

## Errata sheet for "The Birds of Illinois" by H. David Bohlen, 1989

It is important to correct errors in the literature, so they will not be repeated in the future.

Below are corrections to the text that have come to my attention. Presented are the page number, the species and the changes. This is not meant as an update - the status of many species of birds have changed dramatically since this book was written. If you know of other errors please contact me at the Illinois State Museum, 217-782-6697 or email me at bohlen@museum.state.il.us.

Page	Species	Correction
11	Least Bittern-	on the fourth line from the bottom of this entry "November" should be changed to "October" and it should read: Cook County, October 21, 1976 (RE-IAB 180:40). This is based on an email from the observer. Since both Illinois Audubon Bull. and American Birds (Vol.31, #2, p.183) both give November these should also be changed.
14	Reddish Egret-	need to insert "[Cario and vicinity]" on line three after common...
34	King Eider-	change "female" to "immature male" on the 1979 record at Lake Springfield.
65	Semipalmated Plover-	change initials from "JL" to "DJ" on bottom line and the record should read: 60, Lake Calumet, August 2, 1981 (DJ-SR 31:9).
79	Short-billed Dowitcher-	change "Chicago" to "Lawrence Co." and "JL" to "DJo". This is on the third line from the bottom. The record should read: 60, Lawrence Co., May 5, 1985 (DJo-IB & B 1:87).
95	Ancient Murrelet-	change the year "1961" to "1962" on the first record for Illinois. Also note that this should be changed on page 71 of my earlier book (1978), "An Annotated Checklist of the Birds of Illinois."
103	Great Gray Owl-	delete the paragraph concerning the record of a specimen by Dr. Lambert and insert, "One collected (whereabouts now unknown) by Martin J. Reed, two miles southwest of Rock Grove, Stephenson Co., between the years 1905-1911," (see Black, C. T.1995. "Correction of an Illinois Great Gray Owl Record." <i>Meadowlark</i> , 4 (1):15.
107	Black Swift-	the year for both records of "1953" should be "1951". This should also be corrected in Smith and Parmalee, 1955, p. 38. The correction is from a note by T. J. Nork (on file at the Illinois State Museum.)
127	Common Raven-	the 1953 record is apparently from Indiana and should be noted as such (e-mail from Paul R. Clyne).

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