

1. Carolina wren-Thryothorus ludovicianus
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3. CP& I Lakes, Pueblo Co., Colorado
4. February 18, 1973
5. 10:00 to 10:10
6. I observed a wren with a distinct white eyeline on the lower (east) lake in the brushy and marshy area. I noted the bird had no stripes on the back, rusty back and tail, and the buffy under parts. The tail had no white on it. It had a dull whitish throat.
This bird could have been the one that wintered in SW Pueblo. its only 5 miles from the Pueblo location and the bird was gone from that spot.
7. No voice was heard.
8. It moved constantly through the brush and cattails.
9. Habatat: gen.-lake marsh
spec.-cattails, cottonwoods, and other brush & trees
10. Bewick's wren-white on tail edges-white under parts
long-billed marsh wren-white stripes on back
the other wrens-either lack distinct eyeline or buffy under parts.
11. 20 to 10 ft. estimated
12. 7x35 binoculars
13. light at my back and on the bird-clear sky
14. I saw several in Dec.-Jan. 1972-73 in Florida
15. I knew it was the 3rd area record.
16. No other observers
17. Others agreed
18. No other observeds
19. Western Field Guide & Birds of N. America were used directly.
20. No Photos.

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