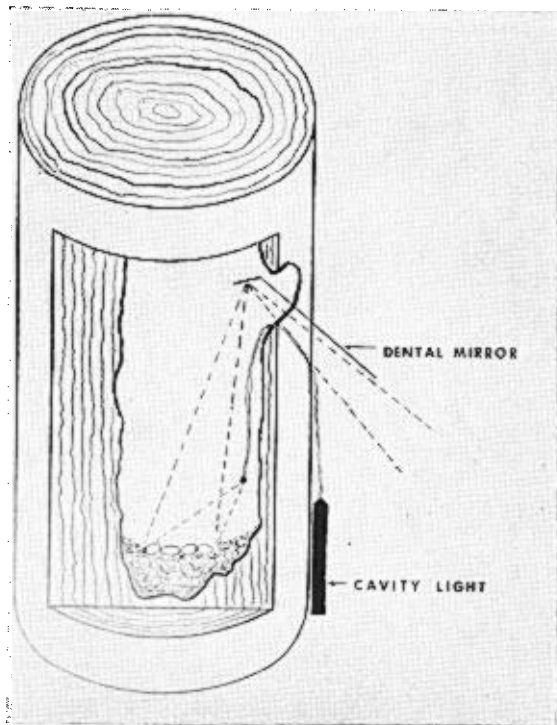


Fig. 2. Position of dental mirror and cavity light for examining nesting cavities.



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**Swainson's Warbler Banded at Linwood, N. J.**—On May 23, 1968, at our Linwood, N. J. banding station, a Swainson's Warbler (*Limnothlypis swainsonii*) was netted, banded, weighed, photographed and the wing chord measured. Our identification was confirmed by Dr. Ernest A. Choate, of Cape May Point, New Jersey, who is Region No. 5 Editor of "New Jersey Nature News" published by the New Jersey Audubon Society.

From literature at our disposal, and from correspondence with David A. Cutler, Regional Editor for Audubon Field Notes, and Donald E. Kunkle, former Recorder for the Urner Ornithological Club, we have been unable to find any record of previous sightings or bandings of this species in New Jersey and believe it to be the first for the state.

Our station is situated on five acres equally divided between a fresh tidal cattail marsh and upland habitat. The marsh and upland areas are divided by a strip of native shrubs and trees about twenty feet in width, which provides cover for migrants using the edge of the marsh. The HT type tethered Japanese mist net in which the bird was taken was placed in a path cut through this strip. The bird weighed 13.7 grams, had a wing chord of 69 millimeters and bears Fish & Wildlife band number 60-56172.—Mr. & Mrs. William E. Savell, 554 Barr Avenue, Route 1, Box 364, Linwood, N. J. 08221.