



PANAMA CANAL ZONE 13 JUNE

We arrived at dawn on the 13th at Colon, on the Caribbean side of the Panama Canal Zone, only to be greeted by a large traffic jam of ships waiting to transit the Canal. Receiving our pilot late in the afternoon, we were raised 85 feet in three gravity fed locks to the level of Gatun Lake which marked the beginning of the 50 mile transit of the fresh water canal complex.

