

Grackle Roost produced one robin. Osage Fence the following:

adult neotoma and 4 young (young 206 mm total length, young scattered from disrupted nest, adult ran to tree and showed no concern for young).

black-capped chickadee. 2 families of 2 adults and 5 young each.

bluejay. 1

robin. 2

brown thrasher. 2

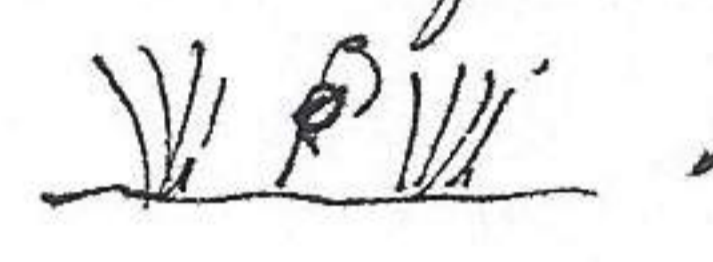
vireo or warbler?

grackles, 2

raccoon tracks

deer, tracks measured 80, 84, 70.

coyote track 80 mm.

nest of brown thrasher $\frac{1}{4}$ up Osage Fence area 15' high in ^{ash} elm tree. overall depth of nest 100 mm with some plastic & paper in basal part. It appeared as if built in old robin nest and lined with rootlets and built out beyond. Width cup 100 mm, depth cup 52 mm, wall 22 mm. The ash tree was in center of wide fence row 36' wide with osage-orange trees on outer area . The five eggs of this brown thrasher, 790517-1 measured:

29.0 x 20.5, 6.4 gms all eggs fresh.

29.0 x 20.6, 6.6 gms

28.5 x 20.5, 6.2 gms

29.8 x 20.4, 6.5 gms

28.9 x 20.1, 6.1 gms

At north end of this fence low is an old osage orange that measured 52" in diameter. Most osage-orange trees are large in this fence row. On return picked up old water pump from this fence low near S end. This area had at one time been a pioneer residence as old car foms, tractor wheels and wagons & shed were in the area (8 years ago but now mostly gone).

Peterson Creek from Peterson Road $\frac{1}{10}$ mi. N., Lawrence, Douglas Co., Kansas.

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checked this area for nesting grackles as I have noticed a decided increase at 402 Yorkshire Dr. They nest along creek in elm and feed and use pond at home. 6 nests in this $\frac{1}{10}$ mi area of mainly young elm trees. nest number 790518-1 held 4 eggs. It was placed 12' high in a young elm tree that was one tree in a group of elm trees that lined Peterson Creek the full $\frac{1}{10}$ mi. Osage-orange and