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Russell J. Thompson

Gustave Kahn  
of 14 Carondelet St.,  
New Orleans  
Residence 15 N. Rampart

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J. W. Troeger, Prof.  
Chautauqua, Miss.  
Harrison Co.

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April 4, 1892

Left Washington at  
1 P.M. for Idaville

Juniper Corn  
Pines in west cor  
Musk Rat houses in  
pord 5 mi. N. of  
Quantico

Maples & Willows &  
Popples in blossom  
Musk Rat houses lots  
Fredrickburg is a  
dilapidated village  
size of Elk River  
Milford

Dark before we reach  
Richwood  
not much change

From Washington to  
Richmond, hills &  
light timber except  
where cleared,  
some swamps and  
marshes, most of the  
farms are poor, soil  
looks bleached & faded.  
Crops look slim -  
farm houses are poor  
& tumble down.

Some places along  
the Potomac are pretty

April 5,

Day light out  
Chadbourne, N. C.  
All pine woods with  
little clearings &  
log houses.  
Fields full of stumps &  
trees, level country  
sandy, but a good  
soil, good grass &  
vegetation, Peaches  
in blossom & lots  
of other trees & plants  
Some swampy places  
Some thick underbrush  
of holly & laurel & plants  
I never saw before -  
Some Spanish Moss -  
Some beautiful places  
Marion

Making tar

Florence, S.C.

Awreck on track, got  
2 pines.

A few junipers in yard at  
Florence.

A *Vaccinium* in blue  
Violets - white

Setts

*Pinus palustris*, ? ♀

*mitis* ? about equal

Colored women

plowing with one horse

+ spreading manure  
from their farms -

A donkey plowing with  
an ox

Cypress ? in swamps

Just north of  
Lanes

Charleston, did not  
see much of the town.

Phosphate beds + works

a little palm like  
plant in marsh 5 miles  
S. of Charleston

Dist. Oakes begins 5 mi.

S. of Charleston

Turtle in pool at  
Salkhatopi

Allegheny hills com. between

Savannah River +

Savannah

Richmond, Ga., April 7, 1922

Melanerpes carolinus, com.  
Mimus polyglottus, com.  
Cardinalis griseus, com.  
Dreistates, auduboni, 2  
Colaptes auratus 2  
Cyanocitta cristata, com.  
Proserpinus purpureus, com.  
Geothlypis trichas 1  
Blue yellow back warbler 2  
White eyed Vireo 3  
Barn Owl 2 killed  
Cathartes aura, com.  
Sialia sialis, com.  
Harporhynchus rufus  
Cat bird 2 (L)  
Trochilus 1  
Tyrannus tyrannus 1  
Myiarchus  
Pipilo erythrophthalmus, com.  
Spizella pusilla, com.  
Zenaidura macroura, com.

Chimney Swift  
Dendroica dominica 1  
Palafoxia carolina, com.  
Dendroica coronata, 1  
Catharista atrata, 10  
Thryothorus ludovicianus, com.  
Columbigallina americana, 2  
Dreistates pubescens 1  
Piranga rubra, 1  
Ground Dove, 5

April 8

Troglodytes aedon 1  
Melospiza georgiana 1  
Sylvania pusilla, 5  
Vireo noveboracensis, com.  
Regulus calendula, 1.  
Pipilo fuscus, a few  
Sitta pusilla 1 (L)  
Zenaidura macroura 1

April 9

Lanius ludovicianus, 2  
and nest of 5 eggs in  
live oak, nest of Spanish  
Mass + her feathers

Turdus a. pallasii, com.

Apr. 10

Jack Snipe 3,  
Quails, com.

April 11 Sialia 3,  
breeding,

April 12

Sitta carolinensis 1,  
Ammodramus henstoni, 1 killed  
& 3 more seen.

13<sup>th</sup>

Ammodramus s. passerinus 1  
Mniotilta varia 1 killed (L.)  
Kingfisher, com.

