

mouth Roberts Creek, NW Gibson, British Columbia, Canada

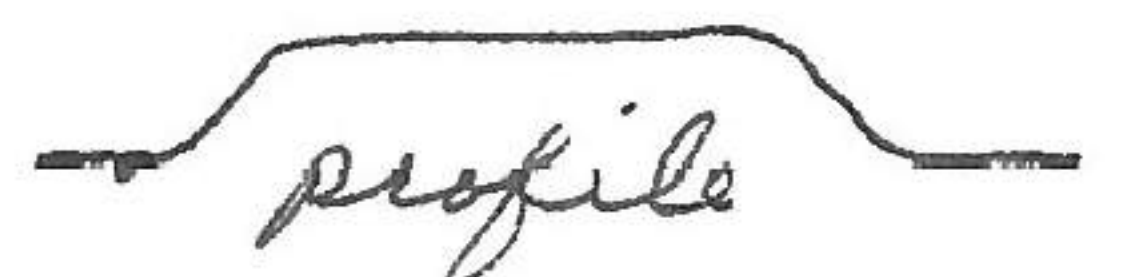
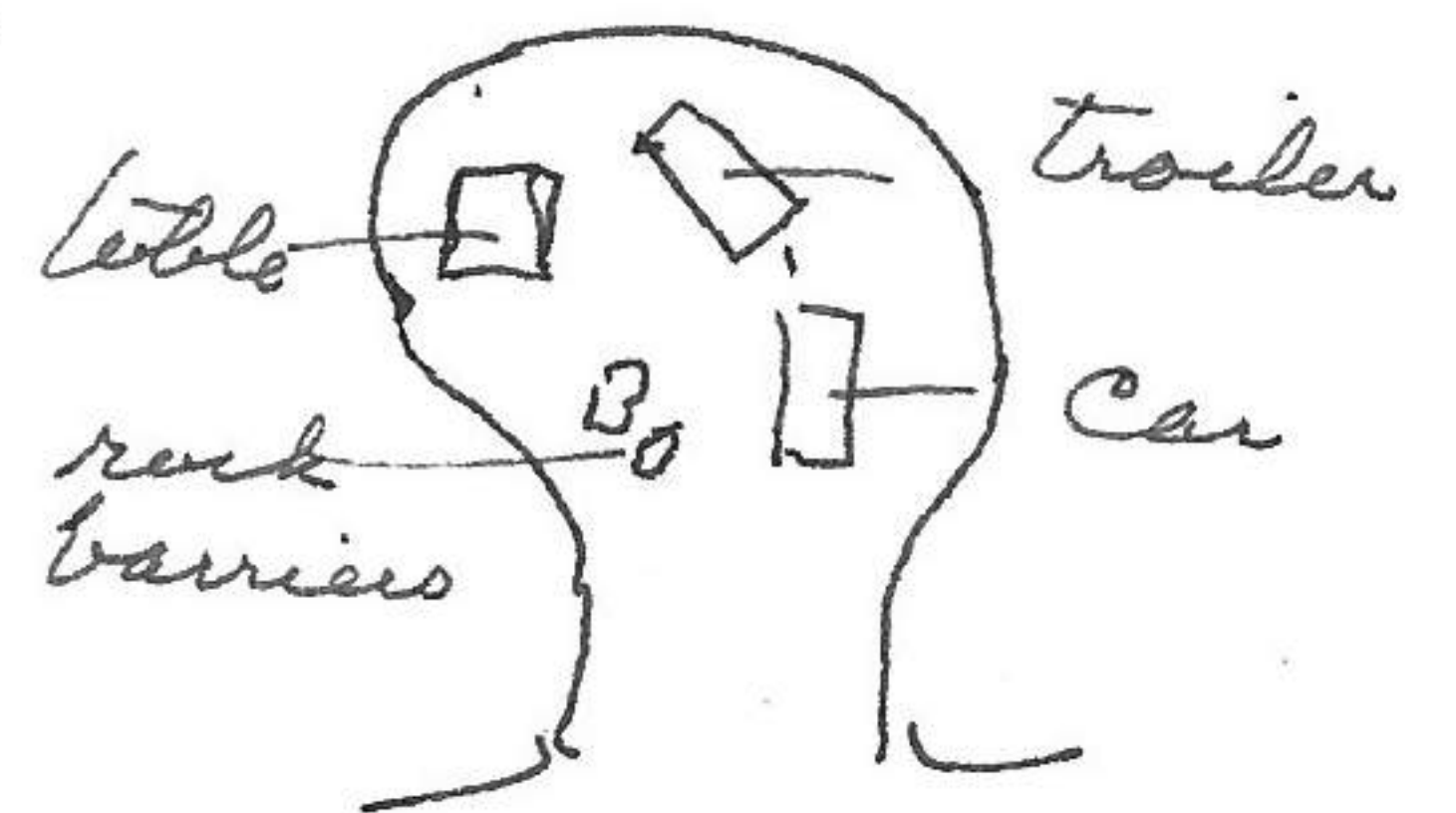
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From near climax coniferous forest with broken & sword fern undergrowth and among fallen moss covered trees collected:

	740801-1	<i>Peromyscus maniculatus</i>	159-73-21-17-13gms	♂	testis 3mm
	740801-2	<i>Peromyscus</i>	205-105-21-18-23gms	♂	testis 10mm
	740801-3	"	191-96-20-18-24gms	♂	testis 10mm
SK. on	740801-4	"	171-71-21-18-20gms	♂	testis 10mm
	740801-5	"	194-95-21-19-23gms	♂	testis 10mm
	740801-6	"	206-101-22-18-26gms	♀	2x3 emb 5mm
	740801-7	"	180-90-21-17-20gms	♂	testis 10mm
SK. on	740801-8	"	181-88-21-17-17gms	♂	testis 8mm
"	740801-9	"	179-87-21-17-23gms	♀	2x3 emb, 14mm
"	740801-10	"	170-85-21-17-15gms	♂	testis 4mm
"	740801-11	"	161-78-21-17-14gms	♂	testis 4mm
"	740801-12	"	168-82-22-17-16gms	♂	testis 5mm
"	740801-13	"	165-81-21-17-14gms	♂	testis 5mm
"	740801-14	"	158-74-21-16-13gms	♀	ut. normal
	740801-15	<i>Clethrionomys gapperi</i>	122-32-18-13-20gms	♂	testis 10mm

Left Roberts Creek at 12:15 at mileage 87855. Photo 740801-16 of Annette at camp. These Provincial Parks are well organized and these that are developed in conifer forests can be so protected as to be in faint light even in the daytime. The campsites are well separated and are easy to back a trailer.

The surface is flat and ordinarily elevated from surrounding terrain so that the surface of site is used instead of the surrounding area. If these camp roads could be paved to eliminate dust, a major objection would be overcome.



Drove to Porpoise Bay and then after locating a campsite made reconnaissance trip north to as far as Garden City. Photo 740801-16 of Annette at marina. Observed that the homes are adequate but never pretentious. Life is less hectic than in larger cities. The roads are just beginning to be realistically developed to handle modern traffic. The route so far from Vancouver can be easily navigated by car and any size trailer. There are not the steep narrow roads I had anticipated for this Coastline. Returned to Porpoise Bay, arriving at 7:05 P.M. at mileage 87943.

Set 50 traps at contact between open field bordering sound and forests (see diagram of Aug 2 for details). This area is approx 2/10 mi E of the beach of the Provincial Park and approx. 100' E of the point where stream leaves forest.

