockwood |
| 13 | Worcester | 55 | M. Lynch# |
| 14 | M.V. | 300 | V. Laux |
| Black-throated Green Warbler | | | |
| 1-26 | Mt.A. | 25 max 5/20 | v.o. |
| 7-25 | Boston (F.Pk) | 21 max 5/16 | T. Aversa |
| 17 | P.I. | 12 | S. Haydock |
| 20 | Harvard | 20+ | M. Lynch# |
| Blackburnian Warbler | | | |
| 10-28 | Mt.A. | 20 max 5/18 | v.o. |
| 14-28 | Boston | 8 max 5/15 | T. Aversa |
| 18 | Medford | 8 | M. Rines |
| 20 | Harvard | 10+ | M. Lynch# |
| 25 | Provincetown | 15 | R. Abrams# |
| 19-20 | Nantucket | 14 | S. Perkins# |
| Yellow-throated Warbler | | | |
| 4 | Manomet | 1 m | MBO staff |
| Pine Warbler | | | |
| thr | Boston (F.Pk) | 4 max | T. Aversa |
| 13 | Boston (Hyde Pk) | 4 | R. Stymeist# |
| 21 | Topsfield/Ipswich | 7 | J. Berry |
| Prairie Warbler | | | |
| 26 | Sharon | 18 | T. Aversa |
| 27 | MBWMA | 5 | J. Berry# |
| 29 | Groveland | 5 | J. Berry |
| Palm Warbler | | | |
| 1-16 | Mt.A. | 12 max 5/2 | v.o. |
| 1-16 | Boston (F.Pk) | 9 max 5/7 | T. Aversa |
| 2-9 | Manomet | 6 b | MBO staff |
| Bay-breasted Warbler | | | |
| 13-20 | Mt.A. | 15 max 5/18 | v.o. |
| 19-20 | Nantucket | 13 | S. Perkins# |
| 20 | Medford, Wakefield | 6, 5 | P. + F. Vale |
| 23 | Boston (F.Pk) | 2 m | T. Aversa |
| Blackpoll Warbler | | | |
| 13 | P.I. | 1 m | T. Aversa# |
| 14 | Martha's Vineyard | 4 | V. Laux |
| 16-31 | Mt.A. | 15 max 5/18-20 | v.o. |
| 19-20 | Nantucket | 45 | S. Perkins# |
| 22-31 | Boston (F.Pk) | 18 max 5/25 | T. Aversa |
| 25 | Provincetown | 200 | R. Abrams# |
| Cerulean Warbler | | | |
| 7 | Mt.A. | 1 | v.o. |
| 7 | Medford | 1 | M. Rines# |
| 14 | Nantucket | 1 m | J. Soucy# |
| Black-and-white Warbler | | | |
| 1-25 | Mt.A. | 20 max 5/11 | v.o. |
| 1-28 | Boston (F.Pk) | 37 max 5/16 | T. Aversa |
| 13 | Worc. (BMB) | 11 | B. Rasku |
| 13 | ONWR | 19 | E. Salmela# |
| 14 | M.V. | 15 | V. Laux |
| 16 | Medford | 15 | M. Rines |
| American Redstart | | | |
| thr | Mt.A. | 15 max 5/18 | v.o. |
| 10-31 | Boston (F.Pk) | 14 max 5/25 | T. Aversa |
| 20, 27 | Provincetown | 20, 15 | B. Nikula |
| 24 | P.I. | 104 | T. Aversa |
| 27 | Essex County | 48 | J. Berry |
| Prothonotary Warbler | | | |
| 7 | Chatham | 1 | fide J. Sones |
| 16-20 | S. Wellfleet | 2 max | J. Sones# |
| 20 | S. Monomoy | 1 | W. Harrington |
| Worm-eating Warbler | | | |
| 4 | Worcester | 1 | M. Lynch# |
| 10-15 | Mt.A. | 3 max 5/12 | v.o. |
| 13 | Milton | 4 | G. d'Entremont# |
| 17 | Sharon | 2 | P. Dorcus |
| 22 | Nahant | 1 | P. + F. Vale |
| 25 | Provincetown | 1 | R. Abrams# |


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| Ovenbird | | | | | | | | |
| 2, 9 | Middleboro | 5, 15 | K. Anderson | | | | | |
| 4-27 | Mt.A. | 20 max 5/15 | v.o. | | | | | |
