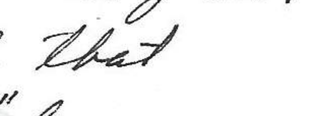
3 hooded mergansers fed and captured 2"-3" fish in bay between Lone tree (Douglas fir) Island and mainland. A glaucous-winged gull attempted to capture the fish but merganser would dive and come up 10' beyond. The hooded merganser did not resemble the usual plumage of the species. Probably immatures of the year.

At Indian part of island 5 sand sharks on beach that had been released from gill nets. One (largest was 40" long, the smallest 20" long. These sharks were not being eaten by gulls or crows, maybe because they were too fresh. 12 robin observed and may be passing thru


dots on shark.

Indians placed gill net in water at point yesterday.

Today nest 80% on land at low tide with one silver salmon only and rapidly spoiling.

Photo 840911-1 Lone tree island (Douglas fir). TT Lodge to E

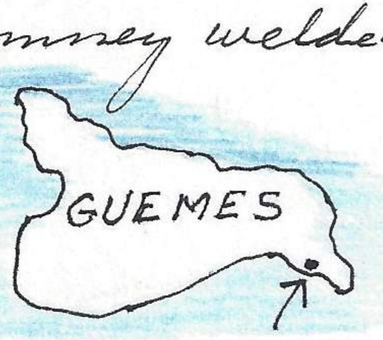
Photo 840911-2 " " " " " " to W.

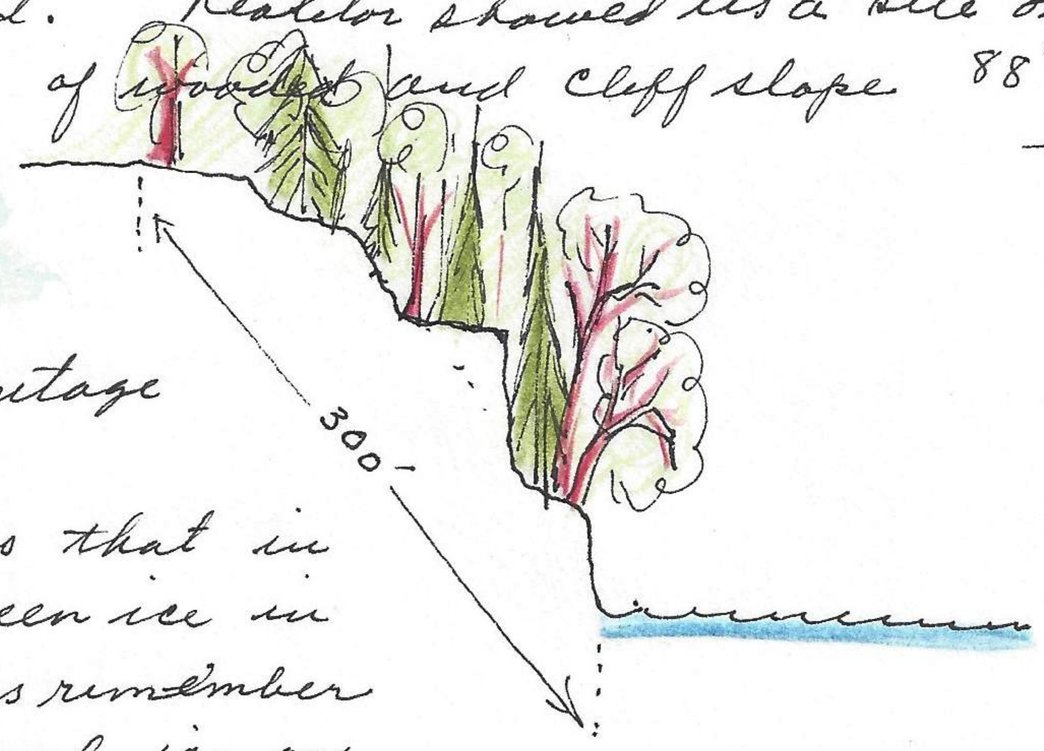
Sept. 12th, 1984

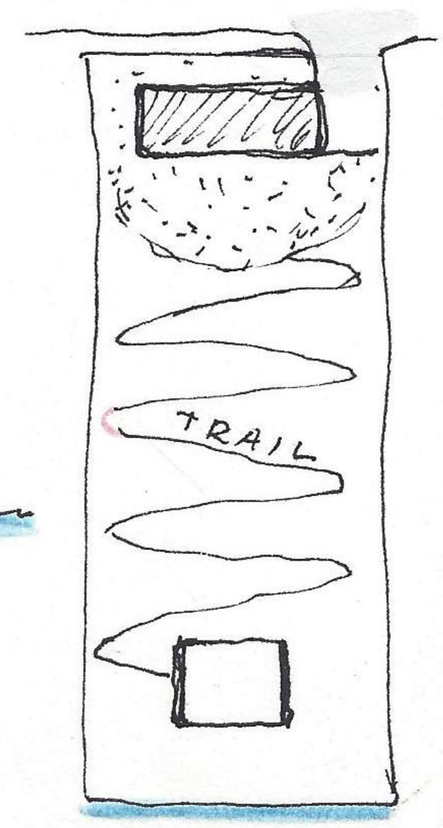
Check with Paul Post, owner of Chamai motorsailer charters, Box 1026, La Conners, WA 98257 (206) 466-3841. He own a 30 ft Rawson Pilothouse Sloop, an ocean going vessel. Can travel 50 miles per day. Most of Alaska inland waters are not adequately mapped and movement thru them is slow and exploratory. Weather and other factors will delay progress. 28 days from here to Juneau. Can carry food for week a a half. Navigation by maps and charts. Emergency pickup good. Mr Post is a socialogist and has been employed by government agencies to work on social problems in Alaska, especially remote villages. $75-$150 per day. Food choice depends on cost deferentials.

Sept 13, 1984

Checked with Realtor Agency in Anacortes and also had fire-place chimney welded. Realtor showed us a site on Guemes Island of wooded and cliff slope 88' x 300'.







Shown by American Heritage by. Gale O'Neil

Mr. O'Neil informed us that in 7 years he has not seen ice in Anacortes. Old timers remember winters with occasional ice on streets and on limbs of trees.