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## **2020 Calendar: Archives Near and Far: Travel and Tourism**

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# 2020 CALENDAR



The Golden State Limited and the Union Station, El Paso, Texas

## Archives Near and Far: Travel and Tourism

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# GATEWAY HOTELS



Gateway Hotels brochure

“Gateway Hotels: Strategically Located to Serve Your Needs in the Great Southwest,” promotional brochure from our Carl Hertzog book collection. This brochure features the Gateway Hotel, El Capitan Hotel, El Hidalgo Hotel, El Paisano Hotel, and La Caverna Hotel, and includes images of hotel coffee shops, rooms, and lobbies.

# JANUARY 2020

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			<i>New Year's Day</i> 1	2	3	4
5	<i>Día de los Reyes Magos (Epiphany)</i> 6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	<i>Martin Luther King Jr. Day</i> 20	21	22	23	24	<i>Chinese New Year</i> 25
26	27	28	29	30	31	



# MESTON TRAVEL



Meston Travel slide collection, PH050

Owned by Harvey D. Meston (1912-1991), the Meston Travel Center of El Paso manufactured and provided slides to their customers. This slide shows skiers at the Sierra Blanca Ski Resort (now Ski Apache) in New Mexico.



# FEBRUARY 2020

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1
Groundhog Day Día de la Candelaria 2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	Valentine's Day 14	15
16	Presidents' Day 17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	Mardi Gras 25	Ash Wednesday 26	27	28	29



# EXCURSIONS IN THE COUNTY OF SURREY



Cromwell, Thomas. *Excursions in the County of Surrey*. London: Longman, Hurst, Rees, Orme, and Brown, 1821.

This rare book features a fore-edge painting that shows Richmond Bridge spanning the Thames with fishing boats in the foreground. The painting is modeled after the engraving of the bridge in the book.



# MARCH 2020

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	<i>Texas Independence Day</i> 2	3	4	5	6	7
8 <i>International Women's Day</i> <i>Daylight Savings Time Begins</i>	9	<i>Purim</i> 10	11	12	13	14
15	16	<i>St. Patrick's Day</i> 17	18	<i>Vernal Equinox</i> 19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	<i>César Chávez Day</i> 31				

# NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC, 1914



*National Geographic*, UTEP collection, MS001

Jean Claude White's images of Bhutan in the April 1914 issue of *National Geographic* served as the inspiration for UTEP's Bhutanesese architecture. After the Texas State School of Mines (now UTEP) burned down in 1916, Kathleen Worrell, wife of Dean Worrell, saw White's photo-essay and recommended that the new campus have Bhutanese-style buildings.



# APRIL 2020

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3	4
<i>Palm Sunday</i> 5	6	7	<i>Passover Begins at Sundown</i> 8	9	<i>Good Friday</i> 10	11
<i>Easter Sunday</i> 12	13	14	15	<i>Passover Ends</i> 16	17	18
<i>National Library Week Begins</i> 19	20	<i>National Library Workers' Day</i> 21	22	23	<i>Ramadan Begins</i> 24	25
26	27	28	29	30		



