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	27	28	29	30	31	..	..

THE CABINET.

Prime Minister and First Lord of the Treasury	Rt. Hon. J. Ramsay MacDonald
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LAW SITTINGS.

(Supreme Court of Judicature Act, 1875.)

Hilary ..	begins Jan. 11	ends April 16		Trinity ..	begins June 17	ends July 31
Easter ..	,, April 29	,, June 6		Michaelmas	,, Oct. 13	,, Dec. 20

FOREIGN AND COLONIAL PARCEL POST.

The sender of a parcel for any place abroad must fill up a Customs Declaration on a form provided for the purpose. There are two forms in use, one an adhesive form, to be used in connection with parcels for all British possessions and a few foreign countries, and the other a non-adhesive form, to be used for parcels for all other places abroad.

	3 lbs.	7 lbs.	11 lbs.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Abyssinia	5 3	5 3	5 9
Aden	2 0	3 9	5 3
Albania	4 0	4 0	4 6
Algeria	2 9	2 9	3 3
Argentine Republic	3 0	4 3	5 6
Ascension Island	1 9	3 0	4 3
Australia, 1/4 for first lb., 6d. for each succeeding lb.			
Austria	3 3	3 3	3 9
Azores	3 6	4 6	4 9
Bahamas	2 0	3 9	5 0
Balearic Islands	3 6	3 6	4 0
Barbados	1 6	3 0	4 3
Belgian Congo—			
(a) All places in	4 6	4 6	5 0
(b) Katanga Prov. only (Sea to Beira)	4 6	8 0	10 9
(c) Katanga Prov. (via Cape Town)	5 6	10 9	16 0
(d) 4th route	3 6	5 3	7 0
Belgium	1 9	2 6	3 0
Benadir	5 9	5 9	6 3
Bermuda	2 0	3 9	5 0
Bismarck Archipelago, 1/4 for first lb., 10d. for each succeeding lb.			
Bolivia	3 9	5 6	7 0
Brazil	3 3	4 3	5 3
British Guiana	1 9	3 0	4 3
British Honduras	1 6	3 0	4 6
British Somaliland	1 9	3 6	4 9
Brunei	2 0	3 3	4 6
Bulgaria	2 6	2 6	3 3
Cameroons—British Sphere	2 3	3 6	4 9
French Sphere	1 9	2 9	3 9
Canada	2 3	4 3	6 0
Canary Islands	3 3	3 3	3 6
Cape Verde Islands	3 0	3 6	4 0
Ceylon	2 0	3 9	5 3
Chile	3 3	4 6	5 6
China—			
(a) Chinese Offices except Yunnan	2 3	3 3	4 3
Yunnan only	4 3	4 3	5 0
(b) British Agency (Wei-hai-wei)	2 3	3 3	4 3
Columbia (except Departments of Barranquilla, etc.)	3 0	5 9	9 8
,, Depts. of Barranquilla, etc.	3 0	4 9	5 9
Corea, via Japan	2 0	2 9	3 9
,, via U.S.A.	3 9	6 3	9 3
,, via Canada	3 9	6 3	9 3
Corsica	2 9	2 9	3 3
Costa Rica	2 3	4 0	5 6
Crete	1 9	3 6	4 0
Cuba	2 6	4 0	5 0
Cyprus	2 6	3 9	5 0
Czecho-Slovakia	2 9	2 9	3 3
Dahomey	1 9	2 9	3 9
Denmark	2 3	2 3	3 0
Dominica	2 0	3 9	5 0
Dominican Republic	4 0	4 0	4 6
Dutch East Indies	4 9	4 9	5 9
,, Guiana	2 3	5 9	5 3
,, West Indies	2 0	3 6	4 9
Ecuador	3 0	4 0	5 3
Egypt	2 3	3 0	3 9
Erithrea	5 3	5 3	5 9
Falkland Islands	1 9	3 3	4 6
Fanning Island	1 6	2 9	4 6
Faröe Islands	2 3	2 3	3 0
Fiji Islands	3 0	5 9	8 3
Finland	3 6	3 6	4 0
Formosa	2 0	2 9	3 9
France	2 6	2 6	3 0
French Congo	6 3	6 3	7 0
,, Guiana	4 0	4 0	4 6
,, Guinea	1 9	2 9	3 9
,, India	2 0	3 9	5 3
,, Indo-China	5 0	5 0	6 6
,, Settlements of Oceania	5 3	6 3	8 9
,, Somali Coast	3 9	3 9	4 0
,, West Indies—			
(Guadeloupe and Martinique)	3 9	3 9	4 3
Gambia	2 3	3 6	4 9
Germany, direct or via Ostend	2 9	2 9	3 3
Gibraltar	1 6	2 9	3 9
Gilbert and Ellice Islands, 1/4 for first lb., 10d. for each succeeding lb.			
Gold Coast Colony	2 6	3 6	4 9
Greece, direct	1 9	3 6	4 0
Greenland	2 3	2 3	3 0
Grenada	1 9	3 3	5 0
Guatemala	2 6	3 6	4 9
Hawaii	2 0	3 9	5 0
Hayti	2 3	3 6	4 6
Holland	1 9	2 6	3 0
Honduras Republic	2 3	3 6	4 9
Hong Kong	1 9	2 9	3 9
Hungary	3 9	3 9	4 3
Iceland	2 3	3 3	4 0
India	2 0	3 9	5 3
Italy, via France	3 3	3 3	3 9
Ivory Coast	1 9	2 9	3 9
Jamaica	1 6	3 0	4 0
Japan	2 0	2 9	3 9
Kenya and Uganda	2 9	4 6	6 3
Labrador	2 6	4 3	5 9
Labuan	2 0	3 3	4 6
Leeward Islands	2 0	3 9	5 0
Liberia	3 3	4 0	4 9
Libya	4 3	4 3	4 9
Luxemburg	2 3	2 3	2 9
Macao (China)	2 3	3 6	4 6
Madagascar	4 0	4 0	4 9

FOREIGN AND COLONIAL PARCEL POST—*continued.*

	3 lbs.	7 lbs.	11 lbs.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Madeira	2 0	3 3	4 0
Malay States	2 0	3 3	4 6
Malta	1 3	2 6	3 3
Marshall Islands—Nauru Island, 1/4 for first lb., 10d. for each succeeding lb.			
Mauritania	4 0	4 0	4 6
Mauritius, direct	2 0	4 0	5 0
Mesopotamia (Iraq)	3 3	4 9	6 0
Mexico	2 3	3 6	5 0
Montserrat	2 0	3 9	5 0
Morocco, Tangier	1 9	3 0	4 3
(a) French Zone— Shereefian Offices ..	3 6	3 6	4 3
British Agencies at Casablanca, etc. ..	1 9	3 3	4 9
(b) Spanish Zone	3 6	3 6	4 0
Brit. Agencies at Larache and Tetuan only ..	1 9	3 3	4 9
Mozambique	2 6	4 0	5 0
New Caledonia	2 9	5 0	7 9
Newfoundland	2 6	4 3	5 9
New Guinea } 1/4 for first lb., 10d. for each			
New Hebrides } succeeding lb.			
New Zealand	2 3	4 0	6 3
Nicaragua	2 6	4 0	5 0
Nigeria	2 3	3 6	4 9
Norfolk Islands, same as Australia.			
North Borneo	1 9	3 0	4 6
Norway	3 6	3 6	4 0
Nyasaland Protectorate ..	3 6	5 9	7 3
Palestine	2 6	3 6	4 3
Panama, Republic of	2 9	4 0	5 0
,, Canal Zone	3 0	5 6	8 6
Papua (British New Guinea,) 1/4 for first lb., 10d. for each succeeding lb.			
Paraguay	3 0	4 3	5 6
Persia	4 0	4 0	5 3
Peru, all Depts. except Loreto	3 3	4 6	5 6
,, Dept. of Loreto only ..	4 0	5 0	6 0
Philippine Islands	3 3	6 3	9 3
Pitcairn Island	1 6	2 9	3 9
Poland	2 9	2 9	3 3
Porto Rico	2 0	3 9	5 0
Portugal	2 0	3 0	3 3
Portuguese East Africa ..	2 6	4 0	5 0
,, India	2 9	4 3	6 0
,, Timor	4 6	4 6	5 3
,, West Africa—			
Angola	3 9	4 3	4 6
Guinea	3 0	3 6	4 0
St. Thomé and Principe ..	3 6	4 0	4 3
Réunion	4 3	4 3	5 0
Rhodes	4 6	4 6	5 0
Roumania	4 0	4 0	4 6
Russia in Europe	4 0	4 0	4 6
Russia in Asia—all parts ..	5 9	5 9	6 3

	3 lbs.	7 lbs.	11 lbs.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
St. Helena	1 9	3 0	4 3
St. Kitts	2 0	3 9	5 0
St. Lucia	1 9	3 3	5 0
St. Pierre and Miquelon ..	3 0	4 3	5 3
St. Vincent	2 0	3 9	5 6
Salvador	3 0	4 0	5 3
Samoa (British Territory) ..	2 3	4 0	5 6
,, (U.S. Territory) ..	3 0	5 6	8 6
Sandwich Islands (Hawaii) ..	2 0	3 9	5 0
Sarawak	2 0	3 3	4 6
Senegal, French Sudan and Upper Volta	1 9	2 9	3 9
Serbs, Croats and Slovenes (Kingdom of)	3 6	3 6	4 0
Seychelles	2 0	3 9	5 3
Siam	3 6	4 9	5 9
Sierra Leone	2 6	3 6	4 9
Society Islands	5 3	6 3	8 9
Solomon Islands, 1/4 for first lb., 10d. for each succeeding lb.			
South Africa, via Cape Town—			
Union of S. Africa Basutoland, Swaziland, 9d. per lb.			
Rhodesia, Southern, 1/4 per lb.			
Rhodesia, Northern, 1/8 per lb.			
Bechuanaland Protectorate, 1/- per lb			
South-West Africa, 1/- per lb.			
Via Beira—			
Rhodesia, Southern ..	3 6	5 6	7 0
Rhodesia Northern ..	4 0	6 6	9 6
Spain	3 3	3 2	3 9
Straits Settlement	2 0	3 3	4 6
Sudan	2 9	3 9	4 6
Sweden	2 0	3 0	4 3
Switzerland, via France ..	3 0	3 0	3 3
Syria	3 9	3 9	4 9
Tanganyika Territory ..	2 9	4 6	6 3
Lake Victoria Area only ..	3 9	6 3	8 6
Togoland—(a) British ..	2 6	3 6	4 9
(b) French ..	4 0	4 0	4 9
Tonga	2 9	4 3	5 9
Tortola	2 0	3 9	5 0
Trinidad and Tobago	1 9	3 3	4 9
Tripoli (Africa)	4 3	4 3	4 9
Tunis	3 9	3 9	4 3
Turkey—(a) In Europe ..	3 0	3 0	3 6
(b) In Asia	3 6	3 6	4 0
Turks and Caicos Islands ..	2 0	3 9	5 0
Uganda	2 9	4 6	6 3
United States of America ..	2 0	3 9	5 0
Uruguay	3 3	4 6	5 6
Venezuela	4 0	5 3	6 6
Virgin Islands of the U.S ..	2 0	3 9	5 0
,, ,, (British) ..	2 0	3 9	5 0
Zanzibar	2 3	3 9	5 6

To a number of these countries, parcels up to 22lbs. may be sent.

INLAND POSTAL RATES.

LETTERS.

Not exceeding 2 oz..... 1½*d.*
For every additional 2 oz. or fraction thereof ..... ½*d.*

Limit of size, 24 x 12 x 12in. Weight unlimited.

POSTCARDS, 1*d.* stamp.

Registration.

Fee 3*d.*, limit of Compensation £5; 4*d.*, £20; 5*d.*, £40; and so on, 1*d.* for every £20 to limit 1/11 for £400.

PARCEL POST.

Not exceeding 2 lbs..... 6*d.*
From 2 lb. to 5 lb. ..... 9*d.*
,, 5 lb. to 8 lb. 1/-
,, 8 lb. to 11 lb..... 1/3

Maximum length ..... 3 ft. 6 in.
,, length and girth combined 6 ft. 0 in.
Parcels, which should bear the words "Parcel Post," must *not* be posted in a letter-box, but must be presented at the counter of a Post Office.

NEWSPAPERS.

If Registered as a Newspaper.

Up to 6 oz..... 1*d.*
For every additional 6 oz..... ½*d.*

Limit of weight for each packet, 2 lb.

POSTAL ORDERS.

Are now issued in gradations of 6*d.*, thus :—6*d.* to 2/6, Fee 1*d.*; 3/- to 15/-, Fee 1½*d.*; 15/6 to 21/-, Fee 2*d.*

Broken amounts, excluding halfpence, may be made up by the use of 3 Postage Stamps. not exceeding 5d. in value, affixed to the face of any one Postal Order.

MONEY ORDERS.

Not exceeding £3, 4*d.*; £10, 6*d.*; and 2*d.* for each additional £10 to limit £40.

PRINTED PAPER RATE.

For every 2 oz. or fraction thereof, ½*d.* (limit, 2 lb.).

Limit of size, 24 x 12 x 12 in.

Early posting necessary.

FOREIGN & COLONIAL LETTER POST.

For Foreign Countries (except United States of America, Egypt and Tangier), not exceeding 1 oz. .. .. 2½*d.*
For each additional oz. or fraction thereof .. .. .. 1½*d.*

For British Possessions generally, H.M. Ships of War abroad, the United States of America, Egypt and Tangier, not exceeding 1 oz. 1½*d.*
For each additional oz. or fraction thereof .. .. .. 1*d.*

TABLE FOR WAGES, &c.

Year.	PerMonth.	Per Week.	Per Day.	Year.	PerMonth.	Per Week.	Per Day.
£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1	0 1 8	0 0 4½	0 0 0¾	15	1 5 0	0 5 9	0 0 9¾
2	0 3 4	0 0 9¼	0 0 1¼	16	1 6 8	0 6 1¾	0 0 10½
3	0 5 0	0 1 1¾	0 0 2	17	1 8 4	0 6 6¼	0 0 11¼
4	0 6 8	0 1 6½	0 0 2¾	18	1 10 0	0 6 10¾	0 0 11¾
5	0 8 4	0 1 11	0 0 3¼	19	1 11 8	0 7 3½	0 1 0½
6	0 10 0	0 2 3¾	0 0 4	20	1 13 4	0 7 8	0 1 1¼
7	0 11 8	0 2 8¼	0 0 4½	30	2 10 0	0 11 6	0 1 7¾
8	0 13 4	0 3 1	0 0 5¼	40	3 6 8	0 15 4½	0 2 2¼
9	0 15 0	0 3 5½	0 0 6	50	4 3 4	0 19 2	0 2 9
10	0 16 8	0 3 10	0 0 6½	60	5 0 0	1 3 1	0 3 3¼
11	0 18 4	0 4 2¾	0 0 7¼	70	5 16 8	1 6 11	0 3 10
12	1 0 0	0 4 7¼	0 0 8	80	6 13 4	1 10 9	0 4 4½
13	1 1 8	0 4 11¾	0 0 8½	90	7 10 0	1 14 7	0 4 11½
14	1 3 4	0 5 4⅓	0 0 9¼	100	8 6 8	1 18 5	0 5 5¾

DAYS AND DATES, 1930.

New Year's Day	Jan.	1
Hilary Sittings begin	,,	11
Wattle Day, Australia	,,	26
Shrove Tuesday	Mar.	4
Ash Wednesday	,,	5
St. Patrick's Day	,,	17
Quarter Day (Lady Day)	,,	**25**
Hilary Sittings end	Apr.	16
Maundy Thursday	,,	17
Good Friday	,,	18
Primrose Day	,,	19
Easter Day	,,	20
Easter Monday (Bank Holiday)	,,	21
St. George's Day	,,	23
Easter Sittings begin	,,	29
Accession of King George V. (1910)	May	6
Empire Day	,,	24
H.M. The Queen's Birthday (1867)	,,	26
Ascension Day	,,	29
Union Day, South Africa	,,	31
H.M. The King's Birthday (1865)	June	3
Easter Sittings end	,,	6
Whit Sunday	,,	8
Whit Monday (Bank Holiday)	June	9
Trinity Sittings begin	,,	17
Coronation Day (1911)	,,	22
H.R.H. The Prince of Wales' Birthday (1894)	,,	23
Quarter Day (Midsummer Day)	,,	**24**
Dominion Day, Canada	July	1
Independence Day, U.S.A.	,,	4
St. Swithin's Day	,,	15
Trinity Sittings end	,,	31
Beginning of Great War (1914)	Aug.	4
Bank Holiday	,,	4
Grouse Shooting begins	,,	12
Partridge Shooting begins	Sept.	1
Quarter Day (Michaelmas Day)	,,	**29**
Pheasant Shooting begins	Oct.	1
Michaelmas Sittings begin	,,	13
Trafalgar Day	,,	21
Fox Hunting begins	Nov.	1
Armistice Day (1918)	,,	11
Michaelmas Sittings end	Dec.	20
Christmas Day	,,	25
Quarter Day	,,	**25**
Bank Holiday	,,	26

JANUARY.		1930.	FEBRUARY.	
1	W		1	S
2	Th		2	**S**
3	F		3	M
4	S		4	Tu
5	**S**		5	W
6	M		6	Th
7	Tu		7	F
8	W		8	S
9	Th		9	**S**
10	F		10	M
11	S		11	Tu
12	**S**		12	W
13	M		13	Th
14	Tu		14	F
15	W		15	S
16	Th		16	**S**
17	F		17	M
18	S		18	Tu
19	**S**		19	W
20	M		20	Th
21	Tu		21	F
22	W		22	S
23	Th		23	**S**
24	F		24	M
25	S		25	Tu
26	**S**		26	W
27	M		27	Th
28	Tu		28	F
29	W			
30	Th			
31	F			

PHASES OF THE MOON.

8th First Qr. 3.11 a.m. 21st Last Qr. 4. 7 p.m.
14th Full .. 10.21 p.m. 29th New .. 7. 7 p.m.

PHASES OF THE MOON.

6th First Qr. 5.26 p.m. 20th Last Qr. 8.44 a.m.
13th Full .. 8.39 a.m. 28th New .. 1.33 p.m.

MARCH. 1930.

1	S
2	**S**
3	M
4	Tu
5	W
6	Th
7	F
8	S
9	**S**
10	M
11	Tu
12	W
13	Th
14	F
15	S
16	**S**
17	M
18	Tu
19	W
20	Th
21	F
22	S
23	**S**
24	M
25	Tu
26	W
27	Th
28	F
29	S
30	**S**
31	M

PHASES OF THE MOON.

8th First Qr. 4.0 a.m. 22nd Last Qr. 3.13 a.m.
14th Full .. 6.58 p.m. 30th New .. 5.46 a.m.

APRIL.

1	Tu
2	W
3	Th
4	F
5	S
6	**S**
7	M
8	Tu
9	W
10	Th
11	F
12	S
13	**S**
14	M
15	Tu
16	W
17	Th
18	F
19	S
20	**S**
21	M
22	Tu
23	W
24	Th
25	F
26	S
27	**S**
28	M
29	Tu
30	W

PHASES OF THE MOON.

6th First Qr. 11.25 a.m. 20th Last Qr. 10. 8 p.m.
13th Full .. 5.48 a.m. 28th New .. 7. 8 p.m.

XIV

MAY. 1930. JUNE.