| 6 | Freetown | 17 | T. Aversa | | | | | |
| 7-13 | Boston (F.Pk) | 31 max 5/16 | T. Aversa | | | | | |
| 9-18 | Medford | 18 max 5/16 | M. Rines | | | | | |
| 10 | Manomet | 11 b | MBO staff | | | | | |
| 13 | Worcester | 10 | B. Rasku# | | | | | |
| 13 | Boston (Hyde Pk) | 11 | R. Stymeist# | | | | | |
| 13 | ONWR | 22 | E. Salmela# | | | | | |
| 14 | M.V. | 10 | V. Laux | | | | | |
| Northern Waterthrush | | | | | | | | |
| 5-20 | Mt.A. | 6 max 5/5 | v.o. | | | | | |
| 6 | Lakeville | 7 | S. Arena# | | | | | |
| 9 | E. Middleboro | 8 | K. Anderson | | | | | |
| 10 | Manomet | 18 b | MBO staff | | | | | |
| 14 | Wayland | 3 | S. Arena# | | | | | |
| 19, 20 | Provincetown | 6, 8 | B. Nikula | | | | | |
| 30 | Holliston | 5 | T. Aversa | | | | | |
| Louisiana Waterthrush | | | | | | | | |
| thr | Boxford | 4 | v.o. | | | | | |
| 5-8 | Mt.A. | 1 | v.o. | | | | | |
| 20 | Petersham | 3 | M. Lynch# | | | | | |
| 25-28 | Provincetown | 1 ph | R. Abrams | | | | | |
| Kentucky Warbler | | | | | | | | |
| 4 | WBWS | 1 | D. Reynolds# | | | | | |
| 4, 20 | Mt.A. | 1, 1 | v.o. | | | | | |
| 20 | Nantucket | 1 m | S. Perkins# | | | | | |
| 30-31 | Marshfield | 1 | J. Nichols | | | | | |
| Mourning Warbler | | | | | | | | |
| 20 | Nahant | 1 | H. Wiggin# | | | | | |
| 23-31 | Mt.A. | 3 max 5/31 | v.o. | | | | | |
| 23-31 | Boston (F.Pk) | 3 max 5/31 | T. Aversa | | | | | |
| 24 | P.I. | 2 | v.o. | | | | | |
| 25-31 | Provincetown | 1-2 | v.o. | | | | | |
| 26 | Sharon | 2 | T. Aversa | | | | | |
| 31 | Nahant, MNWS | 2, 2 | M. Rines | | | | | |
| 22-31 | Reports of individuals from 8 locations | | | | | | | |
| Common Yellowthroat | | | | | | | | |
| 13 | ONWR | 27 | E. Salmela# | | | | | |
| 13 | Boston | 22 | R. Stymeist# | | | | | |
| 13 | Worc. (BMB) | 32 | B. Rasku# | | | | | |
| 14, 27 | P.I. | 25, 20 | M. Lynch# | | | | | |
| Hooded Warbler | | | | | | | | |
| 3 | Medford | 1 m | M. Tyrrell | | | | | |
| 4 | E. Harwich | 1 m | P. Hill | | | | | |
| 9-10, 19-20 | Mt.A. | 1 f, 1 m | v.o. | | | | | |
| 30 | Dedham | 1 | N. Komar | | | | | |
| 31 | Concord | 1 m | R. Lockwood | | | | | |
| Wilson's Warbler | | | | | | | | |
| 14-25 | Mt.A. | 2 max 5/20 | v.o. | | | | | |
| 17 | P.I. | 2 | M. Rines | | | | | |
| 18 | MNWS | 2 | T. Aversa | | | | | |
| 25 | Boston (F.Pk) | 2 | T. Aversa | | | | | |
| 30 | Holliston | 1 m | T. Aversa | | | | | |
| Canada Warbler | | | | | | | | |
| 15-31 | Mt.A. | 5 max 5/19 | v.o. | | | | | |
| 21 | Ipswich | 2 m | J. Berry | | | | | |
| 22-31 | Boston (F.Pk) | 5 max 5/25 | T. Aversa | | | | | |
| 25 | Provincetown | 30 | R. Abrams# | | | | | |
| 31 | MNWS | 9 | M. Rines | | | | | |
| Yellow-breasted Chat | | | | | | | | |
| 20 | Yarmouthport | 1 | S. + E. Miller | | | | | |