# HASKELL MONROE POSTCARD COLLECTION



Haskell Monroe postcard collection, PH088

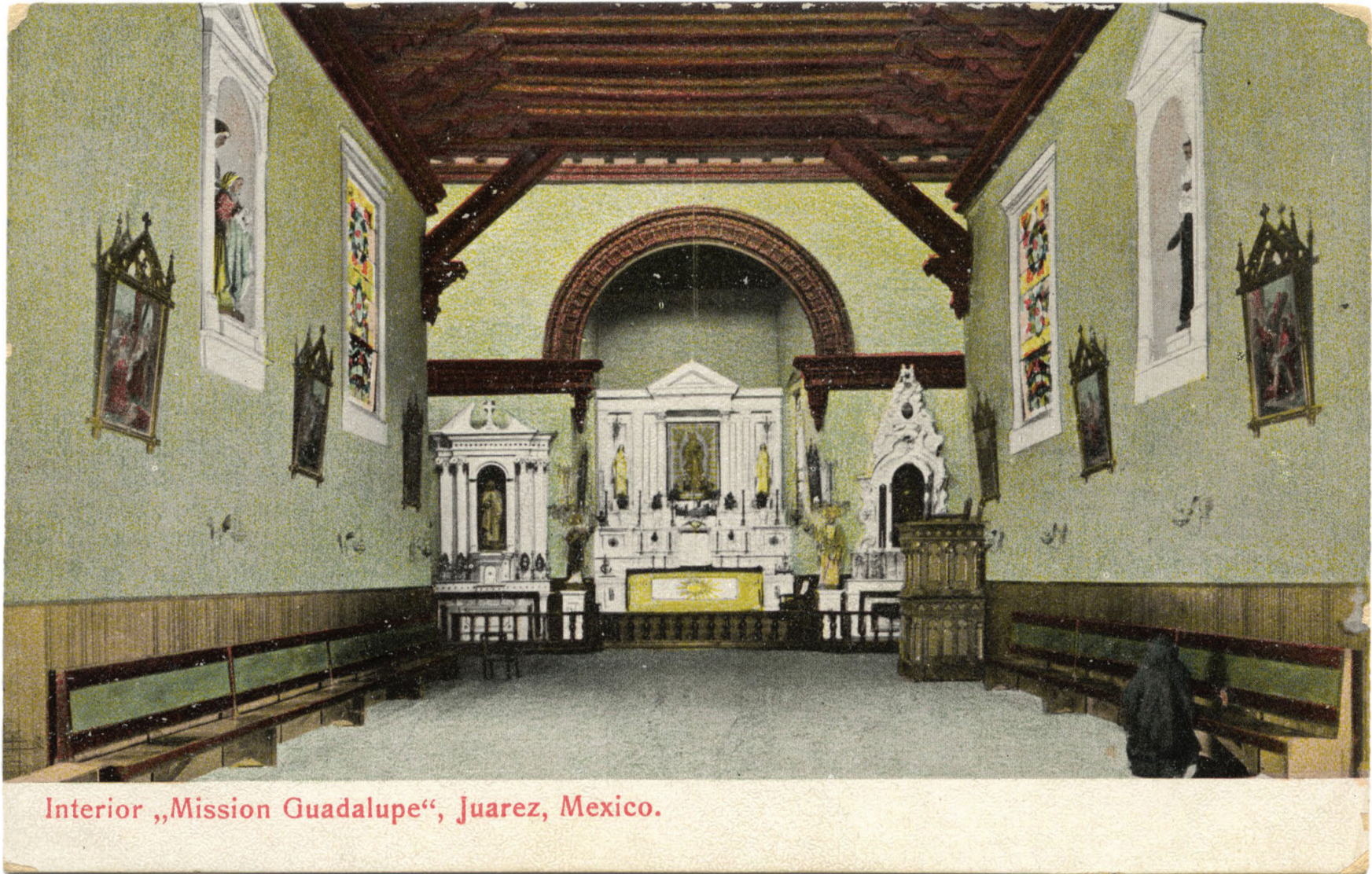
This postcard shows San Antonio Street and the new Hotel Paso del Norte. The hotel opened on Thanksgiving Day 1912 and was designed by the Trost and Trost architectural firm.



# MAY 2020

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1	2
3	4	<i>Cinco de Mayo</i> 5	6	7	8	9
<i>Mothers' Day</i> 10 <i>Mexican Mothers' Day</i>	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
<i>Ramadan Ends</i> 24 <i>Eid Al-Fitr</i>	<i>Memorial Day</i> 25	26	27	28	29	30
31						

# STANSEL POSTCARD COLLECTION



Interior „Mission Guadalupe“, Juárez, Mexico.

Interior, Mission Guadalupe Juárez, Stansel postcard collection, PH049

Most of the postcards in this collection are mechanically reproduced scenes from El Paso, Texas; Cloudcroft and Alamogordo, New Mexico; or Mexico. The postcards date from the late nineteenth or early twentieth century.



# JUNE 2020

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	<i>Juneteenth</i> 19	<i>Summer Solstice</i> 20
<i>Fathers' Day</i> 21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				

# CASSELL LANTERN SLIDES



“On the Road to Uxmal.” James Wilson Cassell magic lantern slides, PH055

James Wilson Cassell was a medical doctor based in New York who was also an amateur photographer who traveled widely. This slide shows one of the possible pitfalls of excursions to undeveloped areas. Dr. Cassell traveled to Mexico in the 1920s to visit archaeological sites, including Maya ruins in the Yucatan Peninsula.



# JULY 2020

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3	4 <i>Independence Day</i>
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14 <i>Bastille Day</i>	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	



# GERTRUDE FITZGERALD COLLECTION



Central Café, Juárez, Mexico, Gertrude Fitzgerald photograph collection, PH025

The Gertrude Fitzgerald photograph collection consists primarily of photographs taken by Gertrude Fitzgerald of her family life and people and places related to the travel and work of her husband. The collection also contains postcards. These images date from the early twentieth century.



# AUGUST 2020

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26 <i>Women's Equality Day</i>	27	28	29
30	31					

# HOTEL PASO DEL NORTE



**EL PASO**

FIVE MINUTES FROM JUAREZ, OLD MEXICO

**HOTEL PASO DEL NORTE**

PAUL HARVEY, Manager



MAIN DINING ROOM



MAIN LOBBY



COFFEE SHOP

## HOTEL PASO DEL NORTE

**H**OTEL PASO DEL NORTE has the rare distinction of being so situated geographically that it has a triple appeal to the traveling public. El Paso is the gateway to old Mexico which lends to this modern metropolitan city a marked Spanish atmosphere.

