

DOUGLAS FAMILY

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Travel Diary
1966

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Winter 1966



Mexico with oye
NOTE BOOK

No. 77 O.E.

No. 78 O.S.

Name A V Danner

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Mar 21-1960 - 1965 - 1970 Ottawa.

1966.

Jan 28

Can. \$ 33

USA \$ 106 + 3.60

Can
\$ 125.2
8% ±

Am Exp Chgs. 60 + 1050

L/c Can 1000

Mar 3. Balance

Am Exp. \$ 310

Cash USA \$ 38

" Can \$ 25

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Jan		
2. CNR. Tor - Mex. return	\$ 515.-	
Dept. To Taxco \$ 50 USA	54.65	
" " Morelia \$ 10 USA	<u>10.85</u>	
27. Taxi ^{60 + 120} Bus to Toronto ²⁵	5.75	
29. CNR BKfst. 1.30 USA.	* 1.00	
Tip 100	Lunch 4.15 us Bus ^{4.90} ^{us} Cam 6.75	
USA cash	" \$ 10.35	
30 Sun BK ^{1.15 + 1.25} ^{4.25} lunch Supper. (on train) 2.70	9.35	
Taxi to St Anthony Hotel - St Antonio	1.00	
31 Mon Telegram to Geneva, Mex. lit.	2.10	
BKfst ^{2.10} Coffee ³⁰ Lunch ^{3.00} San Antonio	5.40	
Tip ²⁵ Taxi ⁷⁵	1.00	
Changed to Mex. pesos ^{12.500} ^{at 100}	10.00	
Supper on train ^{2.70 + 30}	3.00	
Feb. 1. BK ^{1.15} Lunch ^{2.45} Supper. ^{2.15} ¹⁰⁰	5.75	
Taxi to Geneva	USA \$ 47.95	
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1966

Jan 28

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Olga & I to stay with Paul Warner &

Robert Miller. Off 12¹⁰^{am} one hour late.

Sat 29 v. cold in night -14°F at Battle Creek

Chicago at 8 am -16°F wind - met by

Olga's friends Dot + Gordon - to take road to

Union Stn at 11²⁰ am. Very flat to St Louis
5½ hours. changed at -10°F to Mo. & Pac

train for Laredo in 24 hours time.

off at 6³⁰^{pm}, 1½ hours late. Crossed

Mississippi - ice jams.

Sun 30 6th late at Tex. - art border - cold.

Walks at Longview + Palestine - still icy.

7th late at ST Antonio. Put up by Rly in lovely
St Anthony Htel.

Mon 31 v. attractive city - winding river, 52 bridges

+ water level cafés. To town 1 pm.

v. flat grass + country road to Laredo.

Nov 31 Cont

Train was pushed to middle of bridge over Rio Grande & we came customs & immigration men. View downstream to motor bridge & the two grey white towns in sunset glow.

Tues Feb 1 A different world! Mts & hills, donkeys & shanks (rebozo) & serapes & square squat dwellings & poverty. Cacti & eucalyptus & firs & brown mts with escarpments & blue ridge far off. San Luis Potosi the largest town - freight loads of iron pipes moving north.

Up & up on winding route through mts & cacti wasteland

Arr. Mexico City at 8²⁰ pm.
Taxi to Hotel Geneve + 2 nice \$14⁰⁰ rooms.

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Feb Cash 125.00

1 Feb ^{10⁺5⁰} Taxi to Hotel Geneve ^{10⁰} 30.
Tea & coffee ^{10⁰} 10.

2 Wed Charged \$50⁰⁰ = 624.50
Peso tips " Super Mat" ^{4.50} Lunch ²⁶ PC ² 37.50
Tickets to Pyramid ^{182.50} 4 Beer ^{6⁰} ^{16.40} 182.50
Taxi ^{17.50} Charged 250 = 265 + 437.50 26. 17.50
Motor car for 7 days Daxaca-Tlaxco ^x [215.00
USA]

