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1994 BALD EAGLE COUNT BY BIG BEND AUDUBON CHAPTER-KEARNEY, NE
 Compiled by George W. Brown

The counts were made on January 8, 1994 in two locations: the Kearney to Lexington area; and the Harlan Reservoir and Republican River areas. The temperature ranged from 12^o - 46^o F; wind, southwest at 3 - 15 mph; sky clear; water mostly open. Participants on the Kearney to Lexington area were George and Marian Brown, Evelyn Johnson, Wes Kellogg, Eileen Paine, Bob Talbitzer, Trenton Talbitzer, Dana Thuente, Margaret Triplett, Mark Urwiller, James Urwiller, and Garnsey Weed. Participants on the Harlan Reservoir - Republican River count were Carla Alexander, Bonnie Bernholtz, Robin Harding, Phoebe Keenen, and Lanny Randolph. Don and Vernell Pettijohn hosted a chili feed at their home in Axtell after the count was completed.

Table 1. Bald Eagle counts, Kearney to Lexington bridge on Platte River. Imm. = immature.

Location	Adult	Imm.	Unknown	Total
Kearney bridge at Platte River	1	0	1	2
Kearney to Odessa	1	0	0	1
Odessa bridge at Platte River	1	0	0	1
Odessa to Elm Creek	3	0	0	3
Elm Creek bridge at Platte River	0	0	0	0
Elm Creek to Overton	0	0	1	1
Overton bridge at Platte River	2	0	1	3
Overton to Canaday Steam Plant	38	10	6	54
Canaday Steam Plant	15	5	0	20
Canaday St. Pl. to J ₂ Power Plant	6	2	0	8
J ₂ Power Plant	16	8	0	24
J ₂ Power Plant to Johnson Lake	5	1	2	8
Johnson Lake	4	1	4	9
Johnson Lake to Lexington bridge	9	9	2	20
Lexington bridge at Platte River	0	0	0	0
Totals	101	36	17	154

Note: On the return trip via Interstate-80, no Bald Eagles numbers in excess of those on the first trip were observed.

Table 2. Bald Eagle counts at Harlan Reservoir and on the Republican River from below Harlan dam to Naponee and Bloomington, NE.

Adults	Immatures	Unknowns	Total
18	21	25	64

The totals from the two areas were 119 adults, 57 immatures, and 42 unknowns (not distinguishable as adults or immatures).