

Burton, M. MSS 1

1922

Florence

4 May

Thurs.

H & I to lunch with Ethel Harter. Walked from Romito. Warm. M^{rs} Stuart there. E. motored us back to San Gallo & we drove back with plants. Tea, & then to see Mamma.

5 May.

Fri.

With H. in morning to del Bene & Bank & Anglo-American Stores. Slept after lunch. After tea to Casanuova & found M. sitting in garden with Miss Besier & the Direttrice. Miss Whittuch here while I was out.

6 May.

Sat.

H & I to the Allori in morning with flowers. The gardener has arranged Papa's grave with stones all round & planted it with small begonias & a big white margherite.

M^r Perkins in for tea, & then Harry & I to Casanuova. She had a bad day – very restless & talkative & wretched. H & I took

Burton, M. MSS 2

Florence

1922

her for a walk outside & round
the garden.

7 May.

Sun.

The opening of the Fiera del
Libro & many processions & bands
playing & the city hung with
bunting. Rosina had to go
to Bagni di Lucca to her child
who is ill. Casini here in morn.
& then I joined H. in the Due/ <tc>h
rooms at the Uffizi. Miss Young.
H. went to the Firths. I to
Casanuova after tea. Contessa Cini
in tram. Mamma much quieter
& happier. In garden till 7.15.

8 May

Mon.

With H. to Magliaia & Via
Ginori & Miseracordia <& shopping> in mornng.
H. to Casa di Cura after lunch &
back for tea. Afterwards I to Casa-
nuova. Met Miss Bésier's sister
& Mme Zeinotti (?) wife of the
Dutch Consul. Mamma fairly
quiet & calm. Warm day.

Burton, M. MSS 3

Florence

1922

9/<11> May

Tues./<hurs>

H. & I in morning <of the 9th> to Le Querce
to try & find the Miss Moodys, but
they are at Fiesole. After lunch
D^E Verity came to tell me that
Mamma was very ill. I sent
H for Miss Whytlaw & waited till
he came back & then went to
Casanuova. I found Mamma
unconscious & breathing very
heavily. They told me what had
happened. Miss Bézier was at
lunch & she went into the
garden & looked up at Mamma's
window & saw her & Beppina
standing there. It was very hot
& the sun was shining on them.
~~Miss Besi~~ Mamma said to
Miss Bésier "How hot it is" &
Miss Bésier said "But you are
standing with the sun on your
head dear. Go in". And then
she told Beppina to go down &

Burton, M. MSS 4

bring up Mamma's lunch.
Beppina went down & Miss Besier
returned to the dining room.
A few moments later they heard
a crash of glass & rushed
out to find Mamma lying on
the ground unconscious. She
had got out of the window.
Just under neath her window –
about a yard under – was the
<broad> leaded roof of the verandah
It sloped slightly & the edge
was 2 metres & 80 centimetres
from the ground. Whether she
slipped from it or jumped
we can never know. Her
skirt caught on a hook &
tore & then she fell. The
young doctor picked her up
in his arms & carried her
up. Nothing was broken, &
there were only some slight

Burton, M. MSS 5

bruises. At the left side at the base of the skull the skin was scratched. But she was unconscious & did not recover consciousness in spite of all restoratives. When I arrived they asked me if I would have Burci & he came at half past 6. He told me her state was very grave – that there must be a slight fracture of the skull where the scratch was, but there was a thread of hope. I had no hope. Everything was done & injections of camphor & caffeine every hour, but at 10 she became much worse with sick[n]ess & convulsions & at 10.45 it was over. I could not stay in the room but walked up & down outside

Burton, M. MSS 6

for the last 20 minutes. It
was more than I could bear
& I knew she would not
want me again. I stayed
the night there & the next day
nearly all the time in her
room. Miss Whytlaw came
to see me. At 7. the Allori
came & took her away to
the chapel and I came home
with Harry. Today at 3
M^r Read took the service &
we laid her in Papa's grave
I try to think they are together
again, but all I can feel
is my own bitter loss.

Harry & I decided we would
not let people know what had
happened. It would do Mamma
no good & would do the house
harm. They were all so kind
from the beginning to the end

Burton, M. MSS 7

& I would not like to harm them.
Mamma was in Miss Besiers
charge & it was her fault for
sending Beppina out of the room
& leaving Mamma alone. But
I cannot even blame her much,
not with justice I mean, because
in the month that mamma
had been with her she showed
no signs at all of wanting
to do herself an injury. Vigilance
had been great during the
first fortnight when she was
so distraught, but even then
she shone/~~ne~~<we>d no signs of wanting
to do herself an injury, & so
the vigilance had been relaxed.
<as she was so much better.>
That morning Mamma had
been quite calm out in the
garden watching & interested
in an aeroplane.

And now it is all over. I

Burton, M. MSS 8

wonder how I bear it for
I feel as if it were all my
fault for letting others tend
her when it should have been
I to do it all. If she had
been with me it would not
<have> happened. She would not have
felt so bereft. But I did
not know what to do & they
all told me it was better
for her not to be with me as
she was almos/<way>s more agitated
with me than when away
from me & I did what
I was told was best for her
& now how bitterly I shall
regret it all my life.

Burton, M. MSS 9

Morning Post

16 May 1922

Duckett. – On 10th April, at Florence, Lieut.-Colonel William Morton Duckett, late 2nd Batt. Royal Scots Fusiliers and Army Pay Department, only son of the late Thomas Morton Duckett, Esq., of Clonmel, Co. Tipperary.

Duckett. – On 9th May, at Florence, Stanny, the widow of the late Lieut.-Colonel William Morton Duckett.

Irish Times. 17 May 1922

Duckett – April 10, 1922, at Florence

Lieutenant-Colonel William Morton Duckett, late of the 2nd Battalion Royal Scots Fusiliers, and Army Pay Department, only son of the late Thomas Morton Duckett, Barrister-at-Law, T.C.D., of Clonmel, Co. Tipperary.

Duckett – May 9, 1922, at Florence, Stanny, the widow of Lieutenant-Colonel William Morton Duckett.

Also Times & Daily Telegraph.

16 May 1922.

Burton, M. MSS 10

1922

Florence, Rimini

12 May.

Fri.

Bruna came in morning
& afternoon about my mourning.
Mme de Kerbrech & Miss M^cDougall
& M^{rs} de Robeck & Nesta called but I
didn't see anyone. After tea Harry
& I went to Forca's & on to
Casini.

14 May.

Sun.

To Service at St. Mark's with H.
in morning. To Ge/<i>orgi. M^{rs} Pemberton
& M^r Bond in.

15 May.

Mon.

Left Florence by the 2.35 train
& arrived at Rimini at 7.55.
Aquila d'Oro.

16 May.

Tues.

Left at 10 A.M. in motor bus
for San Marino. Arrived 11.30.
Saw the Prefettura & Cathedral of
San Marino & his cell & the
Castello, & lunched at the Titano.
M^r Parkinson & M^r Machtig with
us. Left at 3. & arrived back
at Rimini at 4.5. Tea &
then down to the sea & watched

Burton, M. MSS 11

1922

Rimini, Ravenna

the fishing boats of the Molo. After
dinner with M^r. P. & M^r. M.

17 May.

Wed.

To the Tempio (Sigismundo
& Isaotta Malatesta) & the beautiful
Dosso Dossi cherubs. Left Rimini
at 3.12 & arrived Ravenna
4.30. <Hotel San Marco.> Tea at a caffè & saw
San Francesco & Dante's Tomb.

18 May.

Thurs.

Saw Sant' Appolinari &
Baptistery & Belle Arti in morning
& after tea drove out to Sant'
Appolinari in Classe Fuori.
Later walked to the Porto.

19 May.

Fri.

To San Vitale & Museo <& Galla. Placidia> in
morning, & San Giov. Evangelista
After tea to Theodoric's Tomb &
walked down The Canal bank.
M^r. Chancellor & M^r. Brandon
Davis & M^{rs} D.

20 May.

Sat.

Sant' Apolinari Nuovo &
San Vitale again in morning.
Left Ravenna at 2 P.M. &

Burton, M. MSS 12

1922

Pesaro, Florence

arrived at Pesaro at 4. Tea at
Caffè on Piazza then to Molinari
Majolica works & bought some
plates, & after to sea shore.
Hotel Zingo. Coffee on Piazza
afterwards.

21 May.

Sun.

Museo. Fine Bellini &
Museo & then to the pier.
Very hot. Tea on Piazza & then
drove to Villa Imperiale. Walked
most of the way up. To sea
shore after. Dined at Ristorante
d'Italia.

22 May.

Mon.

Left Pesaro at 9.21 A.M.
Changed & lunched at Faenza
Left there at 1 P.M. & arrived
Florence at 5. Very hot all
day.

24 May.

Wed.

Miss George called. M^{rs}
Pemberton to tea

25 May.

M^r. Parker to tea.

26 May.

Fri.

N /<H> to tea with M^{rs} Newman.

Burton, M. MSS 13

1922

Florence

H & I to Fosca's later. In morning alone to the Allori with bunch of arums for their grave.

27 May.

Sat.

Very hot every day. M^E Teague & Miss Whytlaw in ~~every day~~ after tea.

28 May.

Sun.

M^{ES} Pemberton to tea. Short walk after with H. Very hot.

29 May.

Mon.

Out with H in morning to vil place near Bargello, Corso, M^E Procter & fruit shop. Met Ethel Harter. Very hot. After tea H & I to call on the de Robecks, out & up the Viale. Met the de Rs driving. Round by Scala alle Croci. Met Miss Minari in morn. Palagi for brooch.

30 May.

Tues.

Out with H in morning. San Lorenzo for Cenci, & Rinascente. Destroying letters after lunch. M^{ES} Pemberton to tea & Miss Whytlaw to dinner. <Fosca here.> Much cooler & a little rain in aft. Cloudy day. Out with H after <tea>.

Burton, M. MSS 14

1922

Florence

31 May

Wed.

To Beppina in morning & shopping. Very hot. We called for M^{rs} Pemberton at 5.30 & trammed to Fiesole. Roman amphitheatre, San Francisco, & dined at Aurora. Very cool up there.

1 June.

Thurs.

Miss George & M^r Parker to tea. Harry dined with M^{rs} Crownin-shield & Miss Koon.

2 June.

Fri.

To Beppina in morning to try on lace dress. Wrote M^r Bowly & Cox. Miss George to tea. H & I dined with the de Robecks. Gika. To see the fireflies after in the cornfield.

3 June.

Sat.

H & I met Ethel Harter at 12.30 at Doney's. Picked up Sir Seymour at Vieussieux's & M^{rs} Montefiore at Piazza Ss. Annunziata & to lunch at the Poderino. We all came back in the car & with E. & Sir S. to a house at Port'al Prato to see some

Burton, M. MSS 15

1922

Florence

old furniture. Miss Whytlaw in in morning to say goodbye. Met M^{rs} & Miss Sturt in morning. H to Miss Robbins after tea. Fine day, very hot.

4 June.

Sun.

Statuto. Cloudy in morning, but hot. M^r & M^{rs} Erskine Nicol & their little girl Mary to tea. Stayed late H. to see Miss Aitken after dinner. Rigatti.

5 June.

Mon.

To Espresso with note for M^r Parker. Met Miss Bésier – hate her. Then to Helen's.

6 June.

Tues.

To the Consulate in morning to sign papers as Administratrix of Papa's affairs. Sir Seymour Fortescue & General Lawless as Sureties. Contessa Cini to tea. 92° in shade. A parokeet came & sat on the canary's cage this morning, so we caught him & H. bought another cage.

7 June.

Wed.

H & I met Ethel Harter, Sir S. F. & M^{rs} Montefiore at 45 Costa S. Giorgio & over villino. Ethel & Sir Seymour

Burton, M. MSS 16

1922

Florence

lunched here. Victor Ames in
after. After tea I went to Beppina
& then Viale by S. Niccoto. Met
Harry at the Scale alle Croci. Walked
back by San Leonardo. Very hot.

8 June.

Thurs.

H. & I to the Allori with a big
bunch of Madonna lilies for their
grave. To flower market & bought
plants. Slept after lunch. M^{rs}
Pemberton ~~afte~~ for tea, & M^r
Parker, Miss Bésier & M^{rs} Mason
Jones in afterwards. H. dined at
the Lawlesses. Hot day.

9 June.

Fri.

Magliaia brought my jumper.
H & I for walk after tea. By
tram to Ponte a Ema & then
walked to Piazzale & down Scala/alle Croci. 91°. M^{rs} Pemberton
after dinner.

10 June.

Sat.

To M^{rs} Newman in morning.
To tea at the Lawlesses. H. to the Firths.
After dinner M^r Parker, Ambrosetti &
M^r Sargent here.

Burton, M. MSS 17

1922

Florence

11 June.

Sun.

Very sultry & cloudy. Rain after dinner. To the Victor Ames' for tea. I by tram to Piazzale & H. walked. We met at Via Torre al Gallo. The Abettis there Prof. Astronomy at Observatory. Walked down. Met Nesta at the Villa Capponi.

12 June.

Mon.

H & I met Ethel at Vieussieux's at 12.30 & Miss Mansfield & to Pod. for lunch. Rained. Ethel brought us back in the car to Piazza Madonna. Then she & I to Fantecchi, Hashard's. Met M^r Trench Ethel, M^{rs} Crowningshield & Miss Richardson to tea. H. back with E. as far as Palazzo Bruciatto.

13 June.

Tues.

Papa's birthday. H & I to Allori in morning with large bunch of carnations. Drizzling slightly. M^r Firth here to tea. Afterwards H & I to Palagi & along Arno to Carraia Bridge. Pasquis here after dinner.

14 June.

Wed.

Miss George here in morning to say goodbye. Nesta to tea. Afterwards H& I went to del Bono in Via Pallazzuolo,

Burton, M. MSS 18

1922

Florence

to see about a stone for their grave.
H to Miss Koon's after dinner. Cool.

15 June

Thurs.

To Palagi in morning to have
Mamma's jewels valued. Then I went
to Casini. Ethel Harter & Madame
Bagnani to tea & stayed till 7.30.

16 June

Fri.

To Consulate in morning with
Bond, which was not in order. Then
back here & to Beppina with gabardine
dress. H. met Ethel & Mme Bagnani
in morning for shopping & again after
lunch. M^r Parker called but did
not see him. H. to M^{rs} Newman after
tea & I walked round Viale. H
met me on Costa. We met Major
Maclean.

17 June.

Sat.

With H. to the Book Exhibition in
the Reale Scuderia. Very dull. Rained
in afternoon. H to M^r Temple after tea.
I for walk round Viale & H. met me.

18 June.

Sun.

H & I to Ethel Harter's for lunch.
By tram & the Norman's picked us up

Burton, M. MSS 19

1922

Florence

in their car. The Normans & Mme Bagnani
there to lunch. Ethel motored us back.
Tea here & then H & I walked to Fosca's
& back by Piazzale & Scale alle Croci.
Raining.

19 June.

Mon.

Pouring all day. Ethel & Mme B.
to lunch, & young Orvieto in after.
H. to tea with them & I waited in t/<f>or
Forca who didn't come. Then to see
Maria.

20 June

Tues.

H. & I to Allori to meet Del Bono.
Took gladioli. To the station to see
Mme B. off by 1.20 train to Rome
& Ethel motored us back. After tea
shopping with H. Forca came
<Met M^{rs} Sturt in Via Maggio.>

21 June.

Tues.

To Forca in morning. Ethel
Harter here to lunch. Magliaia here
Then walked round Viale with
H. after tea. Met Major Maclean on Costa
also Canon Knollys.

22 June.

Wed.

Met Maria at Beppina's. Then to
Bella for print. Met M^r Bond. After tea

Burton, M. MSS 20

1922

Florence

H & I to see Ethel off by the 5.35 P.M. train. M^{rs} Sturt there. M^{rs} Donner & M^r Trench in train. Afterwards to Casini. Canon Knollys in tram. To Beppina's to leave parcel. Hot day.

23 June.

Fri.

To Forca in morning. With H. to tea at the Macleans. Signa Tommaselli.

24 June.

Sat.

Met Maria at Beppina's at 11. H to M^{rs} Newman's after tea & then with me to see decorations for San Giovanni. Out after dinner to see illuminations.

25 June

Not out all day. M^r Bond to tea.

26 June

Mon.

In morning to buy bird seed. To Beppina with cape, & to the Lawlesses. After tea to get genrl. L. to sign the Bond again. Then with H to Manetti etc. Hot day. Cesira pulled picture down.

27 June.

Tues.

To Consulate with Bond & Oath. in morning. After tea to Casini & Post office & shopping.

28 June.

Wed.

With H. to Del Bono with design for

Burton, M. MSS 21

1922

Florence

their tombstone. Then Casucci. Met M^r
B/~~B~~<P>roctor. Digerini & Bella. Miss Fernie
& M^r Parker to tea. Not out in evg.

29 June.

Thurs.

<San Pietro e Paolo.>

Bruna here. To Casini in morning.
H & I to M^r Bond's to tea. M^{rs} & Miss
M^c Dougall. Afterwards to Forca. H
walked & I in tram & back together.
<To M^r Barker's tower after dinner to see fireworks.
on Ponte Sta Trinitá. Other page:>

30 June.

Fri.

To Beppina. Maria & Signa Pacini
there. M^r Bond to tea. M^{rs} Sturt should
have come but didn't. M^r Proctor to
dinner. Hot day.

1 July.

Sat.

To Giorgi. Signora Pacini, Maria &
Giuseppe to tea. H. to tea with M^{rs}
Newman but back for the Pasquis.
After dinner to M^{rs} Crowninshield.
M^r Parker. Ambrosetti & Miss Davis.

2 July.

Sun.

With H. by 4 tram to Bagno a
Ripoli & drove to M^r Proctor's for tea.
Back at 8. Hot.

3 July.

Mon.

M^{rs} M^c Neile to see the flat in morning.
M^{rs} Sturt to tea & then H & I to del
Bono etc. Bruni – out.

Burton, M. MSS 22

1922

Florence

4 July

Tues.

To Milliner & Beppina in mornng.
Met Major Maclean. Met M^r Parker
at Bottegone at 4 & to Miss
Ferne's to tea & to hear M^r Barr
sing. Miss M^c Dougall there. H
after dinner to Miss Koon's. 95/<2>°.

5 July.

Wed.

To Consulate with papers to sign
Major Maclean. After tea H & I to
Coppini & gloves. M^r Sargent in after
dinner. Stayed till 12. Over 90°.

6 July.

Thurs.

Del Bono here in morning with
full-sized plan of tombstone.
Then to Beppina, & with H. to the
flower market. After tea with H to
buy jet & to Casini. Miss Minasi
to dinner. 93°.

7 July.

Fri.

To Beppina. Magliaia. After tea
with H. shopping & looking for
books. Met the Lawlesses.

8 July.

Sat.

To the Allori with bunch of
gladioli. Fosca in afternoon. Very
hot. 93°.

Burton, M. MSS 23

1922

Florence, Innsbrück

9 July.

Sun.

Packing & putting things away. After tea with H. to see M^{rs} Newman. 88°. Left by the 11.15 P.M. train in sleeping car.

10 July.

Mon.

Breakfast in train. Changed at Bozen. Arrived Innsbrück at 3.45. Customs at Brenner & again at Steinach. Tyrolerhof. 138. Tea, then for a walk about the town. Warm, but fresh. Did an antique shop.

11 July.

Tues.

To see the Maximilien Church & Hofburg in morning & Goldene Dachle. Cafè & shops. After lunch we drove to Schloss Amras. Paid 14,000 Kronen for the cab. Exchange today 112,000 to the £. After tea to the Public gardens & over the <foot> bridge & along the Inn to the main bridge. Miss George turned up at dinner & sat at our table. Hot day.

12 July.

Wed

Left Innsbrück at 10.15 A.M. by Gamisch & Partenkirche line electric. Lovely journey. Arrived

Burton, M. MSS 24

1922

Münich, Cologne, Amsterdam

Münich at 3 P.M. To Park
Hotel in Maximilian Square.
Pouring with rain. H. to station
about baggage, & after tea we went
out to Frauen Kirche, Rathhaus,
down the Maximilian Strasse to
Maximilieneum. Pouring. Taxied
back. Dined in restaurant.

13 July.

Thurs.

Left Munich by the 9.10 A.M.
train via Ingolstadt, Frankfurt
& arrived at Cologne at 9.5/2>5 P.M.
Along Rhine from Wiesbaden
on, past Coblenz on the other side
Lots of British soldiers in Cologne.
Lovely journey. To Hotel Disch.

14 July.

Fri.

Up early & out about the
town & to the Cathedral. Left
at 11.30 A.M. <Deutz station> Very cold. Arr.
Amsterdam at 6.40. M^r Van
Leer met us & took us to our
pension & then back to them
for dinner.

Burton, M. MSS 25

1922

Amsterdam

15 July.

Sat.

M^{rs} Van L. came for us at
9.45 A.M. & took us to M^r van
Leer's publishing house & she
showed us round it. Then she
took us to the Rembrandt house,
& back to their place for lunch.
Afterwards with them to Prof. Six's
house to see the Rembrandts, &
then all round the canals &
harbour in a motor boat. Very
cold. Tea at a very smart restau-
rant & dined at the van Leer's.
Magic lantern after dinner.
Italian views.

16 July.

Sun

The Van Leers for us at 9.15
& by tram to station where we got
a ferry boat to the dock & then a
steam tram via Bruick in Water-
land & other villages. Got out to
see cheese making, & arrived at
Vollendam in time for lunch.
Walk round village & then by

Burton, M. MSS 26

1922

Amsterdam

sailing boat to Merkan. Very rough & skipping seas. Round village & then by motor boat back to Vollandam ? & back by steam tram, ferry etc, arriving here at 6. P.M. Bitterly cold & windy all day. Very tired, so let Harry go alone to dine with the van Leers at a restaurant & I went to bed early.

17 July.

Mon.

To the van Leers in morning & with M^{rs} van L. to the Museum to see the pictures. Back there for lunch. Afterwards to town with her & walked about the little canals & had tea in town. Back to our lodgings to finish packing & then to the van Leer's for dinner. To our lodgings for our baggage & left Amsterdam at 9 P.M. The van Leers came to see us off. Sailed from the Hook at midnight on

Burton, M. MSS 27

1922

London

the "Archangel", & arrived at

18 July.

Tues.

Harwich at 7 A.M. Breakfast in the boat train. Arrived Liverpool St. Station at 9.30. Taxied to 30 Chepstow Place, lent us by M^{rs} Tobin. Ada Hutton here in possession. Bath & lunch & afterwards Ada & I to Post office & shopping, & then to my Club to tea. H to see Cuthbert Williamson. Dinner at 7.
<Jeannette in just before dinner.>

19 July.

Wed.