Total pesos 1187, Cash 800 + 62

Taxi to the rebozo (D) ²⁰ (T²) ² 22.00

3 Thurs - Bkfst Tips ^{14⁰⁰} Supper ^{45⁰⁰} 69.70

4 Fri Hotel Geneve 3 meals @ 48⁰⁰ 288.00

Tips ^{2+1⁰⁰} Bkfst ^{16⁵⁰} Lunch at Pueblo ^{25⁰⁰} 49.00

Taxi ^{3⁰⁰} Huazapan ^{10⁵⁰} Supper ^{10⁵⁰} Daxaca 15.50

5 Sat Black clay candlestick ^{2⁰⁰} 2.00

6 Oranges ^{1⁰⁰} Flowers ^{2⁰⁰} Lunch ^{40⁰⁰} 43.00

2 Rooms Plaza Hotel ^{60.00} 60.00

Honey ^{2⁵⁰} Beans ^{50 + 35⁰⁰} Knife ^{5⁰⁰} 11.50

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\$64.20

Mexican pesos

Feb 2. Wed. To Travel Agents re car
Peso taxi to Zócalo - In
cathedral young couples + old women
carrying dolls big + small to Chancery
steps - Golden robed Bp + 5 priests
+ little acolytes in red + white

Sermon + chanting -

To Nat Palace + saw Rivera
murals - walked down to Tiles
for lunch + saw Belwas shops.

To Adams Tours re car + driver for
1 wk - To Oaxaca + Taxco. + to
Auto Taxis for Pyramid tour.

3rd Thurs off 10¹⁵ am to Acolman (Quintana)

down + little birds. No far view of mts.
Lunch in Coche restaurant - due car
confratnion Mrs Ruth - Seattle - aeronautics
draughtsman. To Pyramid of Sun + up
1st tier. 1962 Went to 2nd, 5 tiers. Great

increase in excavations of minor
temples + priests' quarters. Some
pavilions + a drainage system -
On to Temple of Moon - steps up to
of Sun Temple on True West side.
Back to new shopping mall + in to
Temple pyramid to Petral castle or
Morning + evening Star Venus - with
projecting heads of rain god + plumed serpent.
Back by Shrine of Guadalupe to
Hotel 5³⁰ pm.
Much worry over D's 2 suitcases

4th Fri. Alfonso Enciso came at 8¹⁰ am
To P.D. for registered letter with baggage
cheques. To Station for bags + Then
at 9³⁰ off S. to Oaxaca.
over lava flats + up road to highway
to continental divide by 10.30
(Glimpses of Popo + Agua Caliente)
17387 17340

pt - with Passes Cholula,
+ lunch at Calle 3 square
in Puebla. 3rd floor cafe
Hotel Royalty - off S. at 12³⁰

nice spot roads + views - flowering trees -

sugar cane - hay stacks in trees -

Tea at Hacienda San, off 4:40 for

120 mile run. Marvellous red cliffs
+ hills + valleys + as sun was setting
under black cloud with gaps, amazing
contrasting shade + brilliant red on
eastern hills - Full pale moon rose.

Oaxaca at 7:40 + to Plaza Hotel.

Funny nice place. courts open to sky
+ rooms off court balcony corridor.

To Zocla $\frac{1}{2}$ block + to Marquesa del
Valle terrace cafe for supper -

Vendors of serapes + etc.

5 Feb. Sat ⁶
Bkfst in O's room +
To amazing market. fruits, veg
meat, burn, long red beans, melons
oranges 6 + 8 for 1 peso. pottery, good
+ bandanas, serapes, tin ware + tools
+ inside, flowers + cheeses + -
Temp 64 in shade + 76 in sun
Cathedral still. At lunch met Mr. Gilliard
+ her husband.

Museum closed at 3³⁰ pm. Found nice
bakery + up 4 blocks to San Domingo
v. ornate + beautiful - Fine Rosaria.
Chapel with white robes Madonna + child
also in white. Shrine of an Indian
saint, Martin, many flowers. Kneeling woman
praying earnestly.

On Hotel roof - sunred sky.
Supper in O's room + To Zocla
for Music + tequila + cuatros on
del Valle terrace - 9 pm.

Sun 6 Feb To Museum 9:30 am.
 Mt Alban gold + jade & bead treasury
 + stone gods & funny faces.
 Back to Market - less busy but
 still wonderful. D. got green & brown
 straw hat. At 11 pm off in car
 to huge Tule tree + on to
 Tlacolula - huge market
~~here~~
 Swap shot of O. beyond pottery.
 First 2 pictures were Oaxaca market.
 On to Mixco. Bought rebozo ^{45p}.
 (at Mitla rebozo 20p) Stone mosaic
 work on old Temple. In market
 O. bought blue skirt & jacket.
 Back for lunch at 7 Cola at 2:30 -
 At 5:30 up mt road passed Vic Hotel
 to view pt over valley. Clouds & lights
 not so good at sunset. Crowds
 in town park for 6 fiddlers & singers
 Peddlers from 3 yrs old up of fruit
 sellers, ices, nuts, chicklets.

