

24.9 shrike. 24.8 redtail, sp. hawk, shrike. 25.8 sp. hawk, marsh hawk
 26.5 sp. hawk. There have been a few groups of starling. 27.4
 redtail. 28.0 Harris hawk, shrike. 29.0 meadowlark. 29.6 sp. hawk.
 30.1 shrike. 31.7 redtail, shrike. 32.0 59 junction 33.4 redtail.
 42.7 sp. hawk. 43.4 Harris hawk. 44.0 Harris hawk, shrike. 45.9
 golden eagle circling above. 46.7 shrike. 47.4 a sign says 13 miles
 to San Diego. 48.1 redtail. 51.0 Harris hawk (time now 4:55 P.M.
 Central time). 52.3 Harris hawk. 52.4 redtail. more cultivation
 along area. 56.2 sp. hawk. 56.6 sp. hawk, meadowlark. 57.6
 shrike. 59.6 San Diego Creek. 64.9 60.0 San Diego, middle of
 Town. 62.6 sp. hawk. 64.0 sp. hawk. 64.7 redtail. 67.1 Harris hawk,
 shrike. 68.5 sp. hawk. 73.3 kingfisher. 73.5 redtail, 8 meadowlarks,
 yellow-shafted? flicker. 74.2 redtail. 74.7 junction 359-44,
 striped skunk road kill. 75.4 redtail, meadowlark, shrike. 76.3
 3 meadowlark. 76.8 redtail, sp. hawk. 77.4 sp. hawk 77.7 redtail
 77.8 striped skunk road kill, redtail. 80.0 14 meadowlarks.
 80.6 redtail, 8 meadowlarks, meadowlarks. 82.4 redtail, meadowlark,
 8 meadowlarks, meadowlark, meadowlark, road kill meadowlark.
 83.7 2 meadowlarks, 2 mourning doves. 84.2 12 meadowlarks, 1
 mourning dove, 5 meadowlarks, 5 mourning doves. 84.7 redtail,
 2 mourning doves. 85.0 mourning dove, mourning dove 85.6 redtail,
 mourning dove. 86.0 mourning dove, meadowlark. 86.2 redtail,
 meadowlark. 86.9 mourning dove, shrike. 88.3 great blue heron,
 89.0 sp. hawk. 89.9 3 meadowlarks, 89.9 sp. hawk, 8 mourning
 doves. 91.0 4 mourning doves, mourning dove. 92.3 meadowlark.
 93.0 sun now on horizon. at 5:50 P.M. A small sparrow occasionally
 flies across the road. (1 per mile)
 94.6 2 mourning doves, mourning dove.
 95.9 Robstown City limits, continuing on 44 highway and end of
 census because of darkness. 97.5 highway 77 at 5:55 P.M. Continued
 toward Corpus Christi and drove over 358 highway (Padre Island Drive)
 to Padre Island and thence to right to first ^{Nueces County} State Park on the
 beach.

Nueces County Park, Nueces Co., Texas (on Padre Island)

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This morning observed only 4 kinds of birds in area: black-headed gull,
 sanderling, willet and least tern? Fisherman says jet stream is this
 year and storms cannot pass it and as a result they have not seen
 the sun in 2 months and it has been raining and cold the whole time.
 whereas in ordinary winters there are hundreds of fishermen here
 and usually dressed in short sleeves & shorts, this winter there
 are practically no one fishing and those that are wear down coats &
 hoods.