This condition can be noticed at several point around the lake but it is especially noticeable E of Gap Point. Along with ducks are 15 ring-billed gulls. The 50,000 mallards were all out of the area some 10 minutes after the sped boat displaced them. One group of 60 scaup came into area but did not land. 2 red-breasted merganser flew by (to S) Gap Point. Leaving at 10:20 A.M. Crow, 70.4 bald eagle (immature) flying east in Big Slough area some distance to the E. 71.5 leaving park, crow. 72.4 Ferguson Rd. 75.3 leaving Ferguson Rd to Longview Park. 77.5 entering Longview Park. 77.8 redtail. 78.1 Cormorant on limb in water. Some trees (small) with as many as 10 nests and presume it to be used by English sparrows. 78.6 2 redtails circling together. 79.0 redtail. 79.1 23 tree sparrows and 4 goldfinch. 79.5 top. bluejay. 81.0 redtail. bluejay, redtail calling. 81.1 leaving Park (made complete circuit) 81.5 sp. hawk. 81.6 3 meadowlarks, 83.3 Ferguson Rd., red-tail. 84.7 Little Slough Creek. bridge. 50 ring-bill gull in bay to W. 85.5 Entrenched 4 corners, now W. 87.2 Ozowhee bridge. 88.2 end of old road at water edge at 11:00. At the end of the road with water washing across road were 27 ring-billed gulls and 3 Bonaparte gulls resting. The ring-bills legs of greenish blue, to flesh color contrast to red legs of the Bonaparte gulls. The ringbills show 3 white dots in folded primary feathers except one which was all black. Bills range from orange-yellow, flesh color, to greenish yellow (ring-bill). Gun shot some 3/10 mi away cause gull to react, some to lift wings. Between 11:00 & 11:30 the gulls increased from 27 to 40 and the Bonaparte from 3 to 4 in number. 38 tree sparrows and 4 goldfinch in weeds near water. 89.0 back to bridge. To N are approx 300 mallard & 20 Bonaparte gull. 89.9 Old Town Park still closed. 91.0 Entrench 4 corners and now N to Paradise Point. 93.1 leaving main road now W to Paradise Point. 94.1 Rd to N at bend before Park. Will check condition of this road. 94.9 cardinal. Rd not passable during snow or rain. bluejay, 2 cardinals. Road ends at 95.2. In area 2 redheaded woodpeckers one of which fed in milo field, 1 flicker, redbellied woodpecker, 2 bluebirds, 2 cardinals, 18 tree sparrows & 7 juncos. One junco chased a cardinal for 200'. This is not too good a spot in for census. Left at 11:50 A.M. 96.2 back to main rd. & now W to Paradise Point, 2 crows. 96.5 from E end peninsula estimate 8,000 mallards in bay to S of Paradise Point in middle of bay 96.7 Park entrance & now S to turnaround. marsh hawk. grasshoppers out. Notice that a raft of ducks control wave action for some 200 or more feet on lee side of raft. 97.5 now back to main road going west on Paradise Point. 98.5 now road to left. bluejay. From NW end of