	From p. 4	Playa	7
Sun	fwd	864.20	
6 Feb Museums ⁸ To P. ⁵ Lunch ³	46		
Hotel Plaza Kidlet ⁷⁵ Zerape ponch ⁶⁰	76		
Mon 7. Charged \$100 - <u>1247.00</u>	-		
Stamp 8. Albancet ⁴ Lunch ⁵⁴	66.00		
Bread ² ⁴⁰ 2 Toads ² Peacock ¹ Teapot ³	250 p ⁵⁰	75.	
Loan Alfonso ² Plaza Hotel ⁷⁵	Plaza Hotel ⁷⁵	75.	
Tues 8. Plaza Hotel ⁷⁵ Folk Dances ⁴⁵	120.-		
Zerape (deer) ⁷⁵ Lunch ^{34.50}	109.50		
Wed 9 Hotel Plaza ⁷⁵ Maid ¹⁵ Boy ^{15.50}	105.		
Lunch at Acathlan	5		
Thurs 10 Hotel Colonial Cuatla ^{Double} ^{R100m}	12		
Supper + bb foot & mint ²⁰	35		
P.C. ^{1-1.50} Tips ⁴ Gavellafonso Enciso ^{\$10}	41.50		
see p. 4.			
1 Ag Spoon ¹⁴ - Tel ¹ Bag ¹ Bus ^{1.40}	6.50		
10g ⁷⁰	18.10		
Fri 11 Brooch ²⁵ Bank pictures ¹⁶ P.C. ³	44-		
2 others of Pearl brooches ²⁵ Old man	26		
	1560.00		

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Feb

Mon 1 Feb off at 10 am to P.O. &
Bank + then up Mt Allan
75° in shade 94° in sun. Organs
painted grey & far south followed
steps & blue rocks to east.

Saw stones engraved with dancers.

Lunch at Zocolo + bought table
cloths + ^{gray mat} servape for me.

at 5³⁰ pm out N. valley to village with
ceramics. Clear sky with brown & gold
clouds, then pink & grey - v. lovely clear
golden light on W facade of village
church - drove of brown goats.

Indians love much noise . . . on a
saints day sacred to them much banging &
poor fireworks about 9:30 - 10:30 pm.

Barking dog chorus at 2 am Bell clanging at
quarter hours.

Photo of O + dancer stones

Tues 8 Feb. Back to Mt Allan 5 1/2 hrs.
at 9 am. Lovely clarity of atmosphere
with thinnest mist in valleys. Painted
Dancers stone - too bright - good breeze. Sun
v. hot. Climbed wide steps at N end
of great square - 3 groups of temples
& chambers + sarcophagi counts
beyond + highest knoll v. steep
To Geodetic white washed cube with
wonderful views all around to mts
& mts beyond. I sat on steps of gte
N end & painted 3 tier pyramid to S-W
with 5 sturdy columns on top. I took
photo with orange berries & blue flowers in
foreground. Lunch at Mangera del
Valle as usual.

To El La Soledad Ch. oracle. fine Madonna
w/ face black velvet robe
sparkling with pearls & stones.
Alfonso dubious of their being the
genuine gems. Exito Juarez as



Liberator from political & financial
Thrall of Church. 1864 ±

In pm to School of Arts for
folk dancing wild + noisy +
gay + exciting - Final blouse
dance with huge dyed feather head
gear + much prancing + jumping.

Wed 9 Feb, off at 9:30 up through

Oaxaca valley + into mt. range with
pink reds + some cliffs of the green-grey
rock + some grey-white limestone.

2 large gov. cement works + one
hydro el. plant. Bypassed Huajuapan
+ had lunch at Acatlán at 1:45 pm.
At Ixícar de Matamoros no decent
hotel so drove west through gentle
country rich sugar cane + more flowers
to Cuatla + found nice Hotel Colonial

with deep patios or verandas off
which clean large rooms. Got a
double. Walked thru large market +
bought tiny bananas. Long walk
back through dull streets.

Poor supper but excellent night.

Thurs 10. (M.P.D. 1914)

Off at 9 am lovely drive to Cuernavaca
1 hour. Saw Cortés Palace with Diego
Rivera murals (Spanish cruelty)
Coffee in Plaza - Nice Hotel Bella
Vista new Gov. Bldg. - sad -
To Cuatl. So simple + worshipful.
see 1962 notes. Great stone fort.
Lovely doors + facade in golden
stone - Amber windows make
walls of chalice like beaten gold
off at 11 am. Mts rugged -
Taxco 12³⁰ pm. Alga v. happy

To stay at Posada de la Misión for 7 days & nights.