1	Th		1	S	
2	F		2	M	
3	S		3	Tu	
4	S		4	W	
5	M		5	Th	
6	Tu		6	F	
7	W		7	S	
8	Th		8	S	
9	F		9	M	
10	S		10	Tu	
11	S		11	W	
12	M		12	Th	
13	Tu		13	F	
14	W		14	S	
15	Th		15	S	
16	F		16	M	
17	S		17	Tu	
18	S		18	W	
19	M		19	Th	
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21	W		21	S	
22	Th		22	S	
23	F		23	M	
24	S		24	Tu	
25	S		25	W	
26	M		26	Th	
27	Tu		27	F	
28	W		28	S	
29	Th		29	S	
30	F		30	M	
31	S				

PHASES OF THE MOON.

5th	First Qr.	4.53 p.m.	20th	Last Qr.	4.22 p.m.
12th	Full ..	5.29 p.m.	28th	New ..	5.37 a.m.

PHASES OF THE MOON.

3rd	First Qr.	9.56 p.m.	19th	Last Qr.	9. 0 a.m.
11th	Full ..	6.12 a.m.	26th	New ..	1.47 p.m.

JULY. 1930. AUGUST.

1	Tu		1	F	
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PHASES OF THE MOON.

3rd First Qr. 4.3 a.m. 18th Last Qr. 11.29 p.m.
10th Full .. 8.1 p.m. 25th New .. 8.42 p.m.

PHASES OF THE MOON.

1st First Qr. 12.26 p.m. 17th Last Qr. 11.31 a.m.
9th Full .. 10.58 a.m. 24th New .. 3.37 a.m.
30th First Qr. 11.57 p.m.

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SEPTEMBER. 1930.			OCTOBER.		
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PHASES OF THE MOON.

8th Full .. 2.48 a.m. 22nd New .. 11.42 a.m.
15th Last Qr. 9.13 p.m. 29th First Qr. 2.58 p.m.

PHASES OF THE MOON.

7th Full .. 6.56 p.m. 21st New .. 9.48 p.m.
15th Last Qr. 5.12 a.m. 29th First Qr. 9.22 a.m.

NOVEMBER.		1930.	DECEMBER.	
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PHASES OF THE MOON.

6th Full ..	10.28 a.m.	20th New ..	10.21 a.m.
13th Last Qr	12.27 p.m.	28th First Qr.	6.18 a.m.

PHASES OF THE MOON.

6th Full ..	12.40 a.m.	20th New ..	1.24 a.m.
12th Last Qr.	8.7 p.m.	28th First Qr.	3.59 a.m.

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Jan. 5	Isa. xlii.	Matt. iv. to 23	Isa. xliii. or xliv.	Acts iii.
12	— l	— vii. 7	— lii. 13 and liii. or liv.	— vii. 35 to viii. 5
19	— lv.	— xi.	— lvii. or lxi.	— xi.
26	— lxii.	— xiv. 13	— lxv. or lxvi.	— xv. 30 to xvi. 16
Feb. 2	Job xxvii.	— xviii. 21 to xix. 3	Job. xxviii. or xxix.	— xx. to 17
9	Prov. i.	— xxij. 15 to 41	Prov. iii. or viii.	— xxiv.
16	Gen. i. and ii. to 4	Rev. xxi. to 9	Gen. ii. 4 or Job xxxviii.	Rev. xxi. 9 to xxii. 6
23	— iii.	Mark i. to 21	— vi. or viii.	Rom. vii.
Mar. 2	— ix. to 20	— v. 21	— xii. or xiii.	— xi. 25
9	— xix. 12 to 30	— ix. 2 to 30	— xxii. to 20 or xxiii.	1 Cor. i. 26 and ii.
16	— xxvii. to 41	— xii. 35 to xiii. 14	— xxviii. or xxxii.	— viii.
23	— xxxvii.	Luke i. to 26	— xxxix. or xl.	— xiv. to 20
30	— xlii.	— iv. 16	— xliii. or xlv.	2 Cor. ii. 14 and iii.
April 6	Exod. iii.	— viii. to 26	Exod. v. or vi. to 14	— x.
13	— ix.	Matt. xxvi.	— x. or xi.	Luke xix. 28 or xx. 9 to 21
20	— xii. to 29	Rev. i. 10 to 19	— xii. 29 or xiv.	John xx. 11 to 19 or Rev. v.
27	Numb. xvi. to 36	1 Cor. xv. to 29	Numb. xvi. 36 or xvii. to 12	— xx. 24 to 30
May 4	— xx. to 14	Luke xxii. 54	— xx. 14 to xxi. 10 or xxi. 10	1 Thess. i.
11	— xxii.	John ii.	— xxiii. or xxiv.	2 Thess. iii.
18	Deut. iv. to 23	— vi. to 22	Deut. iv. 23 to 41 or v.	2 Tim. i.
25	— vi.	— ix. to 39	— ix. or x.	Philemon.
June 1	— xxx.	— xiii. to 21	— xxxiv. or Josh. i.	Heb. viii.
8	— xvi. to 18	Rom. viii. to 18	Isa. xi. or Ezek. xxxvi. 25	Gal. v. 16 or Acts xviii. 24 to xix. 21
15	Isa. vi. to 11	Rev. i. to 9	Gen. xviii. or i. and ii. to 4	Eph. iv. to 17 or Matt. iii.
22	Josh. iii. 7 to iv. 15	Acts v. 17	Josh. v. 13 to vi. 21 or xxiv.	2 Peter ii.
29	Judges iv.	John xxi. 15 to 23	Judges v. or vi. 11.	Acts iv. 8 to 23
July 6	1 Sam. ii. to 27	Acts xiii. to 26	1 Sam. iii. or iv. to 19.	Matt. i. 18
13	— xii.	— xvii. 16	— xiii. or Ruth i.	— vi. to 19
20	— xv. to 24	— xxi. 17 to 37	— xvi. or xvii.	— x. to 24
27	2 Sam. i.	— xxvi.	2 Sam. xii. to 24 or xviii.	— xiii. 53 to xiv. 13
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10	— xxix. 9 to 29.	— ix. to 19	2 Chron. i. or 1 Kings iii.	— xxii. to 15
17	1 Kings x. to 25.	— xiv. and xv. to 8	1 Kings xi. to 15 or xi. 26	— xxv. 31
24	— xii.	1 Cor. iv. 18 and v.	— xiii. or xvii.	— xxviii.
31	— xviii.	— xi. 2 to 17	— xix. or xxi.	Mark iv. 35 to v. 21
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14	2 Kings v.	2 Cor. vi. and vii. 1	— vi. to 24 or vii.	— xii. 13 to 35
21	— ix.	— xii. 14 and xiii.	— x. to 32 or xiii.	— xv. 42 and xvi.
28	— xviii.	Gal. vi.	— xix. or xxiii. to 31	Luke iv. to 16
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12	Jerem. v.	Col. i. 21 to ii. 8	Jerem. xxii. or xxxv.	— x. 17
19	— xxxvi.	1 Thess. iv.	Ezek. ii. or xiii. to 17	— xiv. to 25
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23	Hosea xiv.	James ii.	Joel ii. 21 or iii. 9.	— viii. to 31
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21	— xxx. to 27	John xx. 19 to 24	— xxxii. or xxxiii. 2 to 23	— xiv. to 8
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WHAT HAVE I LENT ?

When Lent	Article or Book	To Whom	When Returned

Sweden

Wednesday, January 1

Wriksdal Dröttningholm

New Year's Day.

Spent a quiet morning & wrote a lot of letters & did some more and some work in the afternoon. = Motored over with the entire family to Dröttningholm the other side of Stockholm for tea with the King. Prince Eugene his brother also there & went all over the Palace which is quite lovely & with some marvellous tapestries. Back to Wriksdal for dinner and played in & played ridiculous games & card tricks afterwards. :

Sweden

Thursday, January 2

Wriksdal Stockholm

Motored in to Stockholm early and went all over the City Hall the architect of which is a Swede Östberg & which was only completed in 1923 & I think is the finest modern building both outside & in I have seen also went over the Civil Law Courts another good building about 20 years old. = Back to Stockholm in the afternoon to shop = The British Minister & his wife Sir Howard & Lady Kennard lunched & some cousins of Gustaf the Bernadottes came for tea. Louise, Dickie & I went to Buster Keaton's film in Stockholm in the evening.

Sweden

Friday, January 3

Wrikksdal Upsala Fröturna

Left early in the car with Gustaf & Louise & motored about 50 miles to Upsala. There we visited the Cathedral & saw some fine vestments also the University Buildings & met the Archbishop. Then motored on to Fröturna about 15 miles away & lunched with Count & Countess Bernadotte. Delightful people & very nice place. Got back to Wrikksdal about 6 and then spent a quiet evening. Absolutely freezing -

Sweden

Wriksdal. Saturday, January 4 Stockholm

Motored into Stockholm with Gustaf and Louise and went to see some churches, also the changing of the Guard at the Palace and did a little shopping. We gave them & the rest of the family lunch at a place called the Cecil. Had my hair washed after & then did some shopping & bought some presents & went to Lea with Prince Eugene who has a lovely house & is an excellent painter himself. In the evening we all went to the opera "Cavaleria Rusticana" & after the Ballet "Coppelia".

Sweden

Hillsdal

Sunday, January 5

2nd S. after Christmas

Did not go out at all but spend a very lazy day. Not very true ✓ rather cold Did a lot of walk ✓ wrote ✓ some letters ✓ had a love talk with Louise ✓ played all sorts of games ✓ before ✓ after dinner.

Sweden

Monday, January 6

Drottningholm. Stockholm.

Epiphany.

Motored over to Drottningholm in the
morning & looked at the perfectly
lovely little 18th C. theatre built for King
Adolph Frederic by Adelaide. Absolutely com-
plete & quite unbleached. Also the Pavilion
Chinois built about the same time in the
Chinese style for one of the Queens -
Back for lunch & spent a quiet
afternoon. Went into Stockholm in
the evening to the Movies. =

Sweden. X

Tuesday, January 7

Stockholm Train

Spent nearly the whole day in Stockholm seeing various things including a lot of Swedish antiquities & Arts & Crafts. Also did some shopping & gave the whole family lunch at a place called Freden in the cellars of a house in the old part of the town.

Dickie & I left Stockholm at 9.15 en route for Berlin =r Louise & Gustaf came to see us off.

Sweden. Germany.

Wednesday, January 8

Train. Ferry. Steamer. Berlin

Travelling all day & had a good trip & finally arrived in Berlin about 7.15. p.m. Staying at the Adlon. Had a quiet dinner there & then went for a short time to a variety show & after to a dancing place called Casanova.

Germany

Thursday, January 9

Berlin

Interviewed a man from "Junkers" Aeroplanes in the morning with a view to possibly buying one & arranged a trial trip for tomorrow. Then went out & walked round the town quite a bit & after lunched at the Eden Hotel Grill. Went to look at some good modern buildings including the Karstadt an enormous department store very modern & quite lovely. Went to a very good Ufa Film in a good modernist Cinema House with steel ribs & excellent lighting. = Dined in & went to the Circus & after to Casanova & El Dorado.

Germany

Friday, January 10

Berlin Dessau Berlin

Lovely day & motored out to the Flugplatz at 10 with the Junkers manager & then flew with him in one of their machines in fact Professor Junker's own to Dessau 75 miles where their works are. Very good trip in 50 minutes. Went all over the works & inspected the machines & then flew back in ½ hour with the wind. — Did some shopping in the afternoon & in the evening went to an excellent show the "Three musketeers" beautifully done & staged. Then to the Barberini.

Saturday, January 11

Berlin Potsdam Train

Hilary Sittings begin.

A friend of Harvard's Camillo Holm a Norwegian who lives in Berlin came round to see us & motored us out to the Golf Club at Wannsee a charming place & then on to Sanssouci & Potsdam where we saw the Palaces perfect monstrosities. Then back to the Golf for lunch = Motored back in the afternoon & looked at very nice modern buildings & the "Schloss". Went to the Eden Hotel Bar for cocktails before dinner & then for a short time to watch some Ice Hockey. Dined at an excellent little place called "Savarin" & Dickie & I left on the 10.20 train in different parts of it as he was going direct to London & I to Paris.

Train

Sunday, January 12

Paris

1st S. after Epiphany.

Didkie came in to say Good-bye at 8. before his part of the train went unhooked for Calais. = I got to Paris at 1.5' & am staying at the Ritz. Found Marjorie at the hotel too. = Peter also in Paris. We all three lunched at the Cremaillère. Spent a quiet afternoon & Peter, Marjorie & I dined upstairs & then went to see the Guitry play "Histoires de France". After to the Boeuf sur le Toit: "

Paris

Monday, January 13

Aunt Victoria & Margarita & Tiny came to see me & I then did a lot of shopping. Found Mary & Bobby in Paris on their way back from St. Moritz so they Marjorie Peter & I all lunched at the Ritz. Shopped with Mary in the afternoon. Peter, Marjorie & I went to an excellent play at the Theatre des Arts "Les Criminels" beautifully acted & produced. Then to a new night club "Les Enfants Terribles" where we met Mary & Bobby & various others.

Paris

Tuesday, January 14

London

Left on the Golden Arrow train
left Mary & Bobby & had quite a
good journey over & took a
bad crossing. High came
and dined late & he sat &
talked late & then went for a
short time to the Café de
Paris & then back home.

Wednesday, January 15

London.

Busy day. Breck came ✓ lunched ✓ I kept a lot of appointments ✓ did some shopping in the afternoon. Busy. Much to do ✓ Dickie arrived up from Cheltenham at 6 & he had an Admiralty Conference tomorrow. He ✓ I, Hugh ✓ Charles Lambe ✓ Breck dined ✓ went to the Shaw play "The Apple Cart" ✓ after to the Embassy for a short time

Thursday, January 16

London

Mary & Bobby Margorie & Brecky & Georgie Quinched. I went in to see Hannah at Lea Kine who had been ill & then to Mary. Dickie & I & Margorie & Brecky dined at home & we went to a very funny play "Art & Mrs Bottle". Then to the Embassy to join Mary & Bobby & the Sefrases.

Friday, January 17

London

Dicthe went down to Adsdean early to hunt. I had Paula. Bobby Iain Murray & Ralph Gunch and after went out for some shopping & appointments Kay Norton & Hugh came to tea & I dined with the Gatter at Sovrani's & we went to an Excellent new Film all negroe called "Hallelujah" at the Empire. Then to the Kit-Cat for a bit & then home.

Saturday, January 18

London. Adsdean

Motored down to Adsdean with Tom Hussey who had just come home from Malta & is coming for the week end. He & I with Dickie and Patricia rode in the afternoon = Cecil Gaindrea arrived out at Liatrine and to stay. Spent a quiet evening playing Ping pong Rummy & the Gramophone.

Cadsdean

Sunday, January 19

2nd S. after Epiphany.

Lovely day, = Cecil Tom Dickie Patricia & I rode in the morning, - up on the downs. Dickie went over to Hamble in the afternoon to fly but I spent a quiet time working & writing. Cecil went with him & Tom stayed with me. Teddy Lonsdale & Hugh Beresford came for dinner from London & went on to Portsmouth Gate.

Monday, January 20

Adsdrau

All left early.

Not very fine early but perfectly lovely in the afternoon and evening & a perfectly glorious sky and sunset. Wrote a lot of letters in the morning & after which took Patricia for a ride & lods again with Dickie & Teddy & Cecil when they came out at 4.15 till about 5.15. More letters later. All spent the night.

Tuesday, January 21

Adsdean London

Perfectly glorious day in the country and I motored up to London at 11. Near London however the densest fog imaginable & Dausie had to walk in front of the car for miles, pure peasoup. Lunched very late at Harmah's as I only arrived at 2-15. Then to the dentist and some shopping. Dined in with Marjorie & Brecky who are staying here for a few days while moving house, & Hugh & went to Ronald Colman's Film "Condemned" & then joined up at the Café de Paris.

Wednesday, January 22

London.

Better day. Lunched with Helen Fitzgerald who had a large party & did a lot of things & saw the doctor in the afternoon. Various people in to tea. Marjorie & Bredy Hugh & I dined & we went to Barry's play "A Warren Corner" not very good then back home

Thursday, January 23

London

Very wet. George, Fish, Philip, Harold, Cousin Anne the Breathes. I punched. Tom Hussey came in about 4. We went to the Regal to a good coloured film "Gold Diggers on Broadway." Dined at home late and Jeanne came. After to the Embassy for a short time.

Friday, January 24

London

Had various people to lunch & Peter just back from Paris came in at tea time. Also Lorraine & Ian. The Brechies & Dickie (who came up from Adsdean at 6, Lorraine Peter Tom Hussey & Paula dined here & we went to a play called "The Last Enemy." Quite good. then to the Cafe de Paris but not for long.

Saturday, January 25

London

Dickie left early for Portsmouth as he had a "week-end on". The Breathies Iam & Peter functioned also. Jeanne & she & I went to an excellent film in the afternoon called "Flight". Peter came to tea & I dined in bed & Hugh came to see me & had dinner on a tray.

Sunday, January 26

London. Trent. London

3rd S. after Epiphany.
Wattle Day, Australia.

Not a fine day & rather cold & wet. Motored down to Trent with Hugh for lunch where we found Philip & Hannah, Sybil Helen Fitzgerald & a few others. Went out for a short time but it was really too bad. Peter to dinner & after Jeanie came round & she & I Peter & Hugh went to "The Mighty" a good film at the Plaza.

Monday, January 27

London

I had some massage & kept some appointments and then lunched with Philip. Marie Therese du Bourg and Paula to Léa & Gabi Peter. Dined in & went to bed early.

Tuesday, January 28

London

A busy day. The Brecklies no longer staying as they have moved into their new house but Mary Cottle here for the moment. = I dined with Helen Fitz-Gerald & we went to a new Film at the Marble Arch "Disraeli" not good & after to the Embassy for a short time.

Wednesday, January 29

London

Julie Thompson, Paula, Georgie Rowne & Hugh to lunch. Consin Felix to see me at tea time. Dined at Tearne's & went to an excellent play "The Man in Possession" & after for a short time to the Embassy.

Thursday, January 30

London

Appointments in the morning & had Daddy, Daisy Brendix John Salmond & Iain Murray & the Brechies for lunch. Went out with Marjorie in the afternoon to see her office. Dined in with Hugh & we went to "Welcome Danger".

Friday, January 31

London × Adsdean

Had my treatments in the morning & late French. Peter came round at tea-time & he motored down to Adsdean arriving about 8. Found Jeanie down having gone down last night to hunt with Dickie Lindsay also Andrew Yates. Early bed. Mary Pratt came down for the week-end.

Saturday, February 1

Adsdean.

Dickie & some others went out shooting & had quite a good day. Ronnie arrived down for lunch. Jeanie left after tea & I spent a quiet evening with the rest of the party & played Rummy with Peter.

Sunday, February 2

Cadsdean

4th S. after Epiphany.

Quiet day. The children rode in the morning and we all went out round the stables and Gardens in the afternoon. Tom Hutley came after tea. Heard the wild. Rummy with Peter after dinner. Ronnie left at tea time.

Monday, February 3

Adsdean London

Peter went into Portsmouth Early with Dickie & Andrew also departed Tom remained & we lunched with Patriana & then I motored him up as far as Sunningdale from where he took a train to London & I went to Little Court to see George. Slaped for Lea & then motored on up. Dined with Jeanine at her house Mike also there, & after we went to a very bad film "Marianne" but good lines. The Casa Maury slaping at Brook House as they are moving house.

Tuesday, February 4

London.

