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 a simple ^{act on} ^{the} part of the young birds to regurgitate
 and when turned over on their backs the act was stimulated.
 a group of about 100 pelican remained on west side of island
 resting on the off-shore rock projections or swimming back
 and forth. This is the first time such a large group of pelicans
 have been so loathe to ~~the~~ leave the island on our approach.
 Could it be the group reaction of such large numbers have
 anything to do with their desire to remain. Have also noticed
 that the cormorants as well as the pelicans favor the deep
 spring on the west side of island. Temperature of lake at 6:30 A.M.
 just out from mouth of river = warmer than the air atmosphere. Of
 the two eggs of the last nest of Caspian of last week only one egg remained today.
 6-14-40

Family drove to dive of canyon down into Scaffield reservoir
 via Tucker. From thistle on noticed the way in which the
 juniper trees favored the more sandy soils of the geological
 formations above the Palerquin. Definitely a matter of soils.
 Utah Co. is a large one and this section is certainly a good
 example for the juniper-artemesia climate, a section worthy
 of careful study. C.V. Utah 4 miles beyond thistle. Colum-
 bine beautiful in canyon leading south from Tucker. Upper
 limits good zopos country. at divide heard C. R. Grouse,
 Aud. H. Thrush, Grey headed juncos, Robin, hummer and B.H. Gros-
 beak.
 6-18-40

Pravo,
 started recording the song of the Phoebe (?) at home. This
 bird appeared to call regularly in the evening & in the morn-
 ing with such regularity that a recording of same was felt
 justifiable. Bird appears at same place each evening but
 has been heard at other somewhat distant point. These other
 calls however could be some other neighbor bird. Occasionally
 the Phoebe is heard during middle of day but its evening &
 morning calls are so regular & definite that they must be
 associated with times incidental to sun setting, daybreak
 temperature or some other factor. Sun down at about 7:50 P.M.

Date	morning	started in evening	Ended	weather
6-18-40	no record	8:10 P.M.	8:25 P.M.	Very warm 104°F M.
6-19-40	Daybreak	8:00 P.M.	8:23 P.M.	Dust storm today quite now, skies clearing
6-20-40	3:40 A.M.	7:25 P.M.	8:25 P.M.	Hot.
6-21-40	3:45 A.M.	7:40 P.M.	8:25 P.M.	Today warm. now
6-22-40	3:40 A.M.	7:58 P.M.	8:23 P.M.	occasional breeze. Sky clear.