Apr. 15 Rio Bar

Securus aurispilus 2  
Megascops 19 2 eggs (14<sup>th</sup>)  
Protonotaria citrea, 1 (L.)

April 16 - left McIntosh

Geomys hills above at  
Jessup -

April 17

Left Waycross at noon -  
Glenn Hills down from  
Stockton to Maylor

April 19

Chattahoochee

Night Hawks, com.

Cuckoo 1

Stellogasterix scripensis, com.

Kite 1

April 22

Bay St. Louis -

Podilymbus podiceps 2  
one killed.

Larus atricilla, 1 killed, 4 seen.

Aegialitis semipalmatus 1 (C)

Colaptes auratus americana, 1

Anthus carolinensis 1 (C)

Night Hawks, com.

Crows com.

Passer domesticus, com. in town

Actitis macularia, com.

Progne subis,

Pyringia rubra, com.

Mimus polyglottis, com.

Fulica americana, #3.

Dendroica aestiva, 1 seen.

Protonotaria citrea, 1 killed (C)

Turdus n. swainsonii 1 (C)

Ceryle alcyon, 1

Sialia sialis, com.



April 23 Bay St. Louis -

Melanerpes erythrocephalus, 1 com.  
Vireo noveboracensis 2 com.  
Cardinal Grackle, com -  
Poliaptila cerulea, com -  
Parus bicolor com.  
Cat. Bird 2  
Myiarchus ~~cinereus~~ <sup>crinitus</sup>, com.  
Contopus virens, com -  
Dendroica aestiva 1  
Orethard Oridi 6  
Tyrannus tyrannus, com.  
Cathartes aura com 3  
Mniotilta varia 1 taken.  
Sitta pusilla 2  
Barred Owl 2  
Catheristes atrata 40  
Yellow-billed Cuckoo 1  
Trochilus colubris 1 ♂, 2.  
Turdus fusces, 1 killed  
Pyrringa erythronalis, 1 ♂ (C)  
Empidonax aedius 1

Vireo olivaceus, 2 killed.  
Hirundo erythrogastrus, com.  
Chimney Swift, com.  
Cyanocitta cristata, 2

April 24

Zetes virens, 1 heard (1 seen)

April 25

Driobates borealis 1 taken.  
Percaria aestivalis 1 taken.  
Parus carolinensis, 1 "  
Sitta pusilla, seen feeding  
young in hole in pine stub.  
Rails (C)  
Guiseolus (C)  
Bluewing teal, (C)  
Cistothorus palustris 2 (C)  
Ludigo bird 1 ♂ 1 ♀

April 26

Lanius ludovicianus 1.  
Bluewing Teal 4.  
Hooded Warbler 1 shot.  
Hirundo erythrogastris, com.

April 27 Hyatt's place

Sturnella magna 1.  
Zenaidura macroura 1.  
Driobates auduboni 1  
Colaptes auratus 1.  
Pileolated Wpkr. heard -  
Dendroica vigorsii 1 killed.

Apr. 29

Thryothorus ludovicianus 1  
Sitta carolinensis 1

April 30

Ammodramus, 1 saved  
Indigo bird 1 seen.  
Bald Eagle 1 seen.

Plants. Bay St Louis

Quercus virens  
" prinus  
" nigra  
" (3 other species)  
Pinus palustris  
" taeda  
" mitis  
Juniperus virginiana  
Taxodium (not distichum)  
Sabal serrulata  
" adansoniana  
Yucca aloifolia  
Opuntia vulgaris.  
Liquidambar styraciflua  
Fagus ferruginea  
Black gum  
Magnolia grandifolia  
Ilex opaca  
Grape  
Blackberry  
Blueberries

Horn  
Cornus florida  
Pecan  
Hicoria  
Chinaberry  
Orange  
Peach  
Apple  
Peach  
Japanese Plum  
Spanish Moss

Houma, La.

