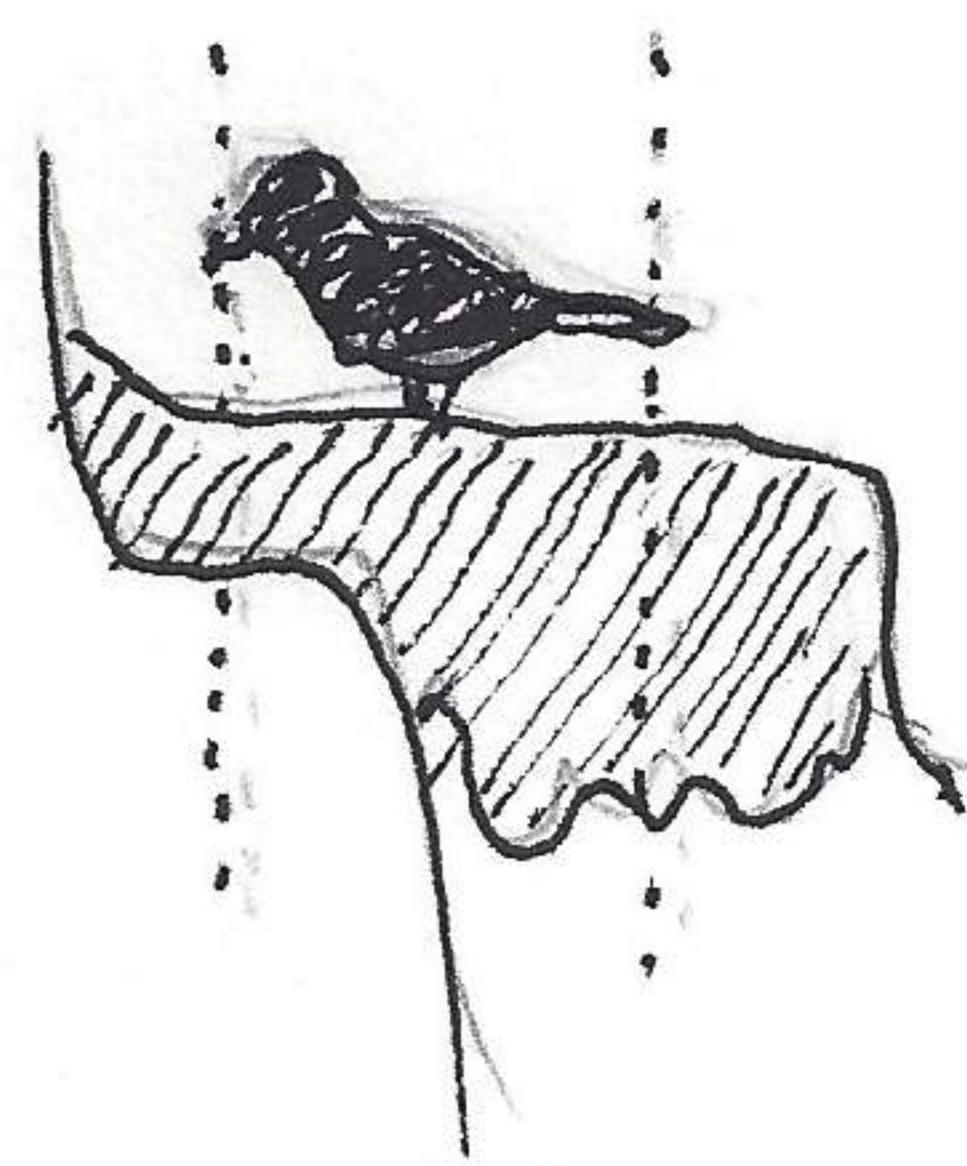


are coming out in full blossom. male eagle on nest is over $\frac{1}{2}$ times the width of the nest. 8:38 ♀ arrived and stood on front of nest for 2 minutes then walked to back of nest. Left to N at low glide from nest  N. None not seen



young eagles in nest so far. 8:50 first up canyon breeze. 8:54 ♀ circled 200' higher than nest in first canyon to E.

she circled among conifers, then circled 200' higher up slope then returned to same position among conifer as when first observed. 8:59 ♀ arrived, fed young, picked up stick

in center of nest and placed it on outer edge of nest. She left at 9:00 A.M. 9:01 redtail in Douglas fir tree on

conifer Evergreen Mt. near top. male eagle has dark band on tail (distal end). 9:05 ♀ arrived with prey, worked on it

far until 9:13 then left to W. 9:18 heard Steller jay near Chalet for first time this A.M. Only 5 swallows at eagle

nest, more heat waves in slope (Celestron 90). 9:27 ♀ arrived with *Citellus armatus* at same height as nest but aborted her landing and after circling once more made proper

landing approach in an upswing. Presented the prey to young then rested on outer edge of nest and faced toward cup area. nest extends left ^{behind and} beyond edge of cliff. The ♀ remain-

ed in the half upright position until 9:44, then in same position preened neck, wing and tail. young just barely visible in cup area of nest. 9:48

worked on *Citellus armatus* from E side of nest facing toward cup and fed young every 5 seconds until 10:02 then rested until 10:10 and then settled ^{on} nest top, faced S with head out of sight. It adjusted its position

with back raised twice, then finally settled down and was completely out of view

This afternoon made walking trip on ski slopes above sundance. Left 4:30 P.M. from Little Chalet. Entered ski slope from road directly E Little Chalet. An straight run w chain left where 12 were observed on a previous day, there were none today. Only difference is high wind today. From here can see considerable dirt on snow of Stewarts Cirque. Examined fresh digging of

