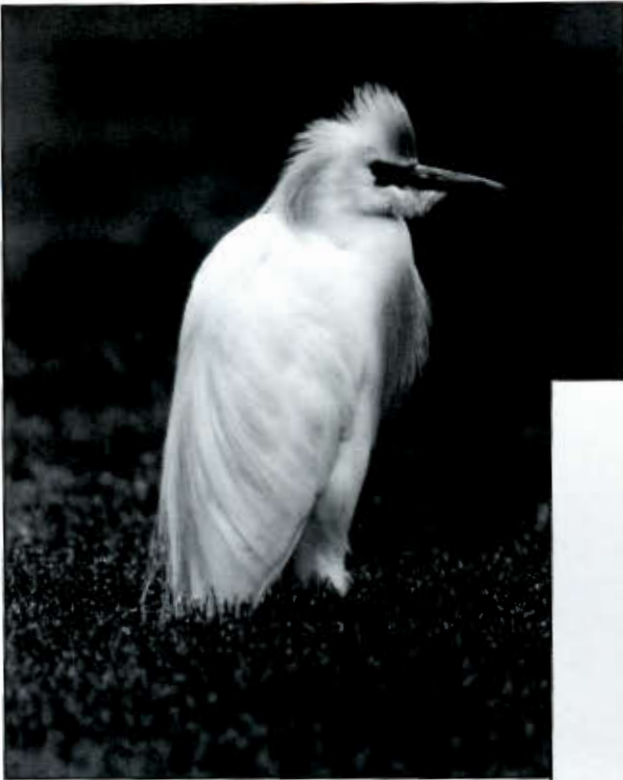


Spring Beauties



Dennis Oehmke captured these photos of three spring beauties; species which migrate through Illinois in April and May.



Pictured top left, a Cattle Egret in breeding plumage photographed 2 May 1995 in Springfield, IL; top right, a Carolina Wren with a meal, discovered 5 May 1995 in Salisbury, IL; and a pair of Lesser Scaup photographed 14 April 1995 in Washington Park, Springfield, IL.