May 6

Mimus polyglottis, abn.  
Cardinalis, com.  
Agelaius phoeniceus, com, brush  
Quiscalus macrourus, com.  
Passer domestica, com.  
Icterus spurius, com.  
Cathartes aura 1  
Cathartes atrata, abn.  
about 400 seen at a dead horse.  
Syrnium nebulosum, com  
Megascops floridana, (7)  
Trochilus 1.  
Chimney Swifts, com.  
Ceophloeus pileatus 1  
Icterus virens.

May 7

Vireo noveboracensis, 3 in  
brush teasing Megascops.  
Thryothorus ludovicianus, com.  
Megascops floridana 1 killed.  
Zenaidura macroura, (killed)

May 10 Houma at  
Rural Retreat.

Passerina ciris, com.  
Water turkey 2  
Geothlypis trichis, com.  
Chimney Swallow, com.  
Chelidon erythrogaster,  
Haliastur 2  
Passer domesticus, breeding,  
Pileated W. peck. com.  
Tyrannus tyrannus, com.  
Progne subis, com.  
Zenaidura macroura, 2  
Colinus virginianus com.  
Quiscalus macrourus  
Regulus pumilus,  
Ardea herodias  
" egretta  
Syrnium nebulosum,  
Cuculus  
Melanerpes  
Icterus spurius, com.  
Vireo voborescens, com.

May 11

Myiarchus crinitus 1

May 12

Turdus aliciae 2 skin.  
~~Antrostomus carolinensis, 1~~

Washington, Miss.

May 19

*Colinus virginianus* 2  
*Cardinalis cardinalis* com  
Chimney Swift, abn.  
*Harpagofynchus rufus* 4  
*Zenaidura* 2  
*Syrnium nebulosum*, heard.

May 20

*Mimus polyglottis*, abn.  
young flying.

*Sialia* common.

*Pyrranga rubra*, com.

*Peucaea aestivalis* 2

*Cyanoscitta cristata*, abn.

*Agelaius vociferus*, com.

*Cuculus*, com.

Green Heron 2 com.

*Parus bicolor* 6

*Melanerpes*

*Cathartes aura*, com.

*Tyrannus tyrannus*, com.

*Miarchus cinerascens*, 1

*Icteria virens* 1 (C)

*Thryothorus ludovicianus*, com.  
♂ ♀ flying, killed.

*Scolecophagus* 1

*Turdus mystelinus*, com.

*Vireo noveboracensis*, com.

*Progne subis*,

*Egretta*

*Megascops asio* 1 ♂

*Icterus galbula* 1 ♂

May 22

*Parus carolinensis* 2

*Ardea* 9

*Corvus am.* com.

May 23

*Vireo gilvifrons* 2

*Empidonax acadicus* 1,

*Actitis macularia* 1.

*Pipilo erythrophthalmus* 1 ♀ (C)

*Geothlypis formosus* 3, 1 killed (C)

May 24

*Geothlypis trichas* 1 ♂ killed

May 23

Strenella magna 1

Catharistes atrata, 12 -

Indigo buntwings a pair seen.

May 24

Colaptes ~~cafer~~ <sup>auratus</sup>

Oriobates auduboni, 1 killed.

Dendroica americana, 1 killed.

Passerina ciris, 1 ♂

Ardea virescens, 1 killed, can.

Pileolated W/ker, 1

Melanerpes erythrocephalus 1

Antrostomus carolinensis 1

May 27

Buteo latissimus 1 killed.

May 28 Harporhynchus, 4 yg.

Washington, Miss -

May 20

Liriodendron

Tilia americana.

Quercus prinus

Pinus taeda

" mitis

Juniperus virginiana

Ulmus fulva

" alata

Cornus asperifolia

Negundo aceroides

Acer

Fraxinus

Juglans

Hicaria

Platanus occidentalis

Liquidambar styraciflua

Prunus

~~Fagus~~

Critagus

Tilia

Populus

Washington, Miss.

May 25.