El Paso, Texas, formerly known as "Paso Del Norte" (Pass of the North) is located on several transcontinental railway lines, four large air-lines operating on daily schedules, and national and international highways.

Hotel Paso Del Norte in El Paso is also within easy access to many points of interest for tourists the whole year around, among which are some of the world's greatest natural wonders all within easy motoring distance of the hotel.

Hotel Paso Del Norte represents an investment of one and one-half million dollars, three hundred and twenty-five comfortably appointed rooms, is situated in the heart of the city convenient to the shopping and theatre district, easily reached by the traveling public, either by train or motor.

Hotel Paso Del Norte is different from the usual large hotel inasmuch as it is not built with a commercial idea uppermost in mind. The large spacious lobby and elegant lounges occupy the space usually given over to shops and stores. This is greatly appreciated by the guests, giving it an atmosphere entirely different from the usual commercial hotel. One feels the aesthetic charm immediately upon entering its spacious lobbies.

This same atmosphere is reflected throughout the entire building. The spacious dining rooms, large two-levels coffee shop, beauty parlor and barber shop with modernistic furniture, the large high-ceilinged guest rooms make it more like a fine club than a public hotel.

El Paso's altitude keeps the summers mild and yet it is low enough in latitude to cause the sun to warm the winter days, thus assuring a delightful year-round climate. There are cool, refreshing showers throughout the summer and after the setting of the sun, the nights are always cool. Snow is a stranger to El Paso. "Where Sunshine Spends The Winter."

### JUAREZ, MEXICO

The atmosphere, architecture, people and customs of this quaint Mexican city, centuries old and six minutes away, are as foreign as one will find at the end of a 3000-mile ocean voyage. Its beautiful Mission Guadalupe was built with timbers carried on the backs of toiling Indians 100 miles across the desert. In its market place are luscious tropical fruits, hand-made pottery and woven baskets of weird and primitive design. Wax figures that rival the work of a Cellini may be seen, admired and purchased for a few centavos.

Bullet-riddled adobe walls bear mute evidence of former revolutions. The Church, the juzgado, the bull ring and custom house—all are battle scarred. Yet these remarkable people carry on—from behind curtained windows can be heard the sweet music of mandolins and guitars and the rhythmic click of castanets. Intriguing to the occidental mind.

On Sunday one may attend a bull fight. On week days a chicken fight, and the night life—cafes and cabarets are unequalled on the American continent.

**All Railroads Allow a Ten-day Stopover in El Paso**  
Ask for it




*El Paso: Hotel Paso del Norte brochure*

Designed by celebrated El Paso printer Carl Hertzog, this brochure promoted the Hotel Paso del Norte in El Paso - "Five Minutes from Juarez, Old Mexico" - and tourist sites in the Southwest. A small Carl Hertzog printer's mark in the lower right corner of the cover image indicates that the brochure was produced in Hertzog's shop after 1934.



# SEPTEMBER 2020

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3	4	5
6	<i>Labor Day</i> 7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	<i>Mexican Independence Day</i> 16	17	<i>Rosh Hashanah Begins at Sundown</i> 18	19
20	21	<i>Autumnal Equinox</i> 22	23	24	25	26
<i>Yom Kippur Begins at Sundown</i> 27	28	29	30			



# WAYNE BRENDT PRINT AND POSTCARD COLLECTION



Just Had Lunch in Juárez, Mexico, Wayne Brendt print and postcard collection, MS245

This collection consists primarily of photographs and postcards from the early twentieth century. The photographic postcards document the El Paso borderlands, the Mexican Revolution, U. S. intervention in Veracruz in 1914, and General John J. Pershing's Punitive Expedition into Mexico in 1916.



# OCTOBER 2020

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12 <i>Columbus Day Indigenous People's Day</i>	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31 <i>Halloween</i>

