

Little Long Lake, 1500 ft., St. Louis Co., Minnesota

Sept 26, 1955

Departed 11:30 A.M. for Lawrence, Kansas. Good birch between Ely and Lake Superior. Maple color good in area just beyond Ely (Echo Trail on highway no 1). First night at Sandstone, arriving 6:00 P.M. Travelled routes 1-61-23.

Sandstone, Minnesota

Sept. 27, 1955

Departed 8:00 A.M. and followed highway 23 to New London, thence 71.5 to Scout Rapids, Iowa. Willmar, Minn. is the last place that birch trees are in any number. The above route is more scenic than the route we took to go to Ely. Superior Lake has good rocky shoreline and much like the ocean with good beaches.

Sioux Rapids, Iowa

Sept 28, 1955

Departed 8:00 A.M. and followed highway to St. Joseph, Missouri, thence 59 to Lawrence arriving at 6:30 P.M. mileage at Lawrence 20545 or 2373 miles. As the mileage meter is $\frac{1}{5}$ in error (2.5 miles more in 10 miles) the actual mileage was 1899 miles or less.