H & I to M^r Bowly in morning. Then to Burberry's. After lunch with H. to Westminster Cathedral (He went to M^r Bartlett's) & then to the Harter's. Ethel out, but tea with Barney. He with us to Harrod's & H to tailoring & I to warehouse dept. Fine day.

20 July.

Thurs.

Ada & I to Whitely's in morning to buy dusters & kitchen cloths. Sale. H & I lunched with Jeannette Franklin at the Trois Arts Club. & with her to the Academy where

Burton, M. MSS 28

1922

London

H & I had tea. Then Shoolbred,
London Glove Coy. & home very
tired. Sunny hot day.

20/<1> July.

Fri.

With Ada in morning to
Hervey Nicoll for a coat & skirt.
46 bus. Taxied back. With H.
to National Gallery. Spanish &
English rooms. To A&N.; Stores &
had tea there. Rained slightly in
afternoon. Saw the Cenotaph for
the first time.

21/<2> July.

Sat.

With H. to lunch with the
Vernets at 5 Sheen Gate Gardens. Went
on the top of the bus. Not very
fine. Back here for tea. Edie
called. We dined at the Harter's.
The Victor Ames there & back with
them to their house after.

22/<3> July.

Sun.

H. & I to Westminster Abbey
for 10.15 service. Dean Storrs
preached. Ethel Towgood to lunch,
& afterwards we all went to the Zoo

Burton, M. MSS 29

1922

London

& had tea there. Rained & fine.

23/<4> July.

Mon.

H. & I to Harrod's warehouse,
but mistake in the date. Then
Derry & Tom's, Jaeger for travelling
rug & A&N; Stores. Back for
lunch. Rain & fine & cold.
<To Putney to tea with the Darnells.
~~M^r Carter to dinner.~~>

24/<5> July.

Tues.

In bed late. H & I lunched with
Sir Seymour Fortescue at the Orleans
Club. Ethel & Lady Hesketh. Afterwards
to the S. K. Museum & met Jeannette
for the Theatre Exhibition. Then with
her to 14 Grenville Place to see M^r
Reithinger's drawings. Fine collection.
Tea first in Gloster Road. M^r
Carter to dinner here.

25/<6> July.

Wed.

H & I lunched with the Bernards
then Dunhill's & tea at the Club. We
dined at the Franek/<k>lins, then J.
Adrian & we to hear Miss Ruth
Draper at the Wigmore Hall. Ruth
at dinner.

Burton, M. MSS 30

1922

London

27 July.

Thurs.

Ada & I to Harvey Nichols for fitting. Then Derry & Toms. Sunny day. Edie Bell to tea. H & I dined with Lady Hesketh. Very faint & violently sick after dinner. Ethel Harter there.

28th July.

Fri.

With H. in morning to my Bank & saw the Manager about yellow tin box. Then to lunch with the Warner Allens. H. left by the 4.30 train to Market Harborough to his brother. Ada & I to tea with Jeannette at her Studio. Miss Madge. Then shopping in Westbourne Grove with Ada.

29 July.

Sat.

With A. after tea to call on the Macdonalds. Out. Then to St. Martin's to book tickets.

30 July.

Sun.

<Walked> With A across Kensington Gardens & the Park to Marble Arch, & back by bus. Jeannette dined here.

31 July.

Mon.

Walked across Kensington Gardens to inquire for Ethel who was

Burton, M. MSS 31

1922

London

operated on in morning. Tea at Harrod's & back by bus. Met Jeannette at Le Petit Cafè Riche for dinner & with her to the Lyceum to see "Old Bill M. P." (Bruce Bairnsfather & Edmund Gwenn.

1 August.

Tues.

Harry got back after lunch.
Lady Macdonald to tea. Then H & I for a walk to Round Pond. Cold but fine.

2 Aug..

Wed.

H & I in morning to Harrod's Warehouse & went over the things.
Cold & fine. To tea with Edie Bell.

3 Aug.

Thurs.

H & I to Shoolbred's warehouse & on to Harrod's in morning. To tea with Trice. Edie Bell there for a moment.
By 31 bus to Swiss Cottage & walked up Fitzjohn Avenue, & back by tube.
H. Ada & I to see "Loyalties" & "Shall we join the ladies" at St. Martin's Theatre. Eric Maturin & Miss Albanesi etc.

Burton, M. MSS 32

1922

London

4 Aug.

Fri.

Packing in morning. Jeannette in. Left 30 Chepstow Place after lunch & to Ada's flat 8 Elsham Road. Unpacking, & after tea to see Ethel where H. joined me. Barney, Cuckoo Belville & M^{rs} Anetty.

5 Aug.

Sat.

H & I lunched at the Harter's. Then to S. K. Museum. French 4 cents sculpture. To M^{rs} Carter's for tea 19 Collingham Gardens.

<6 Aug.

We all went to tea with the Macdonalds
To Ethel's in morning. In aft. H &
<Col. Braithwaite there>>

6/<7> Aug.

~~Sun~~/~~Mon~~>

I to call on the Tobins & after walked across K. Gardens & Park to the Harter's.

8 Aug.

Tues.

H & I in morning to his tailor in Clifford St. Then to Clerkenwell Road in search of Park. Then Leather Lane, & New Street. Then to M^{rs} Bowly & drew up my will. Home for lunch at 2. Poured part of the time. Placards say half England flooded. H left for Guildford to stay

Burton, M. MSS 33

1922

London

with M^r Williamson & M^r Stoultson at
4. Tea here & then to Harrods &
Ethel's.

9 Aug.

Wed.

H. returned from Guildford at/in the morning. With him to Cook's & Regent Street. Dined with M^r Carter at Prince's Grill & afterwards with him to see "Tons of Money". Yvonne Arnaud. Etc. Shaftesbury Theatre.

10 August.

Thurs.

Packing in morning. H. Ada & I to see matinée of "The Dover Road" at the Haymarket. Henry Ainley & Nancy Atkin etc. Tea at the Stores in Haymarket, & A & I home by ourselves. We all dined with M^{rs} Hutton.

11 Aug.

Fri.

Ada & I to High St. in morning to buy cretonne etc. H & I to tea at the Harter's. M^{rs} Dighton Probyn & M^{rs} Clustey. Back to Elsham Road & left again at 6 for the Great Western Hotel at Paddington. Then H &

Burton, M. MSS 34

1922

London, Jersey

I walked across Kensington Gardens
& the Park to Hyde Park Corner where
we took a taxi to Brice's for dinner.
Met Major Vingoe in Queen's Road.

12 Aug.

Sat.

Left Paddington by the 9.30 train
for Weymouth & sailed at 2.45
for Jersey. Lunch on board. Nasty
passage. <Very crowded boat.> Had a cabin. Arrived
St. Helier at 8.45 P.M. & to 59
David Place (M^{rs} Jackson).

13 Aug.

Sun.

To see Emmie in morning. Lil
there. To tea with Myra & Jue.
Emmie & Lil there too.

14 Aug.

Mon.

H & I to M^r Le Maistre & on with
him to Benest's & went over the
silver – Aunt Hattie's. Met Lil &
Jue at Station & went by 3.10 train
to La Moie. Pouring, so went on
to the Corbière where we met Karl
at the station & to his cottage for
tea & met his wife & Miss du
Quesne. Poured in torrents all the

Burton, M. MSS 35

1922

Jersey

afternoon. Back by 6 train.

15 Aug.

Tues.

H & I to Benest's <Myra in> again & looked over the furniture & plate & on to M^r Le Maistre. After lunch we went by <3 o'clock> train to Gorey & over Mont Orgueil Castle. Great crowds of trippers. Tea at the Talana & back by 5.30 train. Then on to Emmie's. Lovely day, sunny, clear & warm.

16 Aug.

Wed.

H & I to Benest's again & Lil Binet there going over books. To Emmie's for tea, & afterwards in motor with Jue & Captain Vibert to Bouley Bay where we met D^r Chappuis & a "Never-Forgotten" picnic was going on. And round by Rozel Bay & Manor, St Catherine's Bay, Gorey Grouville Bay where we stopped at the Vibert's Cottage, St Clement's Bay & back to Emmie's. Met one Miss V. There at tea & another at The Cottage.

Burton, M. MSS 36

1922

Jersey

17 Aug.

Thurs.

To Benest's again in morning.

Raining, but cleared up after.

To Emmie's at 2.45 & M^r

Blancpied, her brother-in-law took
us, & Doris & his future daughter
in law in his car to St. Brelant[?]/<d>e's
Bay via St. Aubin's. Over Fisher-
man's chapel & St. Brelade's church.

The padre showed us over. Then
on to St. Ouen's Bay & tea at the
Inn there near La Moie. Found
Jue & Myra there, also Karl
Renoufs, Roy Bancpied, Miss
Le Couteur & another woman &
her little girl. Fine but coldish.
H. to Emmie's after dinner.

18 Aug.

Fri.

H & I to Benest & M^r Le Maistre &
to the latter's house to see candlesticks.
Also to the Harbour. Lovely day, but
cool wind. By the 3.10 train to the
Corbière & mooned about & had tea
at the Chalet. Back by 6.10 train. H to

Burton, M. MSS 37

1922

Jersey

Emmie's after dinner.

19 Aug.

Sat.

Benest, Voisin & buying milkcans.
Down to the end of the pier. Warm day.
M^r Blampied came for us in his car
at 3.30 with M^{rs} Le Page & Miss Le
Fèvre & motored us to Grève de Lecq
where we had tea & then on to the
Devil's Hole. H. to E's after dinner.

20 Aug.

Sun.

H & I in a car to St. Lawrence
Churchyard to see Aunt Hattie's grave.
Then to Emmie's. H walked down
to the Harbour. H. went to tea with
the Viberts & I went to Emmie's.

21 Aug.

Mon.

H & I to Benest's to pack linen
& then to Emmie's where we met
Karl who took us over the State
House & then to Mr. le Maistre.
At 2.30 Myra, Jue & Karl came
for us in a car & took us to
Grosney & the Water Works Valley.
To tea at the Renoufs. H. to Emmie
after dinner.

Burton, M. MSS 38

1922

Jersey, London

22 Aug.

Tues.

Left Jersey in pouring rain in the C<a>esarea at 7.15 A.M. Up at 5. Fine passage, & very pretty coming up the Solent. Arrived Southampton 5 P.M. Special boat train to London. Arrived 7.45. To the Ivanhoe Hotel. Horrid room.

Aug 23

Wed.

Left Ivanhoe Hotel & went to Queen's Gate Hotel. After lunch to Shoolbred's & unpacked plate & made arrangements about selling it. To tea with Ethel Harter. Dined with M^{rs} Newberry & her daughter at Frascati's.

24 Aug.

Thurs.

To Harrod's Warehouse to arrange about transport & selling. Then to Sloane Street about lampshade & to lunch at Ethel's. Ursula Blois there. Afterwards H. E. & I to Hurcomb's & Debenham & Storr. Pouring & taxied. Back to tea with E. Toby there. H. left the

Burton, M. MSS 39

1922

London

plaster impressions with Hurcomb.

H. to Elsham Road to get boxes & I home alone. H. to see M^r Carter after dinner but away.

25 Aug.

Fri.

Getting theatre tickets. To Bank first. Then to M^r Buckmaster who is doing M^r Bowly's work while he is away. Back for lunch (To sleeping car people) & then to Liberty, Pinet, Atkinson's, & tea at . Met Lady Macdonald in Piccadilly. H. took the Newberry's to dine at Laurier's & to "Quarantine". I stayed at home. Finish day but cold & a few drops of rain in late afternoon. Letter from Jimmy Chappuis. Evening writing letters.

26 Aug.

Sat.

To Cecil Roy etc in morning & then to the Harter's where Harry met me. Ethel & Barney with us to the Pall Mall Restaurant for lunch & then to London Library. E. with H & me to

Burton, M. MSS 40

1922

London

the St. James's theatre to see
"The Bat". Eva Moore, Drusilla
Wills (Lizzie) Nora Swinburne (Dale
Ogden) George Relph, A Scott-Gatty,
(D^r Wells) Arthur Wontner (the Bat)
Back to Montpelier Square for tea.
M^r Charles Harter in. Bright sunny
day but chilly.

27 Aug.

Sun.

H. & I went down to Kew Gardens
in morning. To Hampton Court
after lunch to the Maudes at the
Royal Mews. Tea, then to the
Palace & round the public &
private gardens & the tennis court.
Dined with the Maudes. Met
M^{rs} Hicks-Beach. Lovely day.

28 Aug.

Mon.

H & I by the 9.33 A.M. to
Horsmandon where Jeannette met us
in the car & to Goudhurst. Round
the gardens. Then lunch & croquet
& to the village to see the Colpepers
& Compton Tombs in the church.

Burton, M. MSS 41

1922

London

Tea & then back to Horsmandon to catch the 4/5.14 train. At the house Miss Ladborough & Miss Arbour, Adela & M^r Brodie & M^{rs} Franklin. M^r Brodie back to town with us. Changed twice & had to wait 40 minutes at Wimbledon. Got back here 8.30. Fine day.

29 Aug.

Tues.

H & I in morning to Sleeping Car Co., American Express, His Majesty's, Queens, Austen Reeds. Etc. Back for lunch. H out in afternoon. I stayed in writing letters. Barney to dine.

30 Aug.

Wed.

H & I in morning to see M^r Buckmaster, & then to Cox. Got 2 cheques from them £ 80 & ? £ 223 Then to Bank & lodged it. Papa's money. Sent draft to Florence for £ 50. 100 ¾. To matinée at Drury Lane of "Decameron Nights". Ellis Jeffreys, Margaret Bannerman, Saintsbury, Hugh Buckler, Cowley Wright, Gladys Ancrum, etc.

Burton, M. MSS 42

1922

London

Tea at Stewart's. After dinner to see
the Hopgoods in Street.

31 Aug.

Thurs.

H & I in morning to Harcomb to
sell <some of> Mamma's jewellery & to have
some valued. To Liberty's & Pinet's
& Scott's the tailor. After lunch
to see "Bluebeard's 8th wife" at the
Queen's Theatre, Shaftesbury Avenue
by Alfred Savoir, trans by Wimperis.
Norman M^c Kinnel, Hugh
Wakefield, Madge Titheradge etc.
To tea with Jeannette at Hyde
Park Gardens. Miss Mary on.
Walded back across the /<Kensington> Gardens.
Poured & sunny alternately
all day.

1 September

Fri.

Harry to Hore for the day to D^r
Routh. I shopping Knightsbridge in
morning. Ethel Towgood to lunch & I
saw her off at S. Kensington at 3.
Lovely morning. Rained in afternoon.
H. back after dinner.

Burton, M. MSS 43

1922

London

2 Sept.

Sat.

Shopping with H. To the Lauriers to lunch with M^r Stoughton, M^r Williamson & D^r Laing. Then to St. George's Hall to see Maskelyne. They did a "sprit" photograph, & a materialisation which made a mask of Napoleon. To tea at Stewart's. H. went to see M^{rs} Newberry. We dined at Barney's.

3 Sept.

Sun.

H & I to Elsham Rd. to take back books. After tea walked through Kensington Gardens & by the Serpentine. Saw Queen Alexandra driving. After dinner to call on M^{rs} Dunsford & Lady Clowes at Onslow Court Hotel, but not there.

4 Sept.

Mon.

To A & N. Stores in morning. After lunch to Hatchard's to see Humprey about Bible. Then tea at Corner House & National Gallery. To see "East of Suez" at His Majesty's Theatre. Produced on Sat. by Somerset Maugham. Meggie Albanesi & Marie Ault.

Burton, M. MSS 44

1922

London, Paris

5 Sept.

Tues.

To Park's with H. Then I hope & H shopped alone. To Pall Mall Restaurant where Hugh Chisholm & M^r Collins (of Tillinghurst & Collins, Rhode Island) lunched with us. Then to tea with Major Greaves at the Royal Geographical Society (Lowther Lodge) & walked with him to S. Kensington Station. H to M^{rs} Newberry's.

6 Sept.

Wed.

Up at 7. Left London (Victoria) at 10.35 A.M. M^r & M^{rs} Hack with us in carriage. Left Dover at 1. & arrived Calais at 2.10. M^r Temple, M^r Bolland & the Firths on board with us. Left Calais 2.55 & arrived Nord at 6.40. Jimmy Chappuis met us in his car & drove us to the Palais Paris-Lyon where he dined with us. M^r Temple joined us later.

7 Sept.

Thurs.

Up at 6.30. Left Paris in the rough Florence carriage in train de

Burton, M. MSS 45

1922

Train, Florence

luxe at 9.20 A.M. M^r Temple with us at meals & most of the day. The Crisps in the next carriage. Passports & small baggage in train, but had to get out at Modane for big baggage. Opened 2 boxes. Arr. 10 P.M. Left 11.20.

8 Sept.

Fri.

Dull & cool. Arrived Florence at 12.55 Found everything in order. Unpacking all the afternoon. The parroquet died about a week ago. Nice weather, cool & cloudy.

9 Sept.

Sat.

Tidying up all the morning. Cleaning silver after lunch, & after tea H & I to imbianchino G^l/*<i>*ani in Via Torta. Drove to Forca's & back.

10 Sept.

Sun.

Working all day. M^r Garroway to tea with H. I didn't appear. We dined with M^r Allen at the Italie.

11 Sept.

Mon.

Ethel in Cortile in morning. M^r Firth after lunch. Working all day. Tea with M^r Temple.

Burton, M. MSS 46

1922

Florence

12 Sept.

Tues.

Ethel Harter to lunch. M^r Allen
M^{rs} Shriver & The Crisps to tea.

13 Sept.

Wed.

H's birthday. Gave him gold fountain
pen. Out with him in morning.
He went to S. Miniato with M^r Allen
after lunch. Both here for tea. Poured.
M^r Sargent in after dinner.

14 Sept.

Thurs.

H & I to tea with Ethel Harter. M^{rs}
Belville.

15 Sept.

Fri

H & I to tea with M^{rs} Newman <M^r Eyre there.> H
to see Miss Koon after dinner.

16 Sept.

Sat.

H to station at 8.25 A.M. to meet
Miss Hutton <staying here.> Out shopping with H.
after tea – Via dei Fossi.

17 Sept.

Sun.

H to tea at M^{rs} Shriver's. I stayed
here with Ada.

18 Sept.

Mon.

H to tea with M^r Gilbertson. Miss
Minari in after dinner.

19 Sept.

Tues.

Ethel Harter to lunch here, & H & I to tea with her. Sir Arthur & Lady Colfax & Miss Harwood there. Hot.

20 Sept.

Wed.

H & I to the Allori. Took asters for their grave.

Burton, M. MSS 47

1922

Florence

21 Sept.

Thurs.

With H. to picture framers. Ethel Harter's to lunch. H. Ada & I. M^r Procter there.

22 Sept.

Fri.

To Palagi with H about pearls. Ada H & I to tea at the Firths. Very hot.

23 Sept.

Sat.

<H.> To Palagi & bought pearls & I went with him to get them. 93 in string & 4 loose ones. 16,000 lire (exchange makes it £ 152.15.0.

After tea H & I to station to see Ethel off. The Actons & Cantagalli. Then to ~~Gia~~[?]/<call> R/<on> de Robecks. Out.

24 Sept.

Sun.

Ada H & I to tea at M^r Proctor's Took M^{rs} Dick Harvey with us. Drove from tram & back. Firths there & Robertsons, M^r Sargent, Lady Bateman Duchessa Melita, Lady Newborough etc. etc. Nesta here in morning.

26 Sept.

Tues.

Miss Whytlaw & Alfred Niccoli to tea. The Dursts in after dinner.

27 Sept.

Ada, H & I to tea at M^{rs} Crowningshield

Burton, M. MSS 48

1922

Florence

M^{rs} Gurney, her cousin, wife of B^{ts}
Consul General Antwerp, staying there.
Miss Koon. Then to Palagi for clasp.

28 Sept.

~~Wed~~/<Thurs.>****

B/**<P>**oured in early morning & violent
thunderstorm. Rained heavily most
of day. ~~Ada H & I to tea with~~ **<H & I**
to Grande Bretagne to engage rooms for A's girls**>**.

29 Sept.

Fri.

Ada's girls arrived. She lunched with
them. After tea with H. to electrician
& Giannini. Lights went out. M^f
Temple here to dinner. Lights came
on again about 7.15.

30 Sept.

Sat.

Man here with rugs. Raining.
With H about photo frames after tea
& then to M^{rs} Newman's.

1 Oct.

Sun.

With H in morning to 1600 & 1700
Exhibition at the Pitti in morning.
H & I & Ada to tea at the de Robeck's
& walked back by Via S. Leonardo
& Viale. Lovely day.

2 Oct.

Mon.

With H in morning to Bucciarelli
& Giorgi's. Lady Lees & Lady Jean
Douglas-Hamilton to tea. Afterwards

Burton, M. MSS 49

1922

Florence

with H to leave book at M^r Temple's &
then for short walk over Ponte alle Grazie
& Ponte Vecchio. Bought electric stove.

3 Oct.

Tues.

M^{rs} Morris Smith & M^{rs} Payson & Miss
Koon to tea. Afterwards to Miss Graham
After dinner to the Dursts. Miss Moller.
Miss Hutton dined at the Blakes.

4 Oct.

Wed.

H bicycled to Signa. Perkins out.
Back for tea. With me to Casini.

5 Oct.

Thurs.

H with me to del Bono. Market etc.
After lunch Nesta, Lady Lees &
Lady Jean Hamilton here for us &
to see M^r Horne's house. All back
here for tea

6 Oct.

H & I to tea with the Lawlesses.

7 Oct.

Sat.

To Consul to sign claim for Mamma's
pension. Then to Beppina. Met M^r
Bond.

8 Oct.

Sun.

To Uffizi with H. in morning.
After tea walked round Viale with H.

9 Oct.

Mon.

Miss Minari & Edith Bell to tea. To

Beppina in morning & Cons

Burton, M. MSS 50

1922

Florence

10 Oct.

Tues.

Lady Lees & Lady Jean here in morning to say goodbye. They & Ada left by 3 train for Siena. H. to station to see them off. M^r Hotham, M^r Lamb & M^r Bond to tea. Cold & had a fire. H & I for a short walk after.

11 Oct.

H & I to tea with Miss Koon.

12 Oct.

Thurs.

M^r & M^{rs} Dick Hervey, Miss Mackern & M^{rs} Willis to tea. Short walk after. No Cesira.

13 Oct.

Fri.

With H round Viale after tea. M^r & M^{rs} Alec Miller in after dinner.

14 Oct.

Sat.

H & I to the Allori. The men were laying the coping stone. After tea to call on the Courvoisiers. Then to see Giuditta <out>.

15 ~~Se~~/<Oc>t.

Sun.

After tea H & I to see the de Robecks. Nesta in bed with Bronchitis. Met the <Dursts>.

16 Oct.

Mon.

