area was noticed first on our arrival in the morning. On way down new trail in Grane Canyon noticed that that there had been considerable activity on south side of canyon since we passed here earlier in the morning. The new trails seemed to pass from forested area around edges horizontally to the west exposure of the front range. While waiting on Grason dam at mouth of Canyon picked out 12 deer on mt slope. so is possible that the deer could have possible worked out from canyon to side of front range. These deer were on ski line in Mahogany & cliff. rose directly above the letter 'G' on the side hill. They appeared to be milling & feeding near the ridge. It was about 4:00 in afternoon when observed. After a short while walked down road for about a mile and where we waited until car ~~waited~~ arrived. Keep appointment and on time Mrs Gesford arrived at 5:30 with Pat, Jimmie and new baby. Home at late twighlight and supper. Next day !! no ill effects.

This area, in conclusion, is about the best ~~bet~~ for skiing in the County & surrounding country. It is not very far from Provo and is not necessary to drive ~~travel~~ 2 or 3 hours to gain destination. The trail is generally clear at lower levels and once on upper valley flats are right in the best of skiing territory. Also one can always see just the condition that exist from the valley flat and therefore take no chances in arriving at some destination to find conditions differing from preconceived ideas of what is to be expected. The Grane Creek trail also offers an inspiring view of valley, and cascades, falls etc, below. This is one of the trip that I returned home about as dry as when started. The stuffed prunes of peanut butter, sugar, milk, vanila, and cocoanut proved to work very satisfactory as an emergency food. All told, I think the most interesting thing experienced on the trip was the descent from the same mt side and same exposure of a land of snow and winds to a lower elevation of typical spring weather.

2/12/38. Father procured muskrat for museum mount. Found in Canal adjacent to Farmington Bay. Wild Life Project at 18 mi. north of Salt Lake City. Collected by K. G. Dee.
C.No. 566 - Muskrat. Placed in University Collection

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