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After we left Ely NV, we wound our way to Utah on Hwy 50. For the most part, the road is all above 5,000 ft high. We spent the night in Salina UT and in the morning, proceeded to Capitol Reef National Park. The Park has the one highway 24 winding through it and also has one dead end 10 mile scenic road into the canyon area. The views are spectacular. It is a cross between Grand Canyon looking from the bottom and Bryce and Zion, looking from the top!

The road we traveled today wound through the mountains with passes at elevations as high as 8,200 feet. We were above the tree line all the way.

Tomorrow, we should reach the campsite on the Dolores River. The other campers that we are to meet will be arriving for the next few days.

The picture is a view in Capitol Reef Park.