H & I to tea with M^{rs} Willis & Miss Mackern. Shopping with H after. Hot water jugs & fire screen etc.

17 Oct.

Tues.

M^r Procter to lunch. H to tea with
Miss Fernie. I to dentist at 6. D^r

Burton, M. MSS 51

1922

Florence

Schaffner. Lovely day.

18 Oct

Wed.

Pouring all day & cold. Not out. The Courvoisiers to tea. To infilatrice delle perle. Giani here about the little flat.

19 Oct.

Thurs.

H & I to tea with Miss Ryerson. <M^r> Gregory Smith, Nuns etc. Then to Giuditta's. H to Grand Guignol in evg. Rained all day.

21 Oct.

Sat.

H & I to Allori after lunch to photograph the grave with stone up. White & pink chrysanthemums & begonias. We dined alone with M^{rs} Mason Jones.

22 Oct.

Sun.

Mamma's birthday. H & I to tea with M^{rs} Newman & then to de Robecks. M^{rs} M^c Neile there.

23 Oct.

Miss Whytlaw to dinner.

25 Oct.

Wed.

M^{rs} M^c Neile to lunch & went over inventory with her. Baggage left at 5.

26 Oct.

Thurs.

Left the house at 1. & the train
left at 1.50. Arrived Rome 7.40.

Burton, M. MSS 52

1922

Rome, Brindisi, SS. "Vienna"

Ada met us & dined with us at the Restaurant. M^r Allen & M^r Travers also met us. Left again at 8.30 P.M. in wagon-lit for Brindisi.

27 Oct.

Fri.

Breakfast at Bari at 9. Arrived Brindisi 12.20. 20 minutes late. International Hotel. Met the Eldon Scotts, & M^r Wilson (from Vevey) & his wife. After lunch to station etc.

28 Oct.

Sat.

Awful bed & mousquitoes. To station & got luggage. Went on board at 12 "SS. Vienna". Lunched at 12.30. Found the Firths there, also the Spongs, Sweets, Contessa della Sala etc. Rough in evening. H seedy & I dined with M^r Firth. Very few people at dinner. Cabin 35.36.

29 Oct.

Sun.

Good deal of movement. Passed Crete at 4 P.M. Hot.

30 Oct.

Mon.

Arrived Alexandria 4.30. Got off

Burton, M. MSS 53

1922

Cairo

at 5. Awful confusion. Special train.
The Firths with us. Arrived Cairo
at 11.20 P.M. instead of 10.30.
To Continental. Room 131 as usual.

31 Oct.

Tues.

M^r Fisher at tea. To call on Garrys
out. M^r & M^{rs} Firth at our table at
dinner. Said goodbye to Bower.
Walked with H. to end of Kasr-en-
nil St. after tea. Met archdeacon
Horan & the Mustacchis. Hot.

1 Nov.

Wed.

D^r. Garry here in morning.
Mulid-en-nebi. The Firths at our
table. M^r Wainwright in at teatime.
Afterwards H & I for a walk. M^r
Fitzgerald called. H & I to the
Contessa's after dinner.

2 Nov.

Thurs.

After tea with H by Pont des Anglais
to Sporting Club, & back by tram. M^{rs}
Phillips & Barbara in. Had a degree
of fever all day & a slight headache.
The Firths as usual.

3 Nov.

Fri.

D^r Garry in. The Firths lunched at
the Reisner's. H & I to tea with the Phillip's

Burton, M. MSS 54

1922

Cairo

at Kasr el Doubara & over the new house. Hot & stuffy. To the Contessa after dinner.

4 Nov.

Sat.

M^r Fitzgerald in after dinner.

Firths as usual.

5 Nov.

Sun.

H & I to the Russells after tea.

M^{rs} R. laid up. Saw him & he motored us back. Hot.

6 Nov.

Mon.

Colonel Parker lunched at our table. Firths as usual. After tea H & I to call on the Horans. Met Major Cresswell. Very hot 87°. The Contessa left for Helouan.

7 Nov.

Tues.

The Firths left for Sakkara after lunch. Walk with H after tea. The Davies & M^r Wilkinson & the Breasteds & Miss Roman arrived.

8 Nov.

H & I to tea with the Garrys. To Bank.

9 Nov.

Thurs.

M^r & M^{rs} Murray Graham to tea. Then out with H. Out alone in morning.

10 Nov.

Fri.

Seven months. Out with H. in
morning to Indian, Japanese bazaar

Burton, M. MSS 55

1922

Cairo

Morning's, Lawrence & Mayo. Drove to Hamsawi to Japanese bazaar. Took the 3 P.M. tram to Mena & walked up to the Pyramids where the Dunhams met us in the Ford & took us on to the Reisner's Camp. A lot of people there. M^{rs} & Kathleen Gunn, Miss Devonshire, Col & M^{rs} Holbrook & a girl, Farida Foucart, & all the Reisner Camp. Walked back to tram & drove back from Pont des Anglais.

11 Nov.

Sat.

Day of Remembrance. To M^r Fitzgerald's in the morning to get him to witness my signature. To Drug Stores Gannagé etc. Found M^r Balchin here. He stayed to lunch until 3.15. After tea H & I for a walk & shopping. M^r Fitzgerald in after dinner.

12 Nov.

Sun.

H & I to tea with the Russells. The Monteith Smiths, M^r Ross Taylor etc. Walked back. Met M^r R. again.

Burton, M. MSS 56

1922

Cairo

13 Nov.

Mon.

H & I had tea with Capt Cresswell.

After dinner with M^{rs} Chapman, Miss
Fitzgibbon & D^r Garry. Contessa here.

<To Consulate in morning.>

14 Nov.

Tues.

H & I to call on Miss Place. M^r

Mackie there. Contessa here in morning.

<with M^{rs} Wright.>

15 Nov.

Wed.

Lady Laird Clowes in morning. To old

Brilli after. Drove & walked back.

After tea H & I to call on Miss Lattey
out. Hot. Delmar, Kodak, Greek grocer.

16 Nov.

Thurs.

Writing letters all the morning.

~~After tea H & I to call on Miss Lattey. Out.~~

M^{rs} & Miss Horan called. After to
Gouda Farahat.

17 Nov.

Fri.

H & I by 3.30 train to Helouan. Mme
de Cramer & Senator Adamoli got in
at Maadi. Tea with the Contessa. The
Neghibs, & M^{rs} Wright. Back by 6.15
train. M^{rs} W. too.

18 Nov.

Sat.

I to tea with M^{rs} Russell. M^r Hume
& M^r Trueman. H to tea at Sporting Club
with M^r Fitzgerald. M^r Carter arrived.

19 Nov.

H & I to tea with the Khayatts. Lots of

Burton, M. MSS 57

1922

Cairo

people. Hassanein etc. Walked back to Kasr en nil.

20 Nov.

Mon.

Miss Lattey & Miss Place to tea. M^r Carter at our table. The Bernards arrived from home. Sat next us. M^r Fitzgerald in after dinner. <Lord Carnarvon arrived, with Lady Evelyn.>

21 Nov.

Tues.

M^{rs} Devonshire came after tea. H & I to Greek grocer about M^r Carter's whisky. He left for Luxor. The Bernards & we dined together.

22 Nov.

Wed.

H & I to tea with Lady Clowes. Walked back by Gezira. After dinner to Lady Bernard's sitting room.

23 Nov.

Thurs.

Nelly Khyatt & M^r Buckley to tea. Short walk after. With the Bs.

24 Nov.

Fri.

Cold, grey & windy. M^{rs} Wright & M^{rs} Hooker called in morning. After tea H & I to call on Eldon Scotts – out. & the Phillips to enquire after their motor accident. at home.

25 Nov.

Sat.

H & I to tea with Miss Lattey. For cigarettes.

The Allens arrived & sat at our table

Burton, M. MSS 58

1922

Cairo

for dinner. Afterwards H & I went to the Metropole to see "Le Tombeau Hindoue". 1stPart.

26 Nov.

Sun.

We, M^r Fitzgerald & Miss Grove started from here at 10 A.M. by car to Sakkara, by Giza & Bedrashein. To the Firth's house & went over the tombs of Mera & Ka gemni with them & saw the diggings. Lunched at the house & spent the aft. in the miktib looking at finds. Tea before 4 & started back soon after 4. Arrived here at 5.30. Bernards as usual.

27 Nov.

Mon.

The Contessa came in morning. She lunched with the Bernards. After tea H & I to Miss Place with photographs. I went to see M^{rs} Eldon Scott in morning. A lady & a man there.

28 Nov.

Tues

Contessa here at 3.30. With her to Pohoomul & Tana. She had tea with us.

Burton, M. MSS 59

1922

Cairo

~~Then we went to Miss Place. The Allens~~
after dinner. Walk after. We dined
at the Bernard's table to meet the
Goodbody's.

29 Nov.

Wed.

After tea to Sednaoui & umbrella
shop. Then Miss Place with key.
<Evg with Sir Edgar & the Allans. Lady B. ill.>

30 Nov.

Thurs.

To Bank in morning. Then to Museum
with wire from M^r Carter. Saying
"Discovery beyond the dreams of
avarice". Met Mme de Cramer.
M^r & M^{rs} & Lady Laird-Clowes to tea.
Then to call on the Garrys. M^r & M^{rs}
Grant there. Caledonian Evening
& great party with the Allans.
Lady Bernard laid up with cold.

1 Dec.

Fri.

We tried to go to Mouski, but the King
at Al Azhar & could not get through, so
drove to Kasr en nil bridge & walked
to Boulac, & back by tram. After tea
to dentist to make appointment & then
we went with M^r Allan Nachmann's
& to book binder. Sir Edgar & mewe to see
Part II of the "Indian Tomb." Lady B.

Burton, M. MSS 60

1922

Cairo

laid up with bad cold. Bed very late.

Met M^{rs} Steevens.

Dec. 3

Sun.

H & I to tea with the Russells (Frank).

Various other people – Goldings etc. I had an awful cold. Met the Waltons on way back. M^r Travers Allan dined with us.

His cousin laid up. Sir E. with us at dinner. Brother of Mikado arrived.

Dec 4

Mon.

Morning in bed. Out with H after tea looking at rugs. With Bernards & Allans after dinner.

5 Dec.

Tues.

Aunt H's birthday. Morning in bed, but better. Then to umbrella man & Sednaoui. Talk with Ld. Carnarvon about wonderful find. He arrived from Luxor this morning. Walk with H after tea. M^r Hall & M^r Hauser arrived.

6 Dec.

Wed.

H to tea with Miss Place, also M^r Hall & M^r Hauser. I went to the Steevens. M^{rs} Compton brought me back in her car. To Dentist.

7 Dec.

H & I to tea with the Murray Grahams.

Burton, M. MSS 61

1922

Cairo

M^r Hall & Hauser left for Luxor.

8 Dec.

Fri.

M^r Carter lunched at our table. After tea to Kodak & Nachmann.

9 Dec.

Sat.

M^r & M^{rs} Harry Russell & M^{rs} Wright to tea. M^r Fitzgerald. Asked Lady Bernard but she felt too seedy. H took M^{rs} W. to umbrella man.

10 Dec.

Sun.

To tea with the Waltons & then to the Khayatts.

11 Dec.

Mon.

To dentist, M^r Brett Day, in morning. Also Bank. B/~~P~~>acking. After dinner with the Bernards as usual, also M^r Carter, M^r Fitzgerald, M^r Percy White. All of us ill with bad colds.

12 Dec.

Tues.

The Contessa arrived, ill also. 108. Packing. Tired & feeling very ill. In aft to say goodbye to Contessa, Lady Bernard. The Wilsons in hall & Balchin. He came to the station to see us off by the 8. P.M. train for Luxor. Dinner on board. Very seedy.

Burton, M. MSS 62

1922

~~Cairo~~, Luxor

13 Dec.

Wed.

Had an awful night of incessant coughing. No sleep. Arrived 9.50. To Winter Palace & saw the doctor – D^r Deacon who stethoscoped me. H. went to see the Breasteds on their dahabayah. They invited us to breakfast, but I too seedy. Talking to M^{rs} Chapman's nurse, Miss Fitzgibbon. Got across to Qurneh in time for lunch. Cold windy day. M^r Hauser & M^r Hall to receive us. M^r Aitken in after lunch (Survey Dept.) To bed as soon as boxes came. <M^{rs} Davies in to see me.>

14 Dec.

Thurs.

Got up for lunch – rather better. M^{rs} Phillips in to see me in morning. They are en route to Assuan by the "Sudan" & had come to see the Davies'. H over to see M^r Carter after tea. Working in rooms in aft.

15 Dec.

Fri.

<Very bad night coughing> Up for lunch. M^r Hauser & Hall left for Assuan at 8. A.M. After lunch washed wardrobe. After

Burton, M. MSS 63

1922

Luxor

tea helped Harry catalogue prints. Cold.
H. over to Tombs of Kings in morning
to meet M^r Carter. H & I alone all day.

16 Dec.

Sat.

<Carpenter in morning>

Still coughing a lot. Sprained my
foot after lunch. Great pain. Aft. lying
down, but to dinner. H. & I alone.
M^r D. over to see H. Dusted books
in drawing room in morning. Had
my room washed & wardrobe moved
in.

17 Dec.

Sun.

The Winlocks arrived in time for
lunch, bringing D^r Breasted & Jamie
with them for lunch & tea. After tea
H & I to M^r Carter's & saw the King's
Cap. M^r Callendar there. After dinner
M^r Carter came here.

18 Dec.

Mon.

M^r C. sent over curtain for me to
sew. M^r & M^{rs} Dunham & M^r
Amory Goddard to lunch until 3.30.
The Winlocks went over to see Tutankh-
aton. I for a walk to Der el Bahari.
The Winlocks brought back to tea M^r &
M^{rs} Breasted, Miss Roman, young B. & Jamie.

Burton, M. MSS 64

1922

Luxor

19 Dec.

Tues.

Painting my furniture in morning & afternoon. M^r Carter sent over for me his donkey to ride over & see "the" Tomb Tutankhamen. Wonderful. M^r Callendar there & later D^r & M^{rs} Breasted & the little girl. Went over the hill both ways. M^r Hauser & Hall came back from Assuan. M^{rs} W. & F. to the Davies' for tea.

20 Dec.

Wed.

Walked Der-el-Bahari before tea & after & to see M^{rs} Davies.

21 Dec.

Thurs.

Painting Harry's chest of drawers. Before tea to top of cliff & met H & walked back with him. M^r Carter to dinner.

22 Dec.

Fri.

Bad night with coughing. Painting bookshelves. Carpenter arranged my shelves. Walk across cultivation with M^{rs} Winlock between lunch & tea. The M^c Aldines called while we were out.

23 Dec.

Sat.

Painting my shelves & table most of day. Harry's room colour-washed.

Burton, M. MSS 65

1922

Luxor

Miss Lattey, M^{rs} Hooker & M^{rs} Wright to tea. Walked by Der el Bahari after & to M^{rs} Davies'. M^{rs} W. seedy & not at dinner. My green stuff arrived.

Dec 25.

Xmas.

Gave Frances a Florentine leather bag. H. gave her a hat. I walked twice round by Der el Bahari. M^{rs} W. in bed all day. To dinner the Davies', M^r Wilkinson, M^r Carter & M^r Lucas. M^r Mace arrived in the morning. H not over to Tombs.

26 Dec.

Tues.

H & I to Luxor to lunch with the Contessa at the Luxor Hotel. Miss Lattey & M^{rs} Wright also. To W. P. first & saw D^r Deacon, M^r Davies, M^r Englebach, M^c Aldines & Mellins. Then shopping, & again after wards with the Contessa to Hassan's etc. Tea at the Luxor. M^{rs} Hooker invited us, but we refused. D^r Madden (& his son) over to see M^{rs} Winlock who is in bed with Colitis. Back by moonlight.

Burton, M. MSS 66

1922

Luxor

27 Dec.

Wed.

M^r & M^{rs} Hooker here after lunch.
Young Madden to lunch. With M^{rs}
Winlock before tea & after dinner.

28 Dec.

Thurs.

Walked over to the Tombs of the
Kings before tea & back with Harry.
Talking to M^r Lucas. With M^{rs}
Winlock after tea. Her temp. 100°. M^{rs}
Davies in.

29 Dec.

Fri.

No lunch. M^r Hornblower & D^r
Deacon here for lunch. Saw the
former. Miss Lattey & M^{rs} Wright
to tea. For a walk after by moon-
light to Ramesseum with M^r Hall.
Very hot day. 72° in my room.

30 Dec.

Sat.

M^r & M^{rs} Harry Russell & Miss
Dorrien Smith to lunch & tea.

31 Dec.

Sun.

My birthday. The Engelbachs to
lunch.

1 Jan.

Mon.

Sewing all day for M^{rs} Mace's
room. After tea with Harry & M^r
Hall for walk on cliffs by moonlight.
Dra abul neggar.

Burton, M. MSS 67

1923

Luxor

2 Jan.

Tues.

M^r Hall, H & I over to Luxor. Pottering about the shops. Talking to D^r Deacon & the Contessa. M^r H. lunched with the Blumenthals, & we lunched with the Russells. Also M^{rs} Wright, Miss Lattey, M^r Fitzgerald & Miss Dorrien-Smith. M^r Carter & M^r Lucas with M^{rs} Merton. After lunch our party with M^r Percy White went to the derelict gardens of the Grand €/<H>otel to see Moussa catch snakes. He caught 2 cobras & a small viper. Tea with Miss Lattey. M^{rs} W. & M^r H. & back by moonlight. <Frances laid up too.>

3 Jan.

Wed.

D^r Deacon over to lunch to see the invalids. Letter from Edwina & parcel yesterday. Walk twice round Der el Bahari after tea. Headache all day. M^{rs} W. to tea & dinner. F. ill. M^r Mace dined at the Davies'. to meet Alan Gardiner. M^r Wilkinson sleeping here.

Burton, M. MSS 68

1923

Luxor

4 Jan.

Thurs.

The Russells & Miss Dorrien Smith here to tea. Afterwards walked round Der el Bahari & to the Davieses. Met D^r Alan Gardiner.

5 Jan.

Fri.

M^r & M^{rs} Macy & their son & daughter to lunch. D^r Gardiner to tea. Walked round Der el Bahari.

6 Jan.

Sat.

Writing all mornng. After lunch to Tombs of Kings & M^r Carter showed me the things in Seti II. Walked back with M^r Mace & Harry. Walk after tea with M^r Hall round by cultivation. M^r Morton Howells, American Minister in Cairo, his daughter M^{rs} Turner, her small son. D^r & M^{rs} Phillips. Am. Missionaries at Assiut & their small daughter to tea.

7 Jan.

Sun.

D^r Howell & M^{rs} Turner to lunch. M^r Carter & M^r Lucas to tea. They came over in the car bringing Harry & M^r Mace. Walk after tea with H. round cultivation.
<Washed my hair. D^r Gardiner dined here.>

8 Jan.

Mon.

With H. after tea to see D^r Fisher.

Burton, M. MSS 69

1923

Luxor

9 Jan.

Tues

H & I rode M^r Carter's donkeys to his house, & then with him in the new Ford Car to the river bank. To Winter Palace for a moment & then shopping & to lunch with M^{rs} Wright, or rather at her table. M^r C. with the Contessa. We all had tea with the Contessa also M^{rs} Merton, wife of the "Times" Correspondent. M^r C. brought us back in the Ford to the door. M^r Hauser & M^r Wilkinson also at the Luxor Hotel for lunch. 8 months.

10 Jan.

Wed.

Nine months. M^r & M^{rs} M^c Clellan to tea. Also M^r Carter. Walk after with M^r Hall.

11 Jan.

Thurs.

M^r & M^{rs} M^c Clellan to lunch. He was Mayor of New York. Walk after with H. to Temple. M^r Davies there. Dark & thundery over Luxor.

12 Jan.

Dark & thundery. Walk with H.

13 Jan.

D^r Deacon to lunch. Fine again.

14 Jan.

Sun.

Miss Cushing to lunch. With her to Der el Bahari & then back for tea.

Burton, M. MSS 70

1923

Luxor

15 Jan.

Mon.

Miss Cushing to lunch & afterwards
with her to Menna, Ramose, Userhat,
Khaemhat & another. Back for tea.
D^r Deacon for lunch.

16 Jan.

Tues.

Miss Astberry, a nursing sister,
came to nurse Frances. After tea
H & I for a walk to the Cathedral.
After tea I by Der el Bahari. Monsieur
Lacau here after lunch. Didn't see him.

17 Jan.

Wed.

M^{rs} & M^r Karl von Wiegand &
M^r Mills here in morning. D^r
Dolby at lunch, & he & his brother
Roger & M^r & M^{rs} Brett Young & Miss
Ely to tea. Walk after by Der el Bahari.

18 Jan.

Thurs.

I went over to Luxor alone. Met
Miss Cushing & M^{rs} Wright. Lunched
with the Bernards who arrived
from Khartoum last night. Packing
to M^r Roger Dolby & Miss Ely & D^r Dolby
at lunch. Also M^r v. Wiegand. To
the Gymkhana after, & back to tea
with the Bs. Col & M^{rs} Wilson. Met

Burton, M. MSS 71

1923

Luxor

Col. Lloyd Jones & Colonel Owen. In morning walked with the Bs to the Engelbachs & paid M^{rs} E. a visit. Hailed the Timsah which arrived on Tues. but the Allans out. Home after dark.

19 Jan.

Fri.

The Dolby party to tea again, also Miss Forbes-Smith. Walk after.

20 Jan.

Sat.

H. had tea at M^r Carter's. M^r Mills here to tea. Der el Bahari. Saw the tattooed lady.

21 Jan.

Sun.

The Bernards to lunch, & took them to the Temple & then back here for tea.

22 Jan.

Mon.

Colonel & M^{rs} Wilson to lunch & back to tea. Also to tea Prof. Jackson of Harvard & M^r Brown & 2 women. Walk after with M^r Hall by Gurnet Murrai & Cathedral.

23 Jan.

Tues.

The car for us at 11. & to pick up M^r Carter & M^r Lucas. To Luxor. Lunched with the Allans on their dahabiyah the TunisahTimsah. Then for the

Burton, M. MSS 72

1923

Luxor

Contessa & to tea with her at the Winter Palace. Also at tea the Allans, the Winlocks, M^{rs} Wright & M^r Carter. Talking to M^r Weigall, M^r Engelbach, the Brett Youngs, Wilsons etc. Very warm heavy day. Car back to M^r Carter's & walked home.

24 Jan.

Wed.

Went over to the Tombs of the Kings in morning to see the Couch being brought out. Harry with "movie", & I took some snapshots. Crowds of people. The Wilsons, M^r Weigall, M^r Engelbach, Miss Forbes-Smith, M^{rs} Murray Graham, M^r Allan etc. Back in the car with M^r Hauser & M^r Hall. Very hot. Miss Hayward to lunch. M^r Carter to dinner. In no. 15 in morning & saw the glove, & the reconstructed sandals.

