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### 1990 FALL FIELD DAYS

The registration for the 1990 Fall Field Days, held 7 to 9 September at the 4-H Camp in the National Forest near Halsey, was 57. The weather was clear, in the 80's during the day, but cool nights, and even during the day the Lodge was pleasant because of the ventilation and the fans. Friday night there was a slide show, Saturday night Gerry Toll told about the Peregrine Falcon project in Omaha, with slides. Mrs. Green banded birds, as usual, showing interesting specimens to those who were near. On Saturday some took a canoe trip down the Middle Loup, but otherwise the participants were on their own, birding. At a Board meeting it was decided to firm up 6 to 8 September 1991 at Halsey for Fall Field Days, but to see if some later date would be available. The possibility of having the Annual Meeting in Grand Island was discussed, and it was later firmed up as 17 to 19 May.

The total count of species was 133; 88 in Cherry Co., with 45 reported from the Refuge and 75 elsewhere in Cherry Co.; 89 in Thomas Co., 86 on the Forest and 13 elsewhere in the county; and 28 in Brown Co.

V = Valentine Refuge  
 C = Cherry Co. outside Valentine Refuge  
 T = Thomas Co. outside National Forest  
 F = National Forest in Thomas Co.  
     National Forest in Blaine Co. (no reports)  
     Blaine Co. outside National Forest (no reports)  
 B = Brown Co.

Pied-billed Grebe	V C - - B	Northern Shoveler	V C - - B
Horned Grebe	- C - - B	Gadwall	V C - - -
Eared Grebe	- C - - -	American Wigeon	- C - - -
Western Grebe	- C - - B	Ruddy Duck	V - - - -
Am. White Pelican	V C - - B	Turkey Vulture	- C - F -
Double-crested Cormorant	V C T F B	Osprey	- - T F -
American Bittern	- C - - -	Northern Harrier	V C - F B
Great Blue Heron	V C - - B	Sharp-shinned Hawk	- - - F -
Little Blue Heron	- C - - -	Cooper's Hawk	- - - F -
Green-backed Heron	- - - F -	Swainson's Hawk	V C T F -
White-faced Ibis	- C - - -	Red-tailed Hawk	V C T F B
Canada Goose	V C - - B	Golden Eagle	- - - - B
Wood Duck	V C - F -	American Kestrel	V C T F -
Green-winged Teal	- C - - -	Merlin	- - - F -
Mallard	- C - F B	Prairie Falcon	V C - F -
Blue-winged Teal	- C - - B	Ring-necked Pheasant	- C T - B

Northern Bobwhite	- - - F -	Black-capped Chickadee	V C - F -
American Coot	V C - - B	Red-breasted Nuthatch	- - - F -
Semipalmated Plover	V - - - -	White-breasted Nuthatch	- - - F -
Killdeer	V C - F B	House Wren	- C - F -
American Avocet	- C - - -	Eastern Bluebird	- - T F -
Greater Yellowlegs	- C - - B	Swainson's Thrush	- - - F -
Lesser Yellowlegs	V C - - -	American Robin	V - - F -
Solitary Sandpiper	- - - - B	Gray Catbird	- - - F -
Western Sandpiper	- C - - -	Brown Thrasher	V C - F -
Least Sandpiper	- C - - -	Sprague's Pipit	- - - F -
Baird's Sandpiper	- C - - -	Cedar Waxwing	V - - F -
Pectoral Sandpiper	V C - - -	Northern Shrike	- - T - -
Stilt Sandpiper	- C - - -	Shrike sp.	- - - F -
Dowitcher sp.	V - - - -	Loggerhead Shrike	- C - - B
Long-billed Dowitcher	V C - - -	European Starling	- C - - -
Wilson's Phalarope	V C - - -	Bell's Vireo	- - - F -
Ring-billed Gull	V C - - -	Solitary Vireo	- - - F -
Black Tern	V - - - -	Warbling Vireo	- - - F -
Rock Dove	- - - F -	Red-eyed Vireo	- - - F -
Mourning Dove	V C T F B	Tennessee Warbler	- - - F -
Yellow-billed Cuckoo	- - - F -	Nashville Warbler	- - - F -
Eastern Screech-Owl	- - - F -	Yellow Warbler	- - - F -
Great Horned Owl	- C - F -	American Redstart	- - - F -
Burrowing Owl	- - - F -	Ovenbird	- - - F -
Common Nighthawk	- - - F -	Common Yellowthroat	V - - F -
Common Poorwill	- - - F -	Wilson's Warbler	- - - F -
Chimney Swift	- - - F -	Yellow-breasted Chat	- C - F -
Ruby-throated Hummingbird	- - T F -	Scarlet Tanager	- C - - -
Belted Kingfisher	V - - F -	Northern Cardinal	- - - F -
Red-headed Woodpecker	V C - F B	Blue Grosbeak	- - - F -
Red-bellied Woodpecker	V - - F -	Lazuli Bunting	V - - F -
Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	- - - B	Rufous-sided Towhee	V - - F -
Downy Woodpecker	V - - F -	Chipping Sparrow	- - - F -
Hairy Woodpecker	- - - F -	Clay-colored Sparrow	- C - F -
Northern Flicker	- C - - B	Field Sparrow	- - - F -
Eastern Wood-Pewee	V - - F -	Vesper Sparrow	- C - - -
Least Flycatcher	- - - F -	Lark Sparrow	- C - F B
Empidonax sp.	- - - F -	Lark Bunting	- C - - -
Eastern Phoebe	- - - F -	Grasshopper Sparrow	- C - - -
Say's Phoebe	- C - - -	Song Sparrow	V - - F -
Great Crested Flycatcher	- - - F -	Lincoln's Sparrow	- - - F -
Western Kingbird	V C T F -	Bobolink	- C - - -
Eastern Kingbird	V C - F B	Red-winged Blackbird	V C - F B
Horned Lark	- C - F -	Western Meadowlark	- C - F B
Tree Swallow	- C - - -	Yellow-headed Blackbird	V C - F -
N. Rough-winged Swallow	- - - F -	Common Grackle	- C - F -
Bank Swallow	- C - - -	Brown-headed Cowbird	V C - - -
Cliff Swallow	- C T - -	Orchard Oriole	- C - F -
Barn Swallow	V C T F -	Northern Oriole	- C - F -
Blue Jay	V C - F -	Red Crossbill	- - - F -
Black-billed Magpie	- C - F -	American Goldfinch	- C - F -
American Crow	V C - F B	House Sparrow	- C - F -