## Red-shouldered Hawk

Nest: Joliet, 9 May (JM). Others: Glenview (ad.& imm.) (fide AA). Middlefork F.P. (Champaign Co) (imm.), 31 July (RC); s. Clinton County (2), 21 May (KM); Franklin County (2), 10 July (KM).

### **Broad-winged Hawk**

Castle Rock S.P. (pr.), May/June (SR); Lowden-Miller S.F. (pr), May/June (SR); Dan Wright Woods F.P. (Lake Co), 11 June (SH); Fox Ridge S.P. (Coles Co), 11 June (BH); 6 sites in w. Cook Co, mid-June (fide AA).

#### Swainson's Hawk

Young: Kane County (2 ad., 2 yg.), 7 May-11 July (\*MMe, m.ob.). Others: s. McHenry County, 14 June (TF), and (pr. carrying food), 4 July (CMc, JMc)

#### Red-tailed Hawk

Nests: Dragon L. F.P. (Du Page Co) (4), May/June (JSu).

#### American Kestrel

Young: Braidwood (fledged), 28 July (JM); Sangamon/Logan

County (25+ fledged from 8 boxes), 23 May-6 July (JHt).

# Peregrine Falcon

Nests: Chi (Wacker St.) (3 yg. fledged), June (MHe); Chi (Hyde Park) (1 yg. fledged), 25 June (MHe); Chi (Irving Park) (2 yg. fledged), June (MHe); **Spfld** (banded pr., w/ 2 eggs before nest/eggs destroyed), 14 Apr. (VK--photo). Others: LCal (2-including at least one ad.), 9 July (WM).

# Ring-necked Pheasant

Broods: 1 (10 yg.), Buffalo Grove F.P. (Lake Co), 11 June (SD). MC: 75, Fairland B.B.S. route (Champaign/Piatt Cos), 5 June (RC). Others: Statewide index increased 14% from the

1993 survey, but the mean August brood size decreased from 4.5 chicks per brood last year to 3.8 this year (LD).

### Greater Prairie-Chicken

96 Kansas prairiechickens (50 females and 46 males) were released at the Jasper County sites this year; even with this enhancement only 22 males (which included 8 "Illinois" birds) remained on these booming



Adult Sandhill Crane present for several weeks, possibly injured, Frankfort, Illinois, Will County, 26 June 1994.

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grounds this year; and, another 18 males utilized the Marion County booming grounds.

# Wild Turkey

Nests: Williamson County (15 eggs), 22 Apr. (TF). Others: SRSF (ad. w/2 yg.), 25 July (KR); Athens (Menard Co) (7--including yg.), 2 Aug. (VK); Middlefork F.P. (Champaign Co), 19 June (RC); Homer L (Champaign Co), 23 June (RC).

### **Northern Bobwhite**

MC: 71, Flora B.B.S. route (Clay Co), 4 June (RC); 47, Spfld, 12 June (DB); 46, Mt. Vernon B.B.S. route (Jefferson Co), 1 June (TF). The 1994 June index increased by 2% compared with the 1993 index.

## King Rail

Broods: LCal (Big Marsh) (1 nearly full-grown yg.), 7 Aug. (WMetal.); GLPSP (pr. w/6 yg.), 7 July (JM) and (w/4 yg.) 11 July (JM); Sand L (Havana, Mason Co) (pr. w/3 yg.), 17 June, and (pr. w/4 yg.), 25 June (MD), also

(ad. & yg.), 2 July (RC); Bogota (Jasper Co) (6 ad's. and brood of 5 yg.), July (TE). Others: Bath (Mason Co) (ad.), 17 June (KR); Matanzas Prairie (Mason Co) (ad.), 12 June (KR,LA); Roxanna (Madison Co), 22 July (DB).

### Virginia Rail

Volo Bog (Lake Co) (4), 14 June (TF); Cedar L Marsh (Lake Co), 1 July (DJ); Chi (Powderhorn Marsh) (heard "grunt"), 7 June (WM); LCal (ad.), 18 July (EW); Joliet, 12 June (JM).

#### Sora

Joliet, 17 June (JM); Arcola (Douglas Co), 23 June (RC); 8 (4 pr.), CNC, mid-June (fide AA).



Adult King Rail with three young, Goose Lake Prairie State, Park, Grundy County, 7 July 1994. Photo by Joe B. Milosevich