Did a lot of shopping & had various appointments in the morning George Poole Butler, & Mick Alexander to lunch. Went round to see Marjorie after & later down to her office. The oculist at 5 & then looked in to see Sleppy. Dined in with Bobby Casa Mauro Peter & Marjorie & Brecky & Jeanie & we went to "Nine till Six" rather a good play & an all women cast & very well acted.

Wednesday, February 5

London.

Lunched at the Ritz with Julie Thompson who also had Jeanne Paula & Sheila. Went out with Hannah in the afternoon & did a lot of shopping. Hugh & Peter to tea & dined in with the former. We went to a film called "General Crack" & after to the Embassy.

The Fish (Bradford) staying for a few nights. Late bed.

Thursday, February 6

London.

Walked in the park & dined & some shopping & lunched with Jaddy at the Ritz & spent the afternoon with Jeanne. Had my treatment at 5. Dined with Lorraine & went to a very good play with Herbert Marshall Edna Best & Frank Lawton in called "Michael & Mary". After to the Embassy.

Friday, February 7

London.

Icy cold. Various people to see me & had Betty Tearnie & Dorothea Montague to lunch. Shopped with Tearnie in the afternoon. Peter came round at tea time & we motored down to Adsdean in time for dinner. Sarah Norton staying with Patricia.

Saturday, February 8

Ad Sdean

Very cold. Did nothing much in the morning but took the children riding in the afternoon Patricia on Zachy & Sarah on Patricia's new pony "Rusty". De Hayne Segrave arrived late to stay. Peter & I played "Rummy" while he & Dickie discussed aeroplanes.

Sunday, February 9

Cadsdean

5th S. after Epiphany.

Dickie & I took the children riding. Jeanie arrived down at Church time with Bobby Cesa Nancy to play. Peter & Vidoz du Cane and a man called Philip Yorke motored down for Church. Rummy after tea. Teddy Lonsdale came for dinner and the night.

Monday, February 10

Adsdean.

Very cold again. Every one left except Jeanie who stayed till after dinner. Lunched with the children & Patrina & Sarah came down for tea. Didie & I went for a short ride when he got back at 4. Wrote a lot of letters after dinner.

Tuesday, February 11

Adsdean London

Rode with Patricia in the morning. Then motored to George to Sunningdale in time for lunch & stayed till about 3. Went to the doctor for my treatment on arrival. Had Leonard & Miss Wallace later. Dined with Max, Jeanne & Mike & had an interesting evening with a lot of Empire Free Trade enthusiasts later for a short time to the Café de Paris with Mike.

Wednesday, February 12

London

Fish & Bobby Cass & Nancy playing at Brook House
A lot of appointments & had Charlie
Cochran & a man called Cotton Minchin
(with whom I am organizing a mid-
night performance in aid of the British
Legion) to lunch. Jeannie & I
went out in the afternoon. George
and Nick Alexander to tea.
Dined with Lorraine, Terence Philips
Nick Alexander & Fish also there
went to a bad movie & after to
the Embassy & the Brechian & Thursby
Joined us.

Thursday, February 13

London

Lunched with Hannah, Philips & Julie Thompson also Chere = Cousin Helen and Jack Salmond to tea, which Alexander came in to see me at 7. Dined at Sovrani's with Peter du Cane & his wife & Philip Jorke & went to Chevalier's new film "The Love Parade". Then to the Café de Paris.

Friday, February 14

London Ardsdean

Did some shopping & lunched with Marjorie & Brecky. Then the Fish motored me down to Ardsdean in his new Talbot car. Found Charles Lamb there & Dickie & I went up & had tea in the nursery as it was Patricia's 6th birthday Quiet evening.

Saturday, February 15

Adsdean

Rode with the children in the morning up on the downs. Charles also came with us but motored back to London before lunch. Teddy came out from Portsmouth for the day & Jeanie arrived at tea time. Went miles away to call on Dickie's Captain & picked up the children who had been to tea with Rita Curzon Howe's in Fareham Cecil Gaudner & his brother came for dinner & the evening.

Sunday, February 16

Ads dean

Septuagesima.

A most lovely day & bright sun = all; including Jeanie, Fish, & the children rode before lunch. Aunt Victoria arrived down at lunch time & Teddy came out again. Jeanie & Sarah left in the afternoon & we had some neighbours the Christys to tea. Also Nona & Dick came over & stayed for dinner. Andrew Yates turned up & those 3 left late.

Adsdean

Monday, February 17

London

Aunt Vidone left at 11 & I motored up to Sunningdale with the Fish to pick up George whom I gave lunch to at Gwoll House. Also Hugh Mick Alexander & the Fish. A lot of shopping in the afternoon & lots of people to tea & various appointments. Dined in with Daddy and Hugh & we went after to an excellent film "The Virginian". - Then back home.

Tuesday, February 18

London

A hectic day with appointments etc as Marjorie Bradley & I are sailing for America tomorrow. I had Aunt Victoria George & Nada Poppy Fish Ralph & Harold Weruber to lunch. Matters of shopping after & went out with Hannah. Philip, Jane Murray Cousin Felix & Jeanie to tea & later Sheaffer Morrison came in for a cocktail. Dickie arrived up at 6 & he & I Bobby Casa Maury & Winnie & Lionel dined at home & went to an excellent film "Happy Days" after to the Embassy to join Jeanie Marjorie & Bradley etc.

Wednesday, February 19

London R.M.S. "Aquitania"

Dickie & Cousin Felix came to see us off at Waterloo at 8=50 in the boat train to Southampton — Mary Ann Brecky & I = & Cousin Anne also came down as she is motoring to Ober well from there. = Cousin Teddy at Southampton & the children came over from Gadsdean. — Aquitania sailed at 12. very uninteresting lot of people. Fine weather

Thursday, February 20

R.M.S. "Aquitania" At sea

Lovely day and sat up on deck in the morning. Not so fine in the afternoon and slightly rough. Went to the "horse racing" & met a man called Weaver "Reggy Wood of Bitter Sweet's "husband". Lionel Tennyson also on board. Margorie & I played Rummy. The "Pool" for the ships run after dinner in the smoking room. Alex Kinloch Frank's brother & his wife joined us. -

Friday, February 21

R.M.S. Aquitania At Sea

Bad day. Filthy weather & very rough. Marjorie collapsed! I did it, but might have felt better at times!! Spent most of the day with Brecky & in the afternoon went right forward in the bows. Watched the waves & got absolutely soaked! Pool again after dinner = we failed to win yesterday!

Saturday, February 22 At Sea

R.M.S. Aquitania

Every day I had an electric bath in the morning & after a shower and a swim in the pool. Before lunch visited the Captain in cockpit. Quite a good film in the afternoon. Emil Jannings in Sins of the Fathers. A Gala dinner & the pool after. =

Sunday, February 23 R.M.S. Aquitania At sea

Sexagesima.

Lovely day. Had an electric bath after a swim & then sat on deck. Rather cold. Cinema at tea time. Tea with the Staff Captain & the ship's pool against in the evening. We won Yesterdays with 561; & each made about £60.

Monday, February 24

R.M.S. Aquitania At Sea

Fine day again & warmer. Electric bath & a swim & then sat out & read till lunch. Races in the afternoon & then a Cinema Not a very good Film. Played Rummy after dinner & sat in the smoking room for a time. Very foggy in the evening & during the night which will probably delay us a lot. Fog horn all night.

U.S.A.

Tuesday, February 25

R.M.S. Aquitania. At Sea. New York.

Fog lifted in the morning but we got in late, — only reaching quarantine at 2.30 & docking at 5.30 instead of 12. — Most lovely day & hot. — 73 in the shade & like the middle of summer & we were quite exhausted by the time we were ashore. I am staying with the Vanderbilts & the Breckies with the Kahns. Usual mass of press reporters & photographers bombarded us. Dined in, little Grace & her husband also came & the Breckies. — Late went to a small party given by Bert Taylor for Gertie Lawrence after her 1st night. Then to Florence's.

U.S.A.

Wednesday, February 26

New York.

Lovely day & not quite so hot. A hectic day. Lunched with Hoytie Wyloge & in the afternoon went to a matinée of Cole Porter's show "Fifty Million Frenchmen". Good music but otherwise not particularly good. Looked in to see Jamie Sanford. = Dined with the Vanderbilts. Nini Ryan, the Beechers, Serge Obolensky, Will Stewart & Gerhardi also there. = Went to a Hart & Rogers show "Simple Simon" very good. Then for a short time to the "Casino" in Central Park where Leo Reiseman's band play quite marvellously.

U.S.A.

Thursday, February 27X

New York.

Shopping in the morning & lunched in with Mrs Vanderbilt, Will Stewart & Jack Potter. Went out with Mrs V. in the afternoon & we went to Hugo Rumbolds shop & then to his appartment from where one gets a marvellous view of the new Chrysler building. Tea with Grace Davis who also has a charming appartment & then to see Ethel Russel. Dined at the Kahns & after went to a very good play "June Moon". To the Lido for a short time after.

U.S.A.

Friday, February 28

New York.

Shopped with Marjorie in the morning & looked out Gramophone records etc. Lunched at Charlie Schwartzer & in the afternoon tried one of the new "Cord" front wheel drive cars. Paid calls on Warburg & & Schiffs later. Dined with Grace & Henry Davis & went to "Strictly Dishonorable" & Then to bed. Liz Altemus looked in to see me late as she sails for Europe early tomorrow. Spoke to Hugh in the midlands & Dickie at Ardsdean on the telephone. Beautifully clear & quite uncanny! Very cold again but lovely & bright & sunny

U. S. A.

New York. Saturday, March 1 Train

Hectic morning shopping & seeing Paula who had just arrived from Canada for a few days. = met Marjorie & Brecky at the station & Will Stewart came to see us off as we are all three going out to California. Went on the Advance 20 Century a marvellous train to Chicago, leaving at 2 & getting in tomorrow morning at 9 A.M. Excellent food, manicurist, hairdresser, observation cars etc all on the train!!

U.S.A.

Sunday, March 2

Train. Chicago. Train (Santa Fe)
Illinois. Iowa. Kansas. Quinquagesima.

Arrived in at Chicago at 9.AM Chief & drove straight to look at the new Opera House just completed & quite fovely. Then to the Blackstone Hotel where we had breakfast & baths. Thick snow. Left Chicago on the "Chief" train Santa Fe fine at 11.15 AM. Equally luxurious train & most comfortable. Passed through Illinois & Missouri & Kansas City last thing. Snow & ice everywhere. Found weaver & some friends of his including Gerrard & an actor called Allan Bruce on the train.

U. S. A

Monday, March 3

Train. Kansas. Colorado. New Mexico

Cold early but getting warmer.
Passed through all kinds of different
states and scenery some quite lovely
& got out at various places.
New Mexico most attractive &
railway winds round terrific bends
& up & down hills & right through
the mountains = Raged Runway &
the gramophone.

U.S.A

Tuesday, March 4

Mexico Arizona California & Los Angeles

Shrove Tuesday.

More lovely scenery & really hot in the middle of the day, & bright blue sky & sun. Arrived at Los Angeles about 7.15 but in pouring rain the weather having changed in the afternoon. Were met by Mary and Douglas Fairbanks whom we are going to stay with at Beverly Hills where they have a delightful house just outside Hollywood, = & also Laddie who is playing in Los Angeles having been playing Polo here. = Dined up at the house quietly & went to bed fairly early.

U S A. California

Wednesday, March 5

Beverley Hills, Hollywood

Ash Wednesday.

Talked to Dickie on the telephone at Hadleam
Not a very fine day & Some Rain.
Went down to Mary & Douglas's
bungalows in the Allied Artists
Studios & had our hair washed &
nails done etc := Then went over
some of the Studios & saw some
films being made. Lunched
there & continued round the
Studios in the afternoon. Saw
Ronald Colman doing "Raffles"
a Fine Film & Abraham Lincoln
a Griffith production. Laddie
Charlie Chaplin & June Colyer
very pretty for dinner. After saw a new
film "Putting on the Ritz" with Harry
Richman & Joan Bennett.

U. S. A. California

Thursday, March 6

Beverley Hills Holly Wood

Glorious day and quite hot. Spent morning going over Metro Golwyn Mayer Studios where we saw "High Road" Good News & a lot of other films being made. Lunched there with Mr. Van Pelt one of the directors & a Mr. Parker friend of the Fairbanks. Saw Elsie Janis & in the afternoon went over to the Paramount Mary Douglas Marjorie Breckyl & a good footing film actor Charles Farrell dined at the Roosevelt where George Olsen's band plays & then went to the new Tibbetts film the "Rogue Song" very good.

66 U.S.A. California

Friday, March 7

Beverley Hills Hollywood Train

Went to see Harold Lloyd & his lovely place at Beverley Hills. Lunched with Douglas at the Studio - May had people up at the house. Joe Sekenak, Irene Dalroy & some others also at the Studio. After went to the Universal Studios where we saw some reels of two new films Paul Whiteman's "The King of Jazz" & "All Quiet on the Western Front". Left at at 8.30 for W. R. Hearst's ranch in private car supplied by him. Rest of the party besides the Bradbies Laundie Mrs Garland, Larry Gray & Clare & Jimmy Beck who are also visiting Hollywood.

California U.S.A. San Simeon 67

Saturday, March 8

Hearst Ranch. La Cuesta Encantada

Woke up to find our car standing at San Luis Obispo 52 miles from the Hearst Ranch to which we then motored at 9. Lovely scenery right along the coast & then up the mountains. House stands 2000 ft up. Drive six miles long with all sorts of wild animals elk bison giraffe & trickers & every sort of deer on the slopes. The main house Spanish Gothic reminiscent of a Cathedral, three smaller pavilions round all with rooms furniture, pictures, tapestries collected from various parts of Europe. Swimming pool, 500, tennis courts & all one can desire & most heavenly views. Enormous party Marion Davies hostess & Juliette Compton & a mass of others from Film land & elsewhere. Lot of us rode glorious country. Mexican ponies & saddles. Films after dinner

California U.S.A

Sunday, March 9

Hearst-Ranch Del Monte

Glorious weather

1st S. in Lent.

Marjorie & I swam early. Left the Ranch about 12 & the Breathers Laddie & I & the maids flew to Del Monte. Plane a 3 engined Ford monoplane & it took 50 minutes. Glorious scenery. Have got rooms in one little bungalow belonging to the big hotel. Glorious day. Afternoon watched a good Polo Match. Argentines & strong American team consisting of Gerald Balding, Aiden Roark, Perkins & Stevenson. The Argentines really wonderfully organized team & won 16-8. After drove all round Pebble Beach, Lovely. Dined with a Mr Howard & party at "The Lodge" !!! —

California U.S.A.

Monday, March 10

Del Monte. Carmel. Santa Cruz. San Mateo

Glorious weather.

Rode early. Delicious day. Lunched with the Fishs (Hoytie Wyborg's sister) at their ranch at Carmel above Pebble Beach which is lovely & a most attractive house. After Breakf Marjorie & I motored up to San Mateo near San Francisco via Santa Cruz where we saw the big Segovia Grove Redwood Trees. Most lovely drive. Playing with the Will Crockers 28 miles short of San Mateo. Got there about 7.30. Laddie flew up by plane. Dined at home & a few people came in. Had a charming chauffeur called Dick who told us everything & kept us in fits of laughter.

U.S.A.

California

Tuesday, March 11

San Mateo San Francisco Train

Glorious day.

Lunched Early, & then Laddie flew back to Los Angeles & we motored on into San Francisco with same chauffeur Dick who took us all round & showed us the sights — Golden Horn Entrance to Harbour very lovely & then drove round Chinatown, went to a marvellous shop Jumps where I fell for some Jade. Washed & dined at the St. Francis Hotel & after went to Alan Bunce's (whom we'd met on the train) play "The Perfect Alibi" Saw him after & then caught the night-train for El Portal & the Yosemite Valley.

U.S.A.

Wednesday, March 12

California. Yosemite Valley. Train Honors day.

Arrived in at El Portal at 8 & then had 20 miles motor drive right up to the Yosemite which is indescribably lovely; sheer mountains of granite rock rising up from the valley snow topped & tremendously imposing. The big trees we covered at see owing to the snow. Shaped at the Awahnee Hotel & drove all over the floor of the valley in the morning & Brecky & I rode up one of the steep trails in the afternoon & got some lovely views. Motored to merced in the evening & from there took the train back to Los Angeles. Could only get "section accomodation"

U.S.A

Thursday, March 13

California Hollywood.

Arrived in early at 8 & were met by Douglas. Spent a quiet morning & furnished up at the house. Did a lot of shopping in the afternoon & went to the studio for tea. Also visited Charlie Chaplin at his studio & saw him do some of new film "City Nights". Laddie came up for dinner & we had the "Silly Hawk" film. Not very good. Went out for a bit.

U.S.A.

Friday, March 14

California Hollywood

Lunched at the Studio & after went round the Paramount-place & saw a few films being made. Hair done & tea at the Studio Cafe. Marion Davies gave a marvellous party for us at her "Beach house" which is lovely at Santa Monica. Huge dinner & all Paul Whiteman's orchestra playing & doing turns after. Glorious fun & did not get to bed till 6.30 A.M.!!

U S A

Saturday, March 15

California Hollywood

Not feeling too well after a very late night. Lunched up at the house. In the afternoon drove to Pasadena to see the Huntingdon collection, most wonderful one of English pictures including Gainsborough's "Blue Boy" & Lawrence's "Pinkie". Terrible weather. Mary Jane Brady & I had tea at the studio & then went to say good bye to Laddie who was off to England. Mary & Doug gave a dinner followed by a dance for us. All Film world attending & really great fun.

U.S.A. Mexico

Sunday, March 16

California Beverley. San Diego. Agua Caliente

2nd S. in Lent.

All slept late after the party. Larry Gray came up for lunch & at 3 the Breathes Mary & Douglas he & I set off to motor to Agua Caliente just south of Tihuana over the Mexican frontier. Lovely drive but the last part we had to do in the dark. Awful business at frontier. Hotel excellent but weather sheerly & complete downpour. Dined late & danced & gambled at the "Casino".

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Mexico U.S.A.

Monday, March 17

Agua Caliente. Los Angeles. Beverly Hills

St. Patrick's Day.

Left Caliente at 9. A.M.
Hectic day. Intended motoring to Yuma
to catch our New Orleans connection at
6 (the maids having left Los Angeles on it
at 8. A.M. on it) but on arrival at the Mexican
frontier found we had too little time &
that the roads were partly under snow so
decided to go on to San Diego & fly &
fly from there. Pilot very uncertain but
said he would start out & see - no sooner
were we up however than a sparking plug
flew out & the weather also having got
even worse we came down! Decided to
motor on back to Beverly & start
tomorrow instead. Tea at the Studio
& Larry for dinner & the Vaf around the
film after. Got the maids taken

off train at Yuma.

U.S.A.

Tuesday, March 18

California Arizona. New Mexico Train

Left Los Angeles at 10 which meant leaving Hollywood at G. Mary & Douglas and Larry Gray to see us off = boy said at leaving. = We are going to Palm Beach on the Sunset Southern Route via New Orleans. Picked up the maids at Yuma safely where they have been sitting since last night. Lovely wild country & mountains & desert.

U.S.A

Texas. Wednesday, March 19 Train

Attractive country still very wild & rather bare but very attractive Passed El Paso early & there got into Texas. Usual routine on the train & ate & slept a lot.

U.S.A.