27 Jan.

Sat.

The two M^r Allans & Miss Hopkinson to lunch. <H & I dined at the Davies to meet the Mallins.> The Contessa & M^{rs} Merton to tea on Friday 26th.

26 Jan.

M^r Mace &

Burton, M. MSS 73

1923

Luxor

M^r Carter went down to Cairo on the 26th Friday. M^r Hall & I went to call on M^r Fisher.

28 Dec/<Jan>.

Sun.

M^r & M^{rs} Lythgoe arrived in ~~th~~ time for lunch. Also M^r Mace. After tea for a walk round Der el Bahari with M^r Mellin & to the Davieses after. Very hot day.

29 Jan.

Mon.

Cooler. Blouses arrived from Harrod's. Walk to top of cliffs before tea. Mending sheet most of day.

30 Jan.

Tues.

H & I started to go over to Luxor this morning & going down the hill by the hamlet Harry's stirrup broke. He was thrown forward on the donkey's neck & his leg tripped the donkey who fell & Harry was flung on to his face. He skinned it badly. We came back here & D^r Derry, who had just come up from Cairo to stay here for a few days, helped to clean him up. Looks very nasty, & very sore & painful.

Burton, M. MSS 74

1923

Luxor

M^{rs} Austin in after lunch. Helping
H. with prints all the afternoon.
H & I for walk after tea round the
cultivation. Met M^r Carter & M^r Mace. <Lucas.>

31 Jan.

Wed.

In bed late. General & M^{rs} Crozier
to lunch. The Lythgoes went over to
the Valley after an early lunch.
Walk after tea by Der el Bahari. D^r
Derry dined with M^r Carter.

1 Feb.

Thurs.

M^r Hauser told us the dreadful news
at lunch that M^r Travers Allan had
been murdered on Tuesday night off
the Karnac road.

2 Feb.

Fri.

Went over to Luxor after breakfast
& to dahabyah. Waited till 1 for
M^r Allan who was at the Merhus.
Then Fariq came & told me he was
at the Luxor Hotel. Went there & had
lunch with him & the Contessa in
a private room. Afterwards we &
M^{rs} Wright to part of the funeral
service in the little Church in the

Burton, M. MSS 75

1923

Luxor

garden. He didn't want us to go to the Cemetery, & he & the clergyman went alone. To the Contessa's room & heard all about it. Home by 5. Very windy stormy day & rather cold. Dined in my room. D^r Derry left. <Saw him at the Winter Palace Hotel.>

3 Feb.

Sat.

Colonel Thompson & Colonel Hetherington to tea. Afterwards walked round Der el Bahari with M^{rs} Lythgoe. M^r Carter to dinner.

4 Feb.

Sun.

M^{rs} Winlock & Frances laid up. Miss Larkin & M^{rs} Clarence Fisher to lunch & Miss Hopkinson in after. M^{rs} Davies in after tea. Walk to Der el B. alone.

5 Feb.

Mon.

Lord & Lady Swatheling, M^r Montagu, M^r Oscar Raphael & Sir Hercules Read to tea. Also Miss Hayward & Miss Harper. Walk after & to M^{rs} Davies'.

6 Feb.

Tues.

H & I to Luxor & lunched with M^r Allan on the dahabiyah. H, the Contessa & M^{rs} Wright had tea with us at the Luxor Hotel. M^{rs} Lythgoe laid up. Miss Hedges, nurse, arrived.

Burton, M. MSS 76

1923

Luxor

(7 Feb.

Wed.

M^r Sieger to lunch. Col & M^{rs}
Hetherington & Col & M^{rs} Thompson
in after. M^{rs} Lythgoe still in bed.
Dull grey day. The Thompson party
with 2 other women to tea. Walk alone.

8 Feb.

Thurs.

To the Valley with M^r Lythgoe in
morning, over the hill. Very hot. To
Seti II & saw everything splendidly.
M^r Carter asked me to stay to lunch,
but didn't want to, so came back
alone. M^{rs} Lythgoe up. Der-el-
Bahari after tea.

9 Feb.

Fri.

Lesson from Musa in morning.
Professor Hall & his son to lunch.
After lunch Nelly Khayatt, & the
other two, Miss Wissa & young
Alexan. To tea, the Contessa,
M^{rs} Wright, M^r Allan & M^{rs} Merton.
Walk after with M^r Hall. Wind
storm. Nine months.

10 Feb.

Sat.

10 months. M^r Carter & Lord
Carnarvon to tea. Walk after & to M^{rs}

Burton, M. MSS 77

1923

Luxor

Davies' with M^{rs} Lythgoe & M^{rs} Winlock.

11/<2> Feb.

Mon.

M^r & M^{rs} de Forrest came to stay & brought
M^r James, M^{rs} Barney & M^{rs} White to
lunch. Walk after tea with M^r Hall,
Miss Hedges & afterwards alone.
<After dinner M^r & M^{rs} Davies & M^r W in &
M^r Carter to dinner.>

13 Feb.

Tues.

H & I to Luxor at 11.15. all morning with
the de Forrests. Lunched at Winter Palace
Hotel with M^{rs} Scott. M^{rs} Topcliffe &
M^r Morton (Daily Express). Talking to
Lord C., Sir John Maxwell, M^r Weigall,
D^r Deacon etc. <M^r Lucas, Lady Evelyn Herbert.> Shopping afterwards
& to tea at the Luxor Hotel with the
Contessa. M^{rs} Wright & M^r Allan. Met
M^r & M^{rs} Thomas. The de Forrests left.
M^r Lythgoe with them to spend the
night at Luxor.

14 Feb.

The Macy party to tea. Walk after alone.

15 Feb.

Thurs.

M^r Breasted & M^r Bull arrived to stay.
They, with D^r Gardiner went over to the
Tombs of the Kings, & only M^r Bull back
for lunch. M^{rs} Blumenthal, Mme
Mühlfeld & Gaston Rion to lunch.
Ld. C. with invitations to the opening of

Burton, M. MSS 78

1923

Luxor

the sealed door on Sunday. Walk
after tea to Der-el-Bahari.

16 Feb

Fri

With M^r Bull to the Ramesseum
in morning. Two ladies to tea (the
author of "Rain"). Didn't see them.
After tea by Der-el-Bahari. The
sealed door was opened today. M^r
Lythgoe & M^r Winlock <& M^r Breasted> went over &
Harry & M^r Mace there. 15 (?) people
present. Great excitement! M^r
Carter dined here & M^r Gardiner
in before. Very interesting talk.

17 Feb.

Sat.

I walked over the hill & M^{rs} W.
rode & the Lythgoes drove, & we three
had a private view of the inner
chambers. Enormous gold & blue
faïence catafalque inside the door.
Difficult to get in. Small 4th
chamber full of caskets & boxes.
Very thrilling. Lovely things. Lord
C. & M^r Maudesley. I walked back
in time for lunch. Monsieur Capart
here after.

Burton, M. MSS 79

1923

Luxor

18 Feb.

Sun.

Lunch at 11.30. The Macys here.
Afterwards I walked to the Valley for the
official opening with M^r Hauser, M^r
Hall & M^r Bull. Very hot with fresh
breeze. Long wait for the Allenbys
& the Queen of the Belgians, <& Prince Leopold.> The
Macys went after the Allenbys. Cold
buffet up near Seti II. Lady Evelyn
Herbert received. The Maudesleys,
Thomases, Miss Putnam, Thompsons,
Hetheringtons, D^r Breasted, Capart,
Allan Gardiner, the Davieses <Mertons> etc
etc. Drove home with the Macys.
Everybody dead tired. 1 year since To-To died.

19 Feb.

Mon.

Stayed in bed late. M^r Seager here
in morning. Harry here for lunch.
M^r Seager, M^{rs} Scott & M^{rs} Topcliffe to
lunch. With them to Der el Bahari
after. M^{rs} Nestor & her son to tea
but didn't see them. Miss Hedges
left to go to Lady Evelyn's maid who
was operated on this morning by Madden.

Burton, M. MSS 80

1923

Luxor

20 Feb.

Tues.

H & I to Luxor. At Hotel first.

Talking to Mme Mühlfeldt on terrace.

We lunched with the Macys on their dahabiyah. Also the Winlocks, M^r Lythgoe, M^r & M^{rs} Phelps-Stokes, M^{rs} Milton, & 6 of the Macy party. Afterwards other people came on board.

Miss Putnam etc. I went on to see Contessa at 3. & we all had tea with M^r Allan in the garden.

M^{rs} Wright leaving by night train.

Major Gayer-Anderson & D^r

Phillips in. M^r Breasted left,

also Miss Hedges yesterday.

21 Feb.

Wed.

Met the Contessa at the Ramesseum & drove with her to the Valley. Took her to Seti II & then M^r Carter took her down the tomb. The Wiggins there, M^{rs} Merton etc. Had a row with M^r Carter! He was very rude. Drove back with the C. Very hot & dusty. Got

Burton, M. MSS 81

1923

Luxor

back in time to change for lunch. The Queen of the Belgians, Prince Leopold, Countess Caraman-Chimay, D^r Capart & Colonel Watson lunched here. Afterwards the Queen & Ctsse C. lay down for an hour & then they all went off to the Valley. M^r Hauser, Hall, Wilkinson, Bull & Frances lunched in the Sunporch & came in afterwards to be presented. M^r & M^{rs} Phelps-Stokes to tea. Very hot day. After tea with H up to a tomb where he took a flashlight photograph.

22 Feb.

Thurs.

M^r Wainwright, Sir Hercules Read & M^r Raphael to tea. Walk Der-el-Bahari.

23 Feb.

Fri.

M^r Quibell arrived to stay. M^r & M^{rs} Bowen & M^{rs} van Renselaer to lunch. D^r M^c Clanahan to tea. Harry didn't go to Valley today. Walk with me after tea by cultivation. M^r Carter to dinner. Sandy yesterday & today.

Burton, M. MSS 82

1923

Luxor

24 Feb.

Sat.

Sir James & Lady Wilson to lunch.

M^r & M^{rs} Brunton & M^r Moore to tea.

25 Feb.

Sun.

<H at home for lunch.> Miss Nolan to lunch. She, Capt.

Wilson, M^r Martin, M^{rs} Phillips,

Barbara, Miss Correy, Mme Riag Bey,

Bessima & Brinet Fouad to tea.

Walk after with M^r Hall by Ramesseum

& cultivation. Harry at home for lunch.

Washed my hair in morning.

26 Feb.

The tomb was closed today. Harry here.

<To hill tomb with H. to photograph.>

27 Feb.

Tues.

H. & I to Luxor & lunched with the
Wilsons. Col. & M^{rs} Burgess also.

Watching tennis after. Then to the
cemetery to see the graves of Travers
Allan, M^r Foster & Harold Jones. To
the Engelbach's for tea & he took us
back to the W. P. in his side car.

Home at 7 by moonlight.

28 Feb.

Wed.

M^r Mace left for Asswan in
morning. M^r Quibell left for

Cairo after tea. H at M^r Carter's.

M^r & M^{rs} Harris to lunch (Pres. of
some railway in U.S.A.).

Burton, M. MSS 83

1923

Luxor

After tea walk to Der el Bahari & to M^{rs} Davies, but she was here, so came back.

1 March.

Thurs.

M^r & M^{rs} Blumenthal to lunch. Afterwards Gaston Rion, D^r Bouchety & M^r & M^{rs} Stern (M^{rs} B's sister) M^r Carter motored the Lythgoes to Luxor & he dined here. Bed early.

2 March.

Fri.

Rev^d M^r Hinton to lunch & afterwards Col. & M^{rs} Donovan.

3 March.

Sat.

M^r Hall laid up & nursing him all day. Walk with M^{rs} L.

4 March.

Sun.

D^r M^c Clanaghan for M^r Hall & he lunched here. Miss Christie, Lady Lucas, Major Stewart, Col & M^{rs} Burgess to tea. Walk after with Lythgoes. <The Davieses dined here.>

5 Mar.

Mon.

Nursing M^r Hall. M^{rs} Chapin (M^{rs} Cumming's sister) & her son lunched here & stayed to tea. M^r Whittamore also for tea & Lady Clowes & her son.

6 Mar.

Tues.

H & I to Luxor & lunched with

Col. & M^{rs} Burges. Tea with M^{rs} Scott.

Burton, M. MSS 84

1923

Luxor

7 March.

Wed.

M^r & M^{rs} Warren to lunch (Pres. of a Railway in U.S.A.) afterwards Miss M^c Knight, M^r & M^{rs} Hey (M^r Rideout's friends) & M^r & M^{rs} & Miss Lehmann to tea. M^r L. gave M^r Lythgoe 1000 dollars for the expedition. Harry & M^r Mace over at the Valley again. Still nursing M^r Hall.

8 March.

Thurs.

Sir John Maxwell to lunch. M^r <D>^r M^c Clanaghan & Miss Hedges after, & they decided that M^r Hall had better go in to hospital at Cairo & Miss H. would take him down tonight. Sent for Ld. C's motor & M^r Hall was packed off soon after 4. With the D^r M^{rs} Bulland, M^{rs} Heard & M^{rs} Silsby to tea. Bed early.

9 March.

Fri.

M^r Wilson & M^r Williams to tea. Walk after with the Lythgoes.

10 March.

Sat.

Lord Carnarvon & Lady Evelyn to lunch. Took the Lythgoes to see Mehenkhwetè after tea. Then to the

Burton, M. MSS 85

1923

Luxor

Davieses.

11 Mar.

M^r Kendall to lunch.

12 March.

Mon.

Walk with M^{rs} L. round cultivation

M^r Lucas & M^r Callender to dinner. Three men to tea.

13 March.

Tues.

M^r & M^{rs} Bashford Dean arrived to stay. He is curator of the Armoury Dept at the Met. Mus. H & I to Luxor to lunch with M^{rs} Scott & M^{rs} Topcliffe. Tea with them too. M^r Carter to dinner.

14 March.

Wed.

The Lythgoes left in morning.

M^r & M^{rs} Webb here. M^r Winlock lunched at the Valley. Ld. Carnarvon & M^r Bethell here to say goodbye. The Deans left after lunch. M^r & M^{rs} Mapham, Miss Thomas, M^r & M^{rs} & Miss Wolfing to tea. They came at 1.30 & stayed on. Very hot.

15 Mar.

Thurs.

To see M^{rs} Davies after my walk.
Windstorm last night & so cooler.

<17 March.>

<St. Patricks Day. M^r Nevins to lunch.>

18 Mar.

Fri.

To say goodbye to M^{rs} Davies who left
this evg for Cairo. Walk after tea with

Burton, M. MSS 86

1923

Luxor

Harry by cultivation & to M^r Davies.
Very hot.

19 March.

Mon.

Monsieur Baraize to lunch. Walk
with H. after tea. M^r Carter had wire
from Lady Evelyn saying Ld. C. was very ill.

20 March.

Tues.

Harry had a day off, & rested all
the afternoon. Walk with me after
tea. M^r Carter went to Cairo.

21 Mar.

Musa here for a lesson in morn.

22 Mar.

Thurs.

Left here a year ago. Major Gayer-
Anderson to lunch. Miss Moir after,
& back for tea. With H on hill side.

23 Mar.

Fri.

M^r Hauser had 2 Swiss girls to tea.
Miss Boveri & ? H. working here
every day since Tues. Ld. C. better.

24 Mar.

H to Valley again. <Monsieur Bruyère
& Kuentz & Madlle Bruyère to dinner.>

25 Mar.

Sun.

M^r Frothingham here in morning.
Aeroplane over the house. Walk alone.

26 Mar.

Mon.

Two men in morning. Also M^r & M^{rs} Little, M^r & M^{rs} Harrison & 3 other ladies. Hot & heavy day. Walk after tea with M^{rs} Winlock & Frances.

Burton, M. MSS 87

1923

Luxor

27 Mar.

Tues.

H & I started at 10.15 for Luxor.

H. with the movie. He took <water> wheel near Ramesseum, while I rode back for some money he had forgotten. Got to bank long before him & crossed with ~~the~~/^{ts} Winlocks & M^r Mace M^r Callender & M^r Lucas. H arrived at 1. We lunched with M^{ts} Topcliffe & M^{ts} Scott & sat in the garden. They had tea with us. Back by moonlight. Splitting headache. Very hot. Crowd of American tourists at the Hotel. Last party for the season.

<28 Mar>

<Arrived in Florence a year ago.>

29 March.

Thurs.

M^r Engelbach here in morning.

M^r Mace had a wire from M^r C. to say that Lord Carnarvon was worse. Walk after tea with M^{ts} Winlock & Frances by the cultivation. Hot day.

31 Mar.

Sat.

M^r Engelbach & M^r Anthony here in morning. Walk Der-el-Bahari.

1 April.

M^r Davies & M^r Callender to dinner.

2 April.

Mon.

Monsieur Baraize to lunch. The Winlocks had picnic ~~lunch~~ <dinner> at Ramesseum.

Burton, M. MSS 88

1923

Luxor

H. & I upon hill to watch moon
rise after walk round the cultivation

3 April

Tues.

Sug day. Everyone at home. Walk
with H. over Dra'bul Nagar hill.
M^r H. & M^r W. to Luxor before lunch.

5 April

~~Wed.~~

<Thurs.>

H. at home. Wire from M^r C. to
say Ld. Carnarvon died last night. <the 4th.>
A year since Panà told me Papa could
not live.

6 April

Fri.

Hot day. Windstorm at night. (spent
all day running about trying to find
a place for Papa, this day last year.

7 April

Sat.

(Moved them up to the Villa Bettania
at 12. & Miss Whytlaw met us there.

9 April

S/<M>on.

Walked round cultivation with H after
tea. This day last year went for Panà
who came at 7.

10 April

Tues.

Papa died a year ago. Stayed in
bed in morning. Seedy. Walk after tea
with H. as far as Ramesseum. He

did not go to the Valley. M^r Mace went.

11 April

Wed.

Walk to Der el Bahari with H
after tea. A snake outside my room in evg.

Burton, M. MSS 89

1923

Luxor

12 April

Walk with H. by cultivation & Khokha.

13 April

Fri.

Walk by cultivation with H. & back the same way. Very cool day.

15 April

Sun.

Monsieur Lacau, Baraize & M^r
Engelbach here in morning. Walk alone.

16 April.

Mon.

M^r Carter came back. M^r Engelbach
to lunch. <& tea> M^r Carter sent me (given by
someone, who ? <Bernards.>) a group of G. H. Q.
taken in Cairo 1907 ? with Papa in
it & Gen. Bullock. Walk with
H. to see tomb of Khêti.

17 April

Tues.

M^r Engelbach to lunch & tea. M^r
Wilkinson left for Cairo. Harry here
all day. M^r Mace tead & dined with
M^r Carter. Walk alone after tea by
Der el Bahari.

19 April.

Walked alone after tea

19/<20> April

Walked alone after tea. Packing.

21 April

Sat.

M^r Hauser left at 4. Walk
alone. M^r Carter, M^r Lucas &

M^r Callender to dinner.

22 April

Sun.

The Winlocks left after tea for Luxor.

Burton, M. MSS 90

1923

Luxor, Cairo

H & I on to hill & then round
Der el Bahari. We & M^r Mace
alone at dinner.

23 April.

Mon.

H. back for lunch. My baggage
left at 10 A.M. We left at 3.30.
Tea at Luxor Hotel. M^{rs} Scott &
M^{rs} Topliffe. M^{rs} Winlock & Frances
& H. & I to station soon after
5, & Harry went back to Qurna
before our train left at 6. M^{rs} W. F. &
I dined together. M^r Winlock got
on at Baharia <at 9>. He had been
spending the day at Abydos with
M^r Wainwright. Musa & Monsieur
Baraize & a lot of the servants
to see us off.

24 April.

Tues.

Arrived about 7. & to the
Phillips', Kasr el doubara. In
Barbara's room. Breakfast on the
train & another here at 8. Pottering
about all the morning unpacking
& in M^{rs} Phillip's room. Lunch

Burton, M. MSS 91

1923

Cairo

alone with Katherine. D^r & M^{rs} P. lunching
with Col. & Lady Sybil Grant upstairs.
After tea with M^{rs} P. into town. She
went to a Committee meeting at
Connaught House & I to the Continental
to see the Contessa. Saw M^r Hall,
the Bruntons, Winlocks & Miss
Jefferies. Called for M^{rs} P. at 6.30
& had to wait in the dogcart.
Met the Gordon Clays. Dined with
Diana & Catherine. The Ps dining
out.

25 April.

Wed.

Drove into town with M^{rs} P.
in morning. To Lawrence & Mayo
Cicurel & Groppi & back. Lunched
alone M^{rs} P. Mme Cerveau to tea
& she drove me to Continental to
see Contessa. M^{rs} Winlock there.
Said goodbye to M^r Hall, Hauser &
Wilkinson & M^r Winlock. M^{rs} P.
& the children called for me at
6.15. D^r & M^{rs} P at dinner.

Burton, M. MSS 92

1923

Cairo

26 April.

Thurs.

Children at home today. In garden taking snapshots. With M^{rs} P. in afternoon to Gezira to get the children. Looked at the swimming. Met M^{rs} Gunter. All of us to tea at Miss Lattey's. M^{rs} Wright there.

27 Ap.

Fri.

With M^{rs} P. to town in morning. Met Miss Warner. To Bank & saw Mustacchi. To an auction at D^r Murison's house. To Indian shop & bought some silk for dresses. Hotchand & Groppi's. Miss Lattey & Miss Devonshire. Then to Miss Nicholl's. To tea with M^{rs} P. at the Coxon's at Maadi in the car. Very hot. Afterwards to Mme Arslan Cattaui. Lots of people. Mme Neguib Khyatts, M^{rs} Mandesley, Baroness Pfyffer etc.

28 April

Sat.

Hot out in morning. Dusting & arranging books. After tea drove with M^{rs} P. to Heliopolis & called on

Burton, M. MSS 93

1923

Cairo

several people, out, & M^{rs} Plumtre (in)

29 April

Sun.

M^{rs} P. & the children & I to see the Coxons off for England. M^{rs} Rogers (Miss St John.) etc at the station. Then to Mme Cerveaux to see their collection. Very hot. M^{rs} P. to tea at the Residency & I went for a walk with the children along the river. M^{rs} P. met us later & round Kasr el doubara. Met the Gordon Clays.

30 April

Mon.

Out shopping with M^{rs} P. in morning. Chemla & Cicurel etc. Met the Devonshires. the Harry Russells, Shoucair Pashas & daughter, M^r Dolby & D^r Derry to dinner. <To Ld. C's memorial service at 4. After Lady Stradbroke & M^{rs} Claude Allenby to tea.>

1 May.

Tues.

