

meadowlark, 57.2 S end Leecompton bridge (if in the past I have referred the E end of Leecompton bridge instead of rightfully the south end of the bridge, it is in error and should read S end.)
 water high and muddy. no sand bars exposed. Killdeer, dickcissel, dickcissel, 58.9 railroad tracks (Union Pacific). robin travelling along side of car at 30 m P.R. will not count birds in city of Perry.
 60.0 highway 24. barn swallow, grackle, chimney swift, mourning dove, 2 meadowlarks, 62.6 four corners at SE end of ^{Perry} reservoir area.
 meadowlark 63.6 Ferguson Rd. 64.4 mourning dove and turkey vulture flying 40 feet above water of Big Slough and seemed a little out of place. 64.8 bridge over Big Slough, 4 barn swallow, grackle. 65.8 redwing. 66.2 mourning dove, eastern kingbird.
 66.9 2 grackles. 67.2 water's property (S end) at 8:50 A.M. Parked car on county rd and at 8:52 started thru forests ^{on upper level (1st) down.} The old rd is lined with dogwood and middle of road with ^{small} shrubs & trees. The deer trail at end of gate fence used in winter is not used much at this time of year. (Pasture by time now). 9:03 bluejay. forest seems songless and devoid of trees. Dark sky makes dark forest. Less ground cover under large oaks. 9:25 red-headed woodpecker. most oak on first level are Shumards and Chestnut oak. 9:33 vantage point. Overlooking gazebo from upper level. at vantage point is considerable ground cover of thorny bushes (localized) 9:48 first crossover of drainage. 2 Titmice several deer tracks. white-breasted nuthatch, bluejay. Eroccinal gully 90% soil. 9:56 second minor crossover, drainage relatively flat to N. 10:00 red-headed woodpecker. 10:10 robin. 10:13 yellow-breasted chat, crow, bluejay. 10:20 second major crossover. 10:24 minor drainage, robin, may apples out 1 1/2 inches pulp sweet, patch is 30' across 10:38 minor drainage, more Symphoricarpos on east side of drainage than elsewhere. also good stand of poison ivy. 10:45 drainage. There is considerably more understory than previous areas. (2) Gray squirrel and confiding, 30' before it left. 10:55 minor drainage, 3 foot wide. turkey vulture ^{at} 11:10. 11:18 dam. From dam can see ^{erratic in drainage} turkey vulture bluejay, great crested flycatcher, 2 grackles, no red-headed woodpeckers. redtail N to S across lake. On E side lake 15 oak trees have died because of water table. Area bordering lake filling in with shrubs Beaver will clear large trees bordering lake and they (trees) will be replaced by willow, shrubs and small trees for source of food. The oaks are dying anyway so why not let nature take its course. There are also dead trees on hill W of dam above water table