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pond has been overflowing for several days; redbellied woodpecker, 2 turkey vultures. 1:25 big tree at pond (SE). 1:30 pewee; crested flycatcher, downy, 1:33 cottontail, chickadee, downy ♂. 1:36 pewee, gnatcatcher. 1:35 red-eyed vireo (call a modified catbird with an occasionally a pewee note call inserted in its call; pewee, left 1:45 redtail calling. 1:47 chickadee 1:50 fence line. 1:56 redbellied woodpecker. 1:53 main trail. oak left of trail 84" in circumference as trail to S goes up incline, or approx. 150' up canyon from flatter alluvial part of mouth of canyon. 1:55 great crested flycatcher, 2 chickadees, pewee. 1:57 large elm on left side. This tree about in middle of alluvium & great crested flycatcher near this tree on alluvium; redbellied woodpecker, opossum tracks in trail; 4 cardinals, white-breasted nuthatch, Kentucky warblers, 2 titmice. All birds listed at 1:57 in same general area. 2:03<sup>2</sup> fat squirrel calling about 100 feet from where birds were concerned and both squirrel wary; Swanson thrush, chickadee. 2:08 3 Kentucky warblers. Their call is sharp and sound like the vigorous kissing of the back of one's hand. Call given about every second. or more. One bird moved between two other birds. A ♀ on one hand and a ♂ on the other. Courtship with ♀ and defense with other male as it approach ♀. This bird is confiding and easy to observe. Area understory at base of slope. The female flutters wings, slightly raised and at a high speed. Left this area at 2:23. Two bobwhites left forested area about 50' from warblers. These warblers have been noted in some place on previous trips in last week. 2:24 Swanson thrush. 2:25 2 bluebirds, downy woodpecker, 2 redheaded woodpeckers, probably nesting in trees bordering field. 2:30 trail to field but will continue E on main trail. 2:33 Swanson thrush, white breasted nuthatch. titmouse. 2:46<sup>3</sup> cardinal. 2:47<sup>3</sup> scarlet tanager ♀, redbellied woodpecker. At turn to right with steep grade, then levels off. 2:41 squirrel in brush; crows calling to N. 2:43 top of ridge, trail right to Toneson, followed trail down canyon. Trail convergence & now to left. 2:44 bluejay. 2:46 fence line & flat spot. 2:48<sup>3</sup> redbellied, Bell's vireo. 2:50 gate at SW corner field. Opossum in trail. 2 cottontail rabbits, 2 crested flycatchers, Indigo bunting. Cardinal, house wren, Turkey vulture, 2:53 Indigo bunting. 2:55 crossing creek in center of field. Cardinal, Indigo bunting.