

June 11, 1964 640611-56  
The following bats were presented to me by Orskood from the above locality and captured on that date: (June 2).

640611-1 Mexican free-tailed bat.  $\frac{96}{46} - \frac{31}{31} - 10.5 - 18 - 9$  gms.

640611-2 " " " "  $\frac{101}{42} - \frac{32}{31} - 10 - 17 - 9$  gms

2 fleas were taken from this bat and are of the same field number. This bat had a fish and wildlife service band no. 632-84854. Washington D.C. This band is entirely too large for this size animal. The fleas were in the ear of the bat.

640611-3 Mexican free-tailed bat.  $\frac{95}{75} - \frac{35}{36} - 10.5 - 17 - 9$  gms

640611-5 " " " "  $\frac{93}{73} - \frac{34}{34} - 10.5 - 17 - 10$  gms

640611-6 Little brown bat. wt 6 gms. destroyed.

These bats are being tested to check thyroid activity under hibernation conditions.

### Campus, Unw. Kansas, Douglas Co., Kansas.

June 11, 1964  
The cherry tree mentioned a few weeks earlier, is now without cherries. The following birds have been seen eating from this tree; blue jay, English sparrow, cat bird, brown thrasher. Birds were very slow in starting on these cherries.

at 1620 Tennessee I have noted that the starling feed young in nest longer than most diurnal birds are active. Feeding of worms to young continued until late tonight. This late feeding of an extra hour may account for the exceptionally high reproductive success of this bird.

### 1620 Tennessee St, Lawrence, Douglas Co., Kansas

June 14, 1964  
Ruby-throated hummingbird in male mulberry tree. These hummers are relatively uncommon in towns, at least here. The starlings are now at entrance of hole for feeding and resting. They pick at hole support and try to catch flies. Evacuation by turning around in hole and expelling outward. Feces material ~~both~~ either liquid (white) or solid. This action is apparently instinctive. Both parents feeding young, the last few days, mainly an earthworm because of excessive moisture and availability of worms. Period of feeding about every 3 or 4 minutes, sometimes less time interval.

### Dover, Kansas (W of Topeka).

June 14, 1964  
Took Mary Pauline to Scout Camp at Dover. Left 2:30 P.M. at 4 1/2 miles west <sup>on highway 4</sup> ~~camp~~ noted an upland plover. Hummer at Dover. <sub>470 highway intersection</sub>

### Lawrence, Douglas Co., Kansas

June 15, 1964  
noted one nestling blue-jay dead on pavement. The berries of the hackberry trees are falling to ground and are green.