

Such probable association as these may appear to look
 ok but then again one never can be too safe about deducting
 to for. ^{Evidence of deep digging at gopher holes.} A flock of about 50 pine siskin flew about the flat.
 From the point where ♂ deer was grazing followed up main
 trail to divide of Dry & Battle Creek. arriving here at 11:00 A.M.
 This divide is another type of divide that makes me wonder
 as to its probable formation. It looks as if it were formed
 by winds that continually blew before vegetation had the
 opportunity of checking the soils movement. This one and
 many others appear to be almost artificial. From the divide
 walk out .n.w on horizontal trail to where I could see the
 conifer forest on north side of Baldy. From here could see
 the lay of the land but did not see any deer or life except
 an eagle(?) perched on dead tree on top of Big Baldy proper.
 The trails here are powered by deer tracks which are found
 imprinted over the entire surface of the trail. An interesting
 thing observed so far is the fact that the main deer
 trails that show recent use are trails that cross the main
 trail at right angles. That is the trailing is more or less
 horizontal and not vertical like our own trail we were
 following. There seems to be a very consistent trailing
 from the upper limits of the bushy east slope of Big
 Baldy to the ^{canyon head and} flats and steeper slopes of the main exposure
 of Timpanogas. As we would work up main trail
 in canyon would find a trail crossing our trail. In
 some cases the trail was an already established one,
 while in other cases it appeared as if only one herd had
 passed other new territory where trails did not exist except
 as they were made in traveling on the hillside for the first
 time. Would be interesting to know why they trail
 from one area to another in a more or level horizontal
 plane. Could weather influence their choice of areas or
 is it an evening-morning adjustment. If I had observed
 more closely the direction of print of hoof could have
 maybe lent a ray of light on the problem. As I recall the
 tracks led in both direction without any direction choice.
 Returned to divide and then went south along ridge to
 top of big Baldy. Here again except near top the deer tracks
 were lacking in any numbers on ridge trail proper but just
 below to the last the horizontal trails were found. There