

4-29-30

300429-15

First yellow Warbler of season. Observed at home in Provo pecking at the insects in an apple tree.

4-30-30

Examined a pheasant nest of 15 eggs in pastures south of Provo City.

5-2-30

Examined nest of 9 eggs of the R.S. Flicker. This nest is the same one as examined on the 25<sup>th</sup> of April.

5-2-30

An Eared Grebe was found injured with a broken wing on the Bingham Flats near the telephone lines. It was kept in captivity in a small pond at home, but eight days after it died from lack of food. The pond contained a number of small insects but the diet of the grebe was not satisfied in regard to quantity.

5-3-30

yellow headed Blackbirds in pastures. watch on with binoculars at 12'

5-4-30

a nest of 2 young G.N. Owls some 3 weeks old were observed at this date at Charleston. Nest placed 70' high in a Cottonwood tree.

5-4-30

Located one egg of the W. meadowlark situated under the shelter of a small artemisia. The cup shaped nest was placed in a depression. Bird remained on nest until 4' away. Springville pastures. From here dropped over to the Spring Creek Bay. Examined a coot nest of 1 egg. The nest was made of dry rushes elevated 1 foot above water. Trail led up to cup of nest. Also examined 4 other nests of the Am Coot. The eggs ranged from 4 eggs per set, 5 eggs, 6 eggs and eight eggs per set.

5-5-30

Spent the day in Hubble Creek Canyon. Found a chipping sparrow nest placed 2 feet high in Artemisia. A flicker nest placed in cottonwood stump 6 feet high containing 8 eggs. <sup>AFTER</sup> (see date 3-22-30 in late insertion for record of Bittern of 5-9-30) and Curlew

5-18-30

Located nest of 5 young about 1 1/2 weeks old. Nest was situated in a thick growth of black willow near the Provo River at Charleston in Heber valley. along the river bottoms. nest nine feet high on a horizontal limb. near Johnson ranch.

5-20-30

nest of Sage Grouse on side hill, 15 feet up from meadow lands. South of Strawberry river under covert of sage. Nest construction as usual.

5-26-30

Seven pheasant eggs hatched under hen at home in Provo. Buller's just finishing building nest south of mud Lake. (for this date see Nov. 30, 1930, page 19)

6-9-30

visited rock Island in Utah Lake. The nesting season of the Caspian had begun. There was 1 complete set of eggs and 1 deserted one. A sorrowful thing had taken place with the other sets. Someone (probably Utah Fish and Game) had taken all the other eggs and had broken them on the rocks. The ground was covered with broken egg shells. The act was done on about the 7 or 8<sup>th</sup> of June. These nest were placed in the S.W. section of the island while last year they were placed on the sand bar