Helping M^{rs} P. to dismantle house. Went to the Continental after lunch. Our old room. Miss Lattey & M^{rs} Wright to tea & M^{rs} Harry Russell after. D^r Garry. Strolled round shops with M^{rs} W. M^r Bull, M^r Breasted & Alan Gardiner here.

Burton, M. MSS 94

1923

Cairo

2 May.

Wed.

104°

To the Garry's after tea. Met M^{rs}
Merton. Out shopping in morning
To the Contessa after dinner.

3 May.

Thurs.

To Lepiroglon in aft/<mor>ning.
Saw Col. Bury. Talking to the
Crabites & Sir Robert Drummond-Hay.
Met M^{rs} Wright at the dressmaker's
& for a walk with her to the Phillips
to get my camera. Drove back.

4 May.

Fri.

To dressmaker in morning.
Dined with the Phillips' & went
with them to Kursaal to see Maud
Allan dance. Also Miss Lattey.

5 May.

Sat.

To Contessa's garden party at
Boulac Dacrour. Drove with
Galarza there & motored back
with the Russells. Charming place.
Col. & M^{rs} Wilson. The Allenbys &
Stradbrokes, Lady Oakes, Mme de
Cramer. Etc. Etc.

6 May.

Sun.

Harry arrived before 8. After
breakfast out with him to Musky etc.

Burton, M. MSS 95

1923

Cairo

Bought 2 Bokhara curtains. After tea drove to Phillips with books & sweets for their journey tomorrow, & walked to Sporting Club. <With M^r Breasted & Bull after dinner.>

7 May.

Mon.

After tea with H. to Gezira, then taxied to the Garrys. M^{rs} Austen & M^r Briggs after dinner.

8 May.

Tues.

With H. to Arts & Crafts & then to dressmaker. Met M^{rs} Thomas & M^{rs} Wright. Mme Foucart & M^r Thomas to tea. Afterwards with H. to Nahmann. M^r Lucas & M^r Fitzgerald to dinner.

9 May.

Wed.

Mamma died a year ago.
To dressmaker in morning & paid her. H. had M^r Balchin to breakfast.
After tea D^r Garry & Miss Burgess came. Then to the Contessa's. M^{rs} ~~Merton~~ Wilson there. After dinner with M^r & M^{rs} Merton & M^r Winlock.

10 May.

Thurs.

Left Cairo by the 9.45 A.M. special train for the Esperia. M^{rs} Topcliffe & D^r & M^{rs} /
easted, M^r Bull, M^r Godard

Burton, M. MSS 96

1923

at sea

the Winlocks etc. on board. Kathleen Gunn on the platform & the Dunhams. Arrived Alexandria docks 1.15 & straight on board the Esperia. Sailed at 3 P.M. The Ex-Sultan of Turkey & his little boy on board. We shared a table with D^r Breasted, M^r Bull, M^{rs} Topliffe M^r Holmes & M^r Botterell. Cabin 42. Lovely day. On deck all the afternoon. Lunch on the train.

11 May.

Fri.

Lovely calm day. On deck with our party. H. playing shuffle-board with M^r Holmes & M^r Botterell.

12 May.

Sat.

Arrived at Syracuse at 1 P.M. & went ashore with H. M^r Holmes & M^r Bottrell & drove to the Roman & Greek amphitheatres, Latonia quarries & Museum. Back at 4 & sailed soon after. M^r Breasted, M^r Bull & the Winlocks stayed in Sicily.

13 F/<M>ay.

Sun.

Arrived Naples 7 A.M. Went

Burton, M. MSS 97

1923

Florence

ashore at 9 with H., M^r Holmes, & M^r Botterell. Chartered a car & went to San Martino & thence to Posilipo & to the Aquarium. M^{rs} Topliffe got off at Naples. H. met the Misses Gervois & Miss Curt who had embarked at Syracuse. Sailed at 11.45 <A.M.> Lovely day until dinner time when it got rather rough.

14 May.

Mon.

Arrived Genoa at 8 A.M.
Disembarked at 8.45 & to station.
Left Genoa at 9.55. M^r Holmes left for Cannes & M^r Botterell for England. Arrived Pisa 1.35 P.M. &, having 1 ½ hours to wait, we drove out to the Duomo & saw it & the Battistero.

15 May.

Tues.

We dined with Ethel Harter & Mme Bagnani.

16 May.

Wed.

H & I to the Allori to see their grave with flowers.

17 May

Thurs.

To flower market with H. & bought plants for the terraces. Ethel &

Burton, M. MSS 98

1923

Florence

Mme Bagnani to lunch. Miss Mackern called. After tea H & I to Miss Graham's & M^{rs} Newman's.

18 May.

Fri.

H. & I to tea with M^{rs} Willis & Miss Mackern. M^{rs} Morrison & another woman.

19 May.

Sat.

Giuseppe to tea & to see the small flat with him. Shopping after with H.

20 May.

Sun.

Lunch with Ethel. M^{rs} Sturt.
E. H. & I in car to tea with the Firths. The Scarrampis there & Marchese S. back to town with us.
M^r & M^{rs} Reddie called late.

21 May.

Mon.

Called on the Macys at the Grand Hotel after dinner. M^r & M^{rs} Davis.

22 May.

Furniture arrived after lunch.

23 May.

Wed.

More things arrived. Out with H. after tea.

24 May.

Thurs.

Empire Day. Had flags out. Out with H. in morning. H. lunched

with the Macys' & shopping with them.
We had tea with Miss Maude. A

Burton, M. MSS 99

1923

Florence

lot of people there. Then called on the Quibells & D^r Todd at the Palace Hotel.

25 May.

Fri.

M^r & M^{rs} Macy, D^r Breasted & M^r Bull came to lunch. H & I to tea at the Observatory with the Abettis & saw Galileo's telescopes. The Miss Hopkins there. H went to see Miss Koon after dinner.

26 May.

Sat.

H & I out after tea. M^{rs} Pemberton & Miss Maude to dinner. Forca in aft.

26/<7> May.

Sun.

We met Ethel in her Piazza at 12.30. with Alice Montefiore & to lunch at M^{rs} Sturt's. Back for tea & the Macys, the Quibells, the Reddies, D^r Todd, Prof. Breasted, Prof. Hale & M^r Bull came.

28 May.

Mon.

H & I to tea with the de Robecks. Gina & the Prices.

29 May.

Tues.

H & I lunched with the Lawlesses. Lady Coote & Miss Gibbs. I to Casini in morning. H with Macys', & I to a party at the M^c Dougalls.

Burton, M. MSS 100

1923

Florence

Everybody there. Miss Train singing
& M^{rs} Scott playing.

30 May.

Wed.

We lunched with the Macleans.
Motored up with Ethel. M^{rs} Goldsmith
(Miss Bullock) staying there. M^r
Landor & M^r Turner. To a party at
M^{rs} Earle's. M^{rs} Montefiore & Signore
Rimediotti singing. Also Cecilia.
Lots of people. We dined at Ethel's.
The Normans & niece, young
Orvieto & M^{rs} Montefiore. Miss
Good in after. Very tired.

31 May.

Thurs.

Ethel, M^{rs} Montefiore & the
Sturts to lunch. Miss Hutton to
tea & dinner. H & I called on the
Macys after tea. M^{rs} Pemberton in
after dinner.

1 June.

Fri.

M^{rs} Maclean & M^{rs} Goldsmith to
tea. Also Miss Hutton who dined
here also. After tea H & I to M^{rs}
Landor's. The Prices there & the
daughter of the von Lutzows'.

Burton, M. MSS 101

1923

Florence

2 June.

Sat.

Tea with Ethel. Lots of people. Marchesa Torrigiani, young Sergio, Cantagalli, M^{rs} Underwood etc.

3 June.

Sun.

Stayed in bed late. Bad night & very tired. H & Ethel, Macys & Miss Hutton to tea at M^r Proctor's. I stayed away & after tea walked round Viale.

4 June.

Mon.

Tappezziere in morning. Cloudy & showery. M^{rs} Pemberton & D^r Todd to tea. Then out with H. H to M^{rs} Newman after dinner.

5 June.

Tues.

Shopping with H. after tea. Miss Hutton & D^r Todd to dine.

6 June.

Wed.

H & I dined with M^{rs} Montefiore & Ethel at Betti's.

7 June.

Thurs.

M^r Cunningham to tea & he took us in his car to the de Robecks & back to town. Shopping & walk with H.

8 June

Fri.

In morning to Fosca's. Met Ethel
at Duomo & to tea at the Normans'.

Burton, M. MSS 102

1923

Florence

Lots of people there. M^{rs} Firth motored us down. Tramontana & cold.

9 June.

To tea at Ethel's. Lots of people.

10 June.

Sun.

H & I to tea at the Prices'. Lady Rogers & her brother Canon? Mme Turi, M^{rs} Sturt etc. Very hot.

<The Macys here later.>

Harry alone to the Russian Concert.

11 June.

Mon.

M^{rs} Norman, Ethel Harter, M^r Cunningham & M^r Procter to lunch. M^r Landor in afterwards. Tea at M^{rs} Lewis', at Anglo-American afterwards. Crowd. H took Ada to dine at Lapi's.

12 June.

Tues.

Ada to lunch. Out with H. after tea

13 June.

Wed.

Papa's birthday. To the Allori in morning with flowers. H & I had tea with Helen - the Gibbs etc & Miss Spencer Stanhope. Walk round the Viale afterwards. We dined with Ethel. M^{rs} Underdown & M^r Cunningham.

Burton, M. MSS 103

1923

Florence

14 June

Thurs.

Ada to lunch. Tea at Ethel's.

M^{rs} Underdown & M^r Cunningham

who motored us out to the Bondi

villa to the Fiera di Beneficenza.

After dinner to see Ada & on to the

Cinema. (~~"Mussolini in Florence"~~.)

15 June.

M^{rs} Willis & Miss Machern to tea.

16 June.

Sat.

To station to see Ethel off at

2. Miss Sergio there. H & I to tea

with Miss Richardson. M^{rs} Cox

there & many others. Walk round

Viale. After dinner H. to see

Miss Koon.

17 June.

Sun.

With H in morning to Casucci

& San Marco. Drove to M^r

Procter's to tea. Knotts & M^{rs} Evans

& Cassons etc. Ada to dine.

Miss Moller in after.

18 June.

Mon.

Ada to lunch. Tea with the

de Robecks. Mme Cantagalli & Signora

Farini there. Left my bag in cab

& had to pay 100 lire as a reward

to get it back. Poured.

Burton, M. MSS 104

1923

Florence

19 June.

Tues.

M^{rs} Lewis & Miss de Noon,
M^{rs} Gaillard & M^{rs} Stoney, Miss
Koon to tea & Miss Bezier after.
Also Ada. who dined here.
Mussolini in Florence all day &
the Town decorated for him. We
saw him drive past at 10. P.M.

20 June.

Wed.

M^{rs} & Miss Gibbs, Lady Glyn,
Miss Fernie, Mme Hoeltzke &
Miss Francis & Ada to tea. Walk
after round Viale. After dinner
to cinema - Mussolini, & across
India (Duke of Connaught's journey)

21 June.

Thurs.

H & I lunched with Miss
Whittuck. M^r Procter & M^{rs} Wiffie
Bramly. Poured. Afterwards
walked to Viale & had tea with
M^{rs} Cunningham. M^r & M^{rs}
Houghton, M^{rs} Willis & Miss
Mackern dined with us. The
Dursts & sister & Ada in after.

22 June

Friday.

H & I to tea with Miss
Fernie. Motored out. M^r Barr

Burton, M. MSS 105

1923

Florence

sang. Walked back to Piazza Cavour.
Ada to dinner.

24 June

Sun.

Walked round Viale with H.
Ada to dine.

25 June.

Mon.

The Waltons, Miss Richardson
Comtesse de Battines, M^r Bond, M^{rs}
Cox, Ada <also the Abettis> to tea. A to dinner.

26 June.

Tues.

Ada & M^{rs} Firth to lunch. Met
Nesta at top of Poggio & with her
to tea at the Cantagallis. Mme
Farini & Signa Bettilungo.
Back with Nesta to dine at the
Villa Capponi, & walked home.

28 June.

~~W~~/~~Th~~>urs

Baroness de Cosson, M^{rs} Bramly,
Miss Whittuck, Miss Good, Helen
& Ada to tea. A. to dinner. <& to
cinema after. Eruption of Etna.>

29 June.

Fri.

To see Ada off by the 10.55
train with M^{rs} Harter's maid. Then
with H. to tax office in Via
Cavour. Helped H. stone cherries
for jam after lunch. After tea to
Via dei Benci & to the Reddies at

Burton, M. MSS 106

1923

Florence

the Young's flat. The Belle<d>imano there.

30 June.

Sat.

Not out all day. Bonis' husband came for material. To tea Mme de Kerbrech, Miss M^c Dougall, M^r Offner, Col & M^{rs} Payson, M^r & M^{rs} Reddie, M^r & M^{rs} Beldimano, M^r Niccoli, & later the Waltons. H to M^{rs} Newman after dinner, & I sent the servants to see the "Eruption of Etna".

1 July

Sun.

H & I to Pitti in morning to see argenteria & porcelains & afterwards to pictures. M^{rs} Mason Jones to tea. Then H & I for walk round Viale. Warm & lovely day.

3 July.

Tues.

H & I to tea with M^r Bond. M^r Spelman & the Am. vice consul.

4 July.

Wed.

H & I to tea in Cortile of Antinori with M^{rs} Topliffe. M^r Houghton joined us & Maria Pacini. We dined with Miss Sheldon. The Spelmans, M^r Lawton, M^r

Burton, M. MSS 107

1923

Florence

Mühler, M^r de Weert, Miss Wilson & Miss Denby. Miss S. sent us back in her car.

5 July.

Thurs.

Very tired & not out. H. to tea with M^{rs} Kenyon Cox alone. Motored back with Miss Tiffany.

6 July.

Fri.

After tea we called on the Nevilles, Scotts, Teagues. All out. Then to M^{rs} Newman's.

8 July.

Sun.

H & I to tea at Miss Penrose. Several people. Miss Fuller. Met Miss Whittuck

9 July.

Mon.

M^r Perkins to lunch. M^{rs} P. in after. H. to bathe in the Spelman's swimming bath & I up later to tea. M^r Lawton played for us after, also M^r Spelman's Algerian Suite.

10 July.

Tues.

To Murray's in morning with H. to see the Bellini & Raphael M^r Macy bought. Shopping & H bought a hat. We dined at the Bolognese & to the Savoia cinema.

11 July.

Miss Sheldon to tea. M^r Procter to dine.

Burton, M. MSS 108

1923

Florence

12 July.

Thurs.

With H in morning to Veneziani's & bought a chest of drawers. After tea M^{rs} Cunningham took me for a turn in her car to the Cascini. M^r Bond to dinner.

13 July.

Fri.

H & I to tea with Miss Whittuck. M^r Erenheim & a woman - Mme Mazzuchelli? Walked back. 95°.

14 July.

Sat.

H & I to tea with M^{rs} Newman. M^r Sargent in after dinner. 96°

15 July.

Sun.

M^r & M^{rs} Winlock to tea. Motored to M^r Procter's for dinner ½ hour late. M^{rs} Willis & Miss Mackern there. M^{rs} Evans & her daughter in after. We brought Miss M. & M^{rs} W. back in the car. <96°>

16 July.

Mon.

We had tea at the de Cossons. Wiffie Jennings Bramly there, also Nesta. Baron de Cosson & M^r Bramly in after dinner.

17 July.

Tues.

Packing up house. H. to swim at the Spelmans & I to tea later. 96.

18 July.

Called on the Lawlesses. Out.

Burton, M. MSS 109

1923

Florence, Innsbrück

20 July.

Fri.

H. with me to the Allori in morning
to tidy up their grave & put large daisies.
Nesta came after tea. Then with H.
to pay Boni.

21 July.

Sat.

Packing away things. After tea out
with H. shopping.

22 July.

Sun.

To say goodbye to M^{rs} Newman with
H. Left the house at 10.20 P.M. &
left Florence by sleeping car at 11.10.

23 July.

Mon.

Breakfast in train. Arrived at Bogen
at 10.10. Changed trains & left at
10.35. M^r Ashburner with us as
far as Waidebrück from Bogen.
Arrived Innsbrück at 3.30 P.M. I
left my jacket in the train & H had
to go back to the station & get the station-
master to wire along the line for it.
I got it back at 7.50. At the
Tyrolerhof. Walked round the
town after tea & to the Hof-Kapelle
to see Maximilian's tomb.

24 July.

Tues.

Left Innsbrück at 10.36 A.M. in
omnibus train. Express too early. (7.30)

Burton, M. MSS 110

1923

Salzburg

Changed into Express at Schwarzenach
& on to Salzburg where we arrived at
about 7. Lovely scenery all the way.
Pouring with rain when we got here.
At Oesterreichischer Hof.

25 July.

Wed.

H & I to Hellbrunn in afternoon
& coffee there. <Met Miss Fuller & C^{te} Gheradesca.> Very lovely. Walked up
to the Monat Væ<il>lla & saw the stone
theatre. Dined at the restaurant at
Morgz. Miss Fuller here.

26 July.

Thurs.

H & I to the Dom in morning to
Organ recital. Bach's C. min fugue
& a free improvisation to show off
the solo & group registers of the organ.
Very fine. Then St. Francis Church &
St. Peter's Stift. After lunch to the
Festung. Had coffee at the restaurant
there & walked back by the Rainburg.

27 July.

Fri.

To the Staat museum in morning
& <after lunch> Mozart's Geburthaus. After lunch
up the Mönchberg & round by the
Festung. Dined at the Mirabell

Burton, M. MSS 111

1923

Salzburg, Königsee

garden & walked nearly to station after.

28 July.

Sat.

Morning in Mirabell gardens & saw the gardener about petunia seeds & lunched <there>. Left by the 1.54 tram for Parsch & the Gaisbergbahn. ~~Arrived~~ Had coffee on top & walked about. Lovely trip & fine day, but rather misty in the distance. Got back latish & dined at the Mirabell.

29 July.

Sun.

To Dom for service & St. Peter's Stift. To the Mönchberg by the lift at 5 & had coffee there. Walked down & got caught in terrific downpour at the Franciscan church. Drove home. Dined at the Mirabell indoors.

30 July.

Mon.

9.31 tram to Berchtesgaden, changed into train & on to Königsee. Crossed the frontier into Bavaria & had to show passports. Took motor launch from Königsee to the end of the lake & back. Coffee at Königsee & then walked back by the river to Berchtesgaden. Lovely scenery. H. changed

Burton, M. MSS 112

1923

Salzburg

30/0 at Königsee & got 4½ million marks. Arr. here at 6.56 P.M. & dined here. Talking to M^{rs} Clarke & Mme Turri after dinner.

31 July.

Tues.

Miss Fuller came to see us in mornng. We lunched together at the Traube. Slack day. Walked over to Red church to find "White Bear" & failing, went to the Kurhaus for coffee. Then walked to the station, down to the river from there & home along the bank & only got back just in time before the rain came down heavily. Dined here. H. met M^r Dent & M^r Cooper here in morning. They are here in connection with the International Musical Festival.

1 August.

Wed.

Poured all night & morning. Indoors writing letters. Lunch here. Miss Fuller to see me. She & we went up to the top of the Capuzinerberg from here at 4. Lovely afternoon.

Burton, M. MSS 113

1923

Salzburg, Reichenhall

Met M^r Dent & Herr after we
got back. Dined here.

2 August.

Thurs.

Left by 11 A.M. train for
Reichenhall. Passports examined at
Salzburg station. Changed at Freilassing<.>
Arrived at Reichenhall at 12.20 &
drove to police station, but closed,
so went to the Kur-garten pension
& had lunch. Back to police station
at 2 & had our passports police
viséd. Then to the Salinen-
Gebäude & went down underground
to see the Saline springs. Then
to Kur-gard/<t>en & listened to the
music & to the Gradir-Haus,
& back by the 5 P.M. train. Changed
at Freilassing & arrived Salzburg
(where passports examined again)
at 5.50. Drove to Hotel. Had
coffee at adjoining caffè & then back
to change. Met Miss Fuller at the
Mozarteum & in box with her for

Burton, M. MSS 114

1923

Salzburg

the International musical Festspiel.

M^r Dent gave a short speech in German. Then Streichquartett op 3 (in zwei Sätzen) by Alban Berg by the Havemann quartet from Berlin; "Die Hängenden Gärten, op 15. 15 songs, by Arnold Schönberg (Stephan Georg) sung by Martha Winternitz-Dorda of Hamburg; & violin & piano sonata by Bela Bartók <Hungarian>. Alma Moodie from Melbourne & Manfred Gurlitt from Hamburg. "Futurist" music all. Back at 9 for dinner here. With Miss Fuller after.

3 Aug.

Fri.

H & I for stroll about the town in morning. Very hot. We & Miss Fuller lunched at the Birne. Met M^r Cooper. Came on to rain at lunch & poured until about 6.30. H & I to tea at the Kurhaus. At 7. to the Mozarteum with Miss F. for the second

Burton, M. MSS 115

1923

Salzburg

Zukunft concert. Sonata for violin & piano (livre en deux parties enchainées) by Florent Schmitt. (French). Violin Alphonse Onnou (Brussels) & piano Gil-Marchex (Paris). First part wasn't bad, but second part awful. Then Fünf Hafis-lieder by Othmar Schoeck (Swiss) Composer at the piano, & Heinrich Rehkemper (Stuttgart) singer. Very good & recalled 3 times. Instead of Miaskowsky's III Sonate for klavier we had Sonata for violin alone by Eduard Erdmann. Miss Moodie played. Then some songs of Kilpinen. At the piano R. Schulz Dornburg (Bochum) the singer:

Then a Streich quartett III by Ernst Krenek (German) the Amar-Quartett from Frankfurt. This was simply frightful & hideous. We & Miss F. to supper at the Traube.

4 August.

Sat.

H & I walked up to the Festung & had lunch out on the back terrace.

Burton, M. MSS 116

1923

Salzburg

Lovely day. Walked down. H went off to Maria-Plain in aft. & I stayed in writing letters. Coffee here, & then to the concert. 1 Serge Prokopiev (Russian). Overtüre über hebräische Themen für Klarinette, Streichquartett & Klavier. Amar Quartett, clarinet: Dreisbach Piano: Andrée Vaurabourg. 2 Fidelio Finke <Tcheco-Slovak.>: Eine Reiterburleske für Klavier, Bruno Eisner. 2 Roland Manuel (? French) "Délie" for song & piano. Mme Caron (Paris. 4 Karol Szymanowski <Pole>: 2 Hafislieder, & 5 Manuel de Falla (Spanish) 2 lieder. Mme Caron. 6. Paul Pisk <Austrian>: 2 geistlicher Gesänge, Martha W-Dorda, & the Dom-Organist, Salzburg. 7. W. T. Walton (English) Streichquartett M^c Cullagh Quartette from Liverpool. H & I back here for dinner. Miss F at concert & after dinner.

