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Spotted Sandpiper

Black-billed Cuckoo

Chewink

Red-headed Woodpecker

325 *Toxostoma rufum*

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Saw a few Spotted Sandpipers. One adult and a young one not quite grown flew up at short intervals for quite a distance. Their notes differed slightly in tone.

Across the track in a very bushy pasture I saw three Black-billed Cuckoos. Two were eating large green worms. One gave a note like cluck-uk several times. They were quite tame.

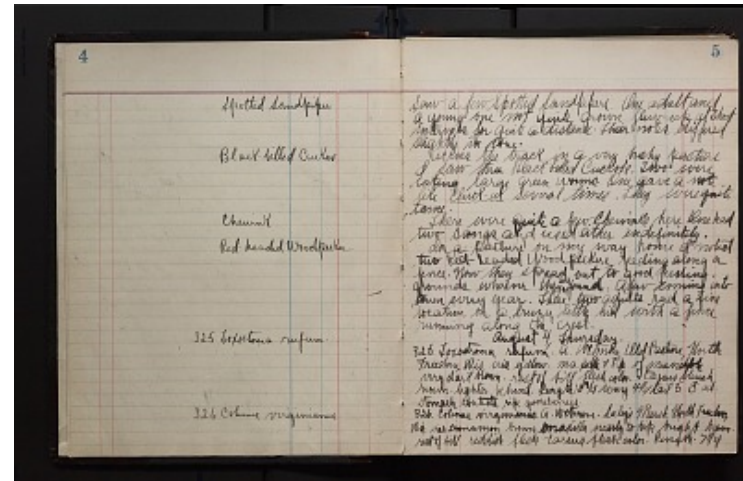
There were quite a few Chewinks here. One had two songs and used either indefinitely.

In a pasture on my way home I noted two Red-headed Woodpeckers feeding along a fence. Now they spread out to good feeding grounds wherever they [^]are found. a few coming into town every year. These two adults had a fine location on a breezy little hill with a fence running along the crest.

August 4, Thursday.

325. *Toxostoma rufum*. A. Wetmore. Old Pasture, North Freedom, Wis. iris yellow. maxilla & tip of mandible very dark brown. rest of bill flesh color. tarsus bluish brown. lighter behind. Length 10 $\frac{3}{4}$ wing 4 $\frac{1}{4}$ tail 5. [male symbol] ad. stomach contents ripe gooseberries.

326. *Colinus virginianus*. A. Wetmore. Suley's Marsh, North Freedom, Wis. iris cinnamon brown. maxilla nearly to tip bright brown. rest of bill reddish flesh. tarsus flesh color. Length 7 $\frac{1}{4}$



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