Train

Thursday, March 20

Texas · Louisiana · New Orleans Train

Travelling all day. Out of the mountains & desert & into Louisiana with fuzzy little nigger shacks & colonial wood houses. Crossed the Mississippi by ferry. Pestered by repeaters. = Drove round the town on arrival at New Orleans & saw the old French Quarter of the town & some of the River Boats, one beautifully lit up & playing delicious tunes. Dined & washed at the Roosevelt & continued at 9 on the Jacksonville train. Very bumpy & not nearly such a good one.

U.S.A.

Friday, March 21

Train. Florida Jacksonville. Train

Very leaden day in the train & not very interesting country. Train very crowded & very slow & seemed to stop unnecessarily. Arrived at Jacksonville at 7. & went to the "George Washington Hotel" for a bath and dinner. Then on to the Palm Beach train at 10.20

U.S.A.

Saturday, March 22

Florida. Palm Beach

Arrived in at 7.30 & drove out to the Harrison Williams house which they have taken from Rodd Wannamaker. Very attractive & delicious flowers in garden & right on the sea & lovely swimming pool. Lytle came up in the morning; & we all swam. Skyler Parsons also staying with the Williams. Drove with Marjorie round Palm Beach in the afternoon. Some people came in for Bridge in the afternoon & a lot for dinner including Ali & Lela Janie, Charlie Gurnee & Louisa Munn, Helen Astor, Ethel Russell etc. Music after dinner Kay Wanna

U.S.A.

Palm Beach

Sunday, March 23

3rd S. in Lent.

Very warm again though wet & damp & got very sunburnt - bathing, first in the pool & then in the ocean at Charlie Munn's house. = Rained hard in the afternoon so went to the movies. More people for dinner including Frieze & Baba & the Bob Wilsons & Will Stewart & Lylle came in after.

U.S.A.

Monday, March 24

Palm Beach. Train

Hot and damp again - Bathed all morning & Gli & Lela & Wile came for lunch. I went out with Lytle in the afternoon & went over the Hilton's house & to see Jamie & her house. Dined at Mike Vanderbilt's an enormous party & he had a thought-reader & some music after. I left on the 12.30 AM train for New York. Margoine is staying on some time & Brecky comes up tomorrow or wednesday.

U S A.

Tuesday, March 25 × Train

Florida

QUARTER DAY. *Lady Day.*

Long day in the train enlivened by the fact that I was picked up by various people & given tea & dinner by a marvellous American Jew gentleman by the name of Mr Springold! Spent the entire time with him I conversed with a few others.

U.S.A.

Wednesday, March 26

New York.

Arrived back in New York at 5.30 & drove to the Vanderbilts where I am staying again. Spent most of the morning unpacking washing & doing a lot of business. Lunched with Hoyt & Roy Long who had George Gershwin Mr. Channing of the Channing Building & a lot of others. Some shopping after & had my head washed. Dined with Grace Davis & went to an excellent-coloured played "The Green Pastures" by Marc Connolly.

U S A.

New York.

Thursday, March 27

Cold day and snowed quite a lot. Went all over the Chanhin building with Mr C himself & it is quite amazing = then all over the Chrysler which is still under construction & climbed all over the scaffolding up on the 77th floor != shopped with Grace Davis in the afternoon & had tea at George Gershwin's flat. Dined with Nell Gosden who had a large party & we played games & later went to Harry Richman's club Bredly arrived up from Palm Beach & is staying at 640 too.

U. S. A

Friday, March 28

New York

Perfectly lovely day. Breckys! went down town by subway, were shown all over the new Bank of Manhattan building. 70 stories not yet finished & rather lovely. Then had my hair waved & had lunch very late, about 3.30. Did a little shopping with Mrs. V. de B. & had tea at Charlie Schwartz's & Grace Davis. Dined at 640 & went to "Flying High" an excellent new musical show. Then over to Brooklyn to sail in the new North German Lloyd "Europa" at 2 A.M. Her first trip back; & she had broken all

Wickfields
Alto
Sanitary
Grace
Henry
Davis
Lee
Wm Scott

Breckys & the Wickfields on the trip over: 2 Sounds

At Sea

Saturday, March 29

D "Europa"

Sailed about 2 A.M. very little vibration and ship seem & very steady. Bad weather and snow and fog. very uninteresting lot of passengers & excepting for the Wickfields & Beeks I know hardly anyone. Lunched late with Brecky & explored the ship after & at tea. time went to some very bad movies. Mabelle & Aksel appeared for dinner & after we went to the Smoking Room for the ships pool.

At Sea
"Europa"

Sunday, March 30

4th S. in Lent.

very rough & big swell. Ships rolling a lot. Lunched late again with Brecky & will some exercise in the afternoon. After Lea some more movies but not very good ones & later did some more walking. Ships pool & some "Rummy" after dinner.

At Sea

Monday, March 31

"D. Europa"

Rougher & till & ship although really very steady moving quite a lot & every thing golling all over the place. Bredy & I walked out on deck & watched the seas breaking over the bows & got soaked. Good Film Greta Garbo in the "Kiss" & later Shipps Pool. Very funny Jewish American comedian George Jessel, also Rudolph Friml on board.

Tuesday, April 1

At Sea

Wednesday, April 2

"Europa"

Sea less & rolling slightly only. George Jessel launched with us & all went to the "horse races" after. Then round the engine rooms kitchen provision rooms & to visit the Captain on the Bridge. =
Bad movies again. =

D. "Europa" At Sea

Thursday, April 3

Cherbourg Southampton, Adsdean

Got in to Cherbourg about 8 30 stayed about 2½ hours & were off Cowes about 3. Passed the "Premier" sailing out. Lovely sight. Landed in a tender, very slow & bitterly cold. Dickie flew over the ship and tender. About 40 minutes before we reached Southampton. Glorious day. Motored straight to Adsdean Children flourishing & Sarah Norton staying with them = Talked to all kinds of people on the telephone Quiet evening.

Adsdean.

Friday, April 4

Lunched with the children & at 3 motored into Portsmouth and picked up Dickie & Teddy Lonsdale who were playing Polo at Gosport = Charles Lambe, Cecil Gairdner Peter Du Cane Andrew Yates the Keyes & lots of friends there = Charles. Teddy. Cecil Gairdner & a man called Robert Neville a new Polo player friend came out for dinner & Charles stayed the night

Saturday, April 5

Adsdean

Dickie & I motored up to Maiden=
head to lunch with Georgie &
Nada & Aunt Victoria. The latter
staying there. Celebrating her 67th
birthday today. Back for tea
with the children. Jeanne
arrived down about 6 for the
week end. We talked a lot &
after she & I played "Rummy"

Ad Sdeau

Sunday, April 6

5th S. in Lent.

very cold. = Dickie & I flew in a new German machine a "Klein" which a Captain Roberts flew down for us to try. Teddy & Nicky Hodges arrived. All gode after lunch. Robert-Neville came out for dinner & the night & the men all worked late on the Polo Book.

Monday, April 7

Adsdean. London

Micky Jeanie & I motored up to London in time for lunch which we had at Brook House and Mike came too.
I went round to see the Exhibition of Conversation Pieces in and of the Royal Northern Hospital at Philip Sassoon's house & then did some shopping. Hugh to tea. Mabelle & Albert, Mary and Betty Jeanie & Micky for dining & Dickie arrived up for two nights & we went to Sons of Gods with Dick Bartlemess & Constance Bennett, & after to the Embassy.

Tuesday, April 8

London

Busy morning & had Aunt Vidona, Bobby Casa Mawry, George & Brecky to lunch. Dickie spent the morning at the Admiralty & went down to see his new car & flew in the afternoon. I went round to see Jeanie & then came back & had George to tea. Later Paula looked in. Dickie Jeanie Charles Jamie & I dined in & went to Edgar Wallace's play "On the Spot"

Wednesday, April 9

London

Dickie went back to Portsmouth very early. I spent a long morning & then lunched with Nada at Quaglerios a very nice new place. Charity show for the Children & Country Holiday Fund after & at 5 went round to see Margaret Illingworth who had been ill. Dined with Mabelle & Albert & Mike they & I went to the 1st night of King Hall's new play "B. J. One" the Naval "Journey's End". Rather exciting. After to the Embassy.

Thursday, April 10

London

Lunched with Paula & Sheila at the former's new flat in Portland Place. Then went out and did some shopping with her. Tea at Kensington Palace with Andrea & Aunt Victoria & dined with Mille at Quaglino & we went to Tallulah's play "The Lady of the Camellias". After to the Café de Paris where we joined Mabelle & Abel & Sheila

Friday, April 11

London Adsdean

Busy morning & lunched with Brecky at his house. Then went round to Jean's house to see her. At 4 motored down to Gosport & arrived to pick up Dickie after his Polo game Bez McCoy Teddy Lonsdale Charles Lambe & Cecil Gavidner all came out also Robert Neville some for dinner and some for the night.

Saturday, April 12

Ad Sdeau

Dick Crichton came over and stayed for lunch & we rode and went up to the ground and knocked the Polo Ball afout. Nicky Hodges arrived for the week end & Andrew Yates & Bez are also staying. Paula motored down at tea time to stay. Not a very fine day.

Sunday, April 13

Addeau.

Sunday next before Easter.

Rode before lunch & went up to the Polo ground. Neidy & Robert Neville & Dickie came too & we all Knocked about. Raced a lot in the afternoon Paula motored up after dinner and some of the chaps had a ball to Polo with us.

Monday, April 14

Adsdean. Dover Folkstone. Paris

Glorious day. I motored to Dover taking Micky with me intending to arrive in time to catch the 1-15 boat to Paris. Took much longer than we thought and consequently missed it. We punched at the Lord Warden Hotel & then motored to Folkstone where I caught the 3.50 boat over. Micky returned to Adsdean. Got to Paris at 9 o'clock & was met by Peter who took me direct to see a marvellous play called "Le Sexe Faible" Met Mabelle & Alsch there & returned to 80 rue de Lille with them where I am staying

Paris

Tuesday, April 15

Very busy day shopping. Lunched at Rue de Lille with Mabelle & a friend of hers & dined in & went to a play called "Fleurs de Luxe" with Jane Renouart. Then Joined Philip Sassoon, Freda & a party & went first to the Dickson & house & then "round the town" got home about 3.30.

Wednesday, April 16

Paris

Hilary Sittings end.

Shopped all morning & lots of people came to lunch at Rue de Lille. More shopping after & saw Hannah & went to to Lea with her and her brother Mr Esmond. Philip came to dinner & he & I went to "The Sexe Faible" Alain.

Thursday, April 17

Paris London

Maundy Thursday.

Peter & I came over to London on the Golden Arrow. Rather rough crossing. Dickie met us & he Peter & I Jeanne and Robert Neville dined at home & went to "B. J. One" & after to the Embassy. Robert Neville & Peter staying at B. House.

Friday, April 18

London. Ardsdean

Good Friday.

Picked Jeannie up at her house & she Dickie & I Peter and Robert Neville motored down to Ardsdean in time for lunch Dick & Norma Crichton already there also Margaret Illingworth & are staying. Rode in the afternoon. Jeannie left for Jeanville after dinner.

Saturday, April 19

Adscean

Primrose Day.

Rode in the morning. Rather wet and cold. Pamela's faint birthday. All motored over to Gosport after lunch where they were playing Polo. Norma & Dick left us there & Teddy Cecil Robert Peter and Fish all came back for the week end. Margaret not very well and so stayed in bed most of the day. Micky also came & played Polo & came back with us, so I had a complete "Gentlemen's chorus" Ping-Pong & Rummy etc after dinner.

Aldeburgh

Sunday, April 20

Easter Day.

Children had an Easter Egg hunt in my room. Sarah still with us. Rode before lunch and spent a fairly lazy afternoon. Keith Waller came out for tea and dinner. - Signed a mass of Charity letters.

Bed & dean

Monday, April 21

Easter Monday (Bank Holiday).

Perfectly lovely day. Rode up to the Polo ground & knocked the Ball about. Rita & Lester Curzon Howe & her parents the Mackenzies to lunch. All motored over to Polo to Gosport after. Delicious afternoon. Charles playing & came back with us after. also Andrew Yates for dinner. Cyril Illingworth arrived very late to stay

Aldsdean. Tuesday, April 22

Spent a quiet day. Dickie Lunched Early after we'd Ridden for an hour & then went into Portsmouth to work. Went out for a short walk in the afternoon. Saunders came out to dinner and Peter played the Piano after.

Wednesday, April 23

Adsdean. London

St. George's Day.

Took Sarah up to town in the car as she has to return to School & Peter also motored up with me. Margaret & Cyril Klingworth staying on till tomorrow. George & Nick Alexander & Peter funched with me at Brook House and Jeanie came in after & we then went out and did some shopping. Dined at Jean's & sat and talked to her after. Peter staying at Brook House.

London

Thursday, April 24

Had my wrapper & various other appointments before lunch, which I had with Paula & Bobby at their flat. Then did a lot of business and shopping. Dined at home with Mike Breaky and Peter & after Mike & I went to a Cinéma Hell & Harlow with Lupe Valez. Not very good.

London Friday, April 25 × Adsdean

A very busy morning with a Committee meeting at Baba's house & a lot of shopping. Kay & Jeanie lunched with me & at 3 I motored down to Gosport shopping at Barkers on the way to see Dickie's new car. Watched a Polo match Dickie's team of him-self, Teddy Charles & Cecil & a So. Club one. The team & also Robert Neville & Micky came out to Adsdean for dinner & the night. Richard Norton also arrived late & stayed. I retired to bed after dinner. Squeaker Morrison also came

Adsdean

Saturday, April 26

Lovely day. Spent a quiet morning. Richard left also Cecil & Charles & the others motored over to Beaufort to see one of International Trial Polo matches. Dicthe Patricia and I lunched & went out for a walk in the afternoon. Captain & Mrs Baillie came over at tea time & stayed for dinner. The rest of them returned at dinner time.

Sunday, April 27

Aldeau Belton. London

1st S. after Easter.

Hectic day. = Had arranged to fly to Belton for the Brownlow's christening - I being god-mother to the son and heir, - picking Jeanie up at Reading but weather not fine enough & so had to motor picking Jeanie up in St Albans. Stopped at Buckden for lunch & having started at 10 got there at 2.45 190 miles & I drove. Christening went off very well. Large party. Jeanie & I came back to London on the 8 o'clock train having dinner in route. Straight to bed, absolutely exhausted.

Monday, April 28

London Paris

Went to Tattersalls in the morning to a Polo pony sale, & tried to get one of Aramayos' for Dickie but it went for too much. Charles & Squeaker helped me & Jeanine came too. Then all lunched with Charles & his family at the Hyde Park Grill. Peter joined us & I went round after to see Mary and Bobby. Paula Peter & I went over to Paris on the four o'clock train. Slating with Mabelle & Aksel. Paula is at her flat.

Tuesday, April 29

Paris

Easter Sittings begin.

Most glorious day and quite hot. Hectic time of fittings & appointments & nearly went mad Paula came to lunch & we shopped after. She & I dined with Gloria Vanderbilt at whose house Nada is staying & after went to the opening of a new Night Club "Monseigneur" which was unbelievably hot & crowded

Wednesday, April 30

Paris

Another heavenly day & really hot in the sun & i more fittings & shopping & lunch at home. & then the same in the afternoon. Peter came round to see me & we all dined at the Ritz with Mrs W.R. Hearst who had about 50 people. Most Eng of chle. Rubenstein played after & some American men sang & later Paula & I went out with Camillo & Lostel Rochefoucauld

Thursday, May 1

Paris

Rather colder.
Same day more or less & really
nearly died of fatigue. I lived
in with Mabelle & Ethel &
spent a very quiet evening &
went to bed early having
written a few letters. Talked
to Dickie on the telephone.

Friday, May 2

Paris

Early fittings. Julie Thompson came to lunch also Paula & we went shopping after & then I had some late fittings & then my hair done.
Dined at Cyrus with various "Wops" & Argentines & Margarita & a huge party! & it was quite awful & hot & noisy. Paula joined us after & we all went to "Monseigneur" where the men got tight & I got in a rage!

Saturday, May 3

Paris

Heavenly day. One wild rush till lunch & never thought I should get through everything but just managed to. Reggie Fellowes & Paula lunched & Peter came round after & Paula & I went out with him & shopped. Rested before dinner & just as I was going out at 10 on a party with Paula, Alice Silverthorne, Michael Farmer, Camillo & some others, Jeanie rang up & told me she had just heard that Didie had broken his collar bone in the afternoon playing Polo at Gosport. Frantic evening telephoning & arranging to fly over tomorrow

Played only till 3.30 A.M.

Paris

Sunday, May 4

Adsdean

2nd S. after Easter.

Moved to Le Bourget leaving Harding & all my belongings in Paris as I shall have to return the End of the week. Took the 12 o'clock plane arriving at Croydon at 2.20 Rather rough trip. Car met me there & I was at Adsdean by 4.15. Dickie better & has a clean fracture & was quite cheery & hopes to be playing again in 3 weeks. The Bowyer Smyths, Teddy Lovsdale & Andrew all staying & a few others out for golf & tea etc.
Quiet evening & early bed.

Ads drawn

Monday, May 5

All left; = & Dickie & I spent a quiet day. Had his shoulder massaged & got up for late lunch feeling fairly well - went out for a bit in the afternoon & wrote a lot of letters. Spent a quiet evening; & went to bed early. =

Adsdean. Tuesday, May 6 London.

Accession of King George V (1910).

Motored to Sunningdale in time for Lunch which we had at the Fort the Prince's new house with George. Then on up to London & Dickie went round to see Romer the bone specialist and had some massage. Mabelle & Albert de Wichfeld staying at Brook House. They Jeanne & we went to the 'Film of "Journey's End" Then to bed.

Wednesday, May 7

London

Daddy, Philip & Hannah to lunch & Dickie whose arm is getting on well had massage & spent quite a busy day. Douglas & Fairbanks Mabelle & Alkel & Georgie & Nanda dined and we went to Cochran's Revue which we thought quite good.

Thursday, May 8

London Paris

I had an enormous Committee meeting for my midnight Revue which I am organizing with Cochran on July 10 in aid of the Prince of Wales Personal Fund for the British Legion. About 60 people attended & over £5000 were subscribed at the meeting in Boxes & tickets = I left on the 4 o'clock train for Paris and was met by Peter. Staying at the Wickfields house.

Friday, May 9

Paris

Frantic day of fittings & shopping
Lunched with Peter at a
delicious little Bistro called
Marius Mel-Mille in the
afternoon & he came shopping
with me. Had a cocktail
party at Michael Farmer's.
Paula & I dined with Irina
Vorowzoff at her flat a real
Russian dinner & after went
to Monseigneur & Bridlops.

Paris. Saturday, May 10 London

I motored to Le Bourget & flew over on the 12 o'clock plane. Met Dickie & Jeanie at Ranelagh hoping to see the International Trial Polo Match but the weather turned out too bad, so we returned to town & later Dickie & I went to the Academy. Mabelle & Albert Jeanie Charles Lambe & a friend of his Nigel Tangye dined & we went to The Co-optimists" & after to "The Kinder Dragon".

Sunday, May 11

London. Surbingdale. Adsdean

3rd S. after Easter.

Dickie & I motored to The Fort for lunch with the Prince & George Prince Bertie & Elizabeth also there. Then on to Georgie & Nada at Maidenhead for tea & down to Adsdean for dinner. Quiet evening.

