upwarded nearer the pelated woodpecker. Its manner of approach would indicate that it was in pursuit of the bird but as it near the top it stopped, and becoming adjusted to the flat surface of a deformed growth of the tree, commenced to clean its fur and face with apparent ignorance of the calling bird. Finally left the bird & raccoon still in their favorable interrelationship. Pictures 2-3-7-8-4-16-44 from sky meadow looking down and up the gorge with characteristic cloud formations in the canyon. The long linear S.E. formation of clouds along the south crest of the canyon wall was so characteristic for the day. Water near upper limits of mt. Beautiful water falls enroute. Observed the following on mt. chipping Sp, red tail hawk, rufus hummer, crested jay, knight, turkey vulture, Juncos, varied thrush, swallows. Started from base of powerline at noon and spent the day leisurely making my way up slopes. Left sky meadow at 600 P.M. - fork of trails (canyon & ridge) 6:15, Bridge at falls 6:22 P.M, power line 6:38 P.M.

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D.S. to Worcester Massachusetts. Itinerary including Great northern to Chicago, hence to Buffalo, Albany, Springfield, Worcester, hence south from Springfield to N. York City, hence south to Washington D.C. and Alexander, hence to Harrisburg, Johnstown, Pittsburg, newark, Columbus, Dayton, Indianapolis, St Louis, Kansas City, Topeka, Denver, Provo, Pocatello etc to Vancouver.

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awakened 5:30 A.M. Sun up at 6:00 A.M. Arrived Spokane 7:10 A.M at 5:30 A.M were passing thru what I would presume to be a section of the scabland. At this time of the year the area is a refreshing green as compared to the dry hot and scorched picture of mid-summer. Most characteristic feature is the brown bunch grasses occupying the small knolls The intervening area between the knolls are green and lawn-like appearing with short ground hugging grasses. Apparently the grasses of the knolls are not utilized for grazing purposes. Ponderosa pine and aspen in evidence as we neared Spokane. Columnar fracture system in volcanic layers. Several depressions supported lakes with few ducks. Former Creek and river bed channels supporting lawn like grasses without any evidence of creek beds proper. From Spokane to Glacier National Park found a gradual change of topography beginning with low