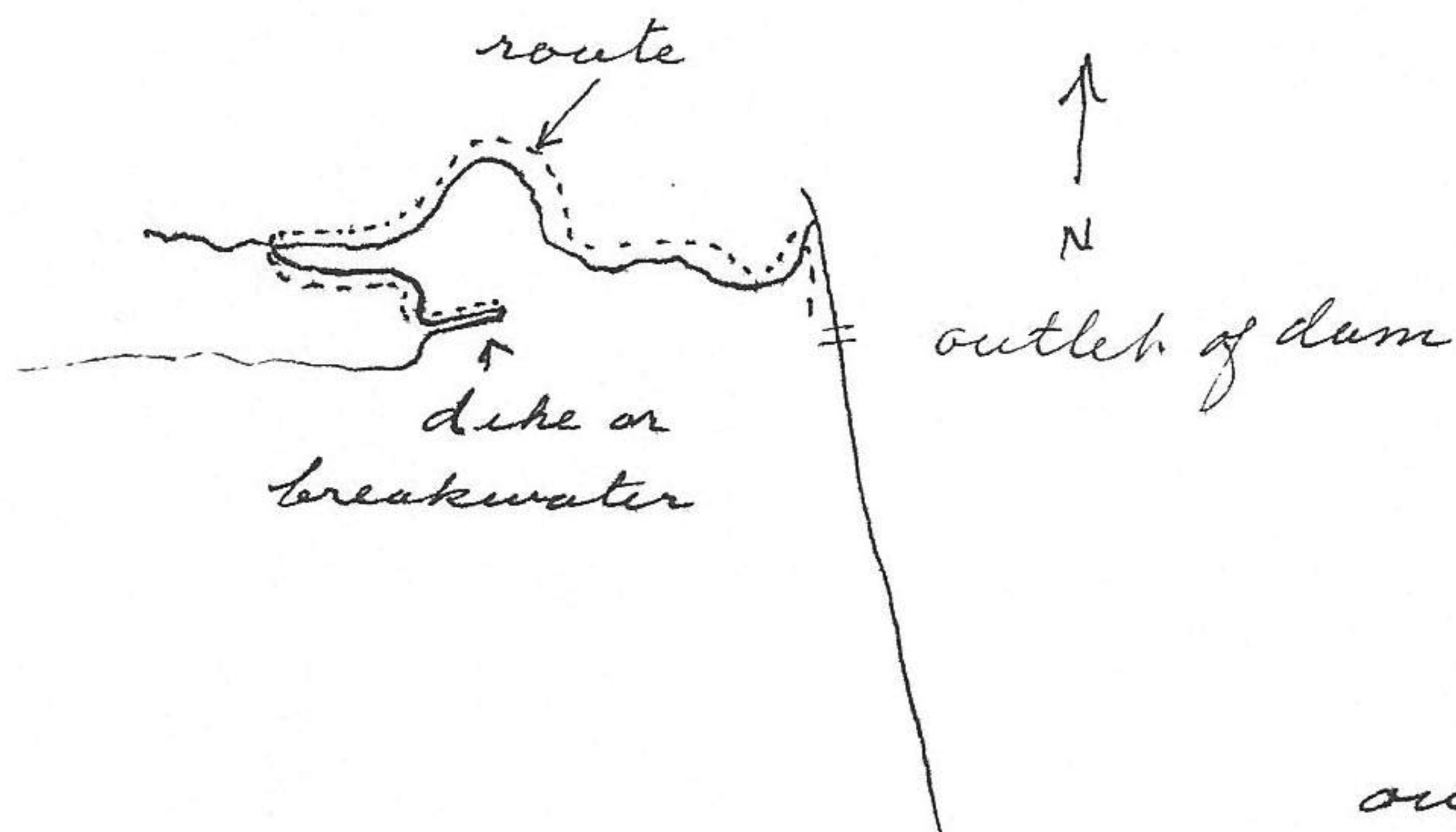


3. Fished most areas but especially from Elfin Cove east thru
Ice Straits. Cross Sound is too rough for fishing, some waves
4 feet ⁱⁿ height.
4. Walker Cove in Behm Canal has outstanding beauty.

Clinton Reservoir, Douglas Co., Kansas

May 21, 1978

made trip in NE part of reservoir from N end dam west
thru 2 proposed boat ramps, to end of dike or rock peninsula
S of main boat ramp. Water level relatively low. Left home
9:40 A.M. at mileage 331.9. mileage N end dam 338.9 at 10:00.



Birds along route to W are:
bobwhite, yellow-billed
Cuckoo, redwing black-
birds, dickcissel,
coyote tracks, deer tracks,
mourning dove, raccoon
tracks, meadowlark flew
out to temporary island, barn

swallows. In an area 30' long at edge of lake the microtus
trails were unusually numerous and coiled in one of the
main runways was a matrix. It escaped to the water. Spotted
sandpiper, ♂ ♀ mallard. The main lake is clear but the
new isolated ponds are muddy. Cattails growing best in areas
protected from sidehill drainage. 14 cedar waxwings
were feeding in a tree and a yellow-billed cuckoo flew into
the same tree. The waxwing momentarily reacted by shifting
position but remained in the tree. At the W end of main
drainage 7 crows, fox tracks in mud, great blue heron,
killdeer, redwing attacked crow, 8 cowbirds, 6 cedar waxwings
first sign of beaver tracks along edge of water, 3 mallards,
♂ ♀ bluewing teal, E Kingbird. Arrived E end breakwater at
12:45. 8 cormorant. A cottonwood tree on S side of breakwater
at top of rocks 7 1/2 feet high. Another one 5' high 100' on
breakwater from main ridge to W, same level. Left 10:50.
Bells vireo, redtail, thrush sp.?, ♂ ♀ cardinal, orchard oriole,
bluejay, lark sparrow (has fast wing beat). mole active. Thrush
song notes ascend. dickcissel. deer tracks 20' out from
forest. A well beaten trail 20' into forest. Baltimore oriole,
gold finch. Returned to outlet gates. Killdeer only bird
along dam. Returned to car.