

11:38 examined unopened on gravel bar. Left 11:57. Titmouse call-
 ing. 12:00 2 Kingfishers, one chasing the other. These are the
 first ones noted this year on the Delaware. Flock of 120 geese
 flying NE at 700' (36 blues (30%) and 84 snows (70%). Red
 bellied woodpecker and 2 Titmice. 12:05 2 crows chased a
 great horned owl from the owl's position in a tree along side of
 river to another tree some 300 feet down stream. The owl
 made several sounds when pursued too closely. 8 slate-
 colored juncos, 2 redbellied woodpeckers and 3 bluejays in
 area. This association of small birds and great horned owls
 is a frequent occurrence. 12:07 2 ♂ and 2 ♀ mallards.
 12:52 side hill contact. 12:53 beaver leaving hole at edge of ^{to} water.
 Chickadee, 2 titmice, 1 bluejay in area. Overhead
 at approx 600' or higher were 150 geese (105 blues (70%), and
 45 snows (30%). Approx 4 minutes later 1000 geese moved
 south at about 700' ~~high~~ high included were 700 blues (70%),
 and 30 snows (30%). 11:04 Chickadee. 1:05 bend. 2 titmice,
 3 cardinal, 2 crows. Snow covering ground (bank) on north
 exposures, elsewhere only where deep snows have drifted.
 Chickadee and 8 juncos. 1:07 beaver left bank hole. 1:14
 redbellied woodpecker, cardinal. Flock 200 geese flying S
 included were 140 blues (70%) and 60 snows (30%). 1:19 bend
 of river. 18 tree sparrows, 3 cardinals, 2 crows, 2 chickadees.
 1:37 2 titmice, 2 chickadees, 2 cardinals, 1 white-breasted nuthatch.
 1:45 bridge. Left 1:56. Flock geese flew N. 200 of which 120 (60%)
 were blues and 80 (40%) were snows. 2:06 35 mallards left
 river and flew N. Flock 300 geese ^{flying N} consisting of 150 blue
 geese (50%) and 150 snow geese (50%). 2:08 8 mallards left
 river. 2:10 350 geese flying N consisting of 245 blues (70%)
 and 105 snows (30%). Great horned owl left side of bank
 (in tree) and flew down stream for approx 300 feet. 1 minute
 later 5 crow descended upon the owl as if the owl had been
 recognized flying for some distance. A redtail hawk
 was associated with the general area of the owl. 2:12 begin-
 ning of a group of approx. 300 mallards in river. They
 were aligned on bank and in water for approx 1/10 mile
 and left in groups as the horse advanced down river.
 It was evident that sight is depended upon as ^{only} those mallard
 left the water ~~that~~ when horse first came into view. Those
 individuals that could not see the horse because of obstruct-
 ions in the river left only when the horse could be observed.