

at Ciudad Juárez we purchased several small items:

770104-1 glass penguin, 220 mm high of white & blue glass, \$4.00

770104-2 glass bee 270 mm long of varied colored glass, \$4.00

Both of the above were made at a glass factory just 1 block east of the main street at about the 3rd block down. This glass factory should be visited when in Ciudad Juárez.

770104-3 a lamp of blue glass, 500 mm wide, \$30.00.

We also purchased a wool blanket and a wool poncho. ~~Two~~ ^{Five} opals ~~one~~ = \$180.00. There were no cut fire opals: \$30.00

Returned to El Paso and continued E on highway 62 at 2:10 P.M. Succession up slopes are

a foot high shrub, then 2 foot high scrub, then yucca, then creosote bush. These creosote bushes go up flat canyons into the mountains. At 245.9 active sand dunes to S of road.

Above creosote on slopes in a small, sparsely arranged shrub, mts mainly bare. 53.4 marsh hawk in a most unlikely spot.

60.2 5 horned larks. 67.6 a dark colored cholla concentrated in swales. 72.0 horned lark. 81.3 meadowlark. 93.4

150 horned larks. 95.8 40 horned larks. 96.5 20 meadowlarks but no cultivation in area. 96.6 120 horned

larks. most country in low shrubs (creosote?), yucca growing in isolated spots and surrounded by bare soils which the creosote had not invaded but otherwise surrounded the yucca.

391.5 marsh hawk. 315.4 first alkaline lake, ^{no veg but white & dry} 16.9 redtail.

26.5 mourning dove. 30.3 ^{mountains} bucks and 2 doe mule deer. 335.2

Information at Guadalupe National Park. 45.3 marsh hawk.

2 deer along fence line, black pelage that matches the vegetation.

45.3 marsh hawk. 46.2 ♂ & ♀ mule deer. 367.4 whites city at

Carlsbad Caverns. Unhooked trailer and drove to Caverns but

closed so returned. Enroute back to Whites City ^{at twilight} did not see deer

or any other kind of mammal or bird but about a dozen white

moths. Mileage at Whites City on return 64383.0.

Carlsbad Caverns, Eddy Co., New Mexico

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min. temp 32°F. Left Whites City and drove to Carlsbad Caverns via Walnut Canyon some 7 miles distance. At the Visitor Center we took an elevator down some 750' and then hiked the 1 1/4 mi trip around the circumference of the Big Room which include the Dome Room, Bellinghous Room, Hall of Giants, Giant Dome, Fairyland, Temple of the Sun, Breast of Venus, Lower Cave View, Totem Pole, Mirror Lake, Bottomless Pit, Gypsum Bed, Crystal Spring Dome