

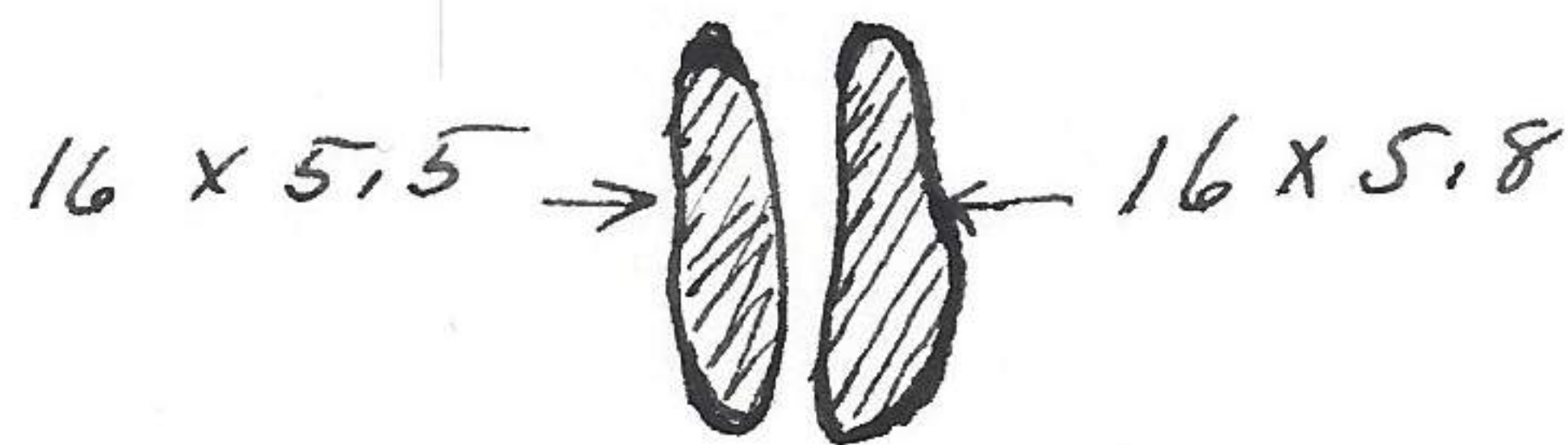
The river has been favorable for canoeing the last mile or so. Creek flows with characteristic barrier of rocks to form rapids. 10:55 great horned owl, 1 fox squirrel. Evidence of beaver in long stretch of river. 11:06, 2 wood ducks, male much darker. These ducks were at the old bridge. 11:08 new bridge. From this bridge to about 1/4 mile upstream, the canoeing water is good. 1 fox squirrel. 11:12 Burip Creek from S, good size. 1 fox squirrel. 11:22 good rapids 2 fox squirrels and 1 red-tailed hawk, 11:33 photo 620318-1 of three large elm trees at edge of river (probably undisturbed).



11:42 great horned owl. 11:48 fox squirrel. Up to now I have seen 4 frogs along side of river but in the next 5 minutes noted 8 more. 11:54 photo 620318-2 of James Robert in canoe along side of basal roots of a large sycamore tree. These large trees offer excellent protection to erosion. Last week I was of the opinion that there were old large tree stumps in river that are not now living but on the upper reaches of the stream there are many large trees at edge of river. 12:00 Passed house & silo where utility lines cross river. 1 fox squirrel. 12:05 bridge. 12:15 ♂ & ♀ wood duck. These ducks leave water and fly almost straight up to tops of trees where they leave the river course. 1 fox squirrel. 12:37. ♂ & ♀ green-winged teal. 12:45 G.H. owl. 1 fox squirrel. 1:12 G.H. owl. 1:35 2 red-tailed hawks, 1 G.H. owl and 1 wood duck. ♂ 1:50 steepest natural cascades of entire river covered so far. 1:55 4 wood ducks. 2:00 Lynn Creek, just beyond about 1 block collect 1 yellow-crowned night heron. It measured total length 560 mm, bill 70 mm, tarsus 98 mm, wt 572 gms. The testes measured right 16 x 5.5 mm, left 16 x 5.8 mm.

2:07 2 wood ducks,

2:12 bridge. 2:15 1 fox squirrel, 1 red-tailed hawk 2 fox squirrels. At 2:20



noted a pool of clear water that was separated from the main stream of water. It was produced by a lateral creek placing barrier at mouth. 2:45 2 fox squirrels & 1 great horned owl. One small turtle about 2 or 3 inches long left mud bank. 2:54 R.R. bridge. 3:14 unusual mass of Equisetum completely covering creek slope about 30 x 40 feet from top of bank to edge of water. First frogs calling to south,

