

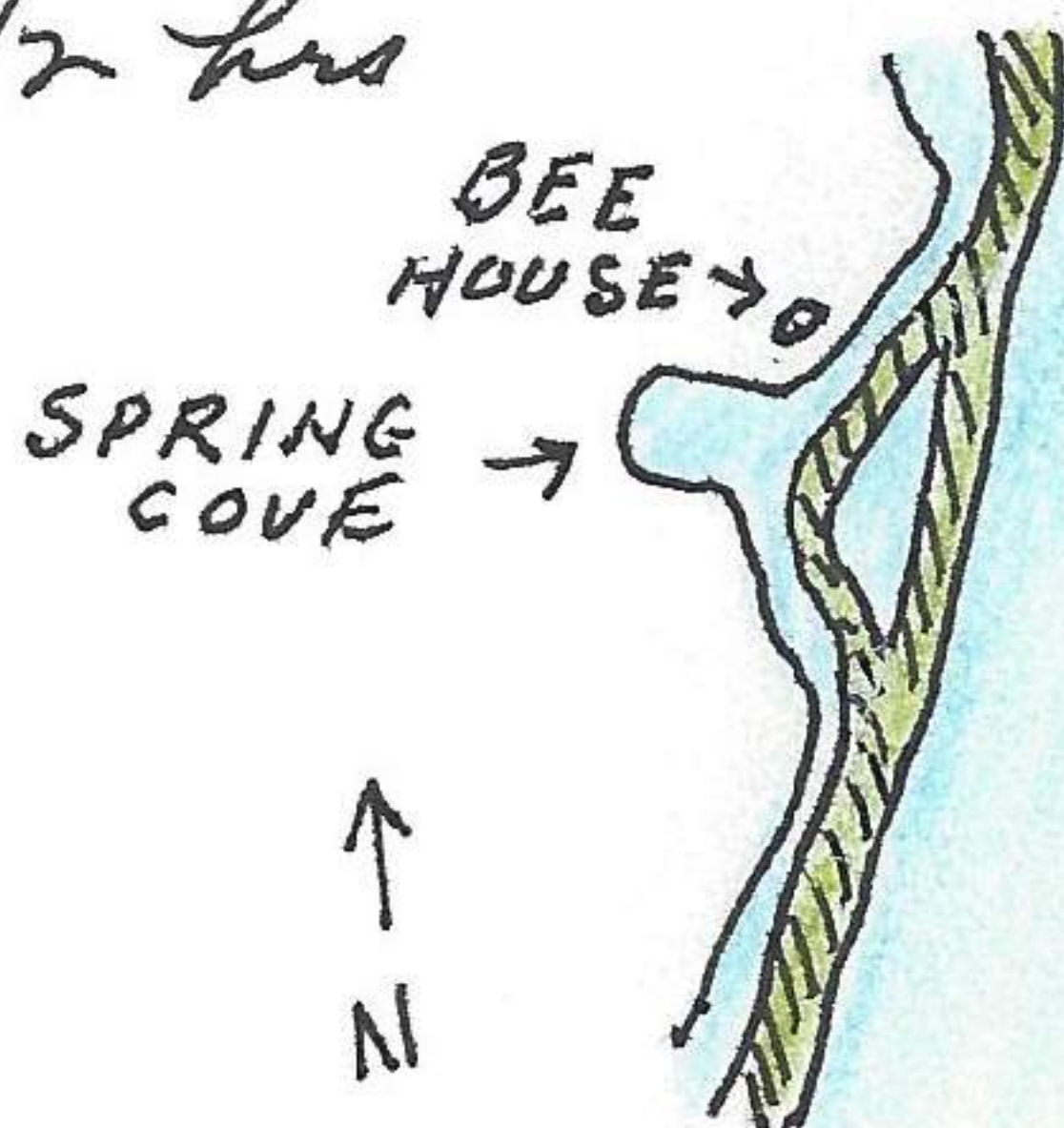
(Outer Bay).
 Agate Beach: 1 northern flicker, 1 great blue heron, 1 red-necked gull,
 2 common raven, 8 glaucous-winged gulls, 4 American crow.
 Mackay Harbor (S part): 8 cormorant, 48 glaucous-winged gulls,
 1 kingfisher, 8 female greater scaup.
 Swift Lagoon: 21 ♀, 1 ♂ northern pintail.
 Humphrey Lagoon: 9 hooded mergansers (7 ♀, 2 ♂).

This evening at twilight the regular herd of mule deer had finished eating at feeder at Bee House and were on ^{open} slope above resting and grooming. A ♂ mule deer arrived and finish re-moistening corn and when we approached the feeder to replenish the corn the buck ran uphill 85' and stopped. The herd returned to feeder and 5 minutes later the buck returned to feeder and replaced the herd. Young deer will give way to buck when buck comes as close as 15'.

This evening a raft of green lettuce-like marine plant came from S and passed N with tide approx 100' E of Lechen Point. The vegetation moved N, split and recombined and continued N. It took approx 1 1/2 hrs to pass Bee House.

7:00 P.M. 4

raccoons came to porch at Bee House. One took bread from hand, 2 by its mouth and 1 with its front feet and one too shy to come. One of the raccoons shared a slice of bread with another one without protest.



7:00 P.M. moon almost full. Water smoother than last night with moon confined to 1 sq. yard of reflective surface and single planets like Pleides, neither as concentrated a reflection as an almost perfect duplication of moon or planet.

Oct. 15, 1986

To Chris and Steve at Lost Lake, Snohomish Co. Striped skunk road kill 1 mi N Marysville on highway 5.
 at 532 Welch Road (river road) approx 1000 Crows in one flock.

Oct 19, 1986

Left Lost Lake and returned to Thousand Trails Preserve (La Conner) at settling basins NE Everett and highway 5 (in S basin), the glaucous-winged gulls were generally distributed in an area 2 1/10 x 2 1/10 sq. miles at