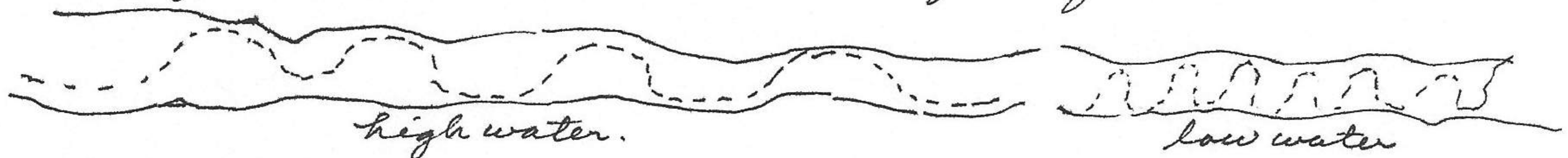


Current swing across river from S side to point where bank has eroded and meets point of large trees and then follows the north side of river for 2 miles before turning S. This is not the course followed when waters are shallow. Arrived Deempton bridge 10:30. Noted one adult & 1 immature in trees on E side mouth Delaware River. A tree house structure has been constructed in a cottonwood (1/2 way up) in group of cottonwood trees on bank of N side just W of crossing of utility lines, W of the Deempton bridge. From bridge can see that currents follow major meanders when channel full of water in contrast



to close arranged meanders of low water level. approx 70 Canada geese passed S.

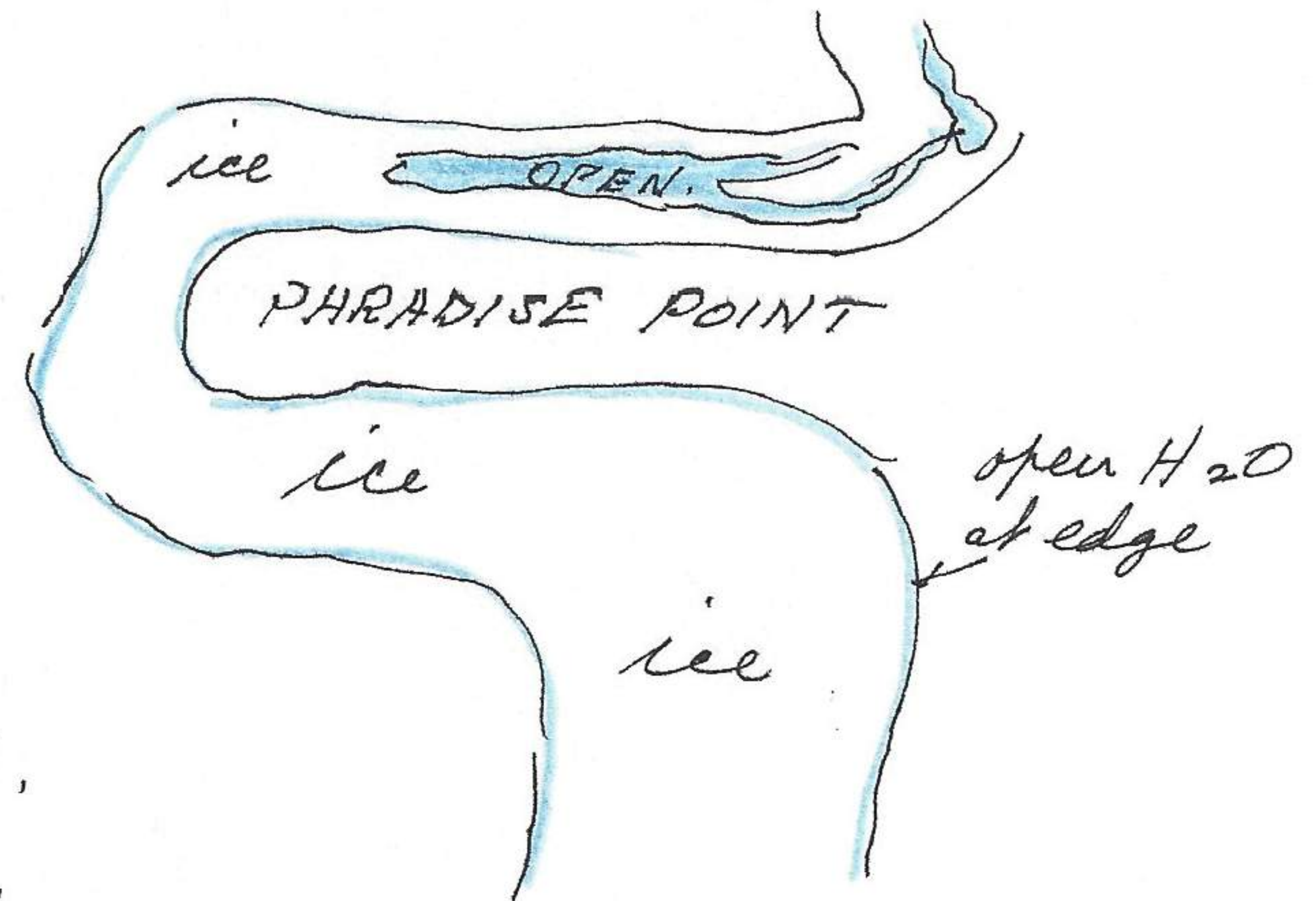
Perry Reservoir, Jefferson Co., Kansas
march 2, 1979

This afternoon from 1:00 to 4:00 P.M. checked Perry Res. for bald eagles. Across dam, west side to Ozawkie, Paradise Pt., S along east side lake to Big Slough thence S out of area, no eagles observed. From dam all lake frozen in ice except 10 to 40' around edge. no major ice fractures. Open water under Ozawkie bridge, solid N & S. At Paradise Point open water N side, all other areas closed except around edges. In open water 2 ring-billed gulls, 48 common mergansers, 2 golden eye ducks. no other waterfowl in entire lake area.

Birds rare: 8 redtails, 1 marsh hawk, 12 crows, no meadowlarks or small birds.

Two flocks starling, 50-80 birds each,

all road clear of snow except some areas where drifts were still on edge of road. One killdeer. As far as I can tell there has not been any open water in Perry Reservoir this winter and as a result there have not been wintering waterfowl.



Lawrence, Douglas Co., Kansas
march 7, 1979

Kaw high and no ice but some floatsam. Photo 790307-1 of Jim & Liz maland at 402 Yorkshire.