

Valley. 660.9 Crossing Reese River, just barely flowing
 valley greenish yellow and sand bluish and piñon forests
 black. Austin 668.4. Slopes to divide burned and elpor-
 ing ant hills at about 1 every 20 feet. These are impressive
 and indicate importance of ants in the ecology. ^{Austin} Summit 7484 ft
 671.8, 2 roven. Soils beneath piñon forests bare, especially
 around peaks and may be controlled by wind. 672.7
 Steller jay. 674.2 magpie. 674.6 redtail captured microtine
 on road shoulder. we are now in juniper piñon forests,
 Scott Summit 7267 at 675.6. 678.3 Steller jay. 860.0 horned
 lark. 654.6 693.0 696.2 2 hovens chasing
 each other for at least a quarter of a mile. 701.3 horned
 lark. 709.5 end valley looks like ocean with whitecaps
 as result of overcast conditions. 714.8 4 Brewers blackbirds
 within 100' separation, another 1/10 mile beyond. alkali
 in shallow drainage canals. 716.6 Brewer blackbird.
 721.0 first butterfly in Nevada. 721.7 Brewer blackbird.
 724.3 small sparrowlike bird. 726.3 ♂ ♀ Brewer blackbird.
 727.3 5 Brewer blackbirds associated with cattle. 727.8
 3 Brewers associated with cattle. 728.1 2 roven. 730.4
 canyon with ideal nesting cliffs for eagles, roven, prairie
 falcon. 732.5 roven. 738.4 Eureka. 5 Brewer blackbirds
 thru city 740.3 Eutamias and a ground squirrel probably
 Citellus townsendi. Pinto Summit 7376 ft. 743.5 miles. 744.3
 sparrow hawk. 745.7 Cottonwood not yet in leaves. Remarkably
 few road kills. 754.7 golden eagle on top of telephone crossbars
 and feeding on prey, ^{it} circled twice then left area. This is
 in middle of valley of sagebrush, greasewood and usual desert
 vegetation. first valley that had wherlwind. 1/3 of tail (base)
 white and slightly mottled underneath. Low grade valley to N
 with high mt. ranges on both sides and one on W snow covered.
 upper 1/3. 761.2 divide. Bare places across valley like old
 roads are coming back in greenish shrubs 2 inches high and
 closely spaced. 772.2 golden eagle circling high. to N. now we
 are going up canyon with good nesting cliffs. Deciduous trees and
 shrubs are late in growing leaves. may be normal for this time
 of year. Looks almost like early spring. 743.3 ft at Antelope Summit
 774.3. 774.6 sage thrasher. 779.2 Brewer blackbird. 784.3
 6 Brewer blackbirds associated with farm area. 787.0 Cotton-
 tail road kill. Rabbit road kills rare. 789.1 horned lark.
 and jackrabbit road kill. 791.1 jack rabbit road kill.