Monday, May 12

Ad Sdeam London

Dickie went back to work at 11. & I motored Nannie & the children up as they are going to be in London for a bit. Peter Patricia & I lunched & went to get some new Electric Piano records after. Brecky Laddie Jeanie, Terence Mabelle Charl & Peter dined, & we all went to different Cinemas & then to the Kit-Cat.

London

Tuesday, May 13

Mike, Mabelle & Albert & Portia and Edward Stanley lunched. I spent a busy afternoon & did a lot of midnight-rooms work.

Georgie & Nada Thelma Fearness Mike & Peter dined & we went to "Dishonored Lady" with Fay Compton = after to the "Hungaria" where the Prince & Soldatenkov joined us.

London Wednesday, May 14

massage & treatment — & lots in Crowe & Mabelle in to lunch. I dined with Bobby. C.R. as Mary was ill down in the country & had asked a party of "buds" — & young men for the Cassel's dance tonight for which we are lending Brook House. So I had to do hostess & was petrified!! Took them on after. Crowds at the dance & the house looked lovely. Peculiar evening!

Thursday, May 15

London

Had my treatment & shopped & had Hannah Kay, Mabelle George Iain Murray, Peter Betty Cunningham Reid & Alkel for lunch. After Crichton came round & we arranged the Plate. Alkel Peter & I went to the afternoon performance of Greta Garbo & film "Anna Christie" her first talkie. Excellent I thought. Dickie arrived up at 6 & Mabelle & Alkel Dmitri Poots & Humphry Butler & the Dick Rogers the composer dined & we went to "Insult". After to Brooklyn & about 20 came in for a party

Friday, May 16

London

Had Ella Joshua, Lady Cooper, & Baba Beaughan for lunch & we went to a Charity Concert at Covent Garden after. Jeanie Terence Mabelle & Abel dined & we went to 2 good films at the Plaza "This Thing Called Love" & "Dangerous Paradise".

Saturday, May 17

London

Shopping & looked at a new little car a Mr. G. Douglas Dmitri Peter Robert Cecil Mabelle's Jeanne Lunched. Some of us with Patricia & Sarah went down to Roehampton to watch the International Trial for the Polo. Then I drove Peter & Dickie on to Ad Adam. Aunt Victoria Winnie & Iain Peter & Lloyd Moore here for the week end.

Adsdean

Sunday, May 18

4th S. after Easter.

Quiet-day. Tim Birkin and Sylvia Ashley came down in time for lunch to see over the "Shrimp" which he contemplates buying. Took them all over it in the afternoon. The others played golf. A friend of Charles Lamb's Nigel Tangye came for dinner. Wrinnie & Lain left after. & Tim & Sylvia decided to stay the night. Played the Electric piano & cards after dinner.

Monday, May 19

Adsdean London.

All left in the morning & I went straight to the Ritz & lunched with Daddy. Then on to Lorraine who came shopping with me till I had to take Patricia to the dentist. Several people in connection with the Midnight Revue to tea. Dined at Quaglino's with Mike & went to an appalling film at the Regal. Then to Marjorie & Brecky's house the former having just returned from America with a lot of new records, which we tried

Tuesday, May 20

London

Attended a Committee Meeting at Philip's house for the Royal Northern Hospital Ball at which Sheila presided. Had Mabelle & Ethel Jeanie, & Kilf Peter & Mike to lunch. Had my treatment after & then went round to see Hannah. Another Committee Meeting & tea at Mrs Henry Mond's house for the Orthopaedic Hospital dinner. Dickie came up late & we dined at Mrs Coongan's & had a Cabaret after. Late went on to the "Rinde Dragon" with Hugh.

Wednesday, May 21

London

Took Matelle & Aksel to lunch with Philip Sassoon. Several others there. Dined at Quaglinos with Charles Laurie, Ralph Jennie Dickie and a cousin of Charles & he & I & Charles went to see "Othello" with Paul Robeson. Very good indeed. Then back to Brook House and Douglas came round to say good. Go to us as he is sailing shortly

Thursday, May 22

London

Dickie motored back to Adsdean at Cockcrow. I had my treatment. Saw various people in the midnight Revue, & then lunched with Hannah, Philip & Poppy also there. Shopped in the afternoon. Mary brought Michael to tea. Mrs Townsend & a friend & Soldatenkoo came in. Georgie spending the night & Le & Nada came to see me. Dined with the Wimbornes.

Friday, May 23

London

Busy morning. Lunched with Emerald Cunard, then did some shopping & went to see the D? & Jeanie. Went round to Maryoni's to see her films of our American trip. Hugh & Betty Cass many to see me. = The Cattle, the Breckies, Cunningham Reids, Wickfields & Laddie dined & we went to the movies.

Saturday, May 24

London

Empire Day.

Had to go in the docks and had a charming time: Back in bed again. Peter looked in to see me before leaving for Paris. Also saw Mike Hugh & Clive & Mabbe. In bed all day. Feeling awful.

London

Sunday, May 25

5th S. after Easter.

In bed all day as I was not feeling particularly grand. Jeannie motored up from the country and lunched with me; and Mike came in at tea time & stayed for dinner. Played the Gramophone & wireless and wrote countless letters for the Midnight Rescue Fund. Mabelle & Alkel still staying at Brook House and away at Sunningdale for the day.

London

Monday, May 26

H.M. The Queen's Birthday (1867).

Feeling better and got up & after shaddy for lunch to which I had Mary and Bobby. Did some work for the Midnight Revue after & also some shopping. Rosemary Paget & her child to tea.
Dined with the Portarlington & who had quite a large party, including Gertie Lawrence & the Dick Rogers & Mr. Hart all of whom played & sang divinely. Mike came to dine & Hugh looked in after.

Tuesday, May 27

London

Glorious day at last & quite warm. Lunched with Evelyn Fitzgerald at the Savoy. Did some shopping & took Patricia to her dancing class. Laddie looked in for cocktail. Mabelle Abel & I dined & intended going to the Tolstoj play "The Living Corpse" in German with Moissi but I was latter ill in the middle of dinner & had to retire to bed with a nurse etc. The others went to the play & came in later awful evening feeling terrible. & had appalling haemorrhage.

Wednesday, May 28

London Bed

In bed all day feeling pretty awful
was not allowed to see anyone
except Jeanie & Marjorie for a second
& Kept very quiet. Did nothing
much & did not put foot outside
my bed. = Thursday. Dickie
arrived up at 6.30 & had during
with me on a tray. Irene both
supported us to the Court:

Thursday, May 29

London Bed

Ascension Day.

In bed again all day as am still pretty shaky & have a temperature still. = Saw Jeanie just before lunch & Dickie had Aunt Victoria Sefrase Dick Crichton & Audley Baird. Later saw Marjorie & Mike for a moment. Jeanie dined with me on a tray as Dickie had to dine out with the Wodehouses. Mabelle & Gorset still staying here.

London. Friday, May 30 Bed

In bed all day, Dickie went back very early & Mabelle had lunch on a tray with me. Marjorie & Jeanie looked in to see me started to feel quite awful in the afternoon having felt much better before & ran a temperature between 102 & 103. Gilliatt came in to see me in the evening. Not a good night. Have now a night and a day nurse, & they seem to fear septicemia.

Saturday, May 31

London Bed

Union Day, South Africa.

Awful still and a high temperature all day. Only saw Jeanie. Gillmall determined to operate in the evening in view of my fever & fear of septicemia so had it done at 9 P.M. in Dickie's dressing room. Most unpleasant but was feeling so ill by that time really did'n't care. = Was not told so, but Dickie came up in the evening & Jeanie spent the night at Brook House.

Sunday, June 1

London Bed

Sunday after Ascension Day.

Feeling moved but operation successful and temperature has gone down. Saw Dickie I Learned but no one else and was kept very quiet —

Monday, June 2

London Bed

Better on the whole but had the most awful neuralgia all day which nearly drove me dotty. Saw no-one except Didki & Jeanie & Mabelle & Albert for a second & did nothing.

Tuesday, June 3

London Bed

H.M. the King's Birthday (1865).

In bed all day, feeling like nothing on earth. Dickie went to the Trooping of the Colours which he had never seen. I saw very few people as I really did'st feel well enough, am now not only suffering from raging neuralgia but also practically pernicious anaemia which is supposed to be causing it.

Wednesday, June 4

London Bed

Dickie went back to Portsmouth
by early. I felt about the
same & saw Just a few people
but not many and was in
bed all the time. very hot day,

Thursday, June 5

London Bed

very much the same and
have now got to the state
where I feel I shall never be
any better & remain in bed
for life." Jeanie lunched
with me. : very hot day: Hugh
came to see me

London Friday, June 6 Bed

Easter Sittings end.

Still hot though a little cooler than yesterday I think. Jeanie lunched with me & various people including Hugh Laddie & Mick looked in.

Consultation Café with the doctors who suggested a blood transfusion upon which I had a fit. Mabelle & Alice dined with me & Mick looked in.

London Saturday, June 7 Bed

Cooler. Awful bear alpha all day & felt terrible. Blood transfusion put off for the moment & all kinds of new treatment started. Saw Aunt Vidoine & George after lunch & Dickie arrived up at tea-time for the week end. Spent a peaceful evening. Mabelle & Abel left.

Sunday, June 8

London Bed

Whit Sunday.

In bed with neuralgia still continuing. Jeanie motored up for lunch & Dickie she & I had it on trays. Rested all afternoon & Mike came in late
Jeanie came back for dinner & we all had it together & Dickie went to a film fate.

London

Monday, June 9

Whit Monday (Bank Holiday).

Bed. Feeling about the same
Dickie went down to watch some
Polo & played about a bit
Saw a few people & had my
treatment and massage etc.
Getting rather depressed.

Tuesday, June 10

London

Feeling a little better. Sat up in a chair for a very short time. Saw a few people. Jeanne looked in also Hugh & Aunt Victoria after dinner.

Wednesday, June 11

London.

Bed till tea time & then got up for a bit
Saw Georgie & Nadia & George & Hugh & Ad Jouriel Kelly & Mike — in fact too many & retired to bed feeling like nothing on Earth =

London Thursday, June 12

Dickie went down to Portsmouth at cock crow & returned to play Polo in the afternoon. The team are doing very well indeed & so far have won all their matches. I had George to lunch & saw a few people & had the most terrible row with the doctors in the evening as I haven't got any better & have been sent back to bed & I think due to their incompetence with a temperature & practically pernicious anaemia =

Poor Angus Scott Douglas killed as a result of a Polo accident at Templeton

Friday, June 13

London. Bed

In bed all day apart feeling pretty awful. Saw a few people & in the evening Lord Dawson was brought in to see me who talked a lot of nonsense but nothing much seemed to be settled so I took matters into my own hands & sent to Paris for a doctor who arrives Sunday morning.

Heard the bed news that poor de Havre Lepage had been killed on Lake Windermere after breaking the record in his new boat Miss England II Mechanic also killed. Boat hit a log.

London Saturday, June 14 Bed

Bed. Saw Bobby Casa Mauro, Jeanie and a few others. Dickie was up and played Polo and we spent a quiet evening: and I was sunk in gloom, feeling pretty awful still.

London Sunday, June 15 Bed

Trinity Sunday.

Terrible day. The French Dr. Morange arrived in the morning & said I definitely must have a blood transfusion tomorrow, and live on raw liver for the next weeks & that I was pretty bad. So Gloory & Nerry spent nearly the entire day in tears. Jeanie very sweet & came & stayed, lunched & dined & spent the night at Brook House. Saw the doctors in the evening again. Mike had very bad accident "Soul planning". Brought back to London with fractured arm & other injuries & taken to Carnarvon Home

London Monday, June 16 Bed

Dickie staying up the whole week
Had my blood transfusion at
11. Very unpleasant & gives you
the most horrible reaction after
shivers aches a temperature etc.
Allowed to see no-one but Jeanie
Marjorie & Dickie. Felt a little
better in the evening. Liver too
disgusting & makes me more
sick every meal! Marjorie
spent the night as Jeanie had to
go away = Poor Hugh lost
his father Lord Sefton who died
at 4. A.M. following an operation.
What a week of tragedies.

London

Tuesday, June 17

Bed

Trinity Sittings begin.

Felt pretty awful still & saw no-one
Jeanie came up & spent the
night again. Rather less
gloomy but feeling pretty much
of a wreck. Try & read & write
a bit & sleep most of the time

London Wednesday, June 18 Bed

Jeanie still here
Saw Daddy & Margaret Illingworth
for a moment but visitors very
restricted. Really beginning to
feel a little better though fright-
fully weak.

London Thursday, June 19 Bed

Much the same day & have now started ray therapy treatment. Saw Paula for a very short time & Jeanne & Mary one. Have long conversations with Mike on the telephone who seems a little better

London. Friday, June 20 Bed

Saw Aunt Victoria for a moment before lunch which Dickie had with me. Paula Jeanne & Carmen to see me, & later Marjorie & Laddie for a moment. Jeanne dined with me, & Dickie came up later. All the team playing here prior to their Inter Regimental Tournament - Tie v. the "Blues" tomorrow.

London Saturday, June 21 Bed

Treatment in the morning & Marjorie came and lunched. = Rested in the afternoon & Jeannie and Marjorie looked in before going down to Hurlingham to watch Dickie's match. His team Royal Navy 1. Teddy Lonsdale. 2 Robert Neville. 3 Dickie 4 Charles Lambe played the Royal Horse Guards "Blues" whose handicap with Dennis Bolts playing was 7 more & beat them 7.5. 1st Ne Inter Regimental. & the first time the Navy have ever entered. Tremendous excitement at their win & all celebrated in the evening. Jeannie came & dined.

Sunday, June 22

London Bed

1st S. after Trinity.
Coronation Day (1911).

Dickie here till teatime. Aunt Victoria came in then & at 6 Dickie moved down to Portsmouth. Bobby Cavanaugh looked in to see me and I spent a quiet and fairly depressed evening though feeling better on the whole

London

Monday, June 23

Bed

H.R.H. Prince of Wales' Birthday (1894).

Usual treatment etc and various visitors in to see me
Duthie came up late after playing Polo and dined here - Jeanne also came round & Kay came in to pick her up after meeting of the Midnight Revue to which of course I could'nt go and at which Marjorie presided for me. Very successful & got a lot of donations.. Lorrnie. Sybil Cholmondoley & several others looked in after it.

Tuesday, June 24 × Bed

London

QUARTER DAY. *Midsummer Day.*

Feeling better on the whole & having ray therapy treatment — every day. Saw Marjorie & Jeanie & Mary & Laurie Audrey & Cheriff Kilty, in fact a whole bevy of Visitors! Dined alone & Dickie got up very late from Portsmouth bringing Cecil Gairdner with him.

Wednesday, June 25

London Bad

Very much the same routine
various people to see me. v
Dickie had a big Polo match the
second round of the Interregimental
in which they had to play the
Gunners 18 goals more than them
on handicap. They evidently played
brilliantly & were only beaten 5 2
a very good performance. Saw all
the team in the evening.
Dickie's 30th birthday = Jessie
lunched & Nona looked in to
see me.

Thursday, June 26

London Bed

Feeling better & have staggered
to a chair for a few minutes.
Had a lot of people to see
Dickie had to cope with the Press
lunch for the Midnight Revue
which I had arranged for today
and of course owned not attend
Was very successful. Emerged
Cunard & a lot of people to see
me & Mike arrived later from the
Nursing Home and is going to
stay here as he is still fairly
well. Retired to bed for dinner

Friday, June 27

London

Aunt Victoria came & lunched with Dickie & me & Mary looked in during the morning.
Hugh came at 2.30 & very gloomy poor fellow at the death of his father. I then rested & George came to see me at 4. Sat up for dinner and Mike had it with me. Both better but feeling pretty awful still. Retired to bed soon after. Dickie went to a theatre with Teddy Lonsdale. He is now on a 3 weeks leave.

Saturday, June 28

London

Honor's birthday. Busy morning with massage, ray treatment etc. Mike & Dickie lunched in my room on trays & I rested nearly all the afternoon. Mike came in to see me later and George came at 6 and stayed till 8. Dickie playing Polo. He & Jeannie dined with me & I sat up in a chair for dinner & retired to bed after.

Sunday, June 29

London

2nd S. after Trinity.

Glorious weather & very hot.
Jeanie came & lunched & then
trusted. Kitty & Perry to see
me at tea time & then Marion
Davies came in & Mike so
had quite a crowd. Feeling
better but still have a slight
temperature in the evening & feel
very weak.

London Monday, June 30

A very hot day and nearly died of heat in bed. Dickie funched early as he was playing Polo and I had Philip to lunch and rested in the afternoon. A lot of people at tea time including Paula. Cousin Anna. later Emerald & an American Woman & Chas Mr. Brabam. = At 7.30 Laddie came to see me to say good-bye before leaving for America. Dined with Dickie Early bed

London

Tuesday, July 1

Dominion Day, Canada.

Very hot. Had some hair treatment, a bath, & my massage in the morning. Hugh came at 1 and stayed for lunch as Dickie had to go down to Greenwich. Rested in the afternoon. Marjorie looked in later. Yearning to dinner and I had it sitting up and went to bed about 10. Really feeling better. Hugh came again about 7

London Wednesday, July 2

Glorious weather still. Paula Marjorie & Hannah to see me in the morning and I had also my massage, ray therapy & hair treatment in the morning so had a busy time. Mary & Dickie lunched with me which I had up and dressed in a chair. a great improvement, but still in my room. Rested all afternoon & Perry, Hugh & Will Stewart came to see me. Also Mike called. He is still staying here. Dickie & I dined alone.

London

Thursday, July 3

Ella Joshua to see me in the morning, also Grandmama Alice. High came & lunched early up in the sitting room & I rested all the afternoon & then had people to see me later. Usual treat=ments going on & beginning to feel a little stronger. Back to bed for dinner. Mike still staying here and getting on well too.

London Friday, July 4

Independence Day, U.S.A.

Teage lunched v/ spent much the same day with treatments - a few visitors very depressed though getting on slowly.

London Saturday, July 5

Had various treatments & my head washed etc. Mike & I lunched in the sitting room & rested after. & spent a quiet afternoon and evening. Very hot all this time and really glorious weather. Ralph came in.

London

Sunday, July 6

3rd S. after Trinity.

Dickie spent the day down at Portsmouth at he had to give a lecture to the Portsmouth Brotherhood. I had Mary & Bobby & Mike for lunch in the sitting room & slept most of the afternoon then had the children down. Dickie back for dinner & Bobby Casamajor & Mike Dickie & I dined at the sitting room & I retired to bed directly after.

London. Monday, July 7

Very hot. Usual treatments at 12 Dickie took me out for my first drive - not been out of the house for just short of 6 weeks. Went down to Ranelagh. had lunch downstairs on our return. Rested all afternoon & at 4.15 had my ray treatment & Jeanne looked in. Also Marjorie later. Blood test etc at 6.30. Teddy Lonsdale & Dickie dined with me. Nurse left & Mike also departed.

Tuesday, July 8

London

Fairly hot still but dull
Wore the worse for my outing
for busy morning & had Hugh to
lunch Surf again after which I
rested. George fetched me at
4.30 & he Marjorie & I motored
down to Ranelagh to see the
Navy v. Air Force Polo match.
Former won 10. 6½. Prince Bertie
presented cup - Then home to
bed. Very tired. Robert & Dickie
dined with me.