*Morus rubra*, com.  
*Ulmus alata*, com.  
*Ulmus*  
*Ostraga virginica*  
*Casheus cubricava*  
*Paspiflora incarnata*  
*Azuldinaria gigantea*  
*Phorolundron flavescens*  
*Xanthoxylum carolinianum*  
*Catalpa bignonioides*  
*Magnolia grandiflora*  
*Quercus alvifolia* (in yards)  
*Tillandsia usneoides*  
*Fraxinus*  
*Sambucus*  
*Rhus*  
*Prunus serotina*  
*Populus grandidentata*

*Melospiza carolinensis*

*Cardinalis*

*Jays*

*Crows*

Plants of Rayville, La.

*Pinus taeda*, a few -  
*juniperus*, in a yard.  
*Ulmus alata* com.  
 " *americanus* com.  
*Hicoria* com.  
*Cypripedium*, along stream.  
*Quercus prinus*, com.  
 " *hybrida*, "  
 " *phellos*  
 " *obtusiloba*  
 " "  
*Salix nigra*, "  
*Sabal adansonii*, com.  
*Tillandsia usneoides*, "  
*Liquidambar styraciflua*, abu.  
*Nyssa multiflora*.

Mer Rouge, La.

June 2,

Geomys, 16 hills in line of  
the rods, nearly straight.  
Average sized hill 24 in. by  
15 and 5 in. high in middle.  
22 feet between two hills in  
another line.

Mer Rouge, La.

June 2

Mimus polyglottis, abn.  
Catbird, com.  
Thryothorus ludovicianus, com.  
Cardinalis, card. - com.  
Icterus spurius, com. 1 nest.  
Zenaidura macroura, a few.  
Progne subis, com.  
Passer domesticus, com in town.  
Passerina ciris, 1 ♂  
Quiscalus com, nest  
Melanerpes erythrocephalus 2  
Tyrannus tyrannus, com.  
Trochilus colubris, 1 at  
Rayville May 31. and  
one at Mer Rouge.  
Cathartes aura, com.  
Syrnium nebulosum 1  
Dendrocygna auduboni, 1 seen.  
Agelaius vociferus, com.  
Contopus virens, com.



Mer Rouge

June 3

*Erumeta pusillus* (dot)

*Passerina ciria* 18

*Myadestes trinitus*

*Aegialitis vocifera* com.

*Syrnium albidum* 1

*Cotopus virens* com.

Chimney Swift com.

Paula Warbler

*Sialia sialis*, com.

*Vireo*

*Ardea*

June 4

*Parus bicolor* 2

*Dryobates ~~caerulescens~~ <sup>caerulescens</sup>*, 1+egg.

*Turdus mustelinus* 1

Paula Warbler 2

Redstart 1

*Cyanocitta cristata*, heard.

*Sitta carolinensis* 2

June 7

*Falco sparverius*, 4 eggs (ad.)

*Parus bicolor*

*Vireo olivaceus* com.

Cuckoo

*Buteo lineatus* 1, egg.

*Geothlypis trichas*, com.

Mer Rouge, La.

Quercus hybrida

" Prinus

" nigra

" phellos

" alba

" obtusiloba

Pinus taeda on hills, & mitis

Liquidambar styraciflua

Nyssa multiflora

Ulmus alata

" am.?

Taxodium distichum

Carya

"

Juglans nigra

Ironwood

Honey locust

Platanus occidentalis

Celtis occidentalis

Aesculus

Sassafras officinale

Populus heterophylla

Populus angulata

Ilex opaca

Cornus

Grape

Chetagus

Acer

Negundo aceroides

Mitchella repens.

Clarksville, Tex.

June 10.

- Mimus polyglottus, abn.
  - Colinus virginianus, com.
  - Icterus
  - Deteria virens, heard, 1 seen
  - Geothlypis formosa 2
  - Spizella pusilla 1
  - Coccyzus americanus com.
  - Cardinalis cardinalis, com.
  - Cathartes aura, com.
  - Corvus americanus heard
  - Zenaidura macroura, a few
  - Cyanoscitta cristata, com. 2
  - Chondestes grammacus, C
  - Parus bicolor (?) 1
  - Progne subis, com.
  - Chaetura pelagica, com.
  - Melanerpes cythreopterus, C
  - Passerina cyanea 1 ♂
- June 11
- Turdus mustelinus, com.
  - Cataptes auratus 1
  - Scissor tail, said to be com.
  - Melanerpes caroliniana, com.

