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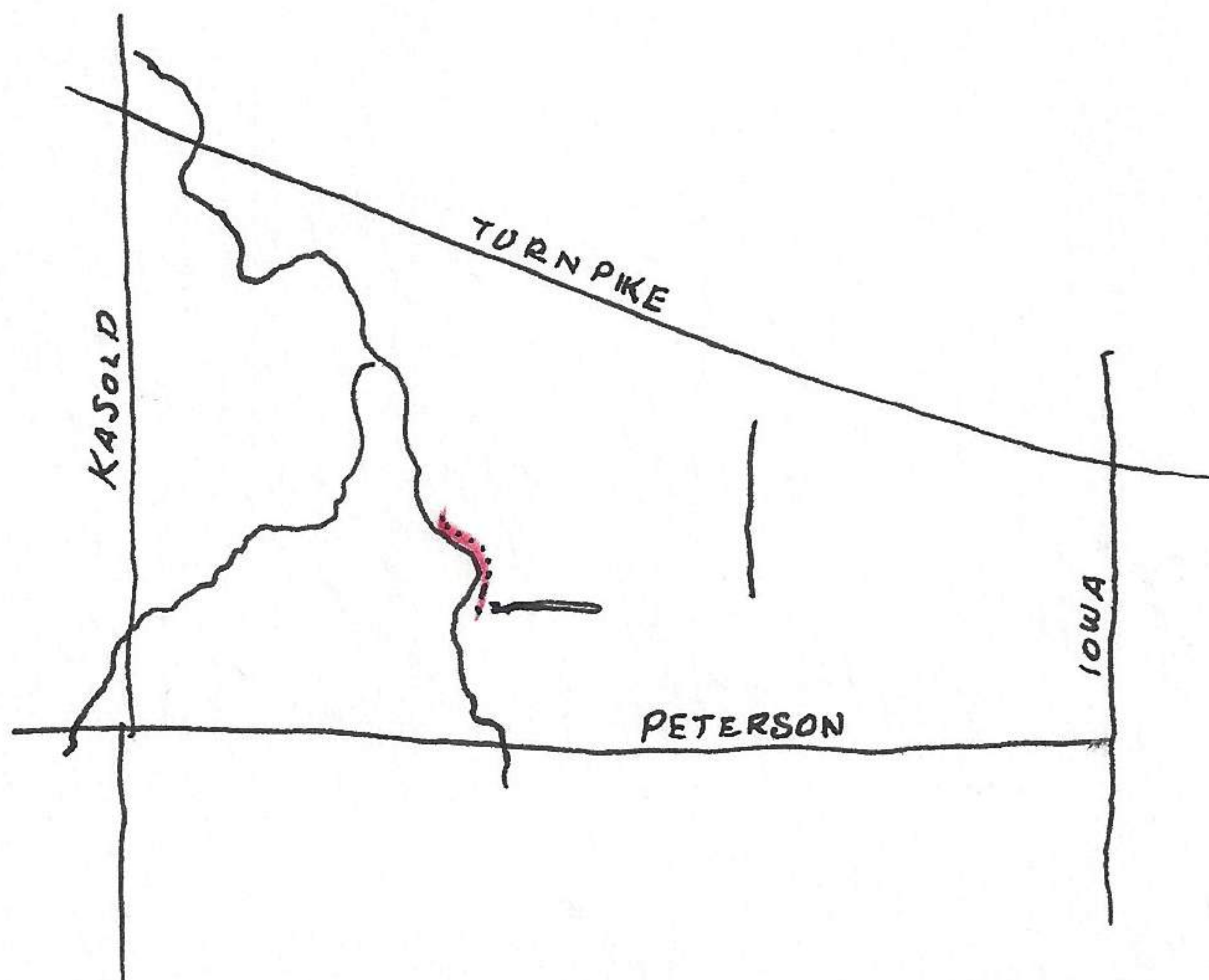
Checked live traps and caught the following mammals.

760312-1	<i>Sigmodon hispidus</i>	191-73-28-47-50 gms ♂ testis 14 mm
760312-2	" "	203-80-28-17-53 gms ♂ testis 16 mm
760312-3	" "	192-70-28-17-51 gms ♀ ut normal
760312-4	<i>Microtus ochrogaster</i>	142-30-19-14 28 gms ♀ ut enlarged
760312-5	" "	146-34-18-11-41 gms ♂ testis 8 mm
760312-6	" "	156-33-19-11-48 gms ♀ 2x1 emb. 6 mm
760312-7	" "	149-34-20-11-40 gms ♂ testis 15 mm
760312-8	" "	152-31-19-12-36 gms ♀ 3x1 emb 5 mm
760312-9	<i>Peromyscus leucopus</i>	172-73-22-16-28 gms ♂ testis 12 mm
760312-10	<i>Peromyscus maniculatus</i>	154-76-18-18-12 gms ♂ testis 6 mm

This evening Dr. Dumitru Murariu & I set 25 Sherman traps in forest of deciduous trees approx 1/10 mi N of Peterson Road along Deerfield Creek. Soils soft and covered with dead leaves. Traps set at base of trees or along logs on the ground. Oatmeal under trigger of traps hardened with lowering temperatures and caused the mechanism to stick to the freezing trap. By the time we cleaned each trap the time was late twilight. A recent rain caused rain to overflow bank and flow onto first bench. Evidence indicates considerable depredation by dogs.

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Checked live traps set in forests without success. This area is as follows: ~~This area is~~ 13/10 mi. N, 19/10 mi. W Lawrence (P.O.), Douglas Co., Kansas.



Trapping area in deciduous forest N of Peterson Road along Deerfield drainage.