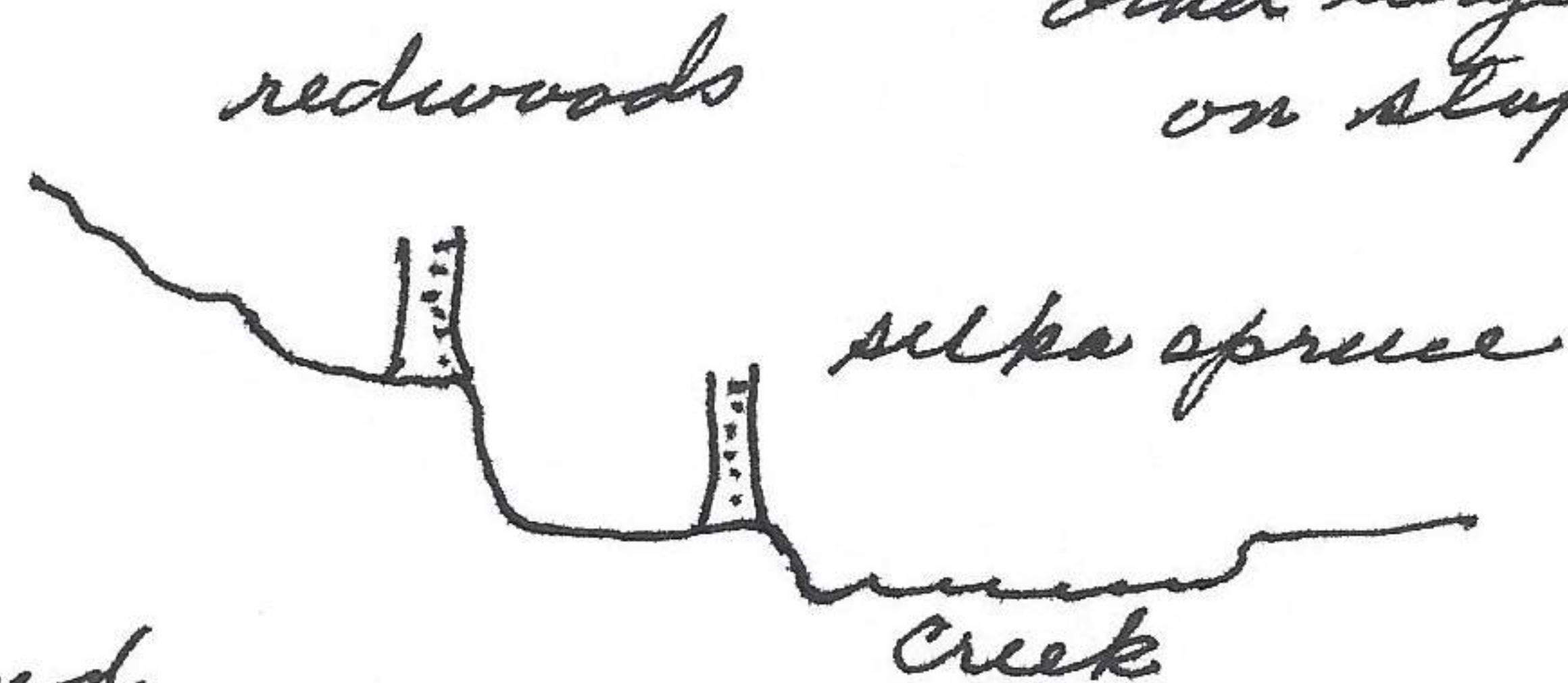


measured a redwood at base (ground level) at 107 feet. Tree with multiple trunks but one base. In grove of other large redwoods on slope.



Profile shows redwoods to edge of old erosional level and those on edge are vulnerable to falling. Erosion level of present creek are lined with sitska spruce and 8 of the large trees have eroded away from their bases and have fallen into the creek. No birds observed along this trail.

Left Prairie Creek State Park (campgrounds) at 946.8 at 10:48 mileage. 8 goldfinch at camp as we left. 953.3 trailer parking for Lady Bird Johnson Redwood Grove at 11:44 A.M. 955.1 3rd butterfly since on vacation from Lawrence. 956.1 Parking lot at Lady Bird Grove. 956.1 at 1:20 P.M. now starting on trail. Heard occasional Kinglet and only bird seen or heard in forest. At the N end at the dedication site photo 820509-1 of large redwood tree with Annette at base. Returned to parking lot. 2 Steller jays at lot as well as 3 robins. Left Lady Bird area and drove up main road for a mile or two and then returned to trailer parking area, picked up trailer and at 963.1 on Davidson Road to Fern Canyon. and at 963.1 along beach of ocean. *Citellus beecheyi* now across road. (Davidson Rd is a dirt road and single track). 969.3 ravens. 970.8 temporary parking lot at 3:26. Recent flooding of Fern Canyon destroyed picnic area at mouth of canyon. A group of 25-35 elk are now N of canyon but 5 sets tracks as far as 3/10 mi. S of canyon. ^{some of} These tracks measured 120 and 180 mm. Hiked up canyon for 3/10 mile which is a narrow 30' floor and perpendicular walls up for 100-150 or so feet. Ferns covering all slopes from creek bed to top of canyon and some are still brown from winter season. One should not go up canyon if heavy rain is expected. Creek must be crossed continually. No birds. Red-shafted flicker at mouth of canyon. Returned to car. 971.6 3 raven. These birds are at picnic grounds. Barn swallows common. Quillo not too common and confined to beach. Robins present.