

1-1-18-48 ♂ *Canis latrans*

1150-353-185-110-28 lbs.

Stomach revealed capacity of cottontail rabbits and six inch sections of 1/8 inch leather belt. The other four coyotes were auctioned to members of the hunting party.

8 mi. E Topeka on highway 40, Shawnee Co., Kansas  
Jan 19, 1948

One *Canis latrans* killed on highway.

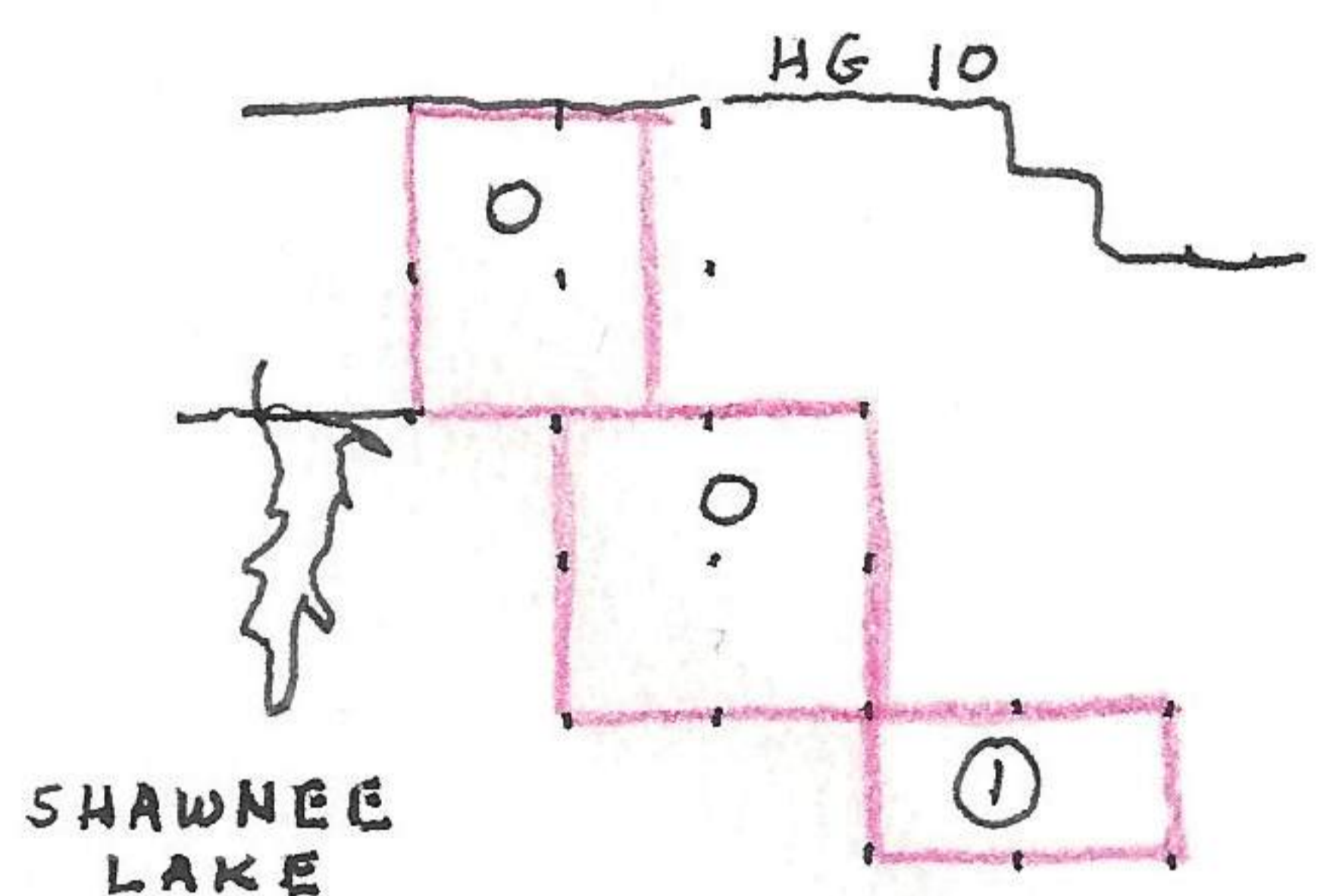
Watson, Shawnee Co., Kansas

Jan 21, 1948

Coyote drive NW + SE of Watson. 1 drive in forenoon

and 2 in the afternoon.

Repeated reports of coyotes calling and numerous trails S of Tecumseh, prompted the Watson group to drive the area. The two drives nearest Tecumseh did not produce coyotes, although one black one was noted in the field. The third drive near Watson produced 1 animal.



SCALE = SEC. MI.

measuring as follows:

1-1-21-48 ♀ *Canis latrans*

1200-350-198-28 lbs, skull only.

An addition specimen no. 2-1-21-48 of *Mephitis m. americana* was purchased from a farmer who had shot it near his residence. Skull only.

Oklahoma - Kansas border (eastern section)

Jan 22, 1948

One *Mustela vison* no 1-1-22-48 was collected by a trapper who sent it to T. J. Brown of Topeka. The carcass measured: 620-205-70-♂, skull only.

Lawrence, Douglas Co., Kansas

Jan 23, 1948

Mr. Ogle informed me as following:

mammals become larger from east to west and from south to north. Hair becomes shorter as one goes south