

All **Purple Martin** boxes from the previous two years were occupied and a few new locations were reported. The est. 1700 N. **Rough-winged Swallow** seen on wires about 1/2 mi w. of Long Level 8/1 and another 1000 on the river 8/19 were good size concentrations (AS). **Cliff Swallow** were found in three locations, at CSP (RR), Marsh Run (AS), and Wrightsville bridge (JD). Two **Winter Wren** found at 9/29 were seen for three days (AS). A singing **Marsh Wren** at MR was in a historic location (SS). The **10 Golden-crowned Kinglet** at RH 9/28 was a good number (BDG,JD). A complete albino **Am. Robin** was seen all summer through 9/12 on Druck Valley Rd. The **Philadelphia Vireo** seen at CSP 8/31 was rare (DHe).

Nashville Warbler is a locally uncommon migrant, so the ad. male seen 9/26 along GR was a good find (AS). A **Yellow Warbler** was found at LAD 9/12 (RR). Other late dates include 2 **Ovenbird** 9/28 and 1 N. **Waterthrush** 9/5 at CSP (RR). Some 20 **Indigo Bunting** were found on GR 9/29 in a weedy field with plenty of seed plants. None showed any blue (AS).

The final report of our field near Collinsville was impressive. It had been discovered by Bill Del Grande while doing Atlas work. Many birders came to visit and gave data to us. They included Jack Downs, Barb and Frank Haas, Dick Humbert, Harold Morrin, Russell Ryan, and Al Spiese. Bob Mitchell contributed some excellent photographs of the Dickcissel. The final list was: 1 N. Bobwhite; 5-6 pairs of Dickcissel plus several young; several Vesper Sparrow, including some feeding young; 4 Savannah Sparrow; some 25 Grasshopper Sparrow, including many feeding young; about 12 Bobolink, including a family feeding young; and 1 E. Meadowlark.

Vesper and Grasshopper sparrows were found at several other locations near CVL.



Dickcissel, York County, 7/9/88. Photo by Bob Mitchell.

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Voting Tabulation – Historic Record

Species: Dickcissel Spiza americana

Date of Sighting: 9 July 1998 to 9 July 1998

County : YORK

Location : COLLINSVILLE

Observer(s): Bob Mitchell et al

Date of Submission: 2007

Submitted by: Historic Record

Written Description: No

Photo: Yes

Specimen: No

Recording: No

Member	Class I	Class II	Class III	Class IV-A	Class IV-B	Class IV-C	Class V	Abstain
R. Wiltraut								
A. Guarente	x							
T. Johnson	x							
E. Witmer	x							
N. Pulcinella	x							
J. Heller	x							
G. Malosh	x							
TOTALS	6							
DECISION	x							

Comments: Reviewed at 2007 Annual Meeting. Voice Vote

Signature (Secretary)



Date:

2/22/07