

and met with the birds several times until August 21, when large flocks were seen near Fort Yukon.

At Glacier I found on June 7 a nest containing four eggs, varying from fresh to several days incubated. It was very large, built of sticks and moss and lined with dry grass, and was situated 15 feet from the ground, near the top of a small spruce growing in dense woods a short distance from the river. When I put my hand on the tree, the female flew from the nest with a hoarse, cackling cry and settled a few feet away; the male did not appear. The eggs average 1.25 by 0.84 inches and are Nile blue sparingly spotted with cerise drab and seal brown.

170. *Saxicola oenanthe*. Wheatear.

Osgood saw two young wheatears at Circle August 19, and secured one. At the Aphoon mouth I shot one on August 27, which fell into the river and was carried away by the rapid current, but I saw the white rump plainly.

171. *Sialia arctica*. Mountain Bluebird.

We found a pair on Fifty-Mile River a short distance above Miles Canyon July 10. The next day I secured the female and found the nest with four well-incubated eggs in a hole about 8 feet from the ground in a dead spruce in the midst of a burnt tract. July 22 I shot a male near the point where Fifty-Mile River empties into Lake Lebarge. Mr. Cantwell also found this species on Fifty-Mile River.