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VERIFICATION OF UNUSUAL SIGHT RECORD FOR UTAH

DOU # 659.0
Common Name: Chestnut-sided Warbler

Scientific Name: *Dendroica pensylvanica* (Linnaeus)

Date: 05-26-87 Time: 0900 hrs to 1100 hours.

Length of time observed: held in hand photographs
measured - Banded and released.

Number: 1 Age: ADY

Sex: ♂ Also verified by Jack Rensel
reg. dir. DWR..

Location: East Bench Ogden City
Weber Co., Utah

Lat/long: 3

Elevation (if known): 4100 feet.

Distance to bird: held in hand.

Light conditions: good.

Optical equipment:

Weather: Cloudy showers past week and last night.

Description: (Write a detailed description of the bird's appearance, including size, shape, plumage pattern, color, and any unique features.)

Measurements with dial Caliper and Steel Ruler with wing stop. all in mm.

Total length = 121, wing = 61, Tail = 48, Tarsus = 18.8, Toe = 9.5, Culmen = 10.1, depth of bill = 3.6.

Anterior edge of nostril to tip of bill = 7.6, Wt = 11.0 grams. Neck groove fat = 2.

Description:

Yellow Crown to base of Bill. Black stripe through eye to near ear, and like whisker mark. Chestnut sides to 1/2 half way toward tail. Whittish under side - wide dark stripes on back yellow between. Wing bases upper white lower some yellowish.

Voice or call notes and method of delivery:

Behavior:

Habitat:

What similar species might it have been and how were these eliminated:

What experience have you had with this and similar species:

this first I have seen, :

Books, illustrations, and advice consulted, and how did these influence this description:

*Field Guide to the Birds of North America along Nat. Geographic.
also Utah Birds: A revised Check list by W.H. Behle, Ella S. Sorensen, and
Clayton M. White. 1985*

Significance of record in this area or the state:

*only other record I could find is the unverified record in Utah Birds,
revised check list by Behle, Sorensen, & White p 73.*

Additional material: (attach drawing, photograph, tape recording if available)

Photo graphs taken - will send copy when processed.

Description from notes taken at time of sighting X notes made later from memory

Observer: *Merlin L. Killpack*

Signature: *Merlin L. Killpack*

Address: *1726 24th St. Ogden, Ut.
84401*

Other observers who independently identified this bird:

*Jack Rensel
Northern Regional Director
Utah Division Wildlife Resources
Ogden, Utah*

Date prepared: *05-26-87*

Return this form to: Ella Sorensen
3868 Marsha Drive
West Valley City, Utah 84120

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APPENDIX V
UTAH FIELD ORNITHOLOGISTS
UTAH BIRD RECORDS COMMITTEE

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DO NOT WRITE IN THIS SPACE. FOR UTAH BIRD RECORDS CODING ONLY.

tilong _____ Record type _____ Serial No. _____
 ..abitat _____ Disposition _____ Cx Nos. _____

Common Name Chestnut-sided WarblerScientific Name Dendroica pensylvanicaObs. date 05-26-87 Time(s) _____Duration of obs. one and one-half hoursDistance from bird In HandLight conditions goodOptical equip. Cannon micro 50m. lens

Photo equip. _____

Notes made at time of sighting X

Date report prepared

Notes made later from memory _____ 31 July 1987

Weather at time of this observation.

mostly cloudy some showers night before and during the day.

Prior weather and number of days since change

showers for prior week.Locality East Bench Ogden City,
Weber Co., UtahLatilong block number 3Enter number of birds
in each category.

Total number observed.

GENDER(S)

Males ?

Females _____

♀ or Imms _____

Unknowns _____

AGES(S)

Adults X

Juv/Imms _____

2/3 yr birds _____

Unknowns _____

PLUMAGE(S)

Breeding X

Eclipse _____

Winter _____

Other _____

Transition _____

Dark phase _____

Light ph. _____

PHOTO(S)

Available enclosedEnclosed XDescription of bird: Size, colors, all field marks OBSERVED. - Unique features of this individual, if any.photo enclosed.

Field marks which were not seen. Why not?

N.A.

Variations from expected field marks.

N.A.

List similar species and describe why or how you eliminated them.

Behavior of this bird. Other species seen with this one. Any interaction between birds?

Bird Caught in mist net while banding.

Habitat at this location. Adjacent or near by habitat, if significant.

Urban area with Gambel Oak - original gambel Oak foothills.

Describe bird's song or sounds.

Print reporter's name, address, phone number.

MERLIN L. KILLPACK
1726 24th STREET
OGDEN, UT 84401

Signature

Merlin L. Killpack

What is your experience with this or similar birds?

This is First I have seen.

Jack Rense

Northern Region Director

Ut. Division of Wildlife Resources

Came over and I identified it also, Also
he photographed it.

Corroborating observers not reporting separately.

Print Name

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Acc# 6577 Intnut-sided warbler
Dendroica pensylvanica

05-26-87

Ogden, Weber Co. Utah

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Toe = 9.5 mm, Culmen = 10.1 mm,
Depth of bill = 36 mm, Anterior
Edge of nostril to tip of bill =
7.6 mm, wt. = 11.0 grams.

Banded and released

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