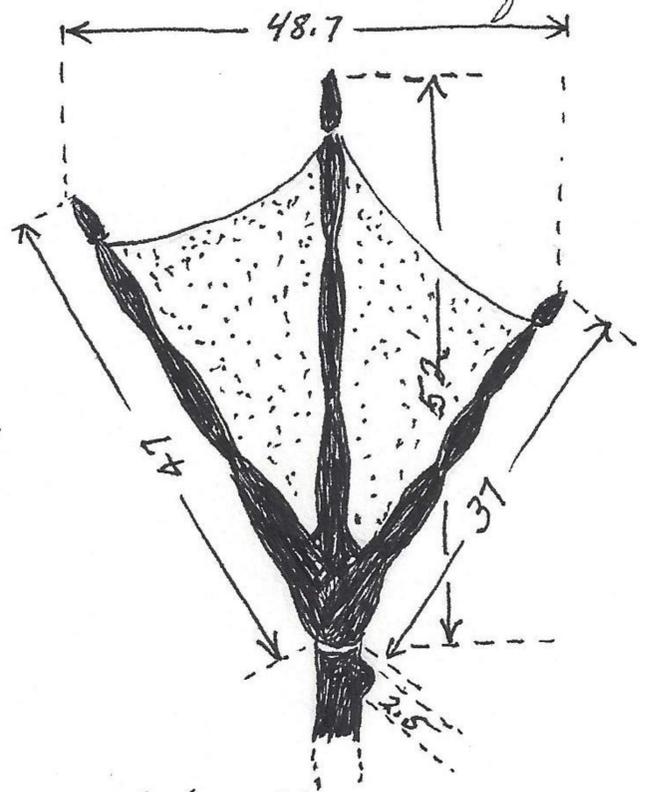
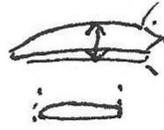


and down opposite side of head. Photo 831012-2 of close up of yellow bill showing curvature of bill not found in other gulls. Nares are distinct. Photo 831012-3 of primaries showing 3rd primary in development stage, both wings show this condition. ^{also No 831012-3a} Photo 831012-4 of back, tail and wings and head. When the tail is nearly closed shows a slight forked condition. Photo 831012-5 of feet. There is a nubbin rather than a claw. Photo 831012-6 of band of black on back + side of head.

Measurements of this bird are:

Total length 433 mm
 tail 120 mm
 wing 300 mm
 bill, ex culmen 35.8 mm
 width bill (height) 12.8 mm
 nasals 5.7 mm
 foot (tarsus-phalanges) 85 mm
 tarsus 40 mm
 wing spread 970 mm
 weight gms.



3rd primary lacking, 50 mm of normal length.
 adult in winter plumage.
 inside mouth and tongue orange.

Presented the Kittiwake to Warden at the Park Warden Station at mouth of Roboktan Cr. It was suggested that he send it to University of British Columbia and have it placed in regular museum collection as a voucher specimen. It was also suggested that other institutions such as Edmonton would be satisfactory but not the local park museums or other institutions that did not maintain permanent collections. This bird is too rare to allow the specimen to be lost or not be brought before the scientific awareness. It was placed in office refrigeration. He reports bears are in hibernation. Honeyman Lake was stocked two years ago but not this year. This lake is definitely overused as a fishing lake. My opinion is that all fishing should be excluded from the park. It is also my opinion that roads have been built without consultation with people who have knowledge about scenic values and environmental impact. Jasper is occupying and building out of bounds in the ancestral winter grounds of elk, deer, sheep & goats.