| 22-23 | Manomet | 1 b | MBO staff | | | | | |
| Summer Tanager | | | | | | | | |
| 6 | Medford | 1 | (BBC) J. Kennedy | | | | | |
| 6-7 | S. Orleans | 1 m | S. Thompson + v.o. | | | | | |
| 17 | Chilmark | 1 f | V. Laux | | | | | |
| 21 | Nantucket | 1 f | S. Perkins# | | | | | |
| Scarlet Tanager | | | | | | | | |
| 20 | Ipswich | 10 | T. Young# | | | | | |
| 27 | MBWMA | 6+ | J. Berry | | | | | |
| Rose-breasted Grosbeak | | | | | | | | |
| 2-25 | Boston (F.Pk) | 3 max 5/10 | T. Aversa | | | | | |
| 7-17 | Mt.A. | 5 max 5/19 | M. Rines | | | | | |
| 16 | Medford | 3 | M. Rines | | | | | |
| Blue Grosbeak | | | | | | | | |
| 4, 20 | M.V. | 1, 1 | fide V. Laux, V. Laux | | | | | |
| 11 | Nahant | 1 | C. Paine | | | | | |
| 20 | Princeton | 1 | M. Boucher | | | | | |
| 29 | Wenham | 1 | P. + F. Vale | | | | | |
| Indigo Bunting | | | | | | | | |
| 5 | W. Roxbury | 1 | P. Buckley | | | | | |
| 21-31 | Boston (F.Pk) | 2 max | T. Aversa | | | | | |
| 22 | Medford | 3 | M. Rines | | | | | |
| 30 | W. Roxbury | 9 | T. Aversa | | | | | |
| Painted Bunting | | | | | | | | |
| 31 | N. Truro | 1 m | M. Minnerath# | | | | | |
| Rufous-sided Towhee | | | | | | | | |
| thr | Medford | 53 max 5/16 | M. Rines | | | | | |
| 7 | Worc. (BMB) | 27 | B. Rasku | | | | | |
| 13 | Bostn (Hyde Pk) | 18 | R. Stymeist# | | | | | |
| Chipping Sparrow | | | | | | | | |
| thr | Mt.A. | 20+ | v.o. | | | | | |
| 13 | Worcester | 50+ | M. Lynch# | | | | | |
| Clay-colored Sparrow | | | | | | | | |
| 5 | Hingham | 1 | K. Godfrey | | | | | |
| Field Sparrow | | | | | | | | |
| 27 | P.I. | 3 | J. Berry | | | | | |
| 27 | MBWMA | 5 | J. Berry | | | | | |
| Vesper Sparrow | | | | | | | | |
| 20 | Wellfleet | 2 | W. Petersen# | | | | | |
| 28 | Plymouth | 5 | R. Stymeist# | | | | | |
| Savannah Sparrow | | | | | | | | |
| 2 | Concord (NAC) | 30 | S. Perkins | | | | | |
| 18 | Cumb. Farms | 25+ | K. Anderson | | | | | |
| 20 | Nantucket | 25 | S. Perkins# | | | | | |
| Grasshopper Sparrow | | | | | | | | |
| 10 | Worc. (BMB) | 1 | F. McMenemy | | | | | |
| 28 | Plymouth | 1 | R. Stymeist# | | | | | |
| Sharp-tailed Sparrow | | | | | | | | |
| 27 | P.I. | 10 | M. Lynch# | | | | | |
| 31 | S. Dart. (A.Pd) | 8 | LCES (J. Hill) | | | | | |
| Seaside Sparrow | | | | | | | | |
| 24 | P.I. | 1 | J. Berry# | | | | | |
| 31 | S. Dart. (A.Pd) | 2 | LCES (J. Hill) | | | | | |
| Lincoln's Sparrow | | | | | | | | |
| 15-20 | Mt.A. | 1-3 | v.o. | | | | | |
| 20 | Provincetown | 2 | v.o. | | | | | |
| 21-25 | Boston (F.Pk) | 1-2 | T. Aversa | | | | | |
| 25 | Manomet | 4 b | MBO staff | | | | | |
| 10-31 | Reports of individuals from 12 locations | | | | | | | |
| Swamp Sparrow | | | | | | | | |