# NORMA GELLER PHOTOGRAPHS FROM BHUTAN



Bhutan, 1978, Norma Geller photographs from Bhutan, PH085

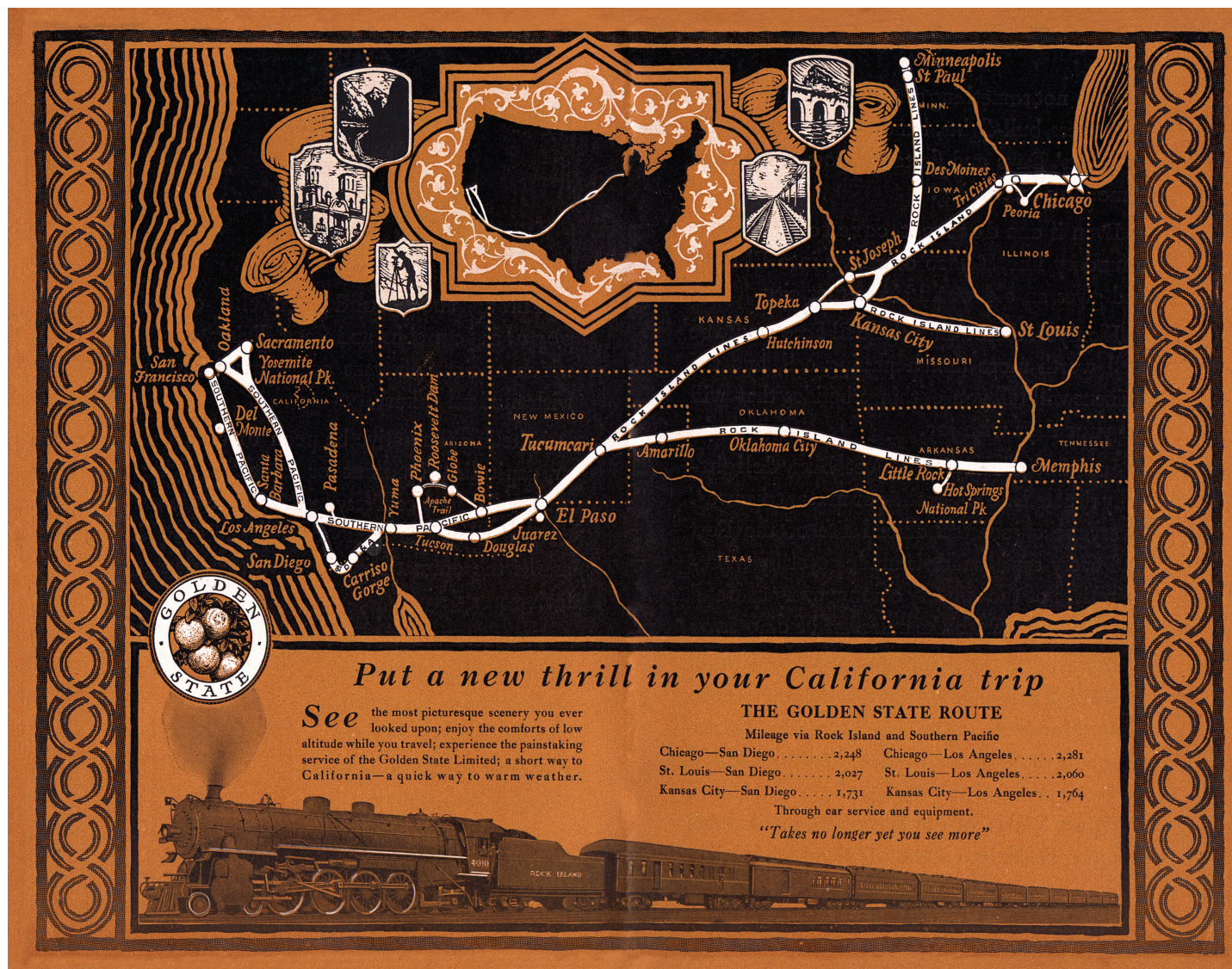
This collection includes four portfolios of mounted prints of Bhutan from 1978. Ms. Geller was the first El Pasoan to visit Bhutan.



# NOVEMBER 2020

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<i>All Saints' Day</i> <i>Daylight Savings</i> <i>Time ends</i> <i>Días de los Muertos</i>	<i>All Souls' Day</i> <i>Días de los Muertos</i>					
8	9	10	<i>Veterans' Day</i>	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	<i>Thanksgiving</i>	27	28
29	30					

# JOSEPHINE CLARDY-FOX PAPERS



*On Your Way to California*, Josephine Clardy-Fox papers, MS139

This 1923 booklet in the Josephine Clardy-Fox papers contains descriptions of local attractions in various southwestern cities, including El Paso, along the Rock Island Golden State Limited railroad route to California. Josephine Clardy-Fox (1881-1970) was a real estate investor, art collector, and philanthropist. The Fox Fine Arts Center is named in her honor.



# DECEMBER 2020

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10 <i>Chanukah Begins at Sundown</i>	11	12 <i>Our Lady of Guadalupe Day</i>
13	14	15	16	17	18 <i>Chanukah Ends</i>	19
20	21 <i>Winter Solstice</i>	22	23	24 <i>Christmas Eve</i>	25 <i>Christmas Day</i>	26 <i>Kwanzaa (ends Jan. 1)</i>
27	28	29	30	31 <i>New Year's Eve</i>		

# JANUARY 2021

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James Wilson Cassell magic lantern slide collection, PH055

Front cover image: Stansel postcard collection, PH049

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