5 Aug

Sun.

H. & I to cathedral in morning & to

Burton, M. MSS 117

1923

Salzburg

hear the Glockenspiel. Great crowds out for the Trachtenfest. Back for a bit & then to the Goldene Birne for lunch. To the restaurant here to see the Procession at 2. Counted over 80 bands, military, towns, & country bands. Decorated carriages & everyone in costume. Very pretty indeed. In morning after Cathedral to the Mirabell gardens to hear the military bands compete. Lovely day. Rested after lunch.

6 Aug.

Mon.

Tram to station. Then walked to Maria Plain. Very hot & a lot of horse-flies. Up the Pilgrim way & to the church. Then to Gasthof for lunch. Walked back to station. Rested till tea-time. Tea here. Then to concert. Arthur Honegger (Swiss) Sonate for Bratsche & Klavier. Viola Prévost & piano M^{lle} Vaurabourg. Malipiero: Zwei Sonette (Berni) Miss Helmrich. Alois Hába (German) II

Burton, M. MSS 118

1923

Salzburg

Streichquartett in quarter-tones.
Amar-Quartette. Perfectly frightful.
Ravel: Sonata for violin & cello. Violin
Halleux, Cello, Maas. (Pro-Arte).
Busoni: Fantasia Contrapuntistica
for 2 pianos. Prof. Kwast & his
daughter. Frau Kwast-Hodapp.
Dined here.

7 Aug.

Tues.

H. to dentist, & I to Mozart concert
at 11. A.M. H. came after. Streich-
Quartett E. moll. Pro-Arte.
Susannen - Arie & Gräfin Cavatine
from Figaro. Miss Joy M^c Arden.
Klavier-Quartette. Pro-Arte & Herr
Giesecking. Sheer joy! M^r Cooper
& Miss Fuller. Lunched at the Birne.
No food! Tea here. Then to concert.
Milhaud: IV Streichquartett. Pro-Arte.
Poulenc: "Promenades" for Piano.
Gil-Marchex. Koechlin. Sonate
for Klavier op 51. N^o 5. Gilmarhex.
Gurlitt (German) 5 songs with
Kammer Orchestra op 17.18. Marie

Burton, M. MSS 119

1923

Salzburg

Hartow (Hamburg) The composer conducted. Kodaly (Hungarian) Sonata for 'cello alone op 8. Paul Hermann, (Budapest aged 21.) Composer appeared. Hindemuth (German) Quintett for clarinet & Streichquartett. Amar-Quartett. & Paul Dreisbach. After concert to the Traube for dinner. Miss Fuller, & then on to the Residenz-Hof to hear the combined musicians play the Haffner-Serenade of Mozart by torch-light. To the café with Miss F. M^r Dent & D^r Paumgartner joined us. home at 12.45. Hot day. Bed 1.15 A.M.

8 Aug.

W^ed.

Lunched at the Traube. Started at 4.30 & walked up to the top of the Capuzinerberg & coffee at the Franziski-Schloss. Then walked down at the back of the mountain. Dined here. M^r Cooper & Miss Fuller joined us. The Hubbards arrived. Very hot day.

9 Aug.

Thurs.

M^r Cooper left for Vienna. Lunched at
<(To organ recital in morning)/<a>t the Dom).>

Burton, M. MSS 120

1923

Salzburg

the Mirabell. Went up to Hoher Festung in the lift & had coffee there & walked down. Took M^r Dent with us to the Marionetten. "Rotkäppchen und die Hexe". Very good. Then we all dined at the Traube. Home late. Miss F. & the Burbridges at the Traube.

Aug 10.

Fri.

Left by 9.31 tram for Berchtesgaden. 1½ hours journey. Drove to the "Bergwerk"- saltmine. Had to dress up in breeches etc. & went over the mine & on the salt lake. All very interesting. Back to Bertsgaden to lunch & walked round the little town. Very pretty, but appallingly hot. Back by the 3&30 tram. Tea here & to concert at ¼ to 8 in Mozarteum. "Zeitgenössische Musik oesterreichischer Compositen." Franz Schreker: Kammer-symphonie in einem Satz für 23 Soloinstrumente (1916). D^r Paumgartner conducted.

Burton, M. MSS 121

1923

Salzburg

Hans Gáls: Five pieces from the music for Levetzow's "Ruth" (1920). Nilius conducted. Wilhelm Gross: Rondels, 3 songs with orchestral accomp. (1921) Op 11. Sung by Hans Duhan.

Overture to an opera-buffa op 14 (1922) by Nilius & conducted by him.

E. W. Korngold: Suite from the music to Shakespeare's "Viel Lärmen um nichts." for Kammerorchester. Op 11 (1918) Nilius conducted. Last piece "Mummentanz" repeated. Korngold among audience bowed.

Strauss - 2 songs, Wiegenlied & Liebeshymnus, & 2 Songs of Paumgartner sung by Duhan. (1923

Strauss: Dinermusik from "Der Bürger als Edelmann Op 60. (1912) Dined here at 11 P.M. All the musicians present dining also.

With Miss F. in box. Romain Rolland near us in another box.

Burton, M. MSS 122

1923

Salzburg, Linz, Vienna

11 Aug.

Sat.

Lunched at the Mirabell. The gardiner came with petunia seeds. Slept for 2 hours after lunch. Tea at the Corso caffè & walk along river bank. Came on to pour, so we hurried back. Dined here.

12 Aug.

Sun.

Left Salzburg by the 12.30 train & arrived at Linz at 3.15. Bought lunch at S. station. To the Hotel Weinsinger on the river bank. Then took tram to Pöstlingberg. Had coffee there. Visited the Pilgrimage Church, the Diorama & back again to the town. Walked about until dinner time in the Hotel. Nice room on the Danube.

13 Aug.

Mon.

Started by river boat at 10 A.M. for Vienna. Lovely trip. Arrived at 7.20, over an hour late. Drove to Erzherzog Carl Hotel on the Kärtnerstrasse. Dined <& walked after.> & to bed. <Talking on boat to 2 American & an Englishboy.>

14 Aug.

Tues.

H & I to Imperial Museum in morning

Burton, M. MSS 123

Vienna, Salzburg

& saw the pictures pretty thoroughly.
Back to hotel for lunch, & I rested
after while Harry went to see Jaffè.
He came back at 4/5 & we went
out to Schönbrunn. Had tea at a
Cafè there & walked about grounds
& up to the Gloriette. Dined at the
Ritz. In the morning also the Cathedral.

15 Aug.

Wed.

To the Academy in morning &
then to the Kaisergruft. Lunch at the
Ritz & back to Hotel at 2. Met M^{rs}
& Miss Burbridge. Left Vienna at
3. & arrived at Salzburg 10.10 P.M.
Very hot all the time at Vienna &
in train. Pouring here when we
arrived.

16 Aug.

Thurs.

Raining all morning & in
writing letters. To Traube, no room,
& on to Birne where we met Miss
Fuller & had lunch together. Drunken
man! Buying a hat for H. after.
H. & I walked up to the Festung in

Burton, M. MSS 124

1923

Salzburg

the aft. for coffee. Visited the Church
of St. George in the castle yard.
Walked back by the Gisela Brücke.
To the Traube to find Miss F. not there
so came back to Hotel to dine. Fine
afternoon. Very cool all day.

17 Aug.

Fri.

Shopping in morning with H. & to
Mirabell for lunch. To Hellbrunn for
tea. Dined here & then to the Don-
Kossack concert. Miss F. with us.
Bortniánsky: "Te Deum Laudamus".
David's Psalm, uraltes motiv der
Kiewer Lawra. Tschaikowsky:
"Gepriesen sei der Herr", & "In der
Kirche. Lwowski: Herr, Erbarme
Dich. (gospody pomuiliu)
Abendglocken. Arr. by conductor
Serge Jaroff. "Bandura" by
Dawidowsky, "Der Kuckuck ruft"
(Lied der in türkischer Gefangenschaft
schmachtenden Zaporoger Kosaken).
Echo, by Weber, "Um den Wald

Burton, M. MSS 125

1923

Salzburg, Ischl

herum" (Kosaken-Lied) also a dance for an encore. They had a tremendous ovation.

18 Aug.

Sat.

Lunched at the Birne. To Parsch by tram & walked from there to Aigen for coffee & back. Dined at the Traube. Also Miss Fuller. Great storm late at night.

19 Aug.

Sun.

Very chilly. Raining most of day. Lunched here. Coffee at Keaimnel's[?] in pouring rain. Then walked through Kursaal grounds & to the Panorama & Mirabell gardens. Dined at Münchener Hof, & walked along the quais before turning in. Over Gisela Brücke.

20 Aug.

Mon.

Started at 8. A.M. in motor omnibus. Very good seats. Tour through the Salzkammergut. By St. Gilgens on Lake Fuschl at 10 for coffee. Left at 11.15 alongside St Wolfgang's lake to Ischl where we arrived at 12.15.

Burton, M. MSS 126

1923

Salzburg, Innsbrück

Lunched (very good) at the Kaisarin Elä/<i>zabeth, & then walked about & saw the Traun. Left at 2 and round by Attersee to Mondsee, where we had coffee. Left at 4.30 & arrived Salzburg at 6.30. Threatening weather all day & some slight showers, but nothing could spoil such perfect scenery as we passed through. From Mondsee back (1½ hours) poured, & had to have the hood up, but it was high & didn't spoil the view. Dined here & to bed early.

21 Aug.

Tues.

Fine but cloudy. Miss Fuller lunched with us at Mirabell. We dined at Mirabell. Aft at Hellbrunn Saw waterworks & walked up to the top of the hill. Lovely day.

22 Aug.

Wed.

Left Salzburg at 10.30 A.M. Changed at Schwarzach St. Veit into personen-zug, & arrived Innsbrück at 6.30. Old Russian Professor from Prague all

Burton, M. MSS 127

1923

Brixen

the way. To Tirolerhof.

23 Aug.

Thurs.

H & I in morning to the Italian prisoners' cemetery & photographed the grave of Cencetti's son. Saw Harry off for England, via Zürich & Basle at 11.54. Back to Hotel for lunch & left myself for Brixen by the 12.54, which was 45 minutes late in getting in. Nice woman in train. Miss Fry. Arrived Brixen about 5.30. The Baroness met me in her car & brought me here to Pension Gasser. The Macdougalls, the young Baroness Faverot & her 2 sons here. After dinner. the B. & her daughter in law, Roland, Miss M^c Dougall & I motored to the M^c Nutt's villa. M^{rs} French, & Baron & Baroness

24 Aug.

Fri.

Letters to Harry, & with Roland to Post Office & round the town. Warm & breezy. Tea in my room. The others went to M^{rs} Austen Leigh's. After for a

Burton, M. MSS 128

1923

Brixen

walk to the vivario.

25 Aug.

Sat.

Walk in the town. Met M^r M^c Nutt.

Wire from H. at 3.30 with Miss M^c D.

The B. & Roland to Elvas on foot, & coffee there. Lovely day & walk. Home at 7.

26 Aug.

Sun.

M^r & M^{rs} MacNutt called in morning.

At 4.30 the Baroness, MacDougalls & I went for a trip in the car up the Pusterthal valley & back & round by Franzensfester. Coffee at a Gasthaus on the road. For a walk afterwards along the river with Miss Mc. D. & the dogs. Lovely day.

27 Aug.

Mon.

Roland & I walked to the station & the B. Nella & Claude went in the car. Caught the 11.36 train to Klausen, & then on by the little mountain train to St. Ulrich. Took our lunch & ate it on the hillside, then walked in the village. Ran into Col. Courvoisier & Léonie & M^r & M^{rs} Miller (from Rome) who are at Seis. Back by the 3.54

Burton, M. MSS 129

1923

Brixen

train to Klausen where the car was waiting for us. 12 kilometres home. Wire from H. at Bailey's. Lovely day, but rather warm.

28 Aug.

Tues.

Out in morning shopping with the Baroness. After tea went to call on M^{rs} Clarke & Mme. Turri & met them at the P.O. Chilly day & cloudy. Bed early.

29 Aug.

Wed.

Out to P.O. in morning, & in afternoon with the Baroness to the library. Met M^r Carnegie Johnstone & the Miss Brights. Walked with the B. after to the Cloisters & along the river. Had a wire from Harry saying his father died yesterday.

30 Aug.

Thurs.

Out with the Baroness & Roland in the morning. Met Contessa Albertoni. After coffee for a walk to the Vivario with the B. & MacDougalls.

31 Aug.

Fri.

To the Cloisters & St. Clarissa in morning. Met the B. & Miss M. after coffee the MacNutts here, also Contessa

Burton, M. MSS 130

1923

Brixen

Albertoni & Miss Bradstreet. The B. &
I walked back to Elefant with Contessa A.
& her son.

1 Sept.

Sat.

Out shopping, shoes, books, cigarettes &
chocolates. Poured. After lunch the
young Baronne & the 2 boys left
by car for Meran. Fine aft. but cold.
To the M^c D's room after tea. Miss
Bradstreet there, & walk afterwards with
the B., alone, & with Miss M^c D. They in
my room after dinner.

2 Sept.

Sun.

Up course of Rienz in morning. To
tea at the MacNutt's with Miss M^c D.
Motored up with the B. & M^{rs} M^c D.
Mme de Gresti, Baron Stiepel, Mme
Turri & the Duchesse de Richelieu &
another man there. Walked back.
Lovely clear day. Band in evg.

3 Sept.

Mon.

Tea at the Tirolerhof with the M^c Ds &
Mme de Kerbrech & M^r Johnstone. Then
walked to the station with the Baroness.

4 Sept.

Tues.

To P.O. in morning. Met Contessa

Burton, M. MSS 131

1923

Brixen

Albertoni & for a walk with her to the station. The Baroness & MacDougalls left for Meran by car soon after 4. After tea I walked along river bank (Eisack) to distant bridge & back on this side. To the station to meet Harry at 9.30 P.M. but he didn't come.

5 Sept.

Wed.

Up at 6 & to meet 7.5 A.M. train but no H. & again at 11.35. He came this time! We walked back here. At 4 round the town, Dom, Cloisters etc & to tea at the Tirolorhof & then to Library. M^r Carnegie Johnstone & Miss Bradstreet. Also to Banks with Herr Gasser. Then a walk round by the Rienz. Bed early, tired.

6 Sept.

Thurs.

To P.O. to send a wire to the Baroness. Met M^r M^cNutt. H & I caught the 11.35 A.M. to the Brenner to get the Cinema Camera. Took lunch with us in train. Very cold at Brenner. Walked up one hill, & then the other side.

Burton, M. MSS 132

1923

Brixen, Meran

Coffee at the Inn (where Goethe slept)
& back by the 4.40 getting here at
5.45. Nice family in carriage -
Mitchell of Hampstead. Packing in evg.

7 Sept.

Fri.

Packing all morning. Left Gasser 11
A.M. Train 40 minutes late. Arrived
Meran 3.30. The Baroness met us in car
& motored us to Hohenwart, Obermais.
Afterwards with her along the promenade
& she & the MacDougalls had tea with us
at the Kursaal gardens near the band.
Walk after in town. Miss Maude arrived

8 Sept.

Sat.

In the morning H & I to the Gilf
& into the town down the Laubengasse
to the market. Back in train. After
lunched the whole party motored to
Trautmansdorf & all had tea with
us there. For a drive after, & H & I into
town shopping.

9 Sept.

Sun

In morning H & I to Meran. Miss
Maude & Baroness met us & to the
Burg, churches etc. Then to band.

Burton, M. MSS 133

1923

Meran, Florence

After tea the Baroness motored us to the station & we left by the 4.55 train.

Changed at Botzen into the wagon-lit & left at 6.30.

10 Sept.

Mon.

Good night. Arr. Florence 6.15 A.M.

Working all day in house getting things into order.

11 Sept.

Tues.

Working all day. Out in eg. with H. to tappezziere in Piazza Spirito etc. Hot.

12 Sept.

Wed.

To the Allori in morning with purple asters for their grave. H had tea with M^{rs} Newman. Then out with me to Nonini etc. Met Prof. Abetti.

13 Sept.

Thurs.

Harry's birthday. Gave him a pair of Zeiss glasses. Out with him after tea to Cencetti, Bartolozzi, Doney etc. Tappezziere doing sofa cover. Dusted gallery books after lunch.

14 Sept.

Fri.

Dusting books all morning. After tea to Dori & then to M^{rs} Newman. Rained heavily.

15 Sept.

Sat.

With H after tea shopping & to Hotel

Burton, M. MSS 134

1923

Florence

Florence - Washington to ask for Courvoisiers
then walked to Cascine & back.

16 Sept.

Sun.

H & I to tea with M^r Procter. Drove
there & back with Bianchi. M^{rs} Evans,
Normans, Lee Matthews, Lady Bateman,
Grace, Lady Newborough & the Prince
of Georgia, M^r Weldon etc. In
morning with H. to Uffizi.

17 Sept.

Mon.

With H after tea. M^r Bond & Ada
to dinner. Mme Bagnani called.

18 Sept.

Tues.

M^{rs} Evans, Mme Bagnani & M^r
Procter to lunch. Ada to tea. With
H after to fumista, Dori etc.

19 Sept.

Wed.

Miss Sheldon, her niece, & Mme B.
to tea

20 Sept.

Thurs.

With H. in morning. Mme B. to tea.
Miss Bright in. H. & I walked with
Mme B. to her pension. <Mme Nadalini
& her mother to see the flat (?)>

21 Sept.

Fri.

H & I to tea with M^{rs} Kenyon Cox.

Walked up from the Cure. The
Lansings & Fishers there. M^{rs} F. motored
us down. Mme. Bagnani & Ada to dine

Burton, M. MSS 135

1923

Florence

22 Sept.

Out with H morning & afternoon.

23 Sept.

Sun.

2

The Nadalinis came to tea & took the flat for the winter. Ada to tea too. With H. after tea.

23/<4> Sept.

Shopping with H. after tea. Ada to dine.

24/<5> Sept.

With H after tea. Berardi. Miss
<Minasi called in the morning. >

26 Sept.

Wed.

To Brogi to look at carpets with H. etc.
Post office, Ginori <in morning >. Tappezziere here last few days making covers. Working in box room in afternoon. H & I to tea with the Scotts. Col & M^{rs} Payson, M^r Bond & M^r Ashburner. To buy hooks after & then home. Ada to dine.

27 Sept.

Thurs.

Miss & Miss Fisher, the Wilkins & daughter.
Miss Koon & Mme Hoeltzke to tea. Also
Mme Courvoisier.

28 Sept.

Fri.

Out with H in morning & bought a blotter for Lady Evelyn's wedding. To tea with M^r Bond. Mme Tassinari, the Godfrey Pearces & Miss Hutton.
Called on M^{rs} Clarke at the Italie

afterwards.

Burton, M. MSS 136

1923

Florence

29 Sept.

Sat.

Miss Minasi to tea. Then shopping
with H. & to Ada's.

30 Sept.

Sun.

Moving bed. We lunched with the
Courvoisiers' at Hotel Washington. After
tea to the de Robecks. Ada dined here.

1 Oct.

Mon.

To Papi in the morning. In afternoon
with H. shopping.

2 Oct.

Tues.

H. & I to the Allori in morning.
After tea to Dori, Cook's (Miss Good)
Bartolozzi etc & Ada's. Bad headache.
Giani redid the gallery & made an
awful mess.

3 Oct.

Wed.

Helping to put gallery right. After tea
with H. to Falcini etc. H. had tea with
M^{rs} Newman. Ada to dinner.

4 Oct.

Thurs.

Lunch at R. & with Harry to station
to see him off by the 1.26 to Rome. Train
12 minutes late. Ada there too &
walked back with me. To Peyron. <Forca here> After
tea to Casini & walked back. Anglo-
American Stores etc. Ada to dinner.

5 Oct.

Fri.

Maria Pasqui here in morning. Then
to Ciani the Magliaia. Poured with

Burton, M. MSS 137

1923

Florence

rain all the afternoon, thunder & lightening
& no electric light. Cleared up about 7.

6 Oct.

Sat.

To Dentist (D^r Simmonds) in morning
but he had forgotten my appointment. To
Macquay's for M^{rs} Clarke's address. Met
Juliet Grimwood. Then to Bella &
Office, & to M^{rs} Newman with grapes &
yellow crocusses. After tea to Papi
for a fitting. Dusting books after
lunch. P.C. from H from Rome in evg..

7 Oct.

Not out all day. Working in box room etc.

8 Oct.

Mon.

To Ada's in morning, then took books
back to M^r Procter, Dori, Falcini, fruit,
& to enquire for M^{rs} Newman. Putting
away H's things & paper in drawers.
After tea to Maria at Haskard's & to
Via Cavour about bead bag. Back to
Maria, Doney's & home. Rained. Ada
here to dinner. Letter from H. in morning
from Brindisi & P.C. in evg. from boat.

9 Oct.

Tues.

Dusting books in drawing room
morning & after lunch. After tea to

Burton, M. MSS 138

1923

Florence

Sbisà & for bag for Edwina. Fine day.

11 Oct.

Thurs.

In morning with Tilde & Miss Amherst's parcel to the Uffizi. Miss Richardson there. Then to Post Office. Flower market. Before tea to Pitti Post Office & tea at Ada's. Miss Dougall & M^{rs} Gilbertson. Ada & Miss Dougall dined here.

12 Oct.

Fri.

To Papi, & magliaia in morning. Not out all aft & finishing books, & dusting bottles in old kitchen. Léonie rang me up. Warm day. My bottle leaked last night & I had to change mattresses.

13 Oct.

Sat.

In morning to Bank, for linoleum, & to Magliaia. Gardening after lunch. Fosca after tea. Also Nesta.

14 Oct.

Sun.

To Giorgi & Digerini in morning. The Courvoisiers, Mme. & Léonie, & Baroness de Kerbrech & Isabel M^{rs} D. to tea. Later M^r Bond. <Terrific storm in morning. >

15 Oct.

Mon.

Letter from H. To Cook's about my sleeping car ticket. Pitti P.O. Inquire

Burton, M. MSS 139

1923

Florence

for M^{rs} Newman, with spirit-lamp stopper. Giorgi. Warm. Fumista on roof. The Clapps to tea. To Ada's in morning.

16 Oct.

Tues.

To Bank in morning to see Berti, then Cook about excess fare, then to Papi. Letter with Egyptian money from H. & another letter later. After tea to Pia[?] Ancora, Dori, Seeber, & Bella.

17 Oct.

Wed.

To tea with Miss Ryerson. Miss Frost, Lady Murray, the Courvoisiers & the Nuns. To Papi in morning.
< Miss Whittuck called.>

19 Oct.

Fri.

