

898.7 redtail, redtail. This area flat and savannas among deciduous trees, some live oak trees around homes. 900.5 Caspiana. Soil reddish and plowed for cotton. 902.1 turkey vulture. Clouds similar to yesterday but centering over this area, and of lesser extent. 903.2 4 turkey vultures. 2 teal on duck weed bayou like pond. Have seen 3 opossum road kills since Shreveport. 905.2 redtail. 905.5 Red River Parish, 8 vulture (turkey) in tree. 907.2 redtail and turkey vulture. 908.2 redtail. 909.4 redtail. 913.6 first ~~saw~~, skrike and mockingbird the two dominant birds. 915.0 redtail, crow. 916.5 junction 84. 917.4 redtail. grasses in field are short and brown like W Kansas. 921.2 redtail. 924.5 Armissstead. 925.4 two turkey vultures. 928.6 redtail. 930.2 redtail. 931.5 sp. hawk and redtail. 933.5<sup>2</sup> redtail and one hawk that is smaller (brooding hawk?). 933.9 2 turkey vultures, redtail. 934.7 ~~Natchitoches~~ Natchitoches Parish, first meadowlark since Shreveport. Artificial ponds reddish in color. ~~Natchitoches~~ 940.0 sp. hawk. 940.8 turkey vulture. wherever spanish moss occurs it is general profuse. 943.0 redtail. 944.7 4 crows, sp. hawk, 3 turkey vultures. Some ponds are not red. 944.4 Bayou Pierre. and just going into sandy hills covered with pine and some deciduous trees, flock of about 500 grackles, and first one observed since Shreveport. Left Natchitoches at 1:00 P.M. 955.4 turkey vulture. 956.7 redtail. 961.4 2 turkey vultures. 968.4 Old River 969.6 redtail. 975.7 Cane River. 978.3 first egret (American) that is Common egret, flock 150 crows. Clouds increasing 979.6 redtail road kill. 984.8 4 turkey vultures. 992.7 Colfax. 996.2 first palm tree (palmetto), striped road skunk road kill. 997.7 beginning of mounds (1 foot high and 1 1/2' wide) and are gophers. These gophers are localized. 014.3 redtail. 015.6 redtail. Since Alexander on now on highway no. 1 infact all the way since Shreveport. At 2:30, 50°F. 028.2 now in sugar cane country. Some fields bright green; more palmettos now. 045.1 sp. hawk. 050.3 sp. hawk. first killedeer since Lawrence, redtail road kill. 067.5 first armadillo (road kill). 075.6 junction 190 E. 079.4 Atchafalaya River & Pointe Coupee Co line on bridge. This river is larger than the Kansas River, at 4:10 P.M. 081.3 Bogans? spillway, redtail. 091.8 redtail, flock 200 grackles. 100.3 Erwinville. 109.1 redtail. 114.6 redtail. 116.0 Mississippi River. Continuing E on 10 and 12 highway to Denham Springs where we camped, arriving at 82132.7 having travelled 279 miles today arrived 5:30 P.M. This camp is approx. 12 miles E of Baton Rouge.