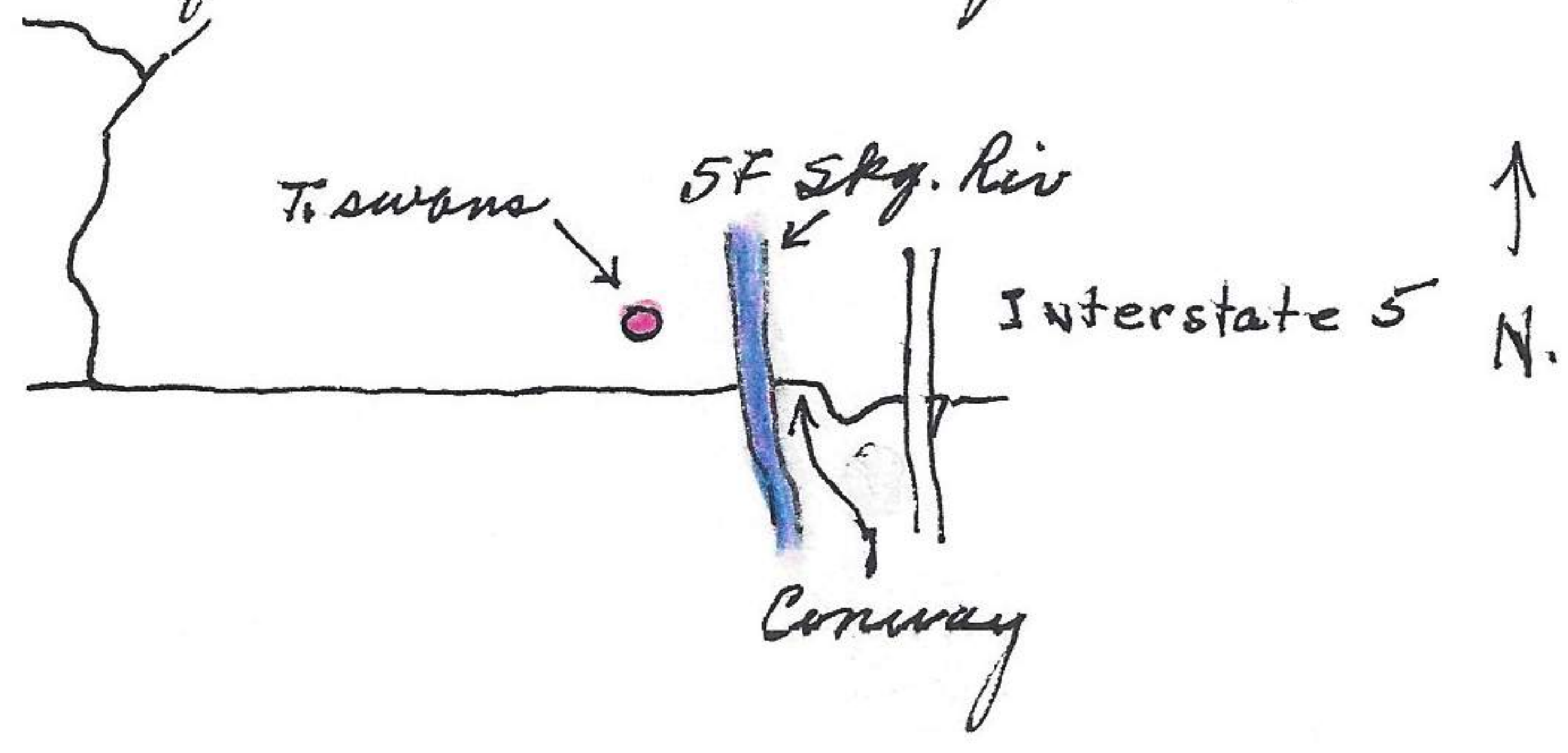


3:25 P.M. 20 mew gulls resting on sands at end of Spencer Spit (E end),

Bee Estate, Humphrey Head, Lopez Island, San Juan Co., Washington.
Dec. 31, 1988

Trip to Annette C Kenagy at Lost Lake, Snohomish Co. Skagit Co.,
at 1 mi. W of South Fork Skagit River on Fir Island Rd W of Conway,
at a point 1/10 mi. N of road, observed 13 trumpeters swan.



Fields partially flooded from recent rains.

Across Skagit River delta observed 3 red-tailed hawks.
In last 2 trips to Seattle (in Dec.) observed 4 redtails (Dec 23 and 4, Dec 27).

These hawks are generally distributed. Across the Skagit Valley redtailed hawks average 2 (1-4).

Opassem roadkill at Conway.

In fields of Snohomish River valley along Elliot Rd, in Snohomish Co., observed 3 groups of glaucous-winged gulls of approx. 240, 3,000, 1500 birds.

One great blue heron glided into field near Lake Beecher along Elliot Rd with neck outstretched (like a crane). I have observed this profile in great blue herons many times when alighting on ground.