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Preparation of mammals taken last night in tent.

(1-9-16-39) *Peromyscus* 152-73-20. ♂ 16 gro. testis 2.8 m.m. pelage a dark brown.

(2-9-16-39) *Peromyscus* 170-84-20.2 - ♂ 16 gro. testis 3 m.m. pelage a dark brown.

After routine work left the station 4 at Timpooneke Basin for Provo. Permanently left station 4 but plan on returning next week and establishing a camp and station in the basal cirque of the American Fork Cirque. The entire week has been a most unfavorable one as far as trapping was concerned but happy to have experienced and observed the life during a period of adverse and stormy nature.

9-16-39. Drove to Salt Lake City and on way back stopped at Lehi. John Hutchings gave me a *Ochotona* collected in north fork of American Fork near Granite flat. This animal (3-9-16-39) measured 198-21-33. and weighed 160 gro.

testis 4.5 m.m. He also gave me a Western Tanager taken in same area. It (4-9-16-39) measured 190 l, 95 w, 71 t, 21 tar, 15 toe, 16 bill, ♀. Probably immature.

9-16-39 Dad brought home a Muskrat (5-9-16-39) from the Farmington Bay Project in Davis Co., Utah. This animal had died of *botulism* poisoning. It measured 490-244-77 ♂ 400 gro.

9-19-39. Station 5. Basal American Fork Cirque. Returned today to the Timpooneke Basin country to continue with summer work. This trip I established station no 5 in the Basal American Fork Cirque for a week and operated out from that point. Arrived at Forest Service cabin in Timpooneke Basin at 4:50 P.M. Left base of trail at 4:54 P.M. for cirque. Bob assisted in carrying a full load of traps and stakes as well as mammal food, while I had on pack my camping outfit of tent, sleeping bag, food and skinning preparation material. Everything used on this trip was carried up on these two pack which were loaded to capacity. Being rather late did not tarry along the way. Arrived at Badger flat at 4:11. At Limestone gulch at 4:21. Just below limestone gulch found a rabbit in trail that had been quite generally torn to pieces. Arrived at Bink of Cirque at 5:00 P.M. and soon had camp in order. Bob left shortly after arrival because he had the return trip and trip down American fork to Provo. This evening I established research area no. A-9-19-39. on the willow flat below