

circa 1900

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West end of Hoback Canyon near Stinking Springs, looking upstream. Wildfire in late 1800's burned on both sides of the river. Remaining snags in early scene indicate previous mature forest. Cliffs are Madison limestone. Conifers on left are mostly Douglas fir and limber pine, mixed with narrowleaf cottonwood and river birch. Blue spruce are common along the river, and conifers in distance are mostly subalpine fir, spruce, Douglas fir, and lodgepole pine.