

In Swift Bay: 16 glaucous-winged gulls, 4 mew gulls, 5 mallards,
27 buffleheads, 6 northern pintails, 11 American widgeon, 16 American Crows.
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March 5, 1993

To W Sound on Orcas Island by Grand Banks. Between Shaw and Orcas terminals cold water impeller went out. Annette called Coast Guard and W Sound marina responded. He replaced impeller and we continued on to W Sound marina. Mary & Ken on boat. Some birds, ^{and mammals} observed but not complete census: rhinoceros auklet, marbled murrelet, 2 adult bald eagles, 3 harbor seal. Returned to Lopez Island.

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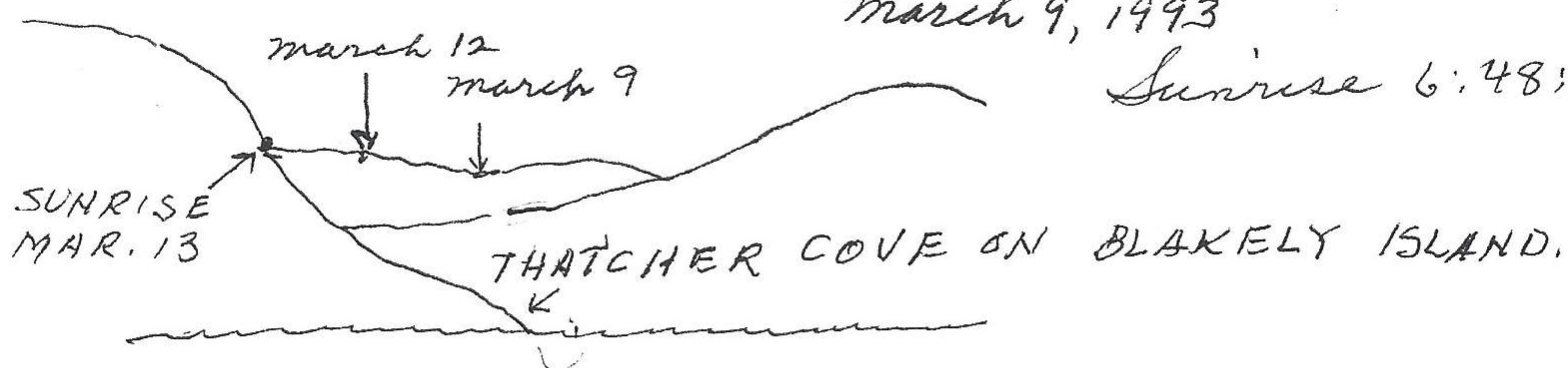
March 6, 1993

7 pairs buffleheads on Humphrey Lagoon, at Odlin Park: 1 common goldeneye, 2 buffleheads, 1 red-breasted merganser.

At Bee House, Townsend chipmunks chasing each other at about 5:30 P.M. each evening from 12-48 surf scoters fly N from Swift Bay up N Lopez Sound and almost always a foot or 2 above water and in a line.

March 9, 1993

Sunrise 6:48:18 A.M.



March 11, 1993

Left Lopez Island to Anacortes via ferry and car to Bellingham via Chuckanut Drive. Between turnoff of 20 at Farmhouse Inn to Edison, the fields were populated by group totaling approx 700 birds generally distributed in above groups.

On return trip from Anacortes observed ad. bald eagle perching N end Cypress Island.

Glaucous-winged gulls every 4' on P. winter Island.

March 12, 1993

Sunrise 6:45:12 (see on diagram March 11, 1993 for location). All sunrises marked from Bee House.

To Anacortes by ferry; birds enroute: 1 glaucous-winged gull, 1 double-crested cormorant (only birds observed). Slight wind and currents all the way.