

Mr. Strandberg spent part of day at house. No deer in area today.

On trip to Lopez Village (^{port} Stanley Rd, Hummel Rd etc.) observed 64 swallows, 9 gadwall ducks, 3 glaucous-winged gulls at Swift Lagoon.

at Hummel Lake, 3 am. Coast, 6 common goldeneye, 3 bufflehead and 1 great blue heron.

First time no common crows in fields S of 1916 School House.

no hooded mergansers in Spring Cone for last 3 days but 2 in Lopez Sound 1/10 mi SE of Bee House.

At Swift Bay noted buffleheads, scarp and gulls.

Bee Estate, Humphrey Head, Lopez Island, San Juan Co., Wa.

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At Bee House chipmunks and ^{Eastern} gray squirrels vigorously chasing each others own species.

Purple finch clean bills after feeding.

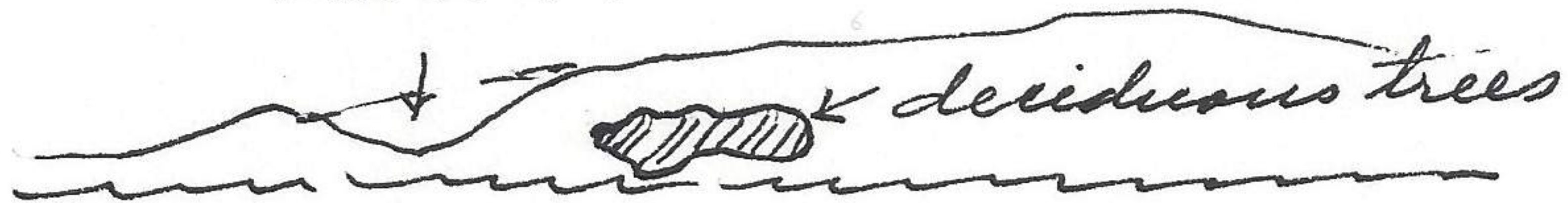
Purple finch flew into glass window. Heart beat 174 per minute. 1 min later died with wings vibrating ^{3 seconds} just before death.

10:00 A.M. A Cooper hawk flew over porch feeding area and all birds were displaced. The Eastern gray squirrel moved 3' away from feeder but returned immediately.

4:30 3 purple finch on dead limbs of Douglas fir (top) as last ray of sun disappeared.

Deciduous trees on W side Blakely Island just S of airstrip are 90% greenish-yellow being more yellowish than green. The trees are in an area that was at one time cut for conifers but now grown mainly in deciduous trees.

AIRSTRIP



First belted kingfisher on madroña in front of Bee House, also first great blue heron on rocks on shoreline below.

No harbor seal of Leo Reef because of displacement by boats. This Easter morning is crowded with boats along the ferry route. Has been a beautiful day.

March 31, 1986

Sky clear except long N-S veil clouds 3x height ^{of Blakely} above Blakely.