

To subside tonight, and become colder. 122.8 Cooke Co. 143.4 all native trees are without leaves. Contrasted to the S where everything was green. 144.5 middle Red River bridge between Texas and Oklahoma. (10:25 A.M.) Will keep complete list of birds for a few miles. Trees all bare of leaves. Dust blowing across highway from gusty wind. 150.1 2 crows and first observed all the way across Texas and so far in Oklahoma. mistletoe in selected trees. 152.2 crow. 153.3 meadowlark, 2 more. From here on in will record by roadside mile posts. having passed no. 10. raccoon road kill. Mile 12 post proper, turkey vulture, ^{now back to actual mileage} 161.2 marsh hawk, 162.3 turkey vulture. 163.3 turkey vulture. 166.9 now into red soil. 168.1 3 crows. 169.0 Carter Co. line. 169.8 meadowlark. 173.3 meadowlark, 175.1 15 meadowlarks. 178.2 5 meadowlarks. 179.2 2 mallards, 2 meadowlarks. 184.7 Lake white capped gum, Springer. Genn Outrey turn off, striped skunk road kill. 185.3 8 meadowlarks. 186.2 redtail, 2 crows, 2 crows, 187.9 Harlan hawk, nine crows. 190.5 Murry Co. line on top of Arbuckles. Contrast of rock layers on vegetation is evident here and would make good photos. 195.8 jackrabbit road kill, 3 meadowlarks. N exposure of Arbuckles is in deciduous forest, S exposure in junipers, Crow. 196.6 6 crows, 10 meadowlarks, Crow. 198.8 12 ducks like clays. 204.4 stripe skunk road kill, 207.4 shrike chill index -13°F. 212.8 marsh hawk. 218.8 marsh hawk. also a redtail hawk road kill, soil bright red and plowed fields conspicuous. 220.9 Washita River, water flowing. Green fields of new planted grasses in contrast with red soil, 2 killdeer 226.5 McClain Co. line. ~~at~~ 227.9 2 photos 780108-1 and 780108-2 of red soil. 229.5 redtail in tree, meadowlark. 232.6 Crow, stripe skunk road kill. Lakes some color as soil, 233.3 stripe skunk road kill. 238.4 stripe skunk road kill, sparrow hawk, 244.2 four meadowlarks, 247.3 2 coyote road kills together. 248.9 stripe skunk road kill, 252.5 Cleveland Co. line and side S Fork of Canadian River. no bone ice in river. 1:30 P.M. 254.7 turnoff main street at Norman, and in Norman visited Grace Bee at Daratha + Gaylord Miller home. Left late afternoon and continued N thru Oklahoma ^{City} and camped at a K.O.A.

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min temp last night 10°F. High wind quieted down to practically zero this A.M. Sun up shortly before 8:00 A.M. Left 8:45 A.M. Sky almost clear with a few high cirrus. 84 287.0 2 crows. 293.5 redtail