To P.O., seedman, magliaia in morning. Writing inventory all the aft. After tea to Ciani & then for Tilde & to the Courvoisiers. Miss Young called.

20 Oct.

Sat.

Léonie here in morning. Then to Cook's & to buy stuff for cushions. To milliner & Catastini. To tea with Mme Hoeltzke. The Rathbones, Miss Mansfield etc. Then to magliaia. M^{rs} Godfrey Pearce & M^r Allen called while I was out.

Burton, M. MSS 140

1923

Florence

21 Oct.

Sun.

To tea with M^{rs} Pearse at Doney's. Then to see M^r Allan (Hotel da la Ville) out, & to M^{rs} Crowninshield.

22 Oct.

Mon.

Mamma's birthday. To the Allori in morning with chrysanthemums. Then to see M^{rs} Newman. Not out after. Signor Bicchi to see me about his son.

23 Oct.

Tues.

To Cook's, Bella & Papa/<i>, Corsani in morning. Met M^r Procter. To tea with M^{rs} Willis & Miss Mackern. M^{rs} Reddie there. Then for cigarettes. Fosca in afternoon. Warm. &[?]

25-/<4> Oct.

M^r Allan dined here.

25 Oct.

Ada dined here. Very hot day.

26 Oct.

Fri.

To P.O. in morning, & bought scarf. Met M^r Dearbergh. To Palazza Antinori at 4. & M^{rs} Godfrey Pearse, M^{rs} Mason-Jones, M^{rs} Crowninshield & M^r Allan had tea with me. Walked afterwards as far as the Cascine with M^r Allan. Hot day.

27 Oct.

Sat.

To lunch with the de Robecks, & then

on to see the Dick-Lauders. Back here

Burton, M. MSS 141

1923

Florence

for tea. Ada here. Then with her to leave notes for M^{rs} Crowninshield & M^r Allan & as far as the Gellatlys. Rained a little after lunch, & again after dinner.

28 Oct.

Sun.

Signor Nadalini to tea. Dined with M^{rs} Mason Jones. M^{rs} Crowninshield.

29 Oct.

Mon.

To Haskard's bank in morning. M^r Prim. Met the Waltons. Fantecchi. M^r Allan for me at 2.30 & for Nesta at Miss Davis'. Then motored to San Clemente & back by Sieci. Lovely day & drive. Tea on top of hill near San Clementi, in thermos. Back at 6 & to see the Butties at Hotel d'Italie. M^{rs} Coppinger. Ada to dine. Mussolini arrived <at 9.> & city en fête, & rockets from San Giorgio. Romiti[?] in morning to move plants.

30 Oct.

Tues.

To Bank, about Harry's rubber gloves & cigarette holder. Fantecchi in morning. M^{rs} Mason-Jones called in aft. hot out, packing. The Nadalini's things arrived.

Burton, M. MSS 142

1923

Florence, Rome

31 Oct.

Wed.

To the Allori in morning with chrysanthemums, & bought 2 large pots of deep rose ones to go on either side of the stone. The facchino came at 1.30 & roped & sealed the boxes & took them away. Very busy all day.

1 Nov.

Thurs.

Up before 7. & left the house at 9. Took Tilde to station. When we got there we were told there was no train at 10, so I went to Ada's. Met her on the way to station. To Centrale to send wire to the Bagnanis, & to Cook's. Met M^{rs} Tiffany. Lunch with Ada at 12. & to station to catch 1.25 train. Very crowded, but got corner seat. Arr. Rome 7.25 (½ hour late). Looked for Bagnanis, but couldn't find them so to the Brindisi train & put my things in. Then to buffet where I found the Bagnanis & had dinner with them. Back to my train & left at 8.30. Great crowds of troops &

Burton, M. MSS 143

1923

Brindisi, SS. Helouan

Fascisti at the station disbanding after the Marcia su Roma festivities & no one but travellers allowed on platform. Had my sleeper to myself.

2 Nov.

Fri.

The Conductor brought me caffè latte at Bari. Saw the Stirlings on train, I think. They got off at Bari. Arr. Brindisi 12. To hotel & had lunch & spent rest of day writing up letters, & walked to station to post them before 6. Lovely day.

3 Nov.

Sat.

Poured all morning. Lunch at hotel, & went on board about 1. The Firths on board, & Mme de Cramer & Signor Adamoli, M^r Kingsford. Lot of Sudan officials. Sailed at 3 in floods of rain. Had tea, & unpacked. Began to be rough & was sick. However went to dinner. Hardly anybody in dining saloon & I was the only woman. Sat next a young American. Bed early, & slept

Burton, M. MSS 144

1923

SS. Helouan, Cairo

well. Spent most of day on upper deck. Fine day & calmer. Sat with the Firths at meals.

4 Nov.

Sun.

Calm & hot. On upper deck all day. Cabin 70, single-de-luxe.

5 Nov.

Mon.

Arrived late. 5 P.M. Head wind all the way. First through passport office. Got Continental man to take charge of my luggage & through to train to take seats. Then back to custom house. Started at 8, & had dinner at once, with Firths. Arrived Cairo 11.20 & to hotel Continental. Cup of caffè au lait & to bed at 12.

6 Nov.

Tues.

Up late & breakfast at 10. M^r & M^{rs} Merton, M^r Percy White etc. To bank, but closed at 12, & shopping. Saw Diana Phillips. Lunch at 1.30 & had the Archers & M^r Fraser to lunch. M^r Balchin to call in morning. After lunch,

Burton, M. MSS 145

1923

Luxor

Bank & shopping again. Tea, & then to see the Contessa. My boxes left at 6, & with M^{rs} Merton & M^{rs} Crabitees until I left at 7. M^r Slater came to see me off & gave me a sleeping compartment to myself, but a M^{rs} /<Lady >Russell (Sudan) got in at Wasta & if I hadn't given her my spare bed she would have had to sit up all night in the dining car.

7 Nov.

Wed.

Arrived Luxor about 8.30 A.M. Harry met me. M^r Mellin & M^r Hamilton Grierson on train. H & I to Luxor Hotel for breakfast & then across river. Found the Winlocks, M^r Hauser & M^r Wilkinson installed. Unpacking. Very hot & tired. 87°. M^r L. Smith to lunch

8 Nov.

Thurs.

Couldn't sleep for the heat. 89°. Busy all morning putting things away. ~~M^r Lyndon Smith to lunch.~~ M^r Callender to tea. Hot out all day.

Burton, M. MSS 146

1923

Luxor

After tea <on Wed < hi rend="underline">not Thursday.> we all went out on the new motor presented to the Expedition by M^r Blumenthal - a sort of omnibus, which carries 10 people. Up to the Valley of the Kings. 90°

9 Nov.

Fri.

Harry & I motored over to <Der el> Medinet to the tomb of Apui. Very hot on hillside. M^{rs} Winlock, Frances H & I walked round Der-el-Bahari after tea. About 90°.

10 Nov.

Sat.

90°. After tea H & I walked to M^r Carter's house (he in Cairo) to see M^r Callender. M^{rs} Davies called at tea.

11 Nov.

Sun.

M^r Lyndon Smith to tea, & M^{rs} Brunton arrived (to stay) soon after. H & I went to feed the old dog after tea & then by Der el Bahari to see the Davieses. Very hot.

12 Nov.

Mon.

M^r Winlock left for Cairo. They all motored to river with him. H. & I to feed dog & for walk by cultivation.

Burton, M. MSS 147

1923

Luxor

13 Nov.

Tues.

Out with Harry snapshotting in cultivation from 2.30 to 4, also Ramesseum. After tea in bus with M^r Hauser & M^{rs} W. to Medinet Habu.

14 Nov.

Wed.

Electricians in drawing room all day. M^r Mace arrived from Cairo in morning & back again to Cairo with M^r C. in evg. M^r Lyndon Smith to lunch. After tea H & I to feed dog on hill & walk round Der-el-Bahari. Cooler. After dinner we all sat in dining room. Letters from Tilde & Ada & Aunt Lisa.

15 Nov.

Thurs.

H & I in bus to Medinet Habu in morning. Electricians in dining room, & we are feeding in dismantled drawing room. After tea H & I with others in bus as far as M^r Callender's & walked back, M^r C. coming part of the way. Much cooler.

16 Nov.

Fri.

H. to Tombs of Kings in morning & lunched with M^r Callender. M^r Callender here for tea & we walked back with him. M^{rs} Brunton left for Luxor.

Burton, M. MSS 148

1923

Luxor

17 Nov.

Sat.

M^r Mace came back from Cairo. Also
M^r Carter. M^{rs} W. laid up.

18 Nov.

Sun.

M^r Winlock came back from Cairo.
M^{rs} Winlock laid up. H & I in car
to Medinet Habu after lunch. Took
Frances. Not out again.

19 Nov.

Mon.

H. over to the Valley with M^r Mace
as usual, for lunch also. In morning
I went in bus with M^r Winlock,
M^r Hauser & Frances to Luxor. M^{rs}
W. better & up.

20 Nov.

Tues.

H. all day at Valley. Walk with me
after tea. The others, except M^r W.,
went to Luxor. Drawing room all to pieces

21 Nov.

Walk with H. after tea.

22 Nov.

Thurs.

Ahmed arrived. After tea walked
over Cliffs to Valley by moonlight.

23 Nov.

Fri.

Scirocco & had splitting headache.
Invitation to dinner from M^r Carter
& Harry furious because I declined.
Walked alone.

24 Nov.

Sat.

The Bruntons to tea. Walked round

Der el Bahari before tea. H. dined with M^r C.

Burton, M. MSS 149

1923

Luxor, Winter Palace

26 Nov.

Mon.

With H. after tea to see the Davies' & their new building.

27 Nov.

Tues.

H & I & M^r Mace to Luxor in bus at 11. Lunched at the Merton's table. To Indian shops about Miss Buttles' shawl. Tea at Winter Palace, & back with Winlocks, M^r Hauser, M^r Wilb. Very stormy, & rough crossing the Nile.

28 Nov.

Wed.

Electricians in my room, so went to Luxor to stay until they finish. Left here 9.30 A.M. in bus. Lunched with M^{rs} Merton. Room 26 with bathroom. M^r Engelbach to tea, & afterwards M^{rs} M. & I drove out to see M^{rs} E. Joan laid up. Miss Verbruck in.

29 Nov.

Thurs.

Lunch with M^{rs} M. She seedy & went to bed.

30 Nov.

Fri.

M^{rs} M. in bed & backwards & forwards to her room. Also to see Miss V. who is seedy. After tea. Dined with M^r Merton & M^r Bethell.

Burton, M. MSS 150

1923

Luxor

1 Dec.

Sat.

Miss Verbruck round in morning.
Talking to D^r Worthington. M^{rs} Merton
still in bed. Left Winter Palace at
3, & back in bus. Out after tea with
H. white washing in passage going
on. Headache & neckache.

2 Dec.

Sun.

Workmen relaying tiles in bathroom
& white washing. Walk with H. after tea.
Dusted books in drawing room &
washed ginger jars. <Rheumatism in
neck. Motor engine started at 11 A.M.>

3 Dec.

Mon.

Dusted books in my room. Motor
engine going all night. (40 hours)
Still neck & headache. Out with
H. after tea which I had in his room
because M^r C. came. He came again
after dinner.

4 Dec.

Tues.

Motor engine stopped at 3 A.M.
Two ladies called. M^{rs} W. M^{rs} D. &
M^r Mace to Luxor for tea. H. & I for
a walk. Electric lamps turned on
in our rooms, verandahs, kitchen
quarters, but not in drawing or
dining rooms.

Burton, M. MSS 151

1923

Luxor

6 Dec.

Thurs.

M^{rs} Engelbach, Joan & Paddy to spend the day. We took them for a drive in the bus after lunch to the Tombs of the Kings. Walk after tea with Harry. Electric light in drawing room last night. Great success.

7 Dec.

Fri.

Ironing all the morning. M^r Morice & his sisters in law, the Miss Grants to tea. Walk with H.

8 Dec.

Sat.

M^{rs} W., Frances & I to Luxor after lunch in the bus. to call on M^{rs} Newberry. Tea with her & Miss Moss. Saw Mrd Merton & Miss Frick.

9 Dec.

Sun.

M^{rs} Merton & Miss Verbuck here to lunch & tea. Frances' birthday. Gave her a silver & enamel "Fatma's hand" pendant. Books from M^r Allan.

10 Dec.

Mon.

The Newberrys & Miss Moss arrived about 10.30 A.M. After lunch with them & M^{rs} W. & Frances to Der el Bahari until tea time. Walk after with Harry.

Burton, M. MSS 152

1923

Luxor

11 Dec.

Tues.

H & I to Luxor in bus at 11. The Courvoisiers met us, & round Winter Palace garden with them. Lunched with M^r Morice & the Miss Grants. After lunch to Luxor Hotel to see the Contessa, but she was too seedy to see us. Took the Courvoisiers back to W.P. tennis court & introduced them to M^r Morice etc. M^{rs} Kelly. Then to the "Sudan" to call on the Despards (M^{rs} Manson Smith's friends) & had tea with them. Also D^r Phillips & Diana. M^r Mace & the Newberrys came over at 2. M^r Mace back with us in bus at 5.30.

12 Dec.

Wed.

M^r & M^{rs} Lythgoe, M^r & M^{rs} Harkness & the valet arrived soon after breakfast. Miss Stillman & Catherine the maid came later & went back before dinner. M^r & M^{rs} Despard. D^r Phillips & Diana to tea with me. After dinner the Davies, M^r Wilkinson

Burton, M. MSS 153

1923

Luxor

& D^r Alan Gardiner came in. D^r
Gardiner staying with the Davieses.
Walk with Harry after tea.

13 Dec.

Thurs.

Miss Stillman over to lunch. M^r
Carter to tea.

15 Dec.

Sat.

Very seedy all day. Walk with H
after tea. M^r Carter to dinner.

16 Dec.

Sun.

M^{rs} Harkness spent the day in Luxor.
M^r Engelbach to lunch. M^{rs} Winlock
heard of the death of her old nurse.

18 Dec.

Tues.

Miss Stillman to lunch, & she &
M^{rs} Harkness & Harry & I over to
Luxor at 3. M^r Hauser part of
the way. Had tea with the Contessa
at the Luxor. <M^{rs} Harkness stayed in
Luxor.>

19 Dec.

Wed.

Harry here all day as M^r Carter
left for Cairo last night. I went
over to Luxor alone in bus at 11.
H. in Valley all morning with M^r
Lythgoe. I lunched with Miss S. &
M^{rs} Harkness at Winter Palace. Talking
to Morice & Grants, M^{rs} Kelly, M^r
Newberry. D^r Worthington, M^r Bethell

Burton, M. MSS 154

1923

Luxor

Miss Parrott, Despard, M^r Merton
Frances over with Ellis after lunch
& with me to Bank, Gaddes &
Luxor Hotel for flowers. M^{rs} Harkness,
Frances, Ellis, & I <(left)> back at 4.

20 Dec.

Thurs.

M^{rs} Harkness in bed all day. Looking
after her. M^r & M^{rs} Mace & Margaret
arrived in morning. Harry at home.
M^r & M^{rs} Parrott to tea early. <We
all, except Maces, motored to Medinet Habu to see it by moonlight.>

21 Dec.

Fri.

H. to Valley. To tea the Courvoisiers
Miss Payne, M^r Carter, D^r Toole,
D^r Walker, M^{rs} Merton, Miss Stillman

22 Dec.

Sat.

Ironing in morning. M^r Engelbach &
M^r Newberry <& Miss Stillman & M^{rs} Merton> to lunch. Afterwards with
Stillman to Der el Bahari where the
Grants joined us. The Harknesses &
Lythgoes, Miss S. & M^{rs} Merton to tea
at the Davies'. M^{rs} Winlock to Luxor
& I had M^{rs} & the 2 Miss Grants
& Miss Johnson to tea. After tea
with Harry for a walk. Lovely moon.

23 Dec.

Sun.

Cold wind all day. The Lythgoes &
Harknesses to Luxor for lunch. Back for

Burton, M. MSS 155

1923

Luxor

tea. Stores arrived. M^r Carter for tea.
H & I for a walk after. Bitter wind <63°>. M^{rs}
H. staying in Luxor for the night.

24 Dec.

Mon.

To Luxor after lunch with Ellis in the
black car. Met M^{rs} H. & Miss S. on their
way back. To see the Contessa. Then to
Winter Palace & had tea with the Newberrys.
Lounge very full. Mertons, Mellins,
M^{rs} Granville, Bishop Bury etc. etc.
Christmas carols & Father Xmas &
Xmas Tree. Engelbachs. Crossed the
river with ~~the~~ /< M^{rs}> Winlock & F. & M^{rs}
Mace & Margaret.

25 Dec.

Tues.

Xmas Day. Busy all day. With Harry
& Miss Stillman up the Gurn after
breakfast, & back for 1 o'clock lunch.
M^r Seager & M. de Bildt for tea.
Arranging Xmas tree between lunch
& tea. Had all the candles going
for tea. M^r Carter & M^r ~~Cale~~ /< Luc> as for
dinner, also M^r Wilkinson. 17
at dinner, counting the children.

Burton, M. MSS 156

1923

Luxor

Gave Frances a Tyrolese dress <in> which she looked very well, & Margaret a necklace. Ellis dressed up as a suffragi & took us all in. Games after & to bed at 1.

26 Dec.

Wed.

Edwin Samuel called at lunch time. At 3 with Stillman & rode to the Valley, walked up to the top & had a picnic tea there with the Harknesses, Lythgoes, Harry joined us later. Ellis doing the tea. M^{rs} Winlock lunched at Luxor.

27 Dec.

Thurs.

Sir Herbert & Lady Samuel to lunch. Afterwards M^r & M^{rs} Edwin Samuel, Ruth Franklin, M. de Bilat, Herr Jaeger (Danish Judge) & Herr Beckmann (Norwegian Consul-Genl). The Courvoisiers, D^r Walker & D^r Toole to tea. Miss Stillman & Samuel party < went in bus to Luxor.>

28 Dec.

Fri.

Harry taking off roof of shrine. M^{rs} Granville & Miss Thurstan to tea. Walk with Harry after.

Burton, M. MSS 157

1923-4

Luxor

29 Dec.

Sat.

Helping M^{rs} Lythgoe to dismantle
Xmas Tree. Putting photos in album.
Miss Stillman to tea, also M^r Seager
M^r M^c Clenaghan & M^r Carter.

30 Dec.

Sun.

Out donkey riding with M^{rs} Lythgoe
& the children in morning to
Medinet Habu. Riding again in aft.
with M^{rs} Harkness to Tombs of Queens.
round by Cathedral. Mah-Jongh after
dinner.

31 Dec.

Mon.

My birthday. Riding after lunch with
M^{rs} Mace & children. The Courvoisiers,
M^{lle} Werbrouck, M^{rs} Fowler, Miss
M^c Ilvane, M^r Seager, M^{rs} Merton
to tea & Miss Stillman to stay. M^r
Carter to dinner. Miss Carpenter to lunch.

1 Jan.

Tues.

To Luxor in the bus. We lunched at
the Merton's table. Also Capt. Bethell.
After lunch to M^{rs} Merton's room about
commissions in Cairo. Miss Brown,
the nurse. To tea with the Contessa
at the Luxor Hotel garden. The Winlocks

Burton, M. MSS 158

1924

Luxor

M^r Carter, D^r Dobbin & Mme Neguib.

~~The~~ D^r. D. here in morning &
over with us & Winlocks in bus.
Back with Maces & Winlocks.

<?> **4 Jan.**

Fri.

Prof. & M^{rs} Munroe Smith & young
Henry Crabitès to lunch. Afterwards, M^{rs}
Lythgoe, M^{rs} W & Frances, M^{rs} M. & Margaret,
M^{rs} Harkness & Miss Stillman, M^r Hauser
& myself to the Valley to see the inner
shrines & sarcophagus. Also to Seti
II to see statue. M^{rs} Harkness & I
rode back. Miss S. & M^r Seager to tea?

<?> **5 Jan.**

Sat.

Judge & M^{rs} Cator & M^{rs} Wilfred Jennings
Bramley to tea

<?> **6 Jan.**

Sun.

Miss Stillman, M^r Seager & M^{rs} Schuyler
to tea ? M^{rs} Lythgoe & I out riding
in morning. At the back of
Medinet Habu. Walk round Der el
Bahari with M^{rs} Lythgoe after tea &
again by Pylon with H.

7 Jan.

Mon.

Washed my hair. Miss Grant in
morning. Henry Crabites to lunch.

Burton, M. MSS 159

1924

Luxor

After lunch M^r & M^{rs} Severance & D^r & M^{rs} Barlow & Newberrys & Miss Moss. Latter to tea also young Crabitès. Mrs Harkness back from Luxor where she spent the night. After tea H & I to Der Bahari & Bab el Hassan. Davies had the light on for the first time.

8 Jan.

Tues

H & I with M^r Harkness & M^r Winlock to Luxor in morning in black car. H & I lunched with M^r Newberry & Miss Moss. M^{rs} N. laid up with bad headache. Talking to M^{rs} Topcliffe. After lunch to call on the Severances & Barlows on board the Seti. Then to tea with the Contessa. M^r Allan & Prof. Lafleur. Talking also to M^r Seager, M^r Hotham & M^r Laucke, & D^r Worthington, Miss Brown & M^r Merton. Cold windy day.

9 Jan.

Wed.

Out with Mrs Harkness in morning to Nakht, Ramose & Kha emhat & then riding round Ramesseum & cultivation. Visitors: Miss Stillman

Burton, M. MSS 160

1924

Luxor

& M^r Seager to lunch, M^r White, M^r Hicks, M^r Barclay Smith, Miss Richardson Prof Speleers & his wife (from Brussels) 2 men from M^r Reddie etc. After to see the children's "Tombs". M^{rs} Lythgoe went to Luxor to spend the night.

10 Jan.

Thurs.

M^{rs} Harkness, M^r Winlock, the children & I to Luxor in the hedbert for a short time in aft. To the Contessa, but laid up. Saw the Gordon Clays, & niece, & 2 men. Found M^r Carter here at tea. <Foulkes to lunch. Davieses to dinner.>

11 Jan.

Fri.

Riding with M^{rs} L. in morning to Der-el-Bahari & round cultivation. Miss M^c Ilvane & party at Temple. Miss S. & M^r Seager to lunch <& tea.> Miss Carpenter after. Walk with H after tea.

12 Jan.

Sat.

M^r Seager & M^r Newberry to lunch. M^r Hotham & M^r Laucke to tea. Also M^r & M^{rs} MacNaughten, Miss Roberts, Miss

Burton, M. MSS 161

1924

Luxor

Mackenzie & M^r Seager. Walk with H. after.
Cold wind.

13 Jan.

Sun.

