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## **Journal kept by Bailey on field trip to Wyoming and New Mexico, March 15-June 1906**

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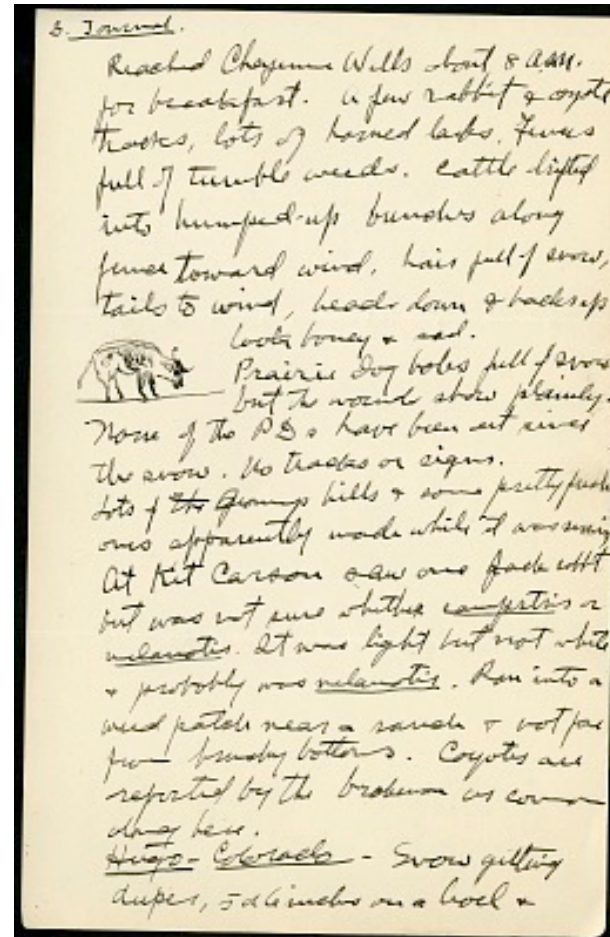
Reached Cheyenne Wells about 8 A.M. for breakfast. A few rabbit & coyote tracks, lots of horned larks. Fences full of tumble weeds. Cattle drifted into humped-up bunches along fence toward wind, hair full of snow, tails to wind, heads down & backs up looks lonely and sad.

Prairie dog holes full of snow but the mounds show plainly. None of the PDs have been out since the snow. No tracks or signs.

Lots of ~~the~~ ~~the~~ kills & some pretty fresh ones apparently made while it was snowing.

At Kit Carson saw one jack rabbit but was not sure whether campestris or melanotis. It was light but not white & probably was melanotis. Ran into a weed patch near a ranch & not far from brushy bottoms. Coyotes are reported by the brakeman as common along here.

Hugo - Colorado - snow getting deeper, 5 or 6 inches on a ~~level~~ &



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