2 Rooms off private patio overlooking the town + jacaranda + bougainvillea at 3 pm walked to Cath. + up to Esquela de Cartas + into 5 or six 'plateria' silver shops -

Coffee - procession of infant's funeral - later an adult funeral ahead of bus down narrow winding street - After supper to shops opp. the Posada where D. brought gray bark mats + bracelets.

Fri Feb 11 [m 20 1935]

Sun out from under clouds again. Go barking of dogs in night floodlit cathedral + another church. To market (Mercado). Steep winding cobble paths between stalls - sleeping dogs.

Bought powdered bark mats.

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Feb 12 Sat

	peras	fwd.	1660.00
Cash	Miscellaneous (unaccounted)	37.	
Sat 13	Bus stamp 1.10 24 Ciba Interavia 5	6.10	
Sun 14	2 Sherries at Hotel da Borda	13.00	
Mon 14	3 m.-q pearl brooches	37.50	
	2 ditto	30.	
Cash 372 peso	Recd Cash \$1100 ft =	12.50	
1 bottle Bacardi 10 oz	1 bottle Bacardi (clipped) Bus 4 3/4 ft =	7.	
Tues 15	Peso Tax Bus m.-q brooch 1250	15.20	
	2 Parcels Correos (2 serafos) ea 26.90	53.80	
Wed 16	Bus 1.40 + 1.40 Nestle fwd milk 5.20	8.	
	1/4 cotton + wood looseleaf jackets for P.M.S.D.	100.	
	Bus 1.40 woman	2.40	
	Changed \$200 Am Esp. Coba 12.40 @ 449.	-	
	Posada de la Misión 8 d. \$122.80	-	
	+ 50 deposit		
	12. \$10.80 per day - 1265 peso		
	Cash \$40 USA.		
Cash 1632		1982.50	

Feb 11 Contd.
all aft at Posada.
O painted - In pm to 2 more
shots & bought 2 m.-of pearl brooches.

Feb 12 Sat. a lazy day.

O painted 2 market women groups.

Feb 13 Sun. Bus to Zocola + down into
market + little shops + a church +
up again to Zocola. Engaged Fitz to
take us to Morelia on 18th (photo 3)
church steps.

Taxi from Zocola to art studio of
Bernice Goodspeed + Carl Patte

2 Americans - archaeologist + artist, here
since 1934. Very friendly. (O. bought
paints) She writes (see back page) on
hist & folklore of Olmecs, Toltecs etc.

After supper walked up to Hotel de la Borda
+ O sketched from roof terrace - sherry.

Mon 14
Taxi ab q. to Hacienda de
Admiral Don Francisco de Cuellar
Set back off road to Acapulco
in a sheltered side valley, tropical
growth - Large grey stone Casa
with huge fireplace one used for
smelting silver - up through half-
unkept garden to swimming pool
by 400 year old aqueduct with
diagonal narrow stairway to top.
O. painted it.

After lunch shopped near Hotel (lovely,
m.-of pearl brooches).

Back to Zocola + down to shops
at Plaza San Juan + in market to
buy wrapping paper. Got 8 large bags
Bought Bacardi Mexican rum - stuck
in bus in gloaming

Tues. 15 Made up 2 parcels each
+ by peso taxi To Zocola + P.O.

Very costly + 18 stamps on each parcel.

Shop gazed - coffee at Hotel Real

O. bought angel candlesticks.

In late aft I walked around to large
white ch. + old brown one east of
Santa Prisca + out Cuernavaca
road - Boys band 3 drums
7 trumpets.

Wed 16th Lazy am To Zocola about 11
+ bought large basket for O's crockery
+ tin cans + cock ro. Nice Plaza up
by Escuela des Artes.

No lunch - lazy till 5 Then To Super-
mercado for Nestle powdered milk.

Read These 15 day life with Picasso and
The people vs O'Hara.

