

Observed the W.T. Swifts to be flying around in the immediate vicinity of the rock slides and about 3 or 4 feet from surface. The rocks supplying the slide were continually falling at a rate of about 1 every 30 seconds. From last pika nest ascended directly to trail above which crosses the slide area and arrived at 11:18 A.M. Snow in trail. Conifers here are small and dwarfed with silveran juniper providing a matted surface. a few willow and aspen mixed in with conifers. Arrived at terrace where trail leaves rock slide at 11:21 at this point found two sets of marmot tracks in snow and traveling up the cliffs together. mice trails all along trail in snow but mainly near the conifer stands. Plan on recording the occurrence of mice trails (Probably *Peromyscus*) in the trail and proceed along the way and indicated the distance they followed in the snow covered trail.

- 11:26 mice tracks in trail for 20' then turned off to one side
- 11:27 " " " " " 10' " " " " " "
- 11:28 " " " " " 5' " " " " " "
- 11:28:15" " " " " " 2" " " " " " "
- 11:29 " " " " " 20" " " " " " "

Arrived at edge of interesting rock slide at 11:29 Several mice tracks. Several marmot tracks among this slide. A Cassin Finch was observed to investigate a *Eut. umbrinus* in thick gooseberry growth on edge of the trail. After its curiosity was satisfied it flew into top of conifer tree.

11:35 Pine tree switchback. Observed several marmot, pika, and mice tracks in last part of rock slide. Four marmots active when approached, 2 pika present. Counted 3 nests of the pika.

11:36. mice tracks in trail for 20' a *Eut. umbrinus* fed in dense growth at edge of trail. Was among the branches.

11:40 Top of rock slide. many marmot tracks as well as mice tracks. From this point to next time reading recorded: mouse trail for 30', mouse trail across trail, mouse trail 20', Pika calling below in both moods, mouse trail across trail, *Eut. m. conso*,

11:42 Beyond slide and on terrace. Flicker calling. Observed 5 mouse trails in 2 minutes as I walked along trail.

11:46 Several sets of mice trails. Coyote tracks, R. mt. Hairy calling, not many mice tracks in trail on open exposures, mainly in association with conifers. a red-tail lit up top of dead conifer above.

11:52. *Eut. m. conso* objected to the presence of the red-tail. chickadees calling. Have observed several sets of mice trails as I proceed along. One traveled in trail for 80' before leaving. Junco. *Eut. m. conso* (2) and *Tamias* calling.

11:55 Switchback nearest gulch. Bobcat tracks in trail. *Eut. umbrinus* active (1) Observed in one *A. lasiocarpus*