

approx a bird every 8-10 feet apart.

Camped La Conner Thousand Trails Preserve.

Oct. 20, 1986

Left La Conner TT and returned Lopez via ferry from Anacortes ferry terminal. made complete bird census as usual:

Left 9:35 A.M. cormorant, 9:38 A.M. 2 glaucous-winged gulls, 1 double-crested cormorant, 2 glaucous-winged gulls. 9:39 A.M. 2 glaucous-winged gulls, 2 marbled murrelets. 9:40 A.M. cormorant, 1 American crow, 2 glaucous-winged gulls. 9:41 3 glaucous-winged gulls. 9:42 3 western grebes, 1 marbled murrelet, 4 marbled murrelets. 9:43 glaucous-winged gull. 9:46 13 pigeon guillemots. 9:48 glaucous-winged gulls, 1 marbled murrelet, 1 glaucous-winged gull. 9:49 3 glaucous-winged gulls. Fog now 50' and ferry slower. 9:56 2 single glaucous-winged gulls. 9:58 cormorant 10:00 glaucous-winged gull, Beacon (red light) SW Blakely Island, cormorant, horned grebe, glaucous-winged gull. 10:01 cormorant, mew gull. 10:06 Willow Island. 10:08 2 single glaucous-winged gulls. 10:08 2 single cormorants. 10:09 2 cormorants. 10:12 cormorant. 10:16 cormorant, 10:17 2 glaucous-winged gulls, 10:18 glaucous-winged gull, cormorant. 10:19 cormorant. 10:21 pigeon guillemot. 10:24 Coming into Lopez terminal. Entire census in fog and birds within 200' of boat.

at 4:50 P.M. at Bee House, 4 Harlequin ducks on rocks below house and resting.

at 6:30 P.M., at dusk, young ♂ mule deer arrived feeder at Bee House and first one observed since 11:00 A.M. after ^{we} having been gone for 5 days. Trails ^(deer) are being developed on many slopes that at one time had only one or two cross-country trails.

From traps at Bee House captured three white-footed mice:

861020-1 Peromyscus maniculatus holisteri 165-73-22-19-18 gms ♂ testes 4 mm.

861020-2 Peromyscus maniculatus holisteri 167-72-21.5-19-19 gms ♂ testes 4 mm.

861020-3 Peromyscus maniculatus holisteri 165-72-22-18-17 gms ♀ ut. normal.

7:30 P.M. a young male mule deer returned to feeder and after finishing walked up trail to N and at top turned around and ran in leaps down trail past feeder and to the S. Could not see what caused cause this behaviorism. Hunting season is on at Lopez Island.