

Log of Record-Breaking Chamber of Commerce Trip by  
Colonel Fletcher and Party • San Diego,  
Calif., to Savannah, Ga.

October 20th to 23rd, Inc., 1926

RUN MADE IN CADILLAC SEDAN

Breaking fastest Transcontinental record by 11 hours and 56 minutes, and fastest train time by approximately 28 hours.

Kelly-Springfield Balloon Tires used. Three punctures by nails—No blowouts.

AVERAGE RUNNING TIME FOR ENTIRE TRIP (Deducting Stops)	39.1 Miles per hour
AVERAGE RUNNING TIME FOR ENTIRE TRIP (Including Stops)	35.5 Miles per hour
TOTAL MILEAGE	2,535
TOTAL TIME (including all stops)	71 hrs. 15 min., Western Union Time

	Time of Arrival All Pacific Time	Speedometer Reading	Miles	Elapsed Time Hr. Min.	Actual Running Time Hr. Min.
Left San Diego Oct. 20, 1926—4:00 A. M. (Stopped 5 minutes)		16923			
Arrived Phoenix, Arizona (Stopped 10 minutes)	12:02 P. M.	17306	383	8 2	7 57
Arrived at Tucson, Arizona (Stopped 15 min.)	2:55 P. M.	17442	156	2 53	2 43
Arrived at Lordsburg (Stopped 10 min.)	8:00 P. M.	17611	149	5 05	4 50
Arrived at Deming (Stopped 10 min.)	9:32 P. M.	17650	59	1 32	1 22
Arrived at El Paso, Oct. 21st (Stopped 45 min.)	12:05 A. M.	17755	105	2 33	2 23
Arrived Kent, Texas	4:55 A. M.	17909	154	4 50	4 05
Arrived Abilene, Texas (Stopped 1 hr. to fix punctures)	12:45 P. M.	18204	295	7 50	7 50
Arrived Dallas, Texas Left Dallas at 7:45 P. M. (Stopped 40 min.)	6:30 P. M.	18404	200	5 45	4 45
Arrived Shreveport, La., Oct. 22d Left Shreveport at 1:30 A. M. (Stopped 20 min.)	1:15 A. M.	18606	202	6 45	6 05
Arrived Vicksburg, Miss. (Stopped 20 min.)	5:55 A. M.	18784	178	4 40	4 20
Arrived Jackson, Miss. Left Jackson 6:35 (Stopped 10 min.) (Stopped Meridian 1 hr.)	8:10 A. M.	18831	47	1 15	55
Arrived Montgomery, Ala. Left Montgomery at 7:25 P. M. (Stopped 45 min.)	6:25 P. M.	19095	264	10 15	9 05
Arrived Columbus, Ga. (Stopped at Columbus 35 min.)	9:15 P. M.	19188	93	2 50	2 05
Arrived Savannah, Ga., Oct. 23d	3:15 A. M.	19458	270	6	5 25

TRIP OF COL. FLETCHER AND PARTY  
RETURNING VIA  
OLD SPANISH TRAIL  
St. Augustine, Florida, to San Diego, California

Sixteen Formal and Informal Meetings were Held Enroute. Time, 7 Days and 2 Hours  
Including All Stops

TOTAL MILEAGE	2,809 Miles
ACTUAL RUNNING TIME	75 hrs. 35 min.
	or 37 Miles per hour

	Date	Time	Miles	Running Time Hr. Min.	Speedometer Reading
Left St. Augustine, Fla.	10-26	2:00 P. M.			19791
Arrived Jacksonville, Fla.	10-26	3:10 P. M.	41	1 10	19832
Left Jacksonville, Fla.		3:15 P. M.			
Arrived Tallahassee		7:55 P. M.	175	4 40	20005
Left Tallahassee	10-27	7:00 A. M.			
Arrived Pensacola		12:15 P. M.	212	5 15	20217
Left Pensacola		2:50 P. M.			
Arrived Mobile Bay (Included 14-mile boat-ride on the Bay)		5:00 P. M.	54	2 10	26271
Left Mobile	10-28	7:00 A. M.			
Arrived New Orleans (Crossed three ferries and stopped 1 hr. for lunch—2 hrs.)		3:15 P. M.	195	6 15	20466
Left New Orleans	10-29	7:00 A. M.			
Arrived Beaumont, Texas (1 hr. for lunch; 1 hr. for punctures; 1 hr. crossing ferries—Sabine River Morgan Ferry)		6:20 P. M.	320	8 20	20786
Left Beaumont (Raining)	10-30	7:45 A. M.			
Arrived Houston, Texas		11:25 A. M.	99	3 40	20885
Left Houston, Texas		1:45 P. M.			
Arrived San Antonio		7:45 P. M.	220	6	21105
Left San Antonio	10-31	9:15 A. M.			
Arrived El Paso (Stopped 1 hr. for lunch) (Heavy rains)	11-1	2:15 A. M.	586	16 05	21691
Left El Paso		1:30 P. M.			
Arrived Douglas (Stopped 10 min. Lordsburg; Stopped 10 min. Deming, New Mexico, was afloat)		8:30 P. M.	266	7	21957
Left Douglas	11-2	8:00 A. M.			
Arrived Tucson (Stopped 10 min. Tombstone; Stopped 10 min. Bisbee)		11:30 A. M.	126	3 10	22083
Left Tucson		1:30 P. M.			
Arrived Phoenix		4:30 P. M.	156	3	22219
Left Phoenix	11-3	6:10 A. M.			
Arrived Yuma (Took moving pictures)		10:30 A. M.	195	4 20	22414
Left Yuma		10:50 A. M.			
Arrived El Centro		12:00 M.	62	1 10	22476
Left El Centro		1:10 P. M.			
Arrived San Diego		4:30 P. M.	124	3 20	22600
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