


from the mainland by the piracy channel. 680917-133  
 Muskrats with imprints on bank and all perpendicular, <sup>Beaver active.</sup> ~~looming~~  
 Climbed the bank regardless of degree of incline. Willows beyond mouth  
 channel at 12:10. A black monarch butterfly continued down  
 bank for 300'. main island to left in river seems to be getting  
 larger from year to year. 12:50 middle bend near point. 2  
 g. blue heron resting in large cottonwood. increment at base would in-  
 dicate considerable use of this tree for resting. Redtail to N. 12:57 2  
 mourning doves on sand beyond point. This area should produce  
 interesting artifacts from erosion of deep muds of point, 8 goldfinch

1:15 double drainage & tree island on bank. 1:18 spotted sandpiper  
 left bank 6 feet high (on bank) and flew down to log in water. 1:36 2  
 large Rana pipiens with 10' of each other and only frogs of this size  
 observed today. Small Rana about 1 per 100 mi. 1:48 just  
 rock barrier left. Spotted sandpiper. Arrive Eudora Bridge 2:15



Placed Conae & 2 paddles on E side of road about 10  
 feet down from shoulder and 100 feet from bridge. Mary &  
 I then went to K.C. to get cells repaired. On return at  
 approx 5:45 P.M. the Conae was gone. Talked to Mr John Schopper  
 of Eudora who was cutting corn in field to W of road. He & his father?  
 were repairing the equipment and they made the following statement:  
 At about 4:00 P.M. or 4:30 a two tone car (something like the Mercury) arrived

from the N and stopped at Conae and <sup>a man, wife and 3 children</sup> inspected the Conae. They then  
 drove E to Schopper and asked him if he owned the Conae and Schopper said  
 no. The car drove turned around and drove back to Conae and although  
 Schopper did not see the man take the Conae he was ~~so~~ sure that he  
 took it although the car had no rack. The car then drove ~~west~~ north.  
 Another buslike car with rack on top also showed an interest in the  
 Conae. Mary & I then drove to Eudora and reported the loss to a patrol  
 car policeman that took my name & phone number. We then contacted  
 N and questioned a man who was working in farm yard (2 mi or so N  
 buddy). He said there were 2 homes broken into recently and that there  
 is considerable ~~theft~~ robbery of homes & machinery in the area. will  
 advertise in local papers and report to County law enforcing agencies.

The Lone Star permit is 128, <sup>(187?)</sup> and 241. The mast base is bronze and  
 added; the posterior thwart is dented; OWC label right bow. one of the  
 center rib broken & repaired with aluminum angle iron ; rivets  
 and top border gray, rest Conae (Drumman 17' Conae) without paint.  
 On Wed 18th a Mr. Powers of Eudora called and reported he had  
 the Conae.

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Tropidoclonion Sept. 19, 1968  
 Collected a ~~Thamnophis~~ <sup>Tropidoclonion</sup> on sidewalk of Chancellor's residence,  
 Campus of Univ. Kansas.

680919-1 ~~Thamnophis~~ <sup>Tropidoclonion</sup> Lined snake  
 Tropidoclonion l. lineatum (Hallowell) body 240, tail 50mm, wt 9gms.