Clarksville, Tex.

June 10.

- Quercus nigra
- " obtusiloba,
- " rubra (?)

Hicoria alba

smooth bark.

Pecan

Osage Orange

Honey Locust

Celtis

Elmus alata

" am. (?)

Populus argentata

Xanthoxylon

(the insect)

A little west by R.R. saw

Liquidambar

Quercus phellos -

Tecoma radicans - Trunked Flower.

Paris, Tex.

June 12.

Zenaidura macroura, com.

Colinus virginianus, com.

Tyrannus tyrannus, com.

Geissorhina, 3. nest + 4 eggs

Dickcissel, abn.

Mimus polyglottis, abn.

Spizella, 1

Progne subis, com.

June 13

Progne subis, 1000 on wires + building, around plaza in center of town.

June 14

Milvulus forficatus 2 killed.

Chondestes 1 killed, breeding.

Quiscalus 1

Sturnella, com, not taken. song of magna(?)

Paris, Tex.

Quercus nigra

" obtusiloba

" phellos, in yds.

" hybrida, " "

Maquolia grandif. " "

Platanus occidentalis " "

Osage orange abn.

Populus angulata com.

Opuntia vul? saved

Mammaliany " "

Sedum saved

Plantago " "

Stipa spartea ? com.

Delphinium (tall)

Pentstemon ?

Schrankia uncinata -

" (yellow) "

Rudbeckia ? abn.

Rosa

Grasses of the prairie.

Ulmus alata.

Arthur, Tex.

June 15

*Protopotaria citrea* 1.

*Cyanocitta cristata*, com.

*Colaptes auratus* 1

*Melanerpes uropygialis*, com.

*Sitta*

*Parus*

*Geothlypis trichis*, com.

" *formosus*, com.

*Syrnium nebulosum* 2

*Cathartes aura*, com.

*Vireo olivaceus*, com.

" *vocabaracensis* 1

~~Geo~~

*Thryothorus ludovicianus* 2

*Zenaidura macroura*, com.

*Coereba americana*, com.

*Icteria virens*, com.

*Sialia sialis*, com.

*Mimus polyglottis*, com.

*Corvus americanus* heard.

*Myiarchus crinitus* 2 -

June 16

*Melanerpes carolinensis* 1

*Antrostomus carolinensis* 1.

Arthur, Tex.  
June 15, 1922.

Populus angulata

Elmus alba

" americana?

Hicora alba

"

Pecan

Juglans

Quercus nigra } abn.

" obtusiloba

" prinus

" hybrida, a few

" alba, a few

" phellos, a few -

Platanus occidentalis

Osage orange, 2 feet thick.

Ilex decidua

Cornus asperifolia

Verbium

Circis

Salix

June 14

Persimmon, com

Sasparas

Black Gum (Nyssa?)

Fraxinus

Pinus mitis

Arthur, Tex. 7:45 A.M.

Grant, Ind. Tex.

Open, rotting, grassy  
soil good. (Birch.)

Hamden

Oak stumps, lily, grass  
knee high.

Pines

Puccoon + other northern plants

Saw oaks

Antlers

Rodney

Rocky

Pine ridges, stony streams

Standley, a mill town -

Liquidambar

Tallihira, woods

Leflore, low

H. Gibson, Ind. Tex.

June 18

Lepus sylvaticus ♂, in stomach  
herbage, flowers + green sars.  
Geomys vest - chamber circular  
at side of hole 10 in. across  
+ 6 high - vest bullets,  
green leaves + stems.

