

too small for startling size.

First ♂ redwing blackbird at marshland beyond N end of Lake one week ago.

an eastern gray squirrel moved along porch rail for 8 feet, with sequence of <sup>5</sup> jumps each jump ending with head low and stiff legs. It remained in the stopped motion for 4 seconds before next jump. To a human eye the jumps were awkward.

From last week to 3 days ago there was 1 Townsend chipmunk at Bee House, in last 2 days 2 and today 3.

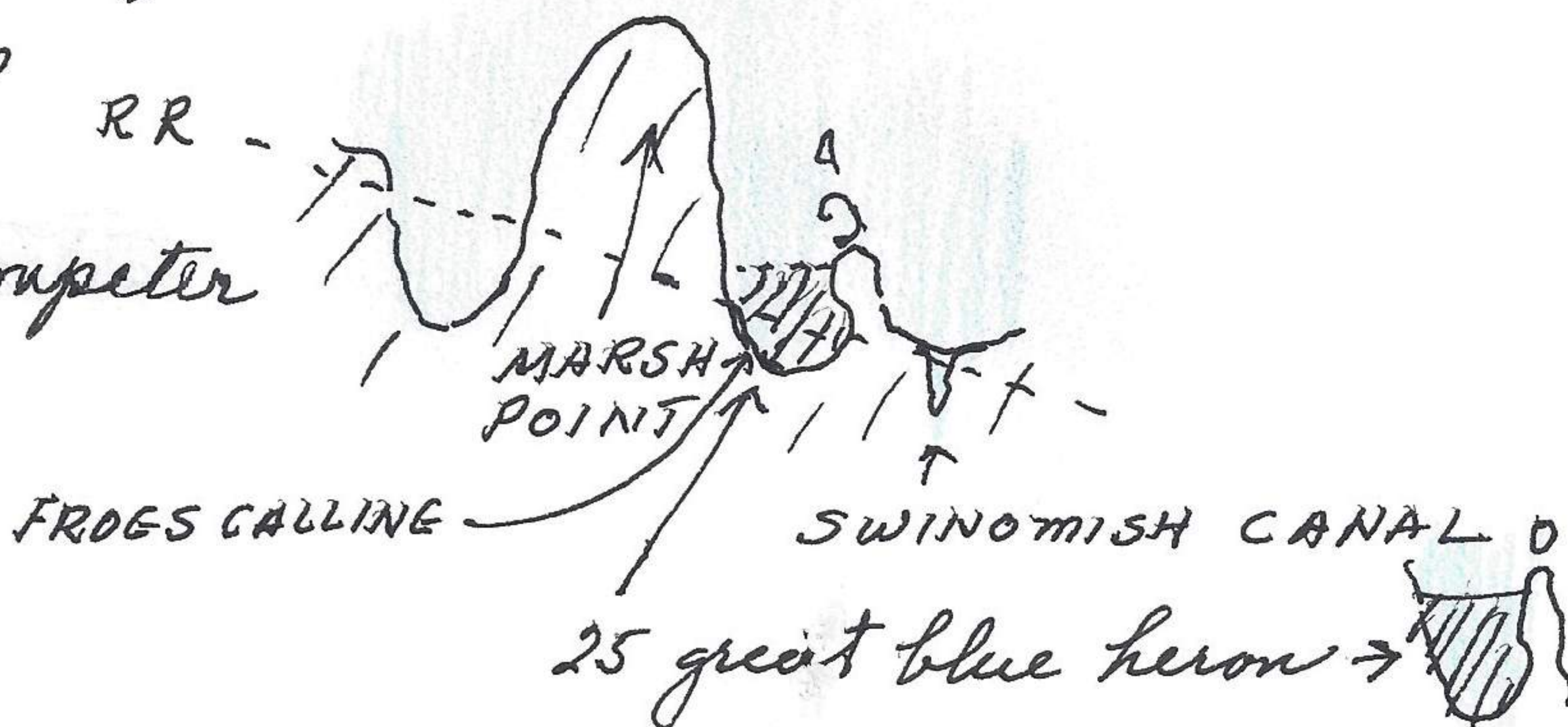
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On boat trip noted river otter asleep on water at N end Humphrey Head. 1:04 P.M. 7 bald eagles on Flower Island 3 adults and 4 immatures. One adult flew N. They continuously adjusted their position on the island. Madrona flowerings. On S side of Flower Island 2 river otter were  $\frac{1}{2}$  way up slope. At that time 5 bald eagles remained on the island above the otter.

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Left Lopez Island 10:00 AM for Anacortes. At Pointer Island are approx. 200 glaucous-winged gulls on territories, at <sup>NE</sup> marsh Point; 4 bald eagles, 1400 brant, 8 buffleheads, 600 greater scaup, also mallards, gadwalls and American widgeons: →

$\frac{2}{3}$  mi. N off Hi. 20  
and Bayview-Edison  
Rd. Observed 5 trumpeter  
swans.



March 19, 1990

Mr. Hachette (get name and address), a visitor from Seattle knew about the 2 brothers of Mildred Wakefield and supplied the following information: Their boat was 125' AKL. He had not heard about them recently. He also said the Pacific oil stove was the best diesel stove for cooking and heating and the bigger the better. Takes long time to heat them.