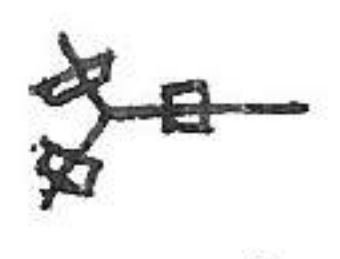


trap 232	semi-open not by trail
234	microtus like runway
235	semi-microtus like runway like a Sigmodon
236-237	microtus like runway
238	open on mat grass
239	microtus like runway
240	Sigmodon runway
241-247	microtus like runway
248-251	around a 1 sq. foot yard of dirt from hole
252-256	microtus like runway
257	" " M. ochro. 35-3-21-48
258-260	" "
261	on matted grass not by runway
262-267	" " " " "

Mr. Baile reported 2 coyotes in this field 2 weeks ago.  
Returned to Lawrence.


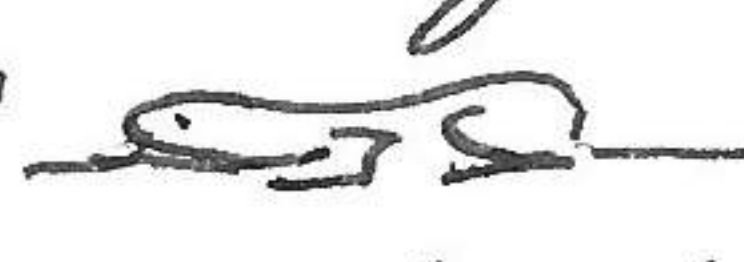
3 1/2 mi. SSW Pleasant Grove, Douglas Co., Kansas

March 22, 1948

Set 30 live traps in Baile field on north side of drainage creek at 3:00 P.M. At 6:00 P.M. caught 4 *Microtus ochrogaster*. three of them captured at convergence of three runways  At 9:00 P.M. collected 2 more. These specimens were examined for tularemia.

3 1/2 mi. SSW Pleasant Grove, Douglas Co., Kansas

March 23, 1948

Examined live traps of yesterday setting this A.M. and collected six from line. Placed live specimens in cages for tularemia examination. when these mice were placed in a tube they ran continually around bottom edge as if they were going somewhere in a straight course. They can jump 14 inches on the sides. when one female was placed in a wire container it rested  with head under body in perpendicular curl or with head straight forward  It yawned occasionally. Side of her body showed palpating embryos. Sometime between 1:00 <sup>and</sup> 3:00 P.M. this afternoon she gave birth to 5 young.

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Mar. 24, 1948

at trailer observed thousands of grackles arriving and