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House Sparrow

BlackbirdsBobolink  
Eastern Meadowlark  
Red-winged Blackbird  
Orchard Oriole  
Baltimore Oriole

## SOME NOTES FROM MEMBERS

From Foley.--An adult Wood Ibis was seen at a farm pond in the edge of Foley on June 25 and 26, 1966, with a Great Blue Heron. A pair of Redstarts was seen at Lillian on July 20. Fairley Chandler.

From Eufaula Refuge.--Approximately 500 Woodducks summered on the refuge, with apparently good reproduction. Several broods of 8-12 ducklings were observed. Mourning Doves were numerous; refuge personnel banded 1,086. An American Avocet was observed on August 19 for the second summer in a row. Cattle Egrets were numerous, with about 300 present. Bobwhite production was phenomenal. "Groups" of 75-100 were observed during the summer. John R. Eadie, Refuge Manager.

From Wheeler Refuge.--The dove situation looks good here, though we have a few scattered cases of trichomoniasis and pox. All wading birds have been especially short. Even Common Egrets and Little Blue Herons, both normally common, have been rare. We put up a set of old-fashioned martin gourds during late winter and these have been heavily used during spring and summer. Tom Atkeson, Refuge Manager.