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Fri 18 Posada fwd- 1982.50
de la Mission water 100.00

Maid 30 Boys 16 40.-

Lunch Tabaco 5.25 Porter 2. 17.25

at Morelia Marcelino 7.13 40 + 50.00

Coffee 5.50 Supper at La Solidad 22 27.50

Sat. 19 Blkpt 16 + 15° 2 Saucers 2 + D' 20.50

Bimboloaf 2 Supper 18.65 20.65

Sun 20 Blkpt 5 PC 1 Clown 1 7.00

To Patzcuaro - Juan Coria - 155.00

To Janitzio Island 22.50

Breakfast at Don Vasco 18.50

Bull(!) fight fountain on Street 1.00

On a/c to Coria 45 pesos -
(no change for 100)

Rebosa at Zocola stall Morelia 20.00

2482.50

Mon 21 changed at 12.49 Banco Comun.

#100 am & 1249 pesos

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Thurs 17. Bus to Centro, & P.D + Super
mercado for O's left. Behind
books - Lazy aft.

Bought 4 sleeveless vests for P.M.S.D.
O. took taxi to M. Patte with some
of her paintings out. O. bought
large serape 100 pesos white black grey red.

Fri 18 Off with Marcelino Fitz at
8:05 am. Through Ixtapan de
la Sol \$13⁰ - Mineral waters - Hotel &
baths. Lovely roses, poinsettias etc.
Passed from stony aridly to fertile
fields at 6,000'. Rose as cultivation.
Crowded market in Tolosa.
Poor old woman with sheep & one
running loose.

Off at 2:20-15. Through cattle
country with river & shallow lakes

+ irrigated plain dotted
with little hills - thicket pine
forests into mountains. Through
busy main st. of Zitácuaro &
on into pine mt. pass & down to
Morelia 5 pm. Hotel de la Soledad
nice suite of 2 rooms @ 4.50 or 60 pesos.
Went to electrician for O's kettle plug
& to Alameda cafe + old Univ. now
apparently a Secondary Sch. O. seems
never to be here.

Sat 19. V. cool. 62° Sunny. Across Zocalo
& up & down market area - Flowers, tequila,
ceramics. 2 Photos of pottery groups.
Arranged with Juan Coria for
Patzcuaro on Sun & to Mex. City
on Tues. 22-23. To an art shop
for O's supplies. Large funeral in Cath.
v. fine music
Lunch in O's room.

~~June 20~~ Cold - 62°F - Cloudless
pale blue sky. Off with

Juan Coria to Patzcuaro
at 9¹⁰ am. Red soil. good
fields, stone walls of rounded
stone (glacial?)

Coffee + eggs at Don Vales Posada
at 1 pm after 2 hrs trip on Lago
to island Janitzio. v. gray
colours of women. purple + green

+ Photos. Butterfly nets. Woman
at water faucet. + in Patzcuaro
market with golden grains +
O with her black white + red zebra,

To Cerdá Casa (shop) + up
the hill Casa Grande to be
let to artists 600 pesos/mth
furnished from Cerdá in Morelia.

Home 4 pm. via Tzintzuntzabo

with ancient ruined
pyramidal circular, stepped,
red stone + earthworks with
walls overlooking N.E. end of
Lago Patzcuaro.

In Quirogo, as in P. Clowns
doing bull fight in streets.

At 5³⁰ to 3 oclock + saw good rebozo to buy.
Then to Cath. full congregation - one priest
speaking - no chanting or organ.

Mon 21 To Banco Comerciales + to Cath
for end of mass - several priests + acolytes
+ a little organ + chanting. Old woman
on knees with beads going up long aisle.
Walked to church near market
+ then north on Juarez to nice open
square by road to Guanajuanta
To Ch with huge rounded buttresses
up by hospitals - lovely patios.

Mon 21 cont'd
 at 4³⁰ by bus south & up mt road
 passed good Forestry HQ for Michoacan
 to village Santa Maria - 10 frisky
 young kids. Good observation hill
 with sweep of valley to W. N + E
 fertile fields + city - latter sprawls
 uninterestingly far to east of
 great aqueduct of 1750 ±
 To Hotel Virrey de Mendoza for
 good supper.

Tues 22 To Colch man at 6¹⁵ 3 gold colored
 fresh roses red acacias - Organ + charting
 off at 10³⁰ am florios mt + valley
 views. Mirador de los Milles Montes
 a panorama view - Fertile valleys
 Juan Colch's brother with us, a med.
 student at Morelia Med. College -
 2nd ch at Hotel Restaurant