Wednesday, July 9

London

Hot still. Various appointments and Lady Margaret Levett came to see me at 12. Rowne & Peter (just arrived from Paris & staying here) & Dick Crichton came to lunch which I had downstairs for the first time. Rested in the afternoon & then motored to Ranelagh to watch Dickie play in a match with Traill & P.K. Wise also Charles. Final of the Buenos Aires Cup. V. a strong team whom they beat by 2 goal. I presented the cups. Back to bed after-

Thursday, July 10

London

In bed all day as my midnight Revue comes off tonight and I insisted on going. Ella Joshua punched with me, & Hugh & Mike came in to see me. Hugh dined upstairs on a tray with me while Dickie had it downstairs with the Jenkins who were here for the night.

The Prince and George & Freda came round at 11.30 & we all went to the Revue which was a tremendous success & with donations & tickets realized £11,000. Did not get to bed till four.

Friday, July 11

London

Absolutely exhausted & stayed in bed all day. Diddie functed up on a tray & I slept all afternoon. Vittoria Sermoneta came to tea & Paula & Marjorie also came. Later Kay & Terence Philip. Dined with Diddie & Jeanie & Mike looked in later.

Saturday, July 12

London

Bed till lunch which Paula & Peter came to. Rested in the afternoon & Mike Peter & I motored down to Hurlingham at 5 where Dickie was playing in a match with Philip Magor & won. Back to bed for dinner and Jeanne came & had it on a tray. Also Dickie. Bobby looked in early to sleep.

Sunday, July 13

London

4th S. after Trinity.

Feeling 9 often with 1 thrill a bad cold starting. Stayed in bed till lunch to which Bobby & Mary came. Then sat & talked with them & Dickie & Peter took Patricia & Jeanie's children to the Zoo. Back to bed for dinner.

London Monday, July 14

Cold better on the whole
Hugh to lunch after which he
went into a Nursing Home to
have a wisdom Tooth out.
Saw various people in the
afternoon. Also went to have
some treatment.

London Tuesday, July 15

St. Swithin's Day.

A lot of applications in the morning & various people to lunch. Nothing very exciting happened & the usual people looked in.

Wednesday, July 16

London

Several people lunched
went to Hanson at 2 45.
Sophie Tucker & Maud Marriott
came in to see me, also
Marjorie. Hugh came later
feeling awful poor fellow
after his tooth!

Thursday, July 17

London.

Lunched early as we were going to Betty Lambe's wedding at which Patricia was a bridesmaid. Then to the reception for a few moments. Hugh to see me and Peter and I then motored down to Roehampton to see the team play Polo which however did not come off owing to bad weather.

London

Friday, July 18

Cundley Baird Rosemary Paget Rhoda, Baz 'Dick & Ralph to lunch. To the doctor after & we then motored down to Templeton to watch the Polo. Our team beat the 17th Lancers in the Rockampton Military Handicap. Hugh came round to see me late

London Saturday, July 19

Did nothing much all day
Lord Reading Jeanne to
Kinch & Micky who is staying
the night & I motored to
Roehampton to watch the
Main play & beat the 11th
Hussars.
Hugh, Micky, Peter Jeanne
Dietha & I dined & after
the former & I went to
"Paramount on Parade".
Very good. Suffering
agonies from burnt chin
due to too strong rays
from Dr Hesson.

London Sunday, July 20

5th S. after Trinity.

Chin awful & absolute agony
Peter Mickey Dickie Jeanne & I
lunched: & Peter & Dickie
motored down to Adsdean
after. Hugh came round.
Dined with him & went to
a film at the Regal.

London Monday, July 21 X

Busy morning. Hugh to lunch & played the Gramophone in the afternoon & signed a million letters for the Midnight Revue thanks. Saw the D? & face so bad retired to bed. Jeanie & Hugh came & had it with me on a tray. Awful aeroplane accident in which Rosie Edwards Mrs. Loeffler Lord Dufferin Sir Edward Ward The Pilot & mechanic lost their lives.

Tuesday, July 22

London

Face slightly better though peeking appallingly. Slayed in bed all day. George & Peter funched. & Marjorie Hugh & Paula came in to see me. Dickie & Teddy arrived up after winning the final of the Roehampton Military Handicap beating the Life Guards. = Dined upstairs with me.

London Wednesday, July 23 X

Face better but not recovered yet. Dickie went back to Portsmouth very early & I had lunch with Peter on a Way & after took the baby to be photographed.
Hugh - I dined with Jeanne & later he & I went to a music Hall & later back to talk.

London

Thursday, July 24

Lunched with Hannah & Hugh also there & we slaped on a bit after. Took Patricia to Marcus Adams at four to be photographed & later Philip - One of the young Warburg boys came in, Georgie spending the night. He, Hugh & I dined & Hugh & I went to "All Quiet on the Western Front" Quite excellent.

Friday, July 25

London.

very busy day
Peter - I functed & then I did some packing & wrote a lot of letters & at 4 saw Mr. Braham to say good-bye. Then went with Peter & Ralph to the Winter-Garden to see Sophie Tucker & rehearsals of the new Jack Hulbert show. Marion Davies, Mr. Hearst & a lot of others dined - Dickie came up - we went to the opening of Marion's new Film "The Gay Nineties". Excellent. After to Claridges to a party she was giving.

Saturday, July 26

London Adsdean

Feeling awful after my disappointment. Busy morning. Lunched early with Dickie on a tray as he was playing the Final of the Junior League at Roehampton. Went down with Peter to see it & they won. I presented the Cups. Then on to Adsdean taking Teddy Peter & Dick with us. Exhausted on arrival so retired to bed for dinner.

Adsdean

Sunday, July 27

6th S. after Trinity.

Played in bed most of the day terribly tired. Squeaker & Mudy arrived & I got up for dinner & played up like about 11. Children playing at Bognor for a fortnight with Mlle & Nannie felt extremely ill.

Monday, July 28

Adsdean
Peter left early
Felt slightly better though not too well yet. The "Adsdean" team of Smaller Jubbe Charles & Teddy played at Cowdray in the Tournament but were defeated by a strong Irvine team. The Prince arrived down by air at 6 & we all three motored into the Tattoo at Portsmouth first dining with the Kepes. Very cold. The Portarlington's Katie Crichton & her girl Elizabeth Brand Ralph Robert Cecil & the rest of the team all staying for Goodwood week. The Prince motored back to London late

Gadsdean

Tuesday, July 29

Some of them played Polo early & some went to the races. I did neither but played quietly at home & rested. Peter arrived down again, & Rhoda also came for the night. Rowdy games & piano playing in the evening. Very windy day.

Wednesday, July 30

Adsdean

George & Humphrey Butler arrived for lunch. Some of them raced & I with Mildy & Teddy went over to Cowdray for the Polo for a short time. George had to attend Inter-Service Sports & the Tattoo in the evening so did not get back till late. We played mad games again.

Ladsdeam

Thursday, July 31

Trinity Sittings end.

Really lovely day. Hugh came down from London & a lot went gaining & to the Polo. I went to the Gatter with George for a bit. Twenty-quest sleeping with house tonight good next knows where!! George & Little David arrived very late

Friday, August 1

Adsdean. London

Several left during the day
Winnie Hugh & I motored up
to London which the latter
& I had with Hannah. Kept
some appointments in the
afternoon & saw the Dr. Also
Marjorie & Jeanne.
Dined in with Hugh & we
went to a Film at the
Plaza. Rest of the Adsdean
party playing on including
George etc.

Saturday, August 2

London Adsdean

Did a lot of things in the morning & lunched with Marjorie. = Jeannie & Brady & Hugh also there. Sophie Tucker looked in after & entertained us for an hour! I motored back to Adsdean in time for dinner. & Winnie & Ian came down from London too. Most of the party still remaining minus Katie & the girls & charles. = but the Bowyer smyths here for the week-end; & Herman Michelhaus & party for dinner. About 18' very tired

Adsdean

Sunday, August 3

7th S. after Trinity.

Lovely day. Lazy morning
Some of us motored over to
Bognor for bathing & to see the
children who are also there
Brought the latter back for tea
Joan Bowyer Smyth left before dinner
We played wild games after &
went to bed very late

Adsdean

Monday, August 4

Bank Holiday.
Beginning of Great War (1914).

Rather wet at times but lovely evening. All motored into Portsmouth in the afternoon to see something of Navy week & then on to Gosport where most of the party including George & Humphrey Butler played Polo Ralph left at dinner time & Winnie & Ian Teddy & Phil Bowyer Smyth late. George, Humphrey & Micky remaining on till tomorrow.

Adsleau. Tuesday, August 5

George & Humphrey left before lunch
Micky & I stayed on & had it together
& then moloned into Bognor to
fetch the children back for tea
Bad day & wet till late.
Jethie got out before dinner & he
Micky & I dined together & went
to bed Early. =

Adsdean. Wednesday, August 6 London

I motored up to London in time for lunch which I had at Brook House with Hugh. Saw the D? in the afternoon & went to see Sophie Tucker rehearsing her new show again. Then to Marjorie's for tea. Hugh & I dined at home & went to the new Emil Jannings Film "The Blue Angel" which is quite excellent.

Thursday, August 7

London.

Margoni Gloria Ashley & Bobby to lunch & Nada looked in after. At 4 I went with Gloria to have my hair done & it took hours. Then back home with her & Tim Burkin for cocktails. George also looked in. He & Humphrey Margoni Stewart & I dined & went to "Raffles" the new Colman Film. Fairly good. After for a short time to the Café de Paris where Mabelle & Albert joined us. (Children returned to Andsdean from Bognor)

Friday, August 8

London. Ad Sdean

Busy morning & eventually left for Ad Sdean at 12.15 getting there at 2. Mickey still there so we lunched. Then motored into Portsmouth to see something of Navy week & pick up Dickie. Teddy came out late & he Charles - Dickie left for Deauville where they are going to play Polo at 10 via Southampton. Cecil Gardner the 4th member of the team also there.
Mickey & I slaged on at Ad Sdean

Saturday, August 9

Ad Sdean. Maidenhead. London

Micky v I motored up to Maidenhead
. Lunched with Georgie v Nada
playing till 4. Then on up to
London. I went round to
Marjorie who is expecting her
baby any time Jeanie v
Hugh dined v we went to
a bad film at the Capitol.
Talked to Dickie on the telephone
at Deauville.

London

Sunday, August 10

8th S. after Trinity.

Lazy morning. Cousin Anna Marjorie Jeannie & Hugh for lunch. The latter & I spent a lazy afternoon. Dined with Marjorie & went to a very good film at the Capitol called "Good Intentions".

Monday, August 11

London. Deauville

Left London at 9.30 A.M. to motor to Newhaven to catch the Dieppe boat. Patricia & Mlle joined me there from Addeau. Nearly missed it & had a pretty crossing & arrived in sheets of rain. Car met us there & stopped at Rouen for tea & arrived at Deauville about 6.45. All except Cecil Gaudner staying at the Royal. Bad weather.

Deauville

Tuesday, August 12

Grouse Shooting begins.

Bad day. Quiet morning. I lunched late. Then went with Donald Cunard to watch the Polo and dined at the Hotel going early to bed. Awful gale sprang up.

Wednesday, August 13

Deauville

Marjorie produced son & heir in London. Weather appalling. Went up to the Polo ground in the afternoon where they were having their Tournée d'Elégance dog show fashion parade etc followed by a Polo match in which our team played & won. Got caught for tea by the Grammonts the Mayor & Corporation etc. Dined at Cirios with Morti Schiff Joe Widener & the Holders. Walked through the Casino once & then to bed.

Thursday, August 14

Deauville

Gale still blowing. Dr Fourcade from Paris came to see me also Patricia Mrs. Talked to Hugh on the telephone from London Drove out to the Golf in the afternoon with Patricia & then all went to watch the Polo Dined at the Ambassadeurs with Lord Furness = Did not stay late

Friday, August 15

Deauville.

Cold & windy still with bad rain at times & too depressing. Dickie & I drove out in the afternoon called on Lord Michelham in his yacht & did a little shopping. Then at 5.30 to the Polo a semi trial in which the team of Cecil, Charles Teddy & Dickie played very well & won very watching. Retired to bed for dinner after a hot bath & Dickie had it upstairs too.

Saturday, August 16

Deauville

Glorious day at last & really warm. Went & sat & basked on the beach in the afternoon & later went to watch a Polo match. Dined with Mr. Esmond Harmsworth at the Casino & a small party. Walked through the rooms after the atmosphere quite awful.
(Lunched at Cairo with Lady Michelham).

Sunday, August 17

Deauville

9th S. after Trinity.

Not quite so true.
Lunched with the Strassburgers at their villa & went down to the beach after.
The brain played a match in the evening the Final of the Michelham (Capel Cup) & had it presented to them by Lady Michelham.
Dined at the Casino with the Aga Khan

Monday, August 18

Deauville

Glorious morning but bad fate & rained in the evening. Spent the morning on the beach with Patrīa and funched fate. Did a little shopping in the afternoon & then rested. Pols fate & watched the match & then Diabe & Nam play a friendly game.

Tuesday, August 19 x

Deauville

Lunched out with the Robert Rothschilds at their villa. Very nice party. Saw the D? in the afternoon and later went to the Polo

Dined at the Casino with Bamberger. enormous party & later danced there and went on to Brummels a dancing place and rather nice. Late bed.

Wednesday, August 20

Deauville

Fine day & went down to the beach with Rhoda who has arrived here & Patricia.
Lunched late. Shopped with Rhoda in the afternoon & later all went to Polo to watch a very good game & I gave the cups away.
Dined at the Hotel & went to a Jack Hylton Concert after for a short time at the Casino.
Cecil Gardner left as his leave is up.

Thursday, August 21 xx

Robert Nevill who has come over to replace Cecil & Micky Hodges arrived early to stay with us I felt awful so stayed in bed all day and they all came to see me.

Friday, August 22

Deauville

Still felt pretty bad so remained in bed. = Jeanie who is on a yachting trip & now in at Honfleur arrived at 11 & stayed for lunch with me rejoining the rest of her party after.

Saturday, August 23

Deauville

Felt shd better so got up for lunch which we all had at Cris with Lady Michelham went on the beach after & later to watch the Polo. All dressed at the Casino & most terrible crush & so did'nt stay long.

Sunday, August 24

Deauville

10th S. after Trinity.

Fourier day. Had Mrs & General Marchant & Lady Michelham for lunch. Went down to the beach after with Robert & Micky. Went with the latter after to watch Sunbeam play & win the Junior Championship after the most thrilling game & they won it in the last seconds.
We gave an enormous dinner party at the Casino of 24 & later went to Grummels. Very late bed.

Monday, August 25

Deauville

Have an awful cold but day lovely so spent it with the Robert Rothschilds Villa on the beach & bathed & lay in the sun. Very hot indeed.
Polo in the afternoon & mildly left. Retired to bed with a temperature & feeling terrible.

Tuesday, August 26

Deauville

Frightfully hot. Bathed & lay on the beach. Lady Ludlow lunched, & a woman called Madame Jaffey dined & we then joined Bamberger & Peggy Harrison Walth at the Casino to see Bobby May a marvellous juggler.

Wednesday, August 27

Deauville Paris

Terrific heat. I motored up to Paris arriving for late lunch, which I had on a tray at the Ritz. Then shopped violently, nearly died of heat & saw the doctor. Dined out of doors in the champs Elysées with the Almeidas & young Carlow whom I'd found at the Ritz. After we drove round the Bois in a taxi and got delicious cool.

Paris

Thursday, August 28

London

Heat - unbearable & about 98 in the shade. Left on the Golden Arrow with Jerry Carlton during which journey we nearly died! Hugh met me & I went round to dine with Margorie who is better. Patricia arrives early tomorrow having crossed with Dudley from Southampton. Drove up to Hampstead Heath to try & get cool after dinner.

London Friday, August 29

Heat - quite awful.
Lunched with Marsons.
Later motored to Heston where
a marvellous man called Baker
took me up flying & gave me
a lesson. Then on to Nada at
Maidenhead for tea.
The Harrison Williams, Brecky Trump &
Hugh for dinner & we later went
to the movies & were joined by
Charlie Munn & Wilhelmina art - who
came back home. Letted for
hours.

London Saturday, August 30 Lympne

Did some business & then functed with Marjorie. Patricia & Mlle went off down to Hythe in the afternoon as I am staying at Lympne & I motored down with Hugh at tea time. Later went down to see Patricia & had a bathe Winston & Clementine & a whole party staying with Philip & of course Hannah.

Sunday, August 31

Lympne

11th S. after Trinity.

Florence dg and spent it on the beach & in the Gardens Large party & Philip in Grand-Form.

Monday, September 1

Lympne London

Partridge Shooting begins.

Spent most of the day at Lympne & then motored up to London. Dined with Marjorie who had it up in a chair for the first time. Then went with Brecky & Hugh to the Victoria Palace. Very Good show with George Robey & Teddy Brown &c

Tuesday, September 2

London Lympne.

Went round to see Marjorie & then motored down to Lympne in time for late lunch.
Lazy afternoon & delicious weather still. Patricia still at Hythe.

Wednesday, September 3

Lympne

Lovely day. Bathed & spent the day in the garden.
In the afternoon went to the Folkstone Cricket: the Australian XI v. an English side & with Wyatt Don Bradman & Chapman playing. Met all three. Saw Patricia a good deal who spent the day up at the house.

Thursday, September 4

Lympne London

Glorious day. Motored into Hythe in the morning & took Patricia for a ride on donkeys & pomeis with Hugh & Philip. Then lay on the beach. Went into Folkstone in the afternoon to see the Cricket & attend the Lady Mayoress's At Home. Philip sent me up to London in his "moth" with his own pilot Gillan ½ hours flying & 20 minutes from Hendon. Brady & a girl & Mike came & had sandwiches & we went to the first night of B. Lillie's new show at the Cambridge Theatre. Party after

Friday, September 5 Adsdean

London

Very busy day. Kept appointments & took Marjorie out for her first dinner. Lunched there & also saw Mary & Bobby just back from Scotland. More shopping & saw Miss U. & Nicky & then motored down to Adsdean in time for late dinner. Only Dickie there. Early bed.

Saturday, September 6

Addeam. Lympne

Dickie has "weekend on" so Philip sent his moth over for me with Gillan who flew me to Lympne in ½ hour. = Peter Du Cane came over in the morning flying. Hugh, the Harold Nicholson Thiel & a whole party staying with Philip. Patricia up for lunch & spent the afternoon.

Sunday, September 7

Lympne Canterbury. Lympne

12th S. after Trinity.

Spent the morning on the beach with Hugh & Jack & Almond & then fetched Patricia up for lunch. Enormous part & Nancy Asloi's whole family = motored to Canterbury in the evening to see the church which is quite exquisite & hear the Dean Dick Sheppard preach.

Monday, September 8

Lympne London

Motored up to London with Patricia in time for lunch which I had at Marjorie's. Took her round to Brook Hse after & then did some shopping & saw Hudson, Mabelle & her boy Lloyd dined also the American steel magnate Replogle, Mary & Bobby & Hugh & we went to "Cynara" Gladys Cooper's play. Quite good.

Tuesday, September 9

London

Hannah Hugh & Gillan to Lunch & did a lot of shopping after. Later rested as I was very tired.
Dined in with Hugh & went to Maurice Chevalier's Film "The Big Pond" after to the Café de Paris for a time as we intended to join Ali & Rod but they never turned up.

Wednesday, September 10

London.

Big lunch part of Ali & Leha Mabelle & Aksel Marjorie Hugh George & Esmée Johnson. At tea time motored out to Dickie Benson's at Hampstead for tea. Dined in & went to "Street Scene" a marvellous American play. Beautifully staged & acted

Thursday, September 11

London

Saw Tom & did some shopping & lunched in with Hugh. He left for Croxteth in the afternoon & I went with Marjorie to the oculist & after to Hanson. Dined in with Marjorie, Stewart-Menzies, Mike & young Max Aitken & we went to an excellent flying film called "The Dawn Patrol."

