

These hot springs have been active down river from main group by about 40 miles. 789 second magpie so far on trip. 789 Washakie Co., line. striped skunk rd. kill. 806 Big Horn River at Worland at 630 P.M. 99°F. 822 3rd magpie 833 Tensleep. Several good photographs, exposure between Tensleep and Worland. 705 left Tensleep at 833. 836.9 leaving main highway. 842 15 magpies in 2 miles. 842.7 end pavement. (Canyon Creek Ranch to right). 846 cottontail. 847 ♀ mule deer (when thunder directly above deer did not move). 848 cottontail. 849 2 rd. kill cottontail 850 2 deer (mule). 854 Staff Camp at Girl Scout National Center West. Has been raining lightly on way up. This is a fabulous place with deep canyon on 3 sides and high country to N & E and distant basin view to W.

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Min temp last night 59°, max (at 9:00 P.M.) 76°F. This morning observed the following ^(6000 ft) from trail just east of Staff Camp area. 4 red-shafted flickers, redtail on ridge near water tank, Brewer sparrow, Brewer's blackbird (these birds moving up slope from S. green-tailed towhee, Eutamias minimus, meadowlark, chipping sparrow, vesper sparrow, sparrow hawk, marsh hawk.

On trip (9:00-12:00) with group of 18 scouts led by Polly observed R. mt. bee flower, Eutamias minimus, rock wren, cottontail, Tamaresciurus, Clarke's Crow, Photo 740716-7 of group of Polly's scouts (from Texas, Michigan, Pennsylv. Photo 740716-8 and 740716-9 of canyon with frame of ponderosa pine. 740716-10 and 740716-11 of Chatfield Cabin & Polly. Built about 1890. mt. chickadee, white throated swift, badger digging. mt. bluebird, mule deer avprent 68 mm. m. dove. The giant inland rye grows at edge of cones as result of increased fertilization there.

At trailer observed 8 white-throated swift hunting over sage brush flat east of Staff Camp.

Set 100 traps in Chokecherry draw area. 50 in vegetation of Melposum in Chokecherry Draw at base of canyon wall (see map and 25 in ponderosa forest on Melposum on S side of Wilkes Spring Canyon and 25 on W side (upper ledge) of Cooks Spring Canyon above Cooks Spring. (see map). House wren 4, Cassin's purple finch 12 (feeding on inflorescence of cliff rose), Townsend solitaire, Traill's flycatcher, gray headed junco (2), Mac Gellivray warbler 1, pine siskin 8, robin 1. Deer track 62 mm. 4.2 miles from Chokecherry draw to Camp. violet green swallow 3.