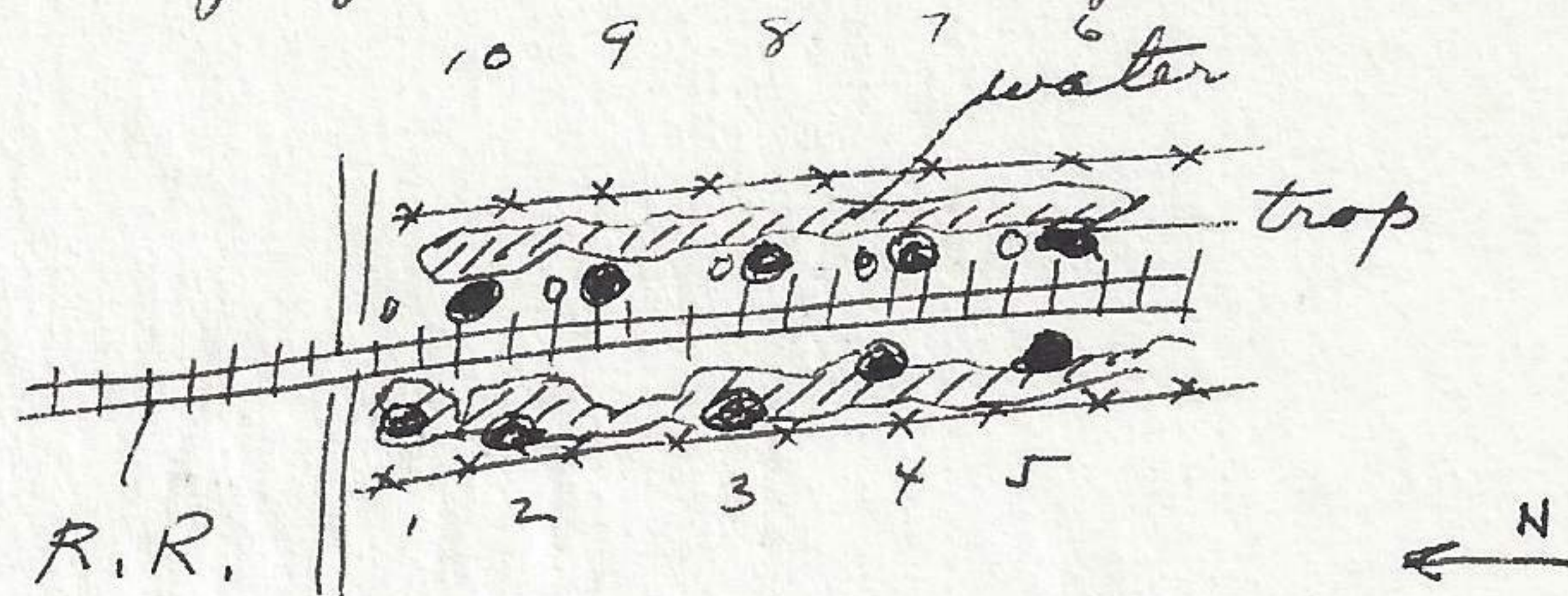


3 1/2 mi. S and 3/4 mi. E Lawrence (P.O) 600422-14

April 22, 1960

Douglas Co., Kansas

This evening set 10 traps (9 gallon jugs + one 5 gal jug) along railway rightaway. These bottles (wide mouth approx 4") were placed flush with ground near the edge of the water. Bittern in area.



April 23, 1960

Checked above area ^{this 4. m} and found only one Microtus rhizogaster in trap no 2. Collected one snake near no. 1 trap:

600423-1 Thamnophis, length 660; tail. 160 mm

From general area caught three frogs:

600423-2 Acris crepitans

600423-3 " "

600423-4 " "

April 24, 1960

Checked above area and there were no amphibians in grass yet; only one crawfish. noted 1 Wilson snipe; 1 sora rail, 4 bluewing teal; 2 red wing blackbirds; 1 yellowlegs (lesser)

Collected the following:

600424-1 Acris crepitans

600424-2 " "

600424-3 " "

600424-4 " "

600424-5 " "

600424-6 " "

600424-7 " "

600424-8 " "

600424-9 " "

600424-10 " "

Two small turtles (flat) on log in water.

This evening near same locality as April 22, found a Lampropeltis calligaster / Calligaster, Prairie Kingsnake,

~~Thamnophis~~ Calligaster (road kill, fresh) (600424-11). measured

870 mm snout-anal plate; 143 mm anal plate-end tail. Examined one pond (same area as April 22) and found 18 Bufo woodhousii calling. The Kingsnake was a recently killed (still warm) by car as the snake was crossing from one side of the road to the other side.