Friday, September 12

London. Gosport. Adsdean

Shopping in the morning & took Patricia to the photographer. Katie Crichton & Cecile McCoy & Micky Hodges to lunch after the latter & I motored down to Gosport to see the Polo. Then on to Adsdean. Aunt Vidoria & Little Philip Alice's boy slaying; also Robert Micky & Andrew. Patricia back at Adsdean too & Pamela flourishing.

Saturday, September 13

Aldeau

Bad day till fate in the afternoon. The men shot in the morning plus Mr. Slade & Dick Crichton & got drenched. Peter & Victor Ducane came for the day. Marjorie arrived down to stay. also Teddy = moloned into Chichester for some shopping. Lovely evening.

Cadsdean

Sunday, September 14

13th S. after Trinity.

Not a bad day though not much sun. Took Patricia & Philip for a ride in the afternoon & played on the tennis court. Some of them went up to the Polo ground for practice.

Adsdean

Monday, September 15

All the men except Micky left. also Aunt Victoria and Philip. Most lovely day and really hot sun which we lay in. Marjorie slayed on down to go to Noel Coward's new play "Private Lives" with him and Gertie Lawrence in it which opens at Portsmouth = Dined at the Barracks with Dickie Andrew Teddy & Micky. Play excellent & went round to see Gertie & Noel after & then back to the Queen's with them after.

Tuesday, September 16

Adsdean.

Frightful day and never ceased raining. Quiet morning & Noel Coward came out for lunch and spent the afternoon. Marjorie left at tea time & Noel & Micky soon after. Dickie got out about 5 & he and I spent a quiet evening.

Wednesday, September 17 London

Adsdean

Motored up to London in time for lunch which I had at Brook House with Jeanie who is just back from the south of France. Shopped for the children in the afternoon & went round to see Margoni. Had my hair & nails done. Margoni & Stewart Ali & Lela & I had sandwiches & went to the first night of Sophie Tucker & Jack Hulbert's show "Follow a Star". Dickie arrived up from Portsmouth Gale & joined us there. The Embassy for some food after.

Thursday, September 18

London

Had some X rays done & did some writing. Mary & Jeanie George & Dick for lunch. Dickie is staying up till tomorrow early shopping & dentist in the afternoon. Peter arrived over from Paris & is staying the night & coming down to Addsdean tomorrow. Jeanie dined & Dickie Peter & I went to the "Plaza" Cinema.

Friday, September 19

London Ridsdean

Did a lot of shopping in the morning and went to the dentist. Marjorie & Peter lunched & we talked after. Later I went to have my hair done. Then picked up Peter & Irene's Johnston and motored them down to Ridsdean for the week-end. Robert Neville also is spending the week-end. He & Dickie already out there. Gertie Lawrence & Noel Coward came out for the night after their performance. Noel & Peter played the Piano till all hours.

Saturday, September 20

Ad Idean.

Had an early lunch as Noel, Gertie had to go in for a matinee. Teddy arrived out. We spent a lazy afternoon and it gained a good deal & is blowing a gale.

Sunday, September 21

Aelsdean

14th S. after Trinity.

Fine day and quite warm
went out for a bit and Squeaker
Monsoon arrived in the
afternoon. Isinée & I sat in the
garden & had quite a sun
bath. Jeffrey & Robert & Squeaker
rode & practised Polo. Robert
left late

Monday, September 22

Adsdean London

Peter Ermeé & I lunched early with Patricia & Miss Vacani the dancing teacher who had come down to give her a lesson. After I motored them both up to London. Hugh came to tea & I went with him to Sophie Tucker's show "Follow a star" & we also went round to see her. Peter & Hugh staying at Brook House.

Tuesday, September 23

London

Fittings in the morning & lunched with Jeanie who had Will Stewart also there. Dentist at 2 & a busy afternoon. Jeanie Will & Hugh dined & the latter & I went to see "Common Clay" not a very good film with Constance Bennett. Then on to the Embassy where Will & Jeanie joined us. Also Kitty & Perry.

Wednesday, September 24

London

Shopped & walked in the park to go & see Marjorie & child as the former is away in Paris.
Friend - Baba, Bill, Jeanne Kitty & Rory & Hugh & I all had sandwiches at Brook House & then went to the first night of "Private Lives" Noel Cowards play. Great success Then on to the Embassy, to join a large party.

Thursday, September 25

London

Hannah. Hugh & Jack Salmond to Gunah & Philip came in after. Went out for a drive & later to see Aunt Vidoma & Bobby Casa Mary. Jeanie & Hugh dined & he & I went to a good film "The Big House" at the Empire. Later to a party organized by Elsa Maxwell at Violet Cripps house. Dick Rogers & Noel Coward & Gertie Lawrence & B. Lillie all there & Dick Rogers played marvellously.

London. Friday, September 26

Busy day. Lunched with Peter at Quaglino's & we then went to see a very good film called "Murder" Jeanne & Hugh to tea & the latter & I dined in and later went for a short time to the Kit-Cat Club.

London Saturday, September 27 Addsdean

Motored down to Ascot with Hugh for lunch which we had with Ali Macknilosh who has a house there. Then on to Peters-field where Hugh left me & I went on down to Addsdean Aunt Vidoña & Peter Speaker also there. Quiet evening. = Betty Kimmins & her husband came tomorrow for the night.

Sunday, September 28

Bdsdeau

15th S. after Trinity.

Very quiet day. Walked with Bernt Vidoria in the afternoon and Diethe had some Polo practise. Squeaker left in the afternoon. Peter & Diethe worked on the Polo book late. The Kummons arrived.

Adsdean

Monday, September 29

London

QUARTER DAY. *Michaelmas Day.*

Dieline & Tony Kimmins went into Portsmouth Early & Aunt Vidōna Betty & Peter left after lunch. I motored up about 12.30 shopping for lunch at Egham with Hugh on the way. Then to the dentist & to some shopping. Dined in & went to a good film with Claudette Colbert.

Tuesday, September 30

London

Busy morning. Walked in the park did some shopping & then went to lunch with Jeanie. Kitty Hugh & a man called Dave Osborne also there.

Busy afternoon. Dined at the Savoy with Freddy Lonsdale. The Cripps Jeanie & Hugh there too & later went to the Embassy.

London

Wednesday, October 1

Pheasant Shooting begins.

Albert, George, Jeanie Mayone & Hugh to lunch. Walked in the park after & did some shopping. Katie Crichton & John Marriott to dinner & we went to "The Dawn Patrol" & after to the Café de Paris.

London Thursday, October 2

Jeanie lunched & I shopped & went out in the park after George & Peter in for tea & the former Hugh & I dined with Marjorie, & she also had Jeanie & two Americans. Later to the Café Anglais where Gertie Lawrence joined us & Douglas Byng sang.

London Friday, October 3 Adsdean

very tired. but struggled out & did some shopping & then lunched at Claridges with Hugh. Motored down to Adsdean in the afternoon overtaking Jeanie on the way who had gone direct from Cherkley. Peter & Micky & Andrew also there.

Saturday, October 4

Cold Sdean

Lazy morning. Andrew left Patricia, Dickie & I rode in the afternoon. The first time I have been out since the spring. In the evening Jeanie Dickie Peter & I motored into Portsmouth to see the "Love Parade"

Sunday, October 5

Adsdean

16th S. after Trinity.

A quiet day. Jeanne & I played Rummy & Dickie Patricia & I rode in the afternoon. Micky left at tea time. Most awful airship disaster R101 the new one crashed on her trial flight to India at Beauvais & 48 people were killed including Lord Thomson the Air Minister & Sir Sefton Brancker.

Adsdean. Monday, October 6 London

Peter Jeanne & I motored up to London in time for lunch. I lunched in with Hugh & did some shopping in the afternoon & went to see Marjorie who is in bed with mild pleurisy. Dined in with Hugh & went to bed very early.

Tuesday, October 7

London.

Mary & Hugh to Lunch & I went off to the dentist after & then did some shopping & visited Marjorie. Leaving Hugh & I dined & went to the William Powell Film "For the Defence". Very good. Then dropped Jeanie at Crockfords & I went home to bed.

Wednesday, October 8

London

I lunched at Quaglinos with Nada, then had my treatment & at 6 went to see Marjorie. Bobby Casa Maury came in to see me. Dined at home with Hugh & we went to Leslie Henson & show "It's a boy" very stupid but very funny.

Thursday, October 9

London.

Busy morning. Lunched in with Hugh & shopped all the afternoon. At 5 went to see Marjorie who is still in bed with pleurisy. Hugh & I dined & went to "The King of Jazz" Paul Whiteman's film & then to Joni Peter & Sophie Tucker at the Kit-Cat. Dropped her at Grosvenor House where she is staying & then came home.

Friday, October 10

London. Adsdean

Shopped in the morning & lunched early at the Ritz with Esmé Johnston. Then motored down to Adsdean & rode on arrival. Aunt Vidoma & Louise arrived for the week end. The latter is over on a visit from Sweden. Teddy & Andrew came late for the night, as they are cub-hunting tomorrow.

Saturday, October 11

Adsdean

Most glorious day & really warm sun. Dickie Patriana & I rode in the afternoon & Nona & Dick Crichton arrived for lunch & to play the week-end. Saw a lot of the children who are both very flourishing & very sweet.

Ad Sdean.

Sunday, October 12

17th S. after Trinity.

Most glorious day again & brilliant Sun. Rode in the morning with Patricia & went up on the downs which was perfectly lovely.

Aldeburgh

Monday, October 13

London

Michaelmas Sittings begin.

Moved up to London & had some photographs before lunch. Hugh to lunch & Hannah came round to tea we after before going into a Nursing Home for a bad operation tomorrow. Had tea with Marjorie who is still in bed. Dined in with Hugh & we went to "Faloup" with Mary Newcomb.

Tuesday, October 14 ×

Shopped in the morning & lunched with Daddy at the Ritz. Appointments after & then went round to see Marjorie = Dickie came up. He, Jeanie Hugh & I dined & went to a very bad film called "Three Faces East". Then to the Café de Paris for a short time & then to supper with Noel Coward at his charming house. Charles Lamb also there, most amusing.

Wednesday, October 15

London

Busy morning: Aunt Victoria & Louise, Tony d'Almeida & Ralph to lunch. A business meeting at 4 & then went round to tea with Hugh & to see Jeanne. Didn't still up & he & I Mary & Bobby, Paula & Bobby & Micky Hodges dined & we went to Somerset Maugham's play "The Breadwinner". After some of us went for a short time to the Café Anglais where the Frasses joined us.

Thursday, October 16

London

Dickie went back at Cockcrow. I felt awful so stayed in bed till 4. Hugh came to lunch. At 4 I got up & went to see Hannah at the Nursing Home & then back to bed after seeing Marjorie for a few minutes & George. Jeanne & Hugh dined upstairs with me.

Friday, October 17

London

Lazy morning. Portia Stanley; Jeanie. Cons in Anne (who is staying for 2 days) & Hugh to Lunch. Had my hair washed & nails done. George Jeanie, Nick Alexander & Hugh dined & all except Jeanie went to Buster Keaton's Film "Forward March." After to the Savoy for a bit.

Saturday, October 18

London

Glorious day.
Busy morning & saw Hannah &
kept appointments. Lunched
at home with Hugh & we motored
to Trent at tea time & had
a breath of air. Then to see
Marjorie. Dined in & went to
the Plaza to see the "two black
crows" in "Anybody's War".
Then to the Café Anglais, with
Hugh.

London

Sunday, October 19

18th S. after Trinity.

Perfect day again so Hugh & I motored down to Windsor to have lunch with Ali & Lela who have taken a house near there. Saw Marjorie & Hannah on my return. Dined at home & went to bed early.

Monday, October 20

London Paris

Jeanne & I went over to Paris by the Golden Arrow. Lovely day and had a good journey. Staying at the Wickfields at 80 rue de Lille. Peter met us. Lunch at La Michaudière with Raymond Bamberger & a man called de Boigne. After to various dancing places.

Paris

Tuesday, October 21

Trafalgar Day.

Very tired so did nothing till French which Peter gave us at "Marius". Then a lot of shopping & at 6:30 to a Cocktail party at Camilo Aldao's. Dined at Ciros with Michael Farmer. Enormous party. Then on to Monseigneur & Florence's with some of them. Very late bed.

Wednesday, October 22

Paris

Exhausted again & only struggled up to lunch at the Ritz with Portia Stanley & some others. Saw Xenia Zicky after & went to look at flats with her. Also saw Nada & Peter.
Dined at La Michaudière with Jack de la Bérandière Edmond Barrachin & Raymond Bernberger. After to Florence's.

Paris

Thursday, October 23

Jeanne left on the Golden Arrow. I went with Peter to look at another flat & then lunched at the Ritz with Julie Thompson & Emerald Cunard. Pierre Mérillon came to see me after & I then met Peter & did some shopping. Dined with Tony & Barbara d'Almeida & Raymond Bamberger at Cuvo. Then to Florences.

Friday, October 24

Paris Havre

Some shopping in the morning and lunched at a place called "The Berkeley" with Peter Mather of shopping in the afternoon and Michael Farmer came round to see me. Peter & I left Paris at 8 & crossed by night from Havre to Southampton frightfully rough journey.

Saturday, October 25

Southampton Adsdean

Motored from Southampton to Adsdean getting there about 9 o'clock. Dickie already there. Rode in the morning with Patricia upon the downs. George & Paula arrived at tea time & Ronnie & Ralph & Micky Eglin. All staying till tomorrow night

Sunday, October 26

Alfdean

19th S. after Trinity.

Glorious weather.
Quiet day. All rode in the morning & practised Polo up on the ground. In the afternoon went out to the wooden house & had some practise & some of them played Golf. Ralph & Nicky left at 6 for London. We all played paper games till a late hour & Dickie worked.

Monday, October 27

Addison

Bad weather v very wet v
mostly in the afternoon
Ronnie left Tarf. v Paula
after lunch. = George v Peter
playing on till Wednesday
Marjorie v Mary Pratt v the
baby arrived at tea time
to play

Adsdean Tuesday, October 28

George & Patricia & I rode in the morning up on the downs a most lovely day & quite warm. Diethie arrived out at 4.15. I rode with him again. George & Humphrey Butler who had arrived for Sunday went into Portsmouth for a Freemasons Dinner. We had several officers out from the Barracks including Bez & Keith Walter. George & Humphrey got back at 11.30.

Wednesday, October 29

Rdsdeau. London

George & Humphrey left early as the former had a busy day at Brighton. Peter & I motored up to London in time for lunch. Mabelle & Aksel Wichfeld staying at Brook House. I lunched with Jeanne who also had Brecky. A lot of shopping in the afternoon. Dined at the Horse Guards with Hugh & later joined Aksel Mabelle & Audrey & Dmitri at the Café de Paris

Thursday, October 30

London

Mabelle & Albert, Lytle Hull just over from America, Marjorie & Brady Jeanie & Hugh all lunched & after I went to an Exhibition of pictures. Dined at Quaglinos with Hugh & we went to a bad film called "Whopee". (Tea with Charles Lamb at his flat)

Friday, October 31

London Adsdean

A busy morning. Lunched at Claridges with Hugh & then picked up Peter & Marjorie & motored them down to Adsdean for the week-end. Large party - Daddy & Madre, Mary & Bobby, Marjorie, Peter, Phil & Joan Bowyer Smyth, & Kay Norton all playing. George & Nick Alexander arrived down in the middle of the night. Andrew for dinner.

Saturday, November 1

Adsdean

Fox Hunting begins.

Absolutely terrible day and
Came down in sheets all
morning & the shoot coned't
even be thought of till after
an early lunch. They set
out plus Sir Roger & Dick
Crichton about 1.50 & had
3 or 4 drives & got about 200
birds & also soaked.
Mad evening. Brecky arrived
Played all sorts of games.
House choc full & masses
of children & dogs into
the bargain

Adsdean

Sunday, November 2

20th S. after Trinity.

Better day. Dictus George & I
Jodel in the morning.
Sir Dennistoun & Lady Bury
(he is the designer of R. 100 &
an Extraordinary new car which
became down in) for lunch.
Took us out in it in the
afternoon. George & Wick
left at tea time, also
Daddy & Phil & Joan.
More quiet evening. Andrew
for dinner again & games
after.

Adsdean

Monday, November 3

London

Rode with Marjorie. the children in the morning after Kay Peter. I motored up to London. Marjorie staying on down here till Thursday. Hugh for tea Mabelle & Aksel still staying at Brook House & Barbara & Tony d'Almeida arrived from Paris to stay by the Golden Arrow. Thez. Poots & Humphrey Paula & Hugh dined & Clarence & we went to the marvellous new flying film Hells' Angels. after George joined us at the Café de Paris.

London

Tuesday, November 4

Busy morning & Barbara came down to see me. A large large party including George Emerald Bobby & Mary Breckly etc. Did some shopping in the afternoon & had tea with Hugh & then went to see Hannah who is better. The Almeidas Breckly & Bunting Stephenson Hugh & I dined & went to a very good film at the Empire. Then to the Café de Paris.

Wednesday, November 5

London.
Round to see Jeanne who is ill
Lunched at the Ritz with
Hugh. Tea with Aunt Victoria
& George came too & after
we went to call on Ena
& Aunt Beatrice etc.
Then picked up Hugh & we
looked in at Violet
& Fred Cripps Cocktail party
in honour of the opening
of Douglas's hairdressing place
they have just taken over.
Dined with Helen. Evelyn
Fitzgerald. Andrey & Dmitri
also there. Embassy for a
short time after.

Thursday, November 6

London
Went down with Audrey & Dmitri to the Horse Guards for the changing of the Guard
Lunched with Aunt Vidona
Nada & Georgie also there as it was the Gallery's birthday. Shopping after & then went to have tea with Hugh at the Horse Guards. Then to see Hannah.
Dined in with Brecky the Almeidas, Freda & Bobby & Ian Murray & Charles Lavoye & we went to Private Lives. After to see Gertie & Noel & then to the Café de Paris.
Saw Jeanie who is in bed with Flu

London Friday, November 7 Six Mile Bottom

Lunched in with Margaret Wodehouse, Ralph the Almeida & Hugh. Round to see Jeanie after & then a little shopping. Motored down to Six Mile Bottom after tea. The Breckies, Jenkins, Portarlington, Ian Hugh. Philip also there for shooting tomorrow. Very cold & very wet. Saw Cinema after.

Saturday, November 8 X

Six Mile Bottom

Finer day and not too cold
Joined the guns for lunch at
the Keeper's house, & slaged
out with them till tea. Most
lovely evening & they had a
good shoot. Played Poker after
& won a lot. Chemin de fer
after & still continued to win

Sunday, November 9

Six Mile Bottom

21st S. after Trinity.

Quite a nice day.
Lazy morning & wrote a few letters
Some of us motored over to
Houghton to the Cholmondeley
after lunch & had tea there
Back to Six Mile Bottom for
dinner. Some of the guests left
but I stayed on & we saw
movies again.

Six Mile Bottom

Monday, November 10

London

Lazy morning. Shooting again & we joined the guns for lunch. I motored up to London with Philip Sassoon after getting them for tea. The Wickfields & Almeidas still playing. Enormous party in the evening, dinner of 17 & about 30 after party given by us & party by the Wickfields = Sophie Tucker & Ted Shapiro Noel & Gertie & 2 men called Koch de Gouyard & Kokely amateurs who play the Piano marvellously & others. Party went on till 3. Diathe came up from Portsmouth.