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Mon 21		
Cash 1250		
+ 63		
Mambrilla (quince) juice	6.00	
Lunch ³⁵ Bus To Santa Maria ³	38.00	
Supper at Virrey de Mendoza Vm ¹⁰	42.00	
Tues 22		
Hotel de la Solidad ⁴⁸⁰ Cath. 0.50 Tips 20 morelia	355.00	
	20.50	
Lunch at Zitácuaro	10.00	
To Juan Coria 400 peso + 25	425.00	
Tea at Mexico ¹² H. Geneve Tips ⁶	12.1	
Pan negra + frijol 5.75 PC ²	7.75	
2 Carved donkeys ⁵ Stamps ^{3.00}	8.00	
Supper at Poncelet ^{17.50} Pompeya (Pizza) ^{1.50}	19.20	
Gardens Repaid Loan 250 peso (see p. 7)	-	
Wed 23. 2 Tickets Bellas Artes + Xochimilco	225.00	
Lunch at Tlal ²⁷ CP Sun 8.75	35.75	
Mezcal miniature ^{2.50} Mango Beef ^{3.50}	9.00	
Peso Tax ⁴ Pepper String ^{3.20} PC + 140	8.60	
	3710.5	
To La 16		

Feb 27 in Zitácuaro ~ off ab
 11-20. Mt Coitadeno 25000
 Toluca 3 pm ~~shining snow~~
 arr Mexico City 4¹⁵ pm
 at Hotel Geneve. To Sanborns
 & then back at 8 pm To nice Pancake
 Shop for Supper as S's full.

Wed 23
 Tel. call from Clun Brooke - Rep.
 ill. Peso Taxi to Bellas Artes & to
 Art Shops on San Juan & on Independence
 Early lunch at Tiles - Book shops -
 Bl Tequila + Mezcal + Mango Liqueur
 + Corona cervecera.
 Stayed at shops & to Sanborns for
 good Supper - tried Mezcal in pm
 poor stuff.

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Wed 23 cont.	frst	3710.50
Earrings for E. ¹⁵ Supper ^{28.50}	43.50	
Tea ^{5.30} Choc Barn ^{3.25}	9.00	
Thur 24 (L + O's wedding day)	-	
Taxi to Correos ^{8.60} + 4 (son) ¹⁵	3.00	
O. paid ¹⁵ .		
Lunch at Tiles ^{4.00}	40.00	
Parcel to 127	25.90	
Supper ²² Cash ^{23.7}	22.00	
Fri 25 <u>Changed</u> of 100 to 1249	~ ~	
Taxi ^{2.00} Museum ⁶ Coffee ¹¹	19.00	
PC ^{1.40} Stamp ^{2.40} Lunch ^{3.00} Taxi ^{2.00}	35.70	
Supper ^{15.25 + 1.60}	17.00	
Sat 26 Taxi ² Museum ⁶ Coffee ⁵	13.00	
Lunch ^{28.50} Taxi ² PC ^{7.00} Stamp ^{.60}	32.00	
Art Gallery ⁴ Supper ²⁰ Corona ^{.50}	24.50	
Pottery mug ³	3.00	
Total change ^{\$100}	3998.00	
	+ 2	

Thurs 24 (continued 1924)

To P.O. with 3 parcels - Sent off
To a Parcel PD at N. end of city - long
taxi drive far out Insurgentes. Comic
opera out there & eventually got them
off & taxied back to Tiles for big
lunch. Walked down to San Juan
market where O bought gay paper
flowers. Taxi to Hotel - O painted
I read CP Snow's The New Men.

Off to Pancake House for Supper
6 pm. lovely high crescent moon
& clear orange glow in sky -

Address of Parcels Office

Ceylan 468

Admire Post office

Address of Art Shop

Garies

San Juan Letran
near Juaraz

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Fri 25 Feb taxi to beautiful
Nat. Mus. of Antropologia.

Huge court & fine ten crowded
exhibits & murals. Nice cafe in lower
court.

Went alone to Zocalo at 4 pm. No
further excavations to NE of Cath.
Red glass transcept window glow on
pulpit pillar. Few worshippers

To supper in eve. glow & moonlight
at Pancake Shop

Sat 26 To museum of Antropologia
at 10 am Lt Palenque tomb.

At close of visit had lunch Enid &
Duncan Graham joined us for 10 min
chat. Very effective wood cuts of
tribes, fields, cacti, oxen of long bridle
reminiscent of Van Gogh series in
blue & brown

Walked to Art Gallery. very

1966
lovely - some striking modern art + portraits. 2 circular lobes off circular centre with large windows out to grass trees + many modern sculptures. Saw 2 robins.

Sun 27th
Off at 9 a.m. to Open of Folk Dance + Music - Palacio de Bellas Artes
Very rhythmic + gay. Then long drive to Xochimilco. Saw Alfonso Enciso there. Photo little boat with flower vendors.

