

snowy egret, coot, common tern, 2 blue-wing teal, 2 redwing, pied-billed grebe, 2 gallinule, 1 gallinule, 3 blue-winged teal, snowy egret, c. gallinule, snowy egret, end of water course, now approaching ferry, redwing blackbird, redwing blackbird. plant entrance, plane runway to left, 2 snowy egrets right in town. snowy egret on fence post. Ferry 749.1. no birds except laughing gulls across water. The town of Cameron is now site of mfg of deep sea drilling platforms, 2 dozen or so in the process. The type is with legs on upright as if the platform can be adjusted for height. as a result there is considerably more traffic of coastal road, especially large fast moving trucks. In 1934? hurricane Audrey devastated the town because of lack of forewarning. East of Cameron is residential on n side of road and lower marshland on s side. The demarcation is a shoreline, now grown to live oak trees of great age. Dominant birds are common grackle, boat-tailed grackle, and redwing. Occasionally egrets and ducks, coot but these uncommon although there are water courses along the way. Cattle egret 3' from edge of pavement while cars passed by. Oak Grove (City) just E of this village (1-3 miles) are stacks of debris every 25' or so piled to 1-2 feet high. The wet meadows do not look like they could be harvested for this purpose, like muskrat houses. Duck with 10 young 2-3 inches and first young seen this year. Merrimentau river bridge at 772.4. It is 3 miles W of this bridge where mounds of vegetation occur. Now into Grand Chenier. Have not kept complete census because of rural interference, at least from ferry. Wildlife not as common as at Holly Beach. Only few coot in water areas. First local booby type Sactus. First cormorant since Holly Beach. G.B. heron. Photo of 830331-10a of live oak. between Chenier and Lucky Fellow Tracts. 80 pelicans (white), S of this tree. Striped skunk rd. kill. Rocky Fellow Tracts at 785.6. Decreased activity since last visited (complete census E.) 5 b.t. grackles & a redwing. Some Canada geese on property. redwing, mockingbird, redwing, grackle, c, 2 c. grackles, 2 b.t. grackles. 5 common egrets, redwing, c grackle, b.t. grackle, mockingbird, mourning dove, 3 redwings, b.t. grackle. b.t. grackle, b.t. grackle, b.t. grackle, redwing, b.t. grackle. Leaving line of live oaks and now n of it. Barrow pits but aquatic life uncommon. B.t. grackle, b.t. grackle, snowy egret, snowy egret b.t. grackle, 2 Loggerhead shrike, 4 bluewing teal, 2 coot, 5 coot.