Tuesday, November 11

London

Armistice Day.

Busy day. Fittings & Mabelle Dickie & I lunched. Had tea with Hugh & then came back home & Winnie came round. Later to see Hannah.
Dickie still up & we dined at the Londonderry. Dinner & dance for Eva & the Girls. Rather fun.

Wednesday, November 12

London Calshott London

Dickie motored down to Hamble at 8 A.M. & Philip & I flew down in a Puss Moth at 9. Delayed owing to fog & when we arrived at the Hampshire Light Aeroplane Club where Dickie met us covered not & fried the boat to take us off to Calshott where we were to visit the giant new German Flying Boat Do. X. Eventually got there & the Prince arrived down shortly after & they took us up for a flight. Quite marvellous. & after saw her take off & land again! Dickie went on to Portsmouth & Philip & I flew back. Dined at the Merry del Vals. Dinner & dance

Thursday, November 13

London

Fittings in the morning & I lunched at Boulestin with Peter. Then to see Jeanne & new house & later to Hannah. Lots of people came in for cocktails including Ronnie, Charles & Peter. Dined with Audrey & Dmitri at the Savoy. Big party & later joined the Almeidas at the Embassy. Very tired

Friday, November 14

London Oakham

Busy morning. Tony & Barbara
Hugh & Isabelle & Brecky for lunch
I went down to Oakham with
Hugh on the 3.30 train where
he has a charming little
hunting house. Quiet evening

Saturday, November 15

Oakham. London. Bapham

The Almeidas left for Paris
Came up to London by the 11.15 train.
Mabelle & Aksel for Lunch & Teatime
Came round to see me
after. Motored down to
Bapham to the Camdens in
time for dinner, for Marjorie's
baby's christening tomorrow.
George also there and a large
party mostly family.

Sunday, November 16

Bagham The Fort Sunningdale

22nd S. after Trinity.

Lazy morning: Swimmers & Lunch before the christening and photos after. Baby behaved beautifully George & I motored on to the Fort the prince's house near Sunningdale after across Country lathing about 2 hrs: Vic Edward the Leighs & 2 Sparmaids there besides the Prince & Ena & Cousin Thora came for dinner. I slayed the night. Late bed as we danced & talked.

Sunningdale

Monday, November 17

London

Motored up to London with George in time for lunch which I had at Brook House with him at Tearne. Then went round to see the Callers new abode. Later to the Period Miniature Exhibition with George & to tea with Louise & Aunt Victoria.
Dined at home with Hugh & we went to a very good Film "Her Man" at the Plaza.

London

Tuesday, November 18

Busy morning of appointments & had some photos taken at Bertram Park.
Gua. the girls, Audrey & Dmitri George Young, Dmitri & Hugh Gunched also George.
After some of us went to a matinée of "Petticoat Influence" very good. Back to tea with Audrey at the Ritz. Dined with Mrs Ronnie Greville, big dinner for Gua etc & dance after. Late night

Wednesday, November 19

London

Sat to A.K. Lawrence for a charcoal drawing all morning. Lunched with Gerald & then did some shopping with Hugh. Saw Hannah at tea-time & then Bobby Cunningham Reid and Paula & later Gustaf. Dined at the Wilburns. Big dinner for the Prince & George and dance after. George & I found Andrey & Dmitri at the Café de Paris. Long late night.

Thursday, November 20

London

Most exhausting day
Busy morning & then had philip
Mensdorff, Gustaf Louise
Mrs Arthur & Mrs Meyer Sassoon
for lunch. Then went to
an Exhibition with Gustaf
and Louise. Cocktail & Committee
meeting at Brook House from
5 till 7.30 for the Empire
Jewel Ball of which I am
President. Had to receive
everyone Then round to
see Jeanie & collapsed in
bed for dinner & Hugh had
it on a tray.

Friday, November 21

London Wherwell

Awful day. Busy morning & Hannah looked in to see me. Hugh for lunch. I motored down to Wherwell at tea-time to the Jenkins. Jickie arrived over from Portsmouth. Marjorie Breckly & some others also there. Quiet evening & fairly early bed.

Wherwell **Saturday, November 22** Adsdean

very wet morning but cleared in the afternoon. The men went out shooting & we joined them for lunch at the Keeper's Lodge. Slaped out till tea. Dickie & I motored back to Adsdean after 5. Aunt Victoria Instaf & Louise & Peter slaping for the week end.

Sunday, November 23

Adsdean

23rd S. after Trinity.

Perfectly glorious day & Rode up on the downs & the Polo ground in the morning. The others went for a walk. After lunch motored round by Cowdray & Petworth & then to Arundel to the Norfolks for tea. Teddy Lonsdale came for dinner. Quiet evening.

Monday, November 24

Adsdean. Sutton London

Left Adsdean about 12 & motored to Sutton in time for lunch. Prince Eugene of Sweden Gustafs' uncle whom I had sent the car for met us there from London. We all returned together. Quite a lot of people for dinner including the Wickfields Breckenridges Casa Maurys Archie Campbells, Peter & Nina de Polignac & Larson & Jeanne Midy. Went to see the new Film Cinema Crackers with the Marx Brothers & then to Sophie Tucker's opening night at the Kit Cat.

Tuesday, November 25

London

Busy morning & Jeanne. I lunched together at Brook House. Some shopping in the afternoon & then went to see Harnak. Didie arrived up at 6.30 & Louise & Instaff Aunt Victoria Jeanne & Uncle Eugene all dined & we all except Aunt V went to see "Let us be gay" Tallulah & play. After Didie & I went to St James & Palace to see the Prince & helped him cut & Edit one of his shooting trip films.

Wednesday, November 26

London.

Sat for Lawrence in the morning who is doing a Charcoal Sketch of me. Aunt Victoria & the Illingworths & Dilke's Captain Mackenzie for lunch. After went out with Peter & went to see Sophie Tucker with Marjorie & Lena & some rough. Large dinner for the Jewels of the Empire Ball of which I am President & Madre Chairman. Took place at the Park Lane Hotel & went off quite well. Dilke returned to Portsmouth in the middle of the

Thursday, November 27

London

Ella Joshua, Elena Buraggi
& Marjorie to lunch.
Then went out with Jeanne
for a bit & had tea at
Hannah's. Quite exhausted
so retired to bed for
dinner. Hugh just up
from the country for the
night came & had it
with me!! —

Friday, November 28

London Adsdean

My 29th birthday. Jeanne & Mary found to see me. Lunched with Philip. Louise and Gustaf also there. Then picked up Marjorie and motored down to Adsdean with her. Dietrie & the children all there for my birthday tea. Audrey & Dmitri Evelyn Hitz Gerald Winnie Lionel & Ian arrived 'down for dinner & the week end Marjorie staying the night.

Saturday, November 29

Adsdean

Dull but dry day. Shooting. = all the men plus young Norfolk & Dick Crichton. — Winnie & I went out after lunch & I took Patricia. Good day and they got over 400 head. Mary one left in the afternoon & Helen FitzGerald arrived.

Sunday, November 30

Adfdean

Advent Sunday

Rather foggy & damp.
Dickie practised Polo in the morning. Lionel left early & Ian & Winnie Audrey & Dmitri after lunch. Teddy Lowndes arrived. Dickie patrick & I rode in the afternoon & we knocked a Polo Ball about-
Quiet evening.

Monday, December 1

Adsdean Chailey. London

The Fitzgeralds left early.
Betty Kimmins came over from Portsmouth at 11.15 & I then motored her over to Chailey where she has a house & after visited all the Heritage Craft Hospitals and Schools for Crippled Children Quite marvellous. Then motored on up to London. Audrey Dmitri the Bradlies & Turnises for dinner & then went to the Dominion Theatre where Hugh joined us to see Chevalier who is appearing there for 2 weeks. After to the Embassy & then on to a party at the Mayfair given in honour of Chevalier

London

Tuesday, December 2

Took Patricia to the dentist v shopping after. Lunched with Paula. Jeanie and George also there. Shopping in the afternoon and tea with Hannah. George Dmitri v I dined with Lennie v Lionel and went to the movies. After to the Embassy for a short time.

Wednesday, December 3

London

Lunched with Sybil Cholmondeley Rock & Orpen also there, & after went round to the Cattle's house and saw all his things.

At 4 picked up Patricia & Mary & her child & we took them to Dorothy Plunket's children's party at Londonderry House. Then back to see Mary. Iain Murray came in to see me. Dined with Portia & Edward Stanley & later went to a party given by Dmitri, Ivor Guest, Hugh Seely & Gaspard Pontonby!

Thursday, December 4

London

Busy day. Hugh to Gunah & later we did some shopping & went round to see Hannah. I also went to see Poots. Dined with Cuckoo & Gordon Smith & went to "Evergreen" Cochran's new show & after to the Furness's to a party. Both frightful!

Friday, December 5 X

Hannah Paula & Hugh to
lunch'. Grandmaine Alice
to tea. Dined at the Ritz
in a fearful hurry with
Mabelle & Albert & we went
to the 1st night of Wonder Bar
Charlot's new show. After
had some supper at the Savoy
Grill.

Saturday, December 6

London

At 12 took Patricia to have a tooth out with gas. Did not mind & seemed none the worse for it. Aunt Victoria & Louise & Gustaf & Georgie & Nadia to lunch. Later I went round to see Marjorie who has a bad cold & Patricia went to tea with Mary Pratt.

Hugh & I dined late & we went to a film at the Empire. Awful fog the last few days.

Sunday, December 7

London

2nd S. in Advent.

Fog slightly better. Hugh & I lunched with Marjorie & then went to hear Yehudi Menhudi the marvellous 13 year old violinist at the Albert Hall. Then back to tea & in the evening went to Gary Cooper's new film at the Plaza.

Monday, December 8

London

Mrs. Braham to see me
Philip, Ralph, Brecky, Bobby
the Argentine Ambassador, Paula
Poppy & Venetia Montagu lunched
also a man called Boyle.
In the afternoon shopped
with Philip & then went
round to see Marjorie.
Jeannie to see me later.
Dined in bed.

Tuesday, December 9

London

Went to the doctor in the morning and then to do some shopping. Lunch party at Mozelle Sassoon's all women and after did a little shopping with Hannah. Tea at Mary's & later various people looked in to see me. Hugh dined & we went-fate to a very good film called The "Renegades". After for a short time to the Embassy.

Wednesday, December 10

London

Awful fog & gloomy day again. Busy morning & then lunched with Hugh at the Ritz and shopped after. Paula came in to see me. Dickie arrived up at 6.30. He Mabelle & Alexei Dmitri Jeanne & Hugh dined and we went to a play called "A murder has been arranged" & after to the Café de Paris.

Thursday, December 11

London.

Better day and sat for Lawrence in the morning. Aunt Victoria Georgie and Nada & the Maharajah of Bilaner to lunch. Shopped in the afternoon & went to see Hannah. The Fish & a man called Robinson in Dickie's course spending the night & they Dickie & I went to "Street Scene". Peter also dined but did not come on. Dickie leaving at 6.15 A.M.

Friday, December 12

London Aldsdean. South Wm. Broadlands

Busy morning & lovely Patricia shopping. Swallowed some lunch at 1.30 & left in the car for Aldsdean at 1.45 bathing Patricia & Mlle. Got down at 3.45 & then went out riding. Lovely evening. Got home in the pitch dark. Changed & motored over to Southampton to the South Western Hotel for the Annual Dinner of the Hampshire Light Aeroplane Club of which Jellie is President. We had to receive 150 guests & shake hands & big dinner after with speeches followed by a dance. On to Broadlands after for the week-end getting there at 12.

Saturday, December 13

Broadlands

Rather a nice day. Did not go out till after lunch tho the men of the party shot. Lovely afternoon. Poker after dinner. Party consists of Kay Norton, The Forrestes, Courtaulds, Lady Worthington, Geoffrey Glyn & a man called Jack Briscoe.

Sunday, December 14

Broadlands. London

3rd S. in Advent.

Fine day again. Went round the house with Daddy before lunch. Dickie returned to Adsdean after and I motored Kay up to London in time for Lia. She, Paula, I, Dmitri Hugh & Camilo Aldao & a man called Ferry all dined at the May Fair where Buck had his annual Charity show in aid of the East End Boy's Clubs. Very good Cabaret with Maurice Chevalier, Vic Lorraine & Sophie Tucker all singing.

Monday, December 15

London

Lunched with the Aga Khan & the Regum at the Ritz - lunch for Ramsay Macdonald.
Shopping in the afternoon.
Camilo Aldao came in to see we at 6. Dined at the Brazilian Embassy & later went on with George for a short time to the Kit Cat where we found Marjorie & listened to Sophie Tucker

Tuesday, December 16

London

Shopped in the morning & lunched with Cuckoo Gordon Leith. Shopped after & talked to Jeanie. Hannah & Philip to tea. Had Mary & Betty & Peter to dinner & the Galter & I went to see "The Barretts of Wimpole Street." Excellent play.

Wednesday, December 17

London

Dense fog & Just little night
Had Phyllis Mussey Burning Stephens
Ronnie Wilson, Ralph & a Nor-
wegian man called Holm for
lunch. Shopping in the
afternoon. Dined with Emerald
who had a dinner before a
Charity Ball which we all
went on to for a short time

Thursday, December 18

London

Fog better. Sat to Lawrence in the morning. Camilo & Pfeffe Jean & Terence to lunch shopped & at 5 went to a tea at Eileen Sutherland for some of the Indian women Thelma Furness, Colin Davidson & Camilo Holm dined & we went to a marvellous French film called "Sous les Toits de Paris". After to the Café de Paris when Georgie & Nadia & George Jouvet us.

Friday, December 19

London. Addsdean

Nightfully busy morning shopped
met Jeanie & went to some
steamship agencies, & looked
in to see Mary.
Peter, Micky, & I had an early
lunch & motored down to
Addsdean at Express speed
Dickie already out there & he
Micky. Patricia & I gode on
arrival returning in the
dark. Peter retired to bed
feeling ill:

Adsdean

Saturday, December 20

Michaelmas Sittings end.

Dull day. Dickie shot with some neighbours the Christy's Spent a lazy morning. Robert Neville came out after funeral & he thinks Patricia & Lode & knocked a Polo Ball about. Quiet evening & did a lot of Xmas correspondence.

Celsdean

Sunday, December 21

4th S. in Advent.

Glorious day and brilliant sun.
Rode in the morning & right
up on the Polo ground and
downs. Took Patricia
After lunched went round
the gardens & house etc.
Robert came out for dinner.
Went to bed early to write
and read.

Monday, December 22

Adsdean London

Glorious morning and Dickie & Micky went into Portsmouth Earl. Back at 12 & we & Patricia went out riding, up to the Polo ground where we knocked a Ball about. Peter stayed on down but Micky & I started to motor up to London = After Horndean however got into dense fog & after letting hours to reach Guildford eventually got into a train there. Arrived up late in dense fog & car & bus took over 6 hours to come up! Went round to see Mary & Hugh came & dined late.

Tuesday, December 23

Busy morning and lunched with Hugh at home. Hannah looked in to see me. A lot of shopping in the afternoon last-moment Xmas rush, then went round to see Mary. George & Paula looked in to see me later. Dined in with Hugh & we went to a bad film.

Wednesday, December 24

London

Was woken at 7 by Shak ringing up from Mary's house saying her baby had started. Rushed round but it eventually went off returning all day at intervals. Spent most of the day there. Lunched & dined with Bobby. At 12.30 the baby really started again properly & I assisted & gave her the anaesthetic & was there & saw it born at 2 A.M. A little boy & very sweet.

(Was to have gone down to Adsdean & then on to Wherwell, but sent Dickie & the children instead.)

Thursday, December 25

London Wherwell

QUARTER DAY. *Christmas Day.*

Felt awful but struggled up & drove myself down to Wherwell in 1½ hours arriving for lunch. Found besides the Jenkins & the Mountbatten the Marriotts Brecknocks & Nurse Harrison. Large Xmas lunch & dinner. Children having a fine time 2 of ours 2 of Marjorie & & little John Marriott. Mary & the baby getting on splendidly

Wherwell. Friday, December 26 Addean

Bank Holiday.

Dickie and I drove back to Addean in time for lunch. Rode in the afternoon [illegible] through cold. Practised Polo and then wrote millions of letters and [illegible] Polo [illegible] of Dickie's. Children playing on at Wherwell till Sunday.

Saturday, December 27 Holdean London

Most awful day, especially in the morning. Dickie shot all the Norfolks in the afternoon and I motored up to London in time for tea which I had with Mary. Found her and the baby getting on very well. Hugh arrived up after lunching and we had a quiet dinner and evening.

Sunday, December 28

London

1st S. after Christmas.

Quiet day. Went round to see Mary. Hugh & I lunched in & then went to the Zoo where we had a most enjoyable time & saw the sea lions, woolly monkeys and the bear "Winnie the Pooh"! Then back to see Mary.

Dined in with Hugh and went to Evelyn Laye's new film "Lili". Not very good.

Monday, December 29

London

Shopped in the morning & went to see Mary who is getting on splendidly. In the afternoon to the Circus which was very good and then back to see Mary again. Hugh dined and we went to an excellent film with Claudette Colbert called "Manslaughter"

Tuesday, December 30

London Trent London

Busy morning with shopping & seeing Mary. Then drove down to Trent to lunch with Philip who had an enormous party. Came back about 5 in pouring rain & went to see about steamship accomodation. Then to Mary. George, Paula & Peter looked in at the time and stayed to dinner & the Breathes & Bobby. C.M also came. Bobby showed us some of his films after.

Wednesday, December 31 ×

London

Awful day again & really it is a relief to feel it is the last of the year which could't have been unlucky for most people. = Shopped in the morning & saw Mary & Brady. Lunched with Emerald & then did & some more shopping & back to tea with Mary. Hugh dined & we went to a very good film at the New Gallery "The Big Trail". Did not wait up to see the New Year in!

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	22	23	24	25	26	27	28
	29	30	31	..	..	..	..

Cash Account

for

1930

JANUARY, 1930

Received

Total £

JANUARY, 1930

Paid

Total £

FEBRUARY, 1930

Received

Total £

FEBRUARY, 1930

Paid

Total £

MARCH, 1930

Received

Total £

MARCH, 1930

Paid

Total £

APRIL, 1930

Received

Total £

APRIL, 1930

Paid

Total £

MAY, 1930

Received

Total £

MAY, 1930

Paid

Total £

JUNE, 1930

Received

Total £

JUNE, 1930

Paid

Total £

JULY, 1930

Received

Total £

JULY, 1930

Paid

Total £

AUGUST, 1930

Received

Total £

AUGUST, 1930

Paid

Total £

SEPTEMBER, 1930

Received

Total £

SEPTEMBER, 1930

Paid

OCTOBER, 1930

Received

OCTOBER, 1930

Paid

Total £

NOVEMBER, 1930

Received

Total £

NOVEMBER, 1930

Paid

DECEMBER, 1930

Received

Total £

DECEMBER, 1930

Paid

Total £

TOTAL RECEIVED, 1930

Jan.				
Feb.				
March				
April				
May				
June				
July				
Aug.				
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
	Total £			

TOTAL PAID, 1930

Jan.				
Feb.				
March				
April				
May				
June				
July				
Aug.				
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
	Total £			

MEMORANDA, 1930

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