

Museum Natural History, Univ. Kansas, Lawrence, Kansas
 April 19, 1953

Examined Microstonyx (ex. no. 530311-1) as: no. 530828-1, 49.3 gm, and no. 530506-1, 46.8 gms. For all tense and purposes no. 530828-1 has now attained its white pelage although traces of the last spots of original pelage still distinguishable as less white. These spots will, in turn, become whiter than the older white.

1/2 mi. up Kaw River from N. Lawrence highway bridge, Lawrence, Douglas Co., Kansas

April 20, 1953

12 Hudsonian Godwits feeding along edge of river. High wind would push them sideways if not properly oriented. Greater and lesser yellowlegs associated as well as ^{same kind of} the ¹ ducks observed April 12.

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 April 22, 1953

A nest 530422-1 of a meadowlark ready for eggs. Both birds within 15 feet. Examined Microstonyx (ex. no. 530311-1) as follows: 530828-1, 49.8 gms; 530506-1, 47.0 gms. The female 530828-1 still shows faint indications of last original pelage spot but mainly obscured by white which has gradually replaced all the last remaining original spots. no 530506-1 shows whitish in areas which were last to change.

April 24, 1953

yesterday and today have been hard on bird life with high winds and rain. Found fresh egg of Turdus migratorius on the ground. Eastern Kingbird at 213 Sunnyside on April 23, 1953 for first time in season.