

was in company with 5 Red heads. The red head paddled along water & were soon in air but the Golden Eye found it necessary to run on water for about 15 feet before even leaving water surface. Even when off water he still had to gain more momentum before he finally rose abruptly into air. This lone bird is no doubt the same one seen on the 13th, 14th, 15th, 24th of April. On returning, found that the creek took on a little more life than on the down trip. Twilight was set in now and was difficult to recognize the birds at even a close distance. The birds definitely identified before it got too late was 2 Gadwalls, 5 pairs of red heads and four Green-wing Teal, about 30 other ducks had settled in creek that I had just covered only about 1/2 hr ago. Could not identify as to species but they represented both ducks that leave water abruptly and those that sped along water surface before getting into air, probably red heads, mallards, gadwalls and ^{etc}, ~~etc~~. Establish quite definitely the ~~name~~ ^{name} of that peculiar syringe call, a call that is quite deceptive in that it sounds as if it comes from some distance when really within only 20 feet from one. The sound is not very loud and has a more muffled and not a mechanical tone. Two pairs of red heads were in creek and could be positively identified. Lying on the bank could hear one of the four birds offering this call. Besides this call the red heads has a very similar call to the mallard but offered more rapidly. Heard another mouse like call overhead and while it remain in air for a minute or so assumed that it might be something else beside a duck of some sort. While the Golden Eye was flying to Ten Town two red heads ~~flew up~~ ^{approached} from behind and soon passed him flying with a much greater speed than the Golden Eye.

5/1/38. Dad, Gary Chandler and myself left home about 10:30 Sunday and drove up to point where Deep Canyon issues into the Right Hand Fork of Hubble Creek. Leaving our car at this point we proceeded up the ridge between Deep & R. Hand Fork to conspicuous bird eye cliffs, high up ridge to the east. This ridge, at this time of year is quite passible in its entire length. Several species of flowers were in blossom, that the preceding week were not nearly so evident. The Cottonwoods bordering the lower limits of Deep Canyon also were in a