Taxi at 5¹⁵ pm to University back to Pancake House for supper
Half moon at zenith.

Mon 28 Feb
Up at 5²⁰ am. Bkfst
in O's room as usual - off 7 am

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Taxi 3998.00		
7	2	
Lunch at Hotel \$5.52	56.50	
Taxi to University ²⁰ Supper ^{18.50}	38.50	
Hotel Geneve 6 days. ¹⁰⁰⁺³⁸	828.00	
Maid's ¹⁰ Porters ^{15 (+10+9)} _{old man} Taxi ¹¹	36.00	
Mon 28 cash 330	49.59 00	
Dinner on Train ⁵²	83.00	
Scrapie mat at Quetzalcoatlus	50.00	
Taxi ¹⁰ Bkfst ¹²	12	
Baggage at Laredo ⁵⁺⁵ _{new}	<u>10</u>	
	5114.00	

changed (for tip 50 peso = 3.96)

for me 167.50 peso = 13.94
at Laredo

Sep 19.

Mon 28 at station O's Three
 bags checked & wire typed.
 Coffee & then off 8¹⁰ am for
 Laredo. Bought a large serape
 for \$4.00 on platform at
 Querétaro. Walked out
 through station at San
 Luis Potosí - fine park -
 crowds of people for day
 coaches - gay rebozos in
 this northern part.

Tues Mar! - Lovely sunrise over
 flat almost treeless northern plain
 Arrived Laredo at 8^{am} - got O's
 3 baggage onto Laredo Tex. train
 At Laredo Tex. full customs inspection
 & rechecked O's baggage. Duty of
 21¢ on Tequila bottle & on my half bottle

Tues Mar!	from p 18	
Cash 52 + 13.95	= 66.45	WSA - \$
Laredo, Tex. Porter	75	0.75
O's luggage rechecked	105	1.05
Duty on Tequila & bacardi	42	.45
Cash WSA \$ ^{63:} .85	Paper	.05
Lunch after San Antonio		3.10
Dinner on train	270 + 40	3.10
Wash / Hotel	Bkpt ² on Train porter 75	2.00
Chair Car to Chicago	271.85	2.75
Coffee 85	Lunch 290	3.75
Car porter 100	Luggage man 105 + 50	3.05
Taxi 100	Lockers 50	
Supper 2.47	Porter 105	
		4.45

WSA Cash bal # 38.35

\$ 28.26

Tues Mar 1st Cont.

Over flatish Texas plain
& passed Austin - State Capital
Read Collette: *Clandine* & *Hannie*

Wed Mar 2nd Train late. Long run
up right bank of Mississippi.

Changed trains at St Louis 9:30 am
Chair car up through flat corn belt
of Illinois to Chicago. arr. Union
Station 2:45. Bus to Dearborn ST & stored
luggage. Taxi to Institute of Art.

Fine French coll^s: Picasso's, Monet ^{water}
Matisse, Braque, Dufy, Cezanne, Sisley,

T-Lautrec, DeGas, etc - Galleries of
Modern & older Am. art. Had
Tea & Ice Cream there. Supper enroute
back to Station. off 8:25 pm.

Thurs 3rd Sunny - v. little snow.

Arr. Toronto 9 am. No customs
inspection - O's 3 bags not arrived

Many come early left from others

Nov. 19.

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Can \$

Mar 3rd Cash \$36

Bdfst 1²⁵ Porter 1⁰⁰
Taxi to 342 1⁷⁵ Bags 2⁵⁰

Taxi with checked baggage
Sat 5th Train 1.75 Baggage locker 1²⁵
[Art Gallery 1⁰⁰] Taxi in K 1⁰⁰

\$ -
3.00
1.75
1.60
2.00
-
1.00
9.35

~~Feb 4th~~ Got O's bags full of treasures.
To Pats in early pm.

~~Sat 5th~~ Jack Pollock came 9:45 am
& was most appreciative & quite
impressed - Hurrah.

Off 12:30 to Bus to Mondrian
exhibition at Art Gallery then
2 pm bus to K. arrd 5 pm.

G.T.D.

Total Cost.	Can \$
1.2 Travel B&B	515
2+20 Can \$ 16	16
2.19 USA \$ 96	104
2.18 In Mexico 66 + 800 - 131	920
USA \$ 853	5
	<u>\$ 1555</u>

Addresses.

Manganello (coast near Guadalajara)
planes from " 230 mi

Cuernavaca

Casino de la Selva.

