

July 12, 1954

Research project 540511-1. Adult mourning dove sitting on nest 4 days after young had left the nest.

July 14, 1954

Research project 540511-1. Nest of July 12 with layer of new material on base of nest just recently used. The one the young birds left July 9.

July 17, 1954

Research project 540511-1. Nest of mourning dove with one egg at 9:00 A.M. ♂ + ♀ on nest.

July 18, 1954

Research project 540511-1. Nest of above with 2 eggs at 9:00 A.M.

July 28, 1954

Research project 540511-1. Nest of above deserted because water from sprinkling system had soaked the nest for several hours. 2 eggs still in nest. Adult mourning dove on nest and eggs at 12:00 A.M.

July 30, 1954

Research project 540511-1. Mourning dove sitting on 2 eggs at 6:00 P.M.

July 30, 1954

Research project 540511-1. Mourning dove (adult) on nest at 8:00 P.M. One young and one egg in nest.

July 31, 1954

Research project 540511-1. Mourning dove with 2 young at 9:00 A.M.

Aug. 1, 1954

Research project 540511-1. One young of mourning dove dead in nest, perhaps because of excessive rains or from period when nest and eggs were left July 28.

Aug. 16, 1954

Research project 540511-1. Young left nest today or 17 days in nest.