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comfortable position.
backed position with their heads resting upon their shoulders. While all these birds were perched aloft there was only noticeable thing and that was the partial absence of the red color in the old birds. These birds might have been resting until I had passed from their territory or until my dead body had been primed by the sun. I was frequently changing the binoculars in plain site within 90' of them but such a motion did not catch the supposedly keen eye of the birds. If a hawk or any other bird had been at such a close range they certainly would have recognized me. I was immediately impressed with the fact, at the time, that these birds may not have the critical eye that some would have us believe. The time arrived when I had to leave and on making myself known in abrupt motion the birds left. The thing noticed especially was the fact that the 4 birds left immediately but the large old one remained a few seconds longer before finally recognizing me. One might conclude that old age, poor eye sight and consequent peculiar reactions & responses are closely associated.

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Made inspection tour at the Pravo Brick and Tile Co. north of Provo City at the river bottoms, ^{all records here} nest of Loquax Bunting. 1 egg & 3 young about 1 1/2 weeks old. nest in rose bush in thicket. One could touch nest from trail. Rose thicket bordering a canal lined with cottonwood, willow etc. Female present & remained near the base of the rose bushes until I gave a warning call whereupon it responded immediately. Examined nest of Catbird placed 15' in tree. 4 eggs. nest of mourning dove & young 8 days old. nest of cat bird and young 2 weeks old. Sly Calber nest (sp?) made of weed fibers, stems and lined with small rootlets, stems and horse hair. Outside lining dirty white, inside cup fresh & yellow. 4 eggs. Placed in single stem rosebush in cover of willow and cottonwood bordering canal. Birds offered single note but did not show much anxiety. Several of these small birds nested along this canal. nest of yellow warbler. 1 egg 3 young. Calber nest of 2 eggs. Robin nest of 4 eggs. nest of Catbird and 4 eggs. Incubation well along. Placed in thicket of rose bush along canal. nest hanging over water. Bird did not leave until close. Examined cat bird nest with 2 eggs. nest of T.T. Chat of young and one unfeathered nestling. nest placed in willow 10' high. Bird left near nest and fluttered to the ground where it feigned but did not call. Watched a B.T. Hummingbird examine dry twigs of a cottonwood tree. nest of robins with young ready to leave. Catbird nest and 2 eggs. nest 3 feet high in a splintered willow near creek in main river bottoms. nest of redstart with 3 young and 1 egg. Placed in between a lateral branch and the main trunk of the cottonwood tree. seven feet from the ground. Tree 2 feet in diameter. No limbs below nesting limb. Tree in flood plain of the river bottom in general cottonwood tree group. Considerable underbrush in this grove of cottonwoods. nest like yellow warbler. male was feeding young on first visit and upon returning later found the ♀ standing on the rim of the nest. Both birds called in a similar manner to the yellow warbler but much weaker