15 up.

Old Cuatla Rd.

Mrs Miller.

Acapulco

El Mirador (Margaret & Vatcher)

Addresses

San Miguel de Allende, Gto.

1. Esperanza Beltrán y Puga
P O Box 97 (Phone 53)
2. Hotel Colonial - Small Mex Style
near Plaza. ₡ 5 or up
3. Casa Arias - Mesones 8
Small Mex. ₡ 5 up.

Oaxaca

Plaza Hotel, Trujano calle. 2⁵⁰ up.

Francia Hotel, 20 de Noviembre. 3 up.

Marqués del Valle - Zocalo - 7 up.
or 12 a.p.

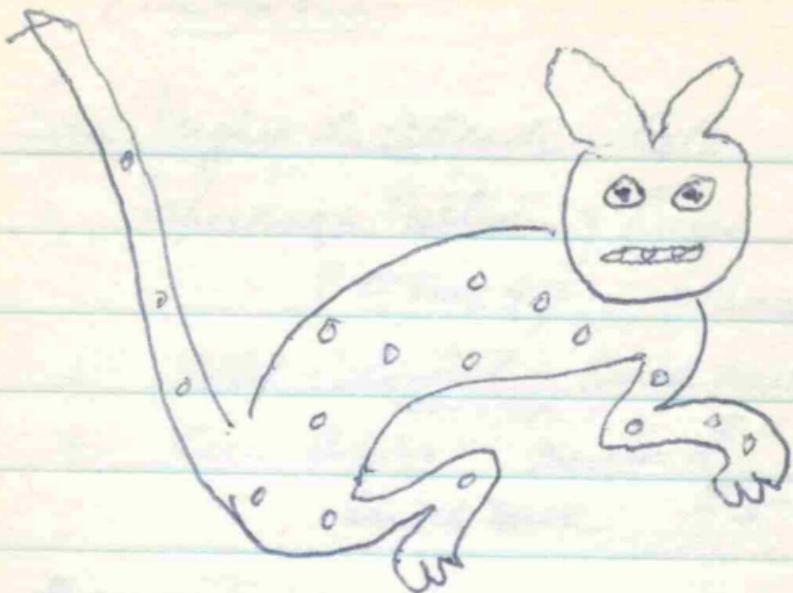
Patzcuaro

Posada de Don Vasco. ₡ 6 up.

Posada de la Basílica. 4 up.

Mexico City

- | | |
|---|-----------|
| Genovec Hotel - Londres | 7 1/2 up. |
| Emporio, Paseo de la Reforma | 6 up. |
| Vasco de Quiroga, Londres 15
off Insurgentes | 7 up. |



Cat in Norte collection - 26. Feb. - 1966.
National Museum Mexico City.

Northward - to .

Feb 28. 8¹⁰ am br. Mex. City
Mar 1 8 am arr Nuevo Laredo.
9⁰⁵ am br. Laredo, Tex.
Mar 2 8³⁰ am arr St Louis, Mo.
8⁵⁸ am br. "
2⁰⁸ pm arr Chicago
8²⁵ pm br. "
Mar 3 am arr Toronto.

400,00 peso

400⁰⁰ peso,

22 ~~24~~ Feb. Tues.

19

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~~22~~ ~~24~~ Mexico City

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Batiz Guard. 70

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JUAN CORTEZ

Carro #3
Tel. 20815

Posada de
La Mission

\$ 10.80	
8 day	Waiter 100
86.40	Maid 30
2	Boys 20
172.80	
50	150
122.80	=\$ 12

Car To Morelia \$ 40 + 25 peso. \$ 2

Draw \$ 200 Am. Exp. \$ 162.80 in \$

+ \$ 77.20 = 465 peso.

1250	
1860	4464
46500	16 exchange

CORIA

HECTOR E. HERNANDEZ
TLAXCALA # 42

Frac. M. de Parras
Morelia, Mich., Mex.

Sent him a p.c. Grant Hall, Apr 19.

J. A. DIAZ

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TLACOLULA

Market

en route to Mitla.

Sun am 11.

John Wilhelm's Guide to

All Mexico - (Revised)

Casa del Artes Independencia Calle

The lost People (Toltecs)

1. Creada
 2. Mexican Tales → They who come
Book 1. The Old Gods Demand.
 3. Paricutin ~ near Morelia
 - Bernice J. goodfellow
Mico - Co - Xo - Chilist
- = Mrs Carl Patte, Taxco.
Santa Ana, 35.