

First snow ^{on ground} just east of St. Louis and continued east with slight increase. Forests of Illinois and Indiana with more junipers than at Lawrence, Kansas. Indiana, on highway 150 reminded me of the Ozarks of western Arkansas. Noticeably more crows east of St. Louis in contrast to area between Kansas and St. Louis. Arrived New Albany 2:15 P.M. mileage 56758. Arrived Huntington, West Virginia at 10:30 P.M. at mileage 57016. 521 miles today. At approx. 10 miles east of Lexington, Kentucky, saw approx. 5,000 crows. These crows were associated with the large estates (horse ranches) in the Lexington area and represented the largest concentration of crows seen so far. Up to this point only a few crows were noted in any one aggregation. Black painted barns are characteristic of this part of the country. Wooden fences replace the wire fences of the west.

Huntington, West Virginia

Jan. 23, 1965

Left motel at Gateway at 8:00 A.M. at St. Albans, W. Va. got 17 gals gas. mileage 57050. 4:30 P.M. Lexington, Virginia at mileage 57260 (13.4 gals gas). Arrived Culpeper 8:20 P.M. at 57377 or 361 miles today. The road across the Appalachians is slow because of steepness & curves and narrow road. I never realized the canyons were so deep and the rivers so large and clear as in this part of the country, especially in the west part of the mountainous region. It is indeed a beautiful area. Fog and rain all the way. Fog a hazard to travel, especially on passes.

Culpeper, Virginia

Jan 24, 1965

Left 8:20 A.M. Laurel, Maryland at 57490. The coastal country has been cleared but must have been heavily forested in the primitive condition. Continued to Washington D.C. and visited ^{Colonial Capitol St.} Mr. & Mrs. Eric King. Later visited the Lincoln Memorial and drove past the government buildings. Continued north to Philadelphia, arriving in the evening ^{9:00 P.M.}. Stayed at the Adelphia Hotel. mileage 57637 or 260 miles today. Jimmy Malsed already at hotel.

Philadelphia, Penn.

Jan 25, 1965

Breakfast at Horn and Hardart ^{automat.} for breakfast. made several purchases