H. Gibson  
June 18

*Mimus polyglottis*, com.  
*Chelidon. lamifrons*, com.  
*Stelgidopteryx serripennis*, com.  
*Progne subis*, com.  
*Lanius* 6  
*Colinus virginianus*, abn.  
*Sturnella* 1 killed  
*Icterus spurius*, com.  
*Dickcissel* com.  
Chat heard.  
*Tyrannus tyrannus*, com.  
*Melospiza forficatus*, said to be C.  
*Quiscalus* 1  
*Geothlypis* a few  
*Zenaidura macroura*, com.

H. Gibson June 18,  
Georgy, abn.  
*Tamias* said to be C.  
*Lepus sylvaticus* com.  
Jack Rabbit, doubtful.  
Coyote, said to occur.  
Badger  
*Mephitis* com (nest!)  
*Spilogale* " "  
Coon  
Possum  
Fox Squirrel on hills  
Gray " on flats



H. Gibson  
Elmus alata  
" "

Cates, nigra, obtusidoba -  
Hicora,  
Walnut

Sasfras

Persimmon,

Wheat

Cherries

Apples

H. Smith, June 19

Quercus nigra,  
" obtusiloba

" pallas

" longifolia

" alba

"

Walnut

Hicora

Elm

Sweet Gum

Sycamore

Yucca

Fraxinus

Betula

Populus angulata

Persimmon

Sasfras

Robinia

Juniper

Strawberries

Peaches

Cotton

Corn

Cherries, peaches, apples,

Road clover

Rhus

Sambucus

Rudy

Pines & trees by river

Lancaster

went to sleep

Ringwood (?)

Barley & mostly ripe

Timothy

No sweet gum

Rosier domestica in car

Westport

Quinnland good locality

Fayetteville

Jack oak

Ceanothus

Shirleydale

Turkey lily

Rogers

Garfield a good locality

deep caverns

Woodchuck

Seligman

Populus tremuloides, 1 tree

Washburn

Monett - sack

Marionville.

Phytolacca decandra, poke

Ceanothus americanus

Corylus americana,

To Galena, June 20 -

Quercus obtusiloba

" rubra

" nigra

" alba

" jack-oak.

Juglans cinerea

" nigra

Hicora alba

"

Hazli

Rhus aromatica

"

glabra (L.)

"

Circis

Platanus

Prunus

"

Viburnum

Cornus

Catalpa bignonioides

Acer dasycarpum, in town

"

"

Rosa setigera



Cavatus

Texas Christmas Eve

*[Faint, illegible handwriting on the right page, possibly bleed-through from the reverse side.]*

Nata Bisland

Sadie Bisland

Louise "

Clara Slatten

Louise "

Agnis "

Jimmey Cagle

Agnis Gave

Nellie "

Mrs. Easton DeVal

Frank Baum

Stanley DeVal

Birwle "

David Gray

Quinn Bell

Mr. E. DeVal

Wilson Gidrey

Ralph Bisland

Mr. Eddie

1.00 -

2.25 -

4.60 -

2.05 -

1.00 -

.25 -

.40 -

.25 -

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.10 -

580 x 265 x 78

*S. ludovicianus* ♀ ad. June 24

J. 1, A. 2, P. 1

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*S. carolinensis* ♂ June 24.

475 x 210 x 71

On Motomahouse

Sticks, chips, bark,  
leaves, Spanish moss,

3 put in each by tree, hide  
in trees being in  
a pile

Whitfield place part grassy  
part N. of town  
Board of Morans - on  
H. atts

Good Cotton  
Ammunition - powder + shot.  
Shoes + pants  
Alcohol.  
Photos

P.D. M. + Island

~~825~~  
~~330~~ ↑  
~~75~~ ↓

~~75~~ Possum  
~~322~~ ♀

•••••  
2 1/2  
523 ♀ a 2 1/2  
70 P. 1/2  
107 P. 1/2  
Missing

~~50~~  
~~50~~  
1.50

Coleman

at Bay St. L. 6.00  
Wash 6.00  
Nothing 10.00

685 ♀ Coon  
135 May 23  
110.4



