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BIRD CLUB

The Fairy Wrens of Australia or "The Blue Birds of Happiness" were studied at Saturday's meeting of the Bird Club with Charles Greene as

Of all the numerous distinctive birds of Australia, such as the world famous parrots and cockatoos, honey eaters bowers, flycatchers, whistlers and pardalotes, the Fairy Wrens are said to surpass them all for daintiness, grace and beauty. Nothing in the nature world is more fascinating than these sprightly little feathered jewels flashing in the sunlight or playing and chattering in a setting bright with sweet-scented flowering

The Blue Fairy Wren is an elegant little gentleman with an electric blue head, blue back and dark blue tail, iridescent purplish breast, brown wings and white underparts.

There are thirteen species of Fairy Wrens but the Blue Wren is the favorite and is most closely associated with the home life of the country. He is common in gardens, both public and private, in the heart of cities and

The normal breeding season begins towards the end of July. The male assiduously helps with the nest building and later with the brooding. When not assisting in these tasks he is on guard near the nest and attacks with fury any bird that encroaches on his territory.

Thick and thorny vegetation, hedge, a cluster of vines or thick clumps of grass are usually selected as nesting sites. The nests are dome-shaped structures with an entrance at the side slightly protected by a hood. They are composed of grasses, pieces of bark fiber, rootlets, cobwebs and cocoons and are cosily lined with feathers, fur, hair and wool.

Three or four eggs are laid which are fleshy or reddish white, dotted with pale red or different shades of reddish brown. The eggs take about 14 days to hatch. At three weeks old, the young are ready to leave the nest.

What a lot of character there is in a wren's tail! Its carriage means everything to its owner's appearance. When it is held in its usual upright position few birds look more sprightjected looking little mites when the tail is dropped as when they attempt to draw attention from their youngsters in the nest. The tail is longer than the bird.

They are very fond of bathing and enjoy splashing in a bird bath but their favorite bath is taken among the leaves or grasses when sprinkled with dew or wet with rain. They hop and splash about in the dewdrops until thoroughly wet and then preen themselves dry in the sun.

Their food consists entirely of insects and larvae and one family of wrens will eat hundreds of such pests each day. It is estimated that a young wren eats more than its own weight in food every twenty-four hours. Many pictures of wrens in their different colors were studied by the Bird Club members.

A long hike through the woods to the creek was taken during which many birds were observed.

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This the 31st day of January, 1946. CHRYSTELLE L. PARKER and J. LEROY PARKER,

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This the 31st day of January, 1946. LOUISE W. KNOTT, Administratrix of R. H. Knott Estate. John B. Lewis, Atty. F-1-6wice

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