

progressive molt as if original summer pelage. There is, apparently an early partial change in the region (does not turn pure white) before the regular molt.

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Recorded the following information from the X Catalogue (K.U.) of mammal material sent to me from Arctic Alaska.

near Point Barrow, Alaska

(8 February 1953)

Skull only X 706. ♂ Vulpes fulva alascensis. No measurements collected by Rony Oeyagak for Ira L. Wiggins. Posterior part of skull damaged. K.U. Cat. 52358.

Near Coal Mine on Meade River, approx. 70 mi. S Point Barrow, Alaska.

(15 Feb. 1953)

♀ Vulpes fulva. Measurements taken of carcass after skinning but before defleshing. T.L. 108.7 cm; tail, 42.2 cm; h. foot, 16.1 cm. Ear not measured; wt. 12 lbs, 6 oz (after skinning and some loss of weight in freezing). Collected by Simon Akpik for Ira L. Wiggins. Distal segment phalanges lacking. K.U. Cat. no. 53359.

About 35 mi. SW Point Barrow Village near Skull Cliff, Alaska

(28 February 1953)

+ skull X 708. ♂ Alopex lagopus innuitus. Total length, 76.7 cm; tail, 22.8 cm; H.f. (left), 14.1 cm. Ear crown to tip 5.6 cm; ear front edge, 5.1 cm; ear rear edge, 6.7 cm; wt. 7 lbs 11 oz. No fat evident on carcass or among viscera. Collected by Miles Itta for Ira L. Wiggins. Penis bone included. K.U. Cat no 52360

4.5 mi. SE of Barrow Village near Ikrowik Lake, Alaska

(18 Feb. 1953)

+ skull X 709 ♀ Alopex lagopus innuitus. Total length, 85.5 cm; tail, 33.2 cm; h. f. 13.1 cm; ear 74 mm along rear edge to base; ear 65 mm along front edge. Very lean, no fat, wt 5 lbs. 2 oz. Skinned by Chester Lampe. Skel. fleshed by Wiggins. Collected by Miles Itta for Ira L. Wiggins. K.U. Cat. No. 52361.