

an altitude taking them almost out of sight and then flew north. They acted as if truly terrified. The boat then reduced speed and went directly back to the marina as if the entire maneuver was to drive these resting geese out into the areas of hunters.

while observing these geese from a point about $\frac{1}{10}$ mi N from W end of dam from forested hillside observed a duck hawk fly S along beach at base of hill and then up over the dam & beyond. This is the same area where the osprey has been observed on three other occasions by myself and other individuals. ^{One speed boat can dislodge every duck in this part of lake.}

The duck population has increased in the last week and in this same area observed approx. 250 birds (Mallards, bluewings and others). The main mass of loat were not in their usual areas inhabited this fall and may have moved S.

Fly fished dam from W pipe to confluence with west hills and caught only 3 bluegills. ^{measuring 130, 150, 125 mm} There seems to be a decided drop in bluegills & sunfish in this area of the lake & may indicate a change in fish population. 1 dead shad per 100' along shore.

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Last night at 2:30 A.M. heard snow & blue geese pass overhead at 402 Yorkshire St. They called at about 1 every $\frac{1}{2}$ second.

Museum Natural History, Univ. Kansas, Lawrence, Kansas
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Color of trees from museum.

- deep reds (more brilliant) 46%
- yellows (way down but some new trees) 10%
- golden up & brilliant 17%
- greens 5%
- bare leaves 21%
- light red 1% (almost gone)

At 3:30 P.M. walked thru Marvin Grove W of the museum and noted 26 squirrels (19 Sciurus niger and 7 Sciurus carolinensis). They were confined to Marvin Grove below Memorial Grove all within area of X.D. On return after approx. 1 hour counted the same number in the same area. They were feeding on ground, especially on the black walnuts in the area.

