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*Cyanocitta stelleri stelleri**Citellus grammurus**Passerina amoena*

Usual Common grasshoppers

*Vireo solitarius Cassini**Pipilo maculatus oregonus**Turdus migratorius propinquus**Chaetura vaupei*

As to just the cause of this aggregation could not be determined but am wondering if they could not have been drawn to the area by the likely presence of an owl, the pellets and feathers found at this point. Picture no. 3-6-14-41 taken up river toward the Dalles with undisturbed penuplain lying to the south and abutting against the east exposure of the cascades. Oak and ponderosa pine represented.

As one leaves the oak groves and ascends the open sky meadows he finds a dearth of bird or animal life. The meadowland is about the best represented form. The first *Otocoris alpestris* was observed just east of Durde on first exposed ridge & frequently observed hence after. Oak groves below on flat sections of ridge pure. As we gained the top of ridge found the country as represented in picture 2-6-14-42. Conifers on east slope and flower field on ridge proper. Flower replaced by dry grasses on south slopes but at this season grasses green. First island in river an Indian burial island. Active gophers along entire route, *Peromyscus merrilli* runs in this particular field of flowers. *Geomys* present at this level and collected one      near here. The two pictures, no 1-6-14-42 and 2-6-14-42 give one an idea of the vegetation of the two exposures of the ridge. Former south side later north exposure. Continued up ridge to highest point, hence S. east to main highway far below and to the south. Located Cooper hawk nest in isolated tree group near bottom of gully. Cottontail rabbit allowed us to pet and turn over on one side before it decided to escape. no jacks present. Horned larks common. Pictures 4-6-14-42 of Nellie Vaughan as we left Lyle; no 5-6-14-42 as of no 1-6-14-42 and 6-6-14-42 of sky and Nellie at Interstate bridge at Hood and White Salmon.

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Recorded mastoid surgery at Barnes General Hospital. Major Wilbur M. Patton assisted by Miss S. E. Galbraith, our chief and nurse of the E. E. N. T. Clinic. Pictures no. 1- to 9-6-16-42