

Thompsonville road. 85.3 sparrow hawk, 85.5 now leaving Thompsonville road to Perry Les. 86.1 7 slate-colored juncos, 12 tree sparrow. 105 mallards leaving reservoir and flying to fields to S. 86.3 W end dam & now to N. Fox squirrel. 86.5 6 juncos. 86.6 single Canada goose swimming along W shoreline. Kingfisher. Lake smooth. 86.8 redtail. 87.0 Convergence of road. Coyote ran from field ⁱⁿ to deciduous forests. Bluejay above 87.5 leaving main road to go out onto peninsula. 88.0 horned grebe & ring-billed gull at E end peninsula. 88.5 now on main north-south road. 88.7 3 tree sparrows. 89.2 2 ring-bills. 90.1 head bay & now returning 18 tree sp. & 7 juncos and 2 cardinals there. time 9:35 A.M. Some surface agitation in main lake, bay smooth. 2 cardinals. Fog lifting slightly. Some osage orange & some cottonwood trees in wet areas still in full foliage but in yellowish green. 92.2 8 tree sparrows 93.0 W end dam. 2 ring-bills flying along base of dam. 93.3 ring-bill. 2 pied-bill grebes 4' out from shore & diving. 93.6 ^{outlet} gate. 889.8 water level. 93.9 coast. 94.2 2 coots. 94.3 ^E end dam. 94.5 Headquarters, 5 meadowlarks. 95.9 main road. 96.5 Ferguson road. 97.6 Big Slough Bridge, 1 ring-bill gull, cardinal. 99.1 turn off to Big Slough Park, 4 crows, 1 redtail. 20 starling. 00.0 entering Big Slough Park, 2 starling, yellow-shafted flicker. 00.8 turning off to left. 01.1 redtail. 01.3 2 bluejays. 01.7 redtail juvenile. (no red in tail). 60 mallards flew S. In middle lake 300 lesser scaup & 80 mallards. 03.0 Top Point 3 cardinals, 8 juncos, 20 tree sparrows. 10:30 - 1:25 ^{fly} fished bay S of Gap Point and caught 5 croppie & 3 bluegills. Seven flocks of mallards totalling approx. 300 fly south and alighting in middle of lake N of dam. Bonaparte's Gull & ring-bill feeding in bay. The Bonaparte obviously smaller, turns more abruptly, dives into water, flight more ternlike than ring-bill. On this behaviour alone one can differentiate the two. The white outer primaries the most conspicuous field mark in the case of the Bonaparte gull. 2 east left bay area S of Top Point. While fishing there was approx. 15 ring-bills and 3 Bonapartes flying into and out of the bay area. Rain off and on all morning. Waves N of Top Point but none S of Top Point. Returning some way out of Park area. The same redtail noted at 01.7 with wings still outspread. 06.9 3 bluejays. 07.5 group 18 robins, 5 cardinals, hairy & downy woodpecker, 3 chickadees, 20 tree sparrows, 10 juncos, 2 titmice. ^{B.C.} 07.7 leaving Big Slough Park. 08.2 8 starling. 08.6 Ferguson Rd. 09.0 2 bluejays. Continued S to