| 14, 31 | Wayland | 12, 17 | S. Arena# | | | | | |
| White-throated Sparrow | | | | | | | | |
| 1-23 | Boston (F.Pk) | 105 max 5/10 | T. Aversa | | | | | |
| 5 | Manomet | 82 b | MBO staff | | | | | |
| 28 | P.I. | 1 | N. Komar | | | | | |
| White-crowned Sparrow | | | | | | | | |
| 3 | Cumb. Farms | 3 | S. Arena# | | | | | |
| 6-17 | Mt.A. | 9 max 5/14 | v.o. | | | | | |
| 10-13 | Manomet | 3 b | MBO staf | | | | | |
| 10 | Hingham | 15 | K. Godfrey | | | | | |
| 11 | W. Roxbury | 4 | T. Aversa | | | | | |
| 11-18 | WBWS | 3 max | J. Sones# | | | | | |
| 14-20 | Provincetown | 4 max | v.o. | | | | | |
| 14 | P.I. | 13 | S. Perkins# | | | | | |
| 14 | M.V. | 20 | V. Laux | | | | | |
| 16 | Wellesley | 3 | R. Forster | | | | | |
| 19 | Nantucket | 11 | fide S. Perkins | | | | | |
| 3-31 | Reports of 1-2 individuals from 18 loc. | | | | | | | |

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| Harris' Sparrow | | | | 2-6 | Nantucket | 8 | J. Soucy# |
| 1-2 | Hopkinton | 1 | J.. Gordon# | 13 | Mt.A. | 2 | W. Petersen# |
| 1 | Nantucket | 1 | L. Van Dyne | 12 | Woburn | 2 pr | D. + I. Jewell |
| "Oregon" Junco | | | | 14 | M.V. | 3 | V. Laux |
| 13-14 | Boston | 1 m ph | L. Jefferson | 17 | P.I. | 3 | M. Rines |
| Lapland Longspur | | | | 17, 18 | Manomet | 5 b, 2 b | MBO staff |
| 4 | N. Monomoy | 2 | B. Nikula# | 21-31 | Boston (F.Pk) | pr n | T. Aversa |
| Bobolink | | | | 27 | Milton | 2 | R. Donovan# |
| 5, 14 | Wayland | 6, 100+ | N. Patterson | thr | Reports of individuals from 10 locations | | |
| 6, 18 | Cumb. Farms | 3, 170 | T. Aversa | Northern Oriole | | | |
| 10 | Boston (F.Pk) | 41 | T. Aversa | thr | Boston (F.Pk) | 31 max | T. Aversa |
| 10 | Hingham | 25 | K. Godfrey | 13 | Concord | 20+ | S. Perkins# |
| 13 | Concord (NAC) | 30+ | S. Perkins# | 16-18 | Manomet | 45 | MBO staff |
| 17 | Pepperell | 50+ | E. Stromsted | 19-20 | Nantucket | 24 | S. Perkins# |
| 28 | Rowley | 25 | J. Berry | Purple Finch | | | |
| Eastern Meadowlark | | | | 6 | Essex | 2 | T. Young |
| 7 | Ipswich | 2 | J. Berry | 6 | Cumb. Farms | 2 | S. Arena |
| 18 | Cumb. Farms | 12 | T. Aversa | 9 | Pepperell | 1 | L. High |
| 24 | Newburyport | 2 m | J. Berry | 21 | Rochester | 2 | M. LaBossiere |
| Yellow-headed Blackbird | | | | 27 | P.I. | 4 | J. Berry |
| 23 | Norton | 1 m | G. Davis | Pine Siskin | | | |
| Brown-headed Cowbird | | | | 20 | Princeton | 3 | M. Boucher |
| 13 | GMNWR | 150 | S. Perkins# | Evening Grosbeak | | | |
| Orchard Oriole | | | | 7 | Petersham | 3 | D. Chickering |
| thr | Wellesley | 2 pr + 1 m | R. Forster | 9 | Worc. (BMB) | 2 | B. Estabrook |

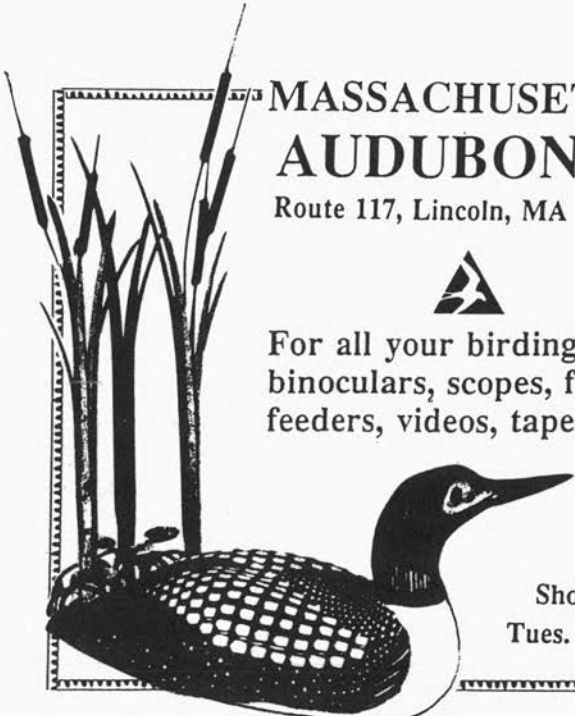
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