

FROM THE ZOOLOGICAL COLLECTION OF JOHN R. PEMBERTON

A. O. U. No. 297 E	NAME	Howard's Sierra Grouse
Set Mark 297		2113/8
No. of Eggs		Dendragapus obscurus (howardi) ^{Sierra}

Incubation Nearly hatching Identification Female flushed - lit on limb nearby.

Locality 8200' N. slope Mt. Pinos, Kern Co., Calif. Date May 21, 1928.

Nest Depression one inch deep in gravelly soil at base of small scraggly bush on very steep, open hillside. Few bits of twigs, some trash and feathers from bird constituted nest lining.

Eggs wasted on earth. Eggs clearly visible 50' distant from all directions.

Collected by J. Pemberton personally.

This species arrives about Resident here.

Nesting season This is first set of eggs ever taken.

Abundance Doubtful if more than 50 pairs of these birds exist.

This set on this Mountain.

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