Very bad night. Motor engine running till 1. Rode up to works at 3 with M^{rs} Harkness to see Hatshepsut foundation deposit - broken pottery & baskets etc. Then back for tea. Major & Lady Violet Astor, M^r & M^{rs} Grant (Managing Director of the Times) & Capt Shaw. Walk with H after. M^r Carter to tea after the Astors.

14 Jan.

Mon.

D^r Aldrich arrived. M^r Seager here to lunch. Rode to river bank to meet M^{rs} Lythgoe & M^{rs} W. & back with them in black car. Mah-Jongg after dinner. M^r Carter to dinner.

15 Jan.

Tues.

To works to see some more foundation deposit brought out. H & I to Luxor in bus, with Maces, M^{rs} W. & Frances. Lunched with M^r Allan & Prof. Lafleur. Talking to M^{rs} Scott & M^{rs} Topliffe. M^r Allan, Prof. Lafleur & Contessa had tea with us on Terrace & the Dearbergs joined

Burton, M. MSS 162

1924

Luxor

us. also Newberrys & Miss Stillman & M^r Seager. Lovely day, but slightly chilly. Back with the Davieses in bus. After lunch H & I to cemetery with M^r Allan to arrange about Travers' grave.

16 Jan.

Wed.

Had letter from Miss Young saying M^{rs} Newman "suddenly & peacefully breathed her last on Jan 5th".

M^r & M^{rs} Ewart to lunch. M^r & M^{rs} Andrews & the Dearberghs in after. Walk with H. after tea round cultivation.

17 Jan.

Thurs.

M^r Ewart left after breakfast to join boat party to Tombs of Kings, & M^{rs} E went with Ellis before lunch. M^r Lythgoe & M^r Harkness went to Cairo last night, & M^{rs} Harkness to Luxor.

18 Jan.

Fri

H working here all day. Walk with him after tea. Met the Alan Gardiners with M^{rs} Davies. Mah-Jongg after dinner

19 Jan.

Sat.

M^r Harkness & M^r Lythgoe back from Cairo after breakfast. M^{rs} Harkness back

Burton, M. MSS 163

1924

Luxor

for lunch, & D^r & M^{rs} Scott here for lunch.

20 Jan.

Sun.

Miss Stillman & D^r Aldrich to lunch
& tea. M^r L. & M^r H. lunched at the
Valley. Prince Arthur of Connaught over
there. Walk with H. after tea. <Ride with
M^{rs} L. in morning.>

21 Jan.

Mon.

Prince A of C. on our dig this morning.
The Alan Gardiners to lunch, & afterwards
M^r & M^{rs} Robert Mond & M^{lle} de Buck.
Ride with M^{rs} L. before tea & walk
with H after by cultivation & Ramesseum.

22 Jan.

Tues.

M^r Harkness' birthday (50). After
waiting 1½ hours for bus (Bayumi at
river bank waiting for the electrician)
H & I went over in the Harkness' car.
Arr. ¼ hour late for lunch with M^{rs}
Topliffe & M^{rs} Scott. D^r Aldrich joined
us. Left at 2.30 to come back
for fantasia in honour of M^r H's
birthday. Tent rigged up outside
opposite east wing, musicians, galla-
galla men, races, single-stick &
dancing from 3 P.M. till about 11.

Burton, M. MSS 164

1924

Luxor

M^r & M^{rs} Mond & Mlle de Buck to tea, M^r Carter, Davieses, Alan Gardiners, the Omdeh etc. We had an Arab dinner.

23 Jan.

Wed.

To river bank with Ellis in morning & sat in the car while he went to Luxor. Snapshotting the Contessa, M^r Allan & Prof. Lafleur Policeman, etc. The Contessa, M^r Allan, Lafleur & a lot of American women to tea. Walk with H. after to Ramesseum & Haj. Dichi.

24 Jan.

Thurs.

M^{rs} Armstrong & D^r Aldrich to lunch. Walked them & M^{rs} Harkness up to works & to Mehenkweatrē after. Walk with H. after tea.

25 Jan.

Fri.

Out riding after lunch with M^{rs} Gardiner to Tombs of Queens. M^r & M^{rs} Tommy Russell to lunch. M^r & M^{rs} Hemsley Johnstone to tea (friends of M^{rs} Manson Smith). Walk with H. to works. Mah-Jongg after dinner. Fire in dining room. Very cold in morn.

Burton, M. MSS 165

1924

Luxor

29 Jan.

Sat/<Tu>es.

H. & I to Luxor with M^{rs} H. in their car. Very cold day. To Mohassib's etc. Lunched with M^r Allan & Prof. Lafleur, & had tea with them. Bought amythists at Mohassib's. Back with M^r Hauser & M^r Wilkinson in the bus.

30 Jan.

Wed.

After lunch we all went over to the Valley to see M^r Carter unwrapping Tutankhamen's walking sticks. The Davies, Gardiners, Newberrys & Scotts there, also Charles Breasted, as well as our household. Walked back over the cliffs. Cold day 53° but lovely.

31 Jan.

Thurs.

M^{rs} Lythgoe & M^{rs} Harkness left at 8.15 <A.M.> to go to Asswan by the H's dahabiyah, the Chonsu. Walk with H after tea & then in the hedbert with the Winlocks. M^r W. learning to drive.

1 Feb.

Fri.

M^r Winlock's birthday - 40. Cake with candles at lunch. M^r Carter at tea. Afterwards the children did a play. Walk with H.

Burton, M. MSS 166

1924

Luxor

2 Feb.

Sat.

Cold wind all day. Miss Carpenter called but wouldn't come in. Walk round cultivation with H. after tea.

3 Feb.

Sun

? Miss Pritchard & 2 girls to lunch.

5 Feb.

Tues.

Engaged to lunch with the Dearberghs but had to throw them over as M^r Harkness decided upon a day on the River: The boat came back last night with M^{rs} H & M^{rs} L, Miss S. & D^r A. We all left here at 9 A.M. in the Georges & hedbert for the shore, & the boat (Khonsu) started at 10. Lovely boat. Brilliant day but very cold wind. Lunch on board, & arrived at Gebel Ain at 2.30. An hour there, during which we climbed the hill to the old Fort & Sheikh's tomb. Tea on board at 4.30 & arrived at Luxor at 6.30. M^{rs} H. & M^{rs} L. remained on board.

Burton, M. MSS 167

1924

Luxor

6 Feb.

Wed.

M^r H. & M^r L. left to join the others
on board the Chonsu to go to Denderah.

M^{rs} & Miss Wild & Miss Snelling to
lunch. Heard from Aunt Lisa that
Aunt Mary had fallen & had
broken her hip. She was taken to
Steven's hospital in an ambulance
& X-rayed

<

7 Feb.

With M^{rs} W. & M^{rs} Mace to Luxor for an hour.

>

8 Feb.

Fri

M^r Harkness & M^r Lythgoe <M^r Allan.> back for
lunch & M^{rs} L. back later on.

10 Su/<Feb.>

Sun.

M^{rs} W. M^{rs} Mace, the children, M^r H &
I <& M^{rs} Davies.> on board the Khonsu & steamed
down the river & back from about
10. A.M. till 4 P.M. Lunch & tea
on board. Lovely day. Harry told
me Professor Lafleur died last night
at 11.

11 Feb.

Mon.

I went over to Luxor early with M^r
H. & M^r L. to see M^r Allan. He was
out. Talking to Capt Shaw & M^{rs} Merton.
M^r Allan came in later. Had lunch
with him and a cousin of Professor

Burton, M. MSS 168

1924

Luxor

Lafleur, M. de Vosrn, Military attaché (French) at Tokio, passing through Egypt on his way to Paris. Heard all about the poor old Professor's death (64). He was buried yesterday at 3. M^{rs} L. came over soon after 3 & I went back then & found Miss Winlock & Ellis waiting for me on the bank. M^r Carter to dinner. Walked round Der el Bahari with M^{rs} Harkness.

12 Feb.

Tues.

M^{rs} Winlock & I went over to Luxor in the bus at 11. I lunched with the Dearberghs. M^r & M^{rs} Howland. Afterwards with M^{rs} Merton, M^r Allan. M^r Fanshaw, M^{rs} Armstrong etc. Back at 3.15 with M^{rs} W. & M^{rs} Harkness. Harry couldn't come because of the opening of the sarcophagus.

13 Feb

Wed.

We were all to have gone over today at 3 to see the open sarcophagus.

Burton, M. MSS 169

1924

Luxor

but M^r Carter sent word that the Government had telegraphed that the wives of the collaborators were not to be permitted entry. M^r Carter over at breakfast. He & M^r Mace & M^r Lythgoe to Luxor. Everybody furious at this last & culminating insult from the Government. M^r Carter closed the Tomb. M^{rs} Armstrong & Miss Stillman to tea. After tea the Lythgoes & Harknesses left for the boat. Harry & I up to the works. Hot day, & very windy in evening.

14 Feb.

To works with H. after tea.

15 Feb.

Fri.

In morning received M^r & M^{rs} Kip, Miss Herren, M^{rs} Robinson & M^r Robbins. Later on for tea, M^r & M^{rs} Cary, Miss Carpenter, M^{rs} Dearbergh M^r & M^{rs} Howland, M^r Mond & Monsieur Foucart. Walk with H after tea. The Davieses & M^r W. in after dinner The Chonsu still at Luxor.

Burton, M. MSS 170

1924

Luxor

16 Feb.

Sat.

With Harry in morning to Genamon.
D^r Breasted & Charles to lunch. The
Chonsu left in morning. Walk alone
after tea. H tired. M^r Carter here.

17 Feb.

Sun.

M^r Mond in morning. M^{rs}
Armstrong to lunch. Papers full of
the Carter affair. Very hot. 77.
Walk with H after tea. <Miss Deys & Miss
Wolflin to tea.>

18 Feb.

Mon.

In bus to river bank after lunch with
M^{rs} W. to fetch M^{rs} Mace & 2 friends.

19 Feb.

Tues.

H. & I in bus to Luxor with M^{rs} Mace
& M. M^{rs} Winlock & Frances & M^{rs}
Alan Gardiner. M^{rs} G. returned.
To Mohassib to pay bill for beads.
Then to Luxor Hotel to call on Helen
Rottenburg & the Rider Haggards.
Lunched with M^r Allan & tea.
Talking to the Burgess', M^{rs}
Scott, M^r Bethel, Newberrys, M^{rs}
Armstrong etc. Back with H alone
at 5.30. & walk after. Hot day.

20 Feb.

M^{rs} Merton to lunch. 82°. Eclipse

Burton, M. MSS 171

1924

Luxor

of the moon. 6.30 to 7.

21 Feb.

Thurs.

M^r & M^{rs} Hanauer & 2 friends called
after lunch. M. Baraize to lunch. M^r
& M^{rs} Kip & Miss M^{rs} Carthy afterwards.
Hot day. 83°.

22 Feb.

Fri.

Margaret Mace's birthday (11). Gave
her elephant tail mounted in gold
bangle. M^{rs} Engelbach, Joan & Paddy,
& M^{rs} M^{rs} Clanaghan, Frank & Grant
to lunch & tea. Round cultivation with H.

23 Feb.

Sat.

Sir Rider Haggard & Miss Haggard,
Miss Rottenburgh & M^{rs} Armstrong
to lunch. Sent them home in the bus. Very hot. Walk with H.

24 Feb.

Sun.

M^r & M^{rs} Gunn & the 2 Miss
Drurys (aunts of Lady Beaverbrook)
here in morning. Walk after tea
with H. Much wind & sand. 87°.

25 Feb.

Mon.

Guggenheim family in morning but
did not see them. After tea we all
went for a drive in the bus, M^r W.
driving.

Burton, M. MSS 172

1924

Luxor

26 Feb.

Tues.

H & I to Luxor in morning.

Lunched with M^{rs} Armstrong.

The Mertons, Capt Bethell too. Tea with Miss Rottenburgh & the Sir Rider Haggard & Miss Lowther.

27 Feb.

Wed.

Mrs Mace & I to Luxor in morning. Lunched with M^{rs} Armstrong, Mertons, Capt Bethell, Miss Brown. Miss Carpenter & Miss Deyo after. Back at 3.30.

28 Feb.

Thurs.

Miss Rottenburgh & Miss Lowther here in morning. <Col & M^{rs} Burges & M^{rs} Mulock & Miss. Rich to lunch.>

29 Feb.

Fri.

The Newberrys & Miss Moss came to stay. M^{rs} & Miss Quibell & the Carys to tea. Walk with Harry after tea.

2 March.

Sun.

M^{rs} Durram in afternoon. Walk with H after tea, & to call on M^{rs} Quibell.

3 March.

Mon.

With H. <after lunch.> in bus to the Valley to get plates. The children came too. Tea at 4 & Harry left for Khargeh at 4.30. M^{rs} Davies too. Walk with

Burton, M. MSS 173

1924

Luxor

Miss Moss etc. & alone by cultivation
& Der el Bahari. Cool. The dog turned up.

4 Mar.

Tues.

The Newberrys & Miss Moss, M^{rs} Mace
& Margaret left after tea. The 2 latter
are sailing for home on Thursday. Walk
round Der el Bahari after tea. M^{rs} &
Miss Quibell, M^{rs} Davies & M^r Wilkinson
to dinner. Very cool, though 73°.

5 Mar.

Miss Cunningham to lunch. <Wire
from H.>

6 Mar.

Thurs.

To the Davies' after my walk. Miss
Moss (D^r Griffith's sec.) there. Hot day 86°.
& Khamseeny.

8 Mar.

Sat.

Had letters from H. saying he was
ill with influenza. Went down to
Omdeh's house to telephone M^{rs} Engelbach
to send a telegram for me. M^r Winlock
& M. Baraize came too. Very upset.
After tea went with Winlocks to M^r
Carter's house to get photographs. Very
hot 89. & sandstorm. <Baraize to
lunch.>

9 Mar.

Sun.

Tremendous wind all night. Wire
from H in morning saying temperature

Burton, M. MSS 174

1924

Luxor

normal. Getting up today ". Much cooler. 72. tearing wind.

11 March

Tues.

To river bank in bus with M^{rs} W. & Frances & again later to fetch them back. Wire from H. to say all right.

12 March.

Wed

M^r Tracy to tea. Walk round cultivation with M^{rs} W. & F.

13 March.

In bus after lunch with M^{rs} W. & F.

15 Mar.

Sat.

Harry got back in morning, looking very thin. M^{rs} Scott to lunch & tea, & M^{rs} W., F & I took her back to Luxor in evg.

16 Mar.

Sun.

The Newberrys & Miss Moss to lunch. M^{rs} W., F & I went in bus to river to meet them. M^{rs} W. M^{rs} Davies & the other Miss Moss went back with them. Walk with Harry after tea to the dig.

17 Mar.

Mon.

St. Patrick's Day. Very hot. 91°. H & I in bus to river after tea to meet Miss Ghio. M^{rs} W. over to Luxor. Talking at riverside to M^r Mond & M^r

Foucart. Fearful sandstorm on way home.

Burton, M. MSS 175

1924

Luxor

M^r Carter to dinner.

18 Mar.

Tues.

M^{rs} Winlock's uncle & aunt arrived.
M^r & M^{rs} Tucker Daland. She took them
& Miss Ghio to Medinet Habu. Miss
G. to Tombs of Kings in morning &
with Winlocks in aft. & with us for
a walk after tea. Much cooler after
the sandstorm. M^r Carter came to say
goodbye & brought me his canary.

19 Mar.

Wed.

Took the Dalands, Miss Ghio &
Frances over to the Valley in morning
& got M^r Engelbach to let them into
the Tomb. Also did Amenhotep II
& Seti I. M^r D. Miss G. & I walked
back over the top. After tea, they
all, with the Winlocks, left for
Cairo. Harry sprained his ankle.

20 Mar.

Thurs.

M^r Callender here for lunch & tea
En route to Cairo. Harry & I went
to riverbank with him in bus at
5 o'clock. Only ourselves & M^r
Hauser for dinner.

Burton, M. MSS 176

1924

Luxor

21 Mar.

Fri.

After tea H & I, M^r Hauser & M^r Wilkinson to Luxor. Back at 7.

22 Mar.

Sat.

M^r Mond & another man in after tea. M^r Davies later. H killed a snake in the "street" outside.

23 Mar.

Sun.

M^r Winlock came back from Cairo. Walk alone.

24 March.

Mon.

M^r Callender arrived. M. Baraize to lunch. H & I to river with him in aft. Very windy & dusty. <To the Mond's fantasia in aft. at Ramesseum.>

25 Mar.

Tues.

H & I to Luxor at 11.30. M^r Engelbach with us. Lunched with Col. & M^{rs} Burges. M^r & M^{rs} Watson also. Tea with M^{rs} Scott. M^r & M^{rs} Martineau & her son, M^{rs} Davies, Lady Meyer, Lady Keble, <(Lillah M^cCarthy.)> Lady Carrick, Foucart, M^r Winlock, Monds & M^{lle} de Buck. M^r W. went down to Cairo with M^r Carter's Power-of-Attorney.

26 Mar.

M^r Callender left early. <In bus after tea with H. M^r H. & M^r W. round by M^r C's house to river.>

27 Mar.

Thurs.

After tea with Harry, M^r Hauser &

Burton, M. MSS 177

1924

Luxor

M^r Wilkinson in bus to river

28 Mar.

Fri.

M^r Winlock back from Cairo in morning.

After tea H. M^{rs} Davies & I in bus to river. M^r Davies in after dinner.

29 Mar.

Sat.

Numbering H's photographs. Hot day 91½°.

Walk alone after tea.

30 Mar.

Sun.

M^r Nelson arrived in morning.

Monsieur Baraize to lunch. H & I with him to river after tea. 93½°.

31 Mar.

Mon.

H & I, M^r W. & M^r Hauser to river in bus to see M^r Callender & M^r Nelson off to Cairo. Afterwards to see M^{rs} Davies. All three laid up.

1 April

Tues.

To the Luxor Hotel to lunch with M^{rs} Scott. Winter Palace closed yesterday. Before lunch to the cemetery & to the Bank. Saw Palesi.

M. Lacau, Foucart, Edgar, Lefèvre & M^r Engelbach at the Luxor. Also Princesse Faucigney de Lucinges.

Tea with M^{rs} S. & home at 5.30.

To see M^{rs} Davies, better. Very hot 97°.

Burton, M. MSS 178

1924

Luxor

2 April

Wed.

M^r Winlock left for Cairo. To see
M^{rs} Davies, & making her Horlick &
Benger. M^r Durham & M. Bruyère to <tea.>

3 April.

Thurs.

Harry has influenza 100° 4'.
To see M^{rs} Davies with things

4 April.

Between H. & M^{rs} D. Very hot 100°
<Ramadan begins.>

5 April.

Sat.

H.'s temp. still between 99 & 100.
but better. M^{rs} D. better & up. 98°.

6 April

Sun.

Windstorm & cooler. H. better, but
still fever. To the Davieses to say
goodbye to M^{rs} D. who left for Cairo.

7 April.

Mon.

D^r M^c Clanaghan here in morning
to see Harry. Found slight congestion
at base of left lung.

8 April.

Tues.

H. better. M^r Davies & M^r
Wilkinson to dinner. Walked round
Der el Bahari after ~~dinne~~ tea.

9 April.

H. normal all day.

10 April.

Thurs.

Second anniversary. H

up. M^{rs} Scott sent me flowers.

M^r Davies left for Cairo, & M^r

Wilkinson came over here to stay.

Burton, M. MSS 179

1924

Luxor, Cairo

12 April.

Sat.

M^r Callendar for the day from
Erment. Walk alone after tea.

13 April.

Sun.

Walk alone after tea. H. very busy.
Making Ovaltine every day for him &
M^r Hauser. Packing.

15 April

Tues.

H & I in bus with M^r Winlock
after tea, by M^r C's house & cultivation.

16 April.

Wed.

H & I left Qurna at 3.30 & to
tea with M^{rs} Scott at the Luxor. I
brought M^r Carter's canary to M^r
Parissis the Bank Manager. Left
Luxor at 6. P.M. in Sudan mail.
The engine broke down at Kous
& we had to wait 1½ hours for
another from Luxor.

17 April.

Thurs.

Arrived Cairo 9.30 <A.M.>. Two & a half
hours late. Breakfast. Room 131
as usual. Talking M^r Melville
after lunch. After tea H & I to
Sitmar about boat. Met the Lansings
there. Then to Sporting club & walked
back by Gezira Canal & Pont des
Anglais. Drove from Kasr en nil to

Burton, M. MSS 180

1924

Cairo

the Garrys. Then to station about
brooch. Found Jeannette Franklin
had been here. & left at 6 for
Jerusalem. After dinner I went to
see the Contessa who is very seedy.

18 Ap.

Fri.

H. to museum. I washed my hair.
To tea with the Phillips' & motored
back with him. Then shopping.

19 Ap.

Sat.

To tea with Contessa. Miss Lattey?
With H. shopping. Dance night.
Talking to Murray Grahams, etc.
<With Contessa & <Mme> Neghib to Mousky in morn.>

20 Ap.

Sun.

H & I to tea at the Frank Russells.
M^r Russell in garden with nurse.
On to the Tommy Russells. The
Mellins, M^r Dolbey, M^r Haine,
M^{rs} Garvice, M^{rs} Ryan etc.
Drove to Nahman. M^r Lucas
to dinner.

21. Ap.

Mon

With H & Contessa to Tano, & then
H & I to Mousky. The Mustacchis
& M^r Wainwright to tea.

22 Ap.

Tues.

After tea with H to tailor. Met

Burton, M. MSS 181

1924

Cairo, Florence

Balchin

23 Ap.

Wed.

M^r Winlock arrived. Lunched & dined
at our table. M^r Buckley called.

To Garry's & Nahman.

24 Ap.

Thurs.

Left at 9.45 special train to Alex. < M^r Balchin & Wainwright to see us off.>

Two Police officers, M^r Tomlin & ?

& orderly came to meet us & see us
on board. Harry Archer (Comman-
dant of Police now at Alex) sent them.

Sailed at 3. Calm. Met the

Howlands & M^{rs} Jennings Bramly on
board, also M^{rs} Critchley, M^{rs}

Beard & the Monds. Also the Astors.

25 Ap.

Calm day. Very hot

26 Ap.

Sat.

Arrived Syracuse 1 & left at 4.

Not ashore. Very hot.

27 Ap.

Sun.

Arrived Naples 6 A.M. Missed

8.45 A.M. train & got 10.15. M^{rs}

Bramley with us all the way to Rome.

Arr. Rome 3.20, left 5.30. Had
tea at the Continental. ~~Left~~ Arr.

Florence 11.10 P.M. Very hot between
Naples & Rome.

Burton, M. MSS 182

1924

Florence

28 April.

Mon.

H in morning with Miss Vernet.
She came here at 4. Also Ethel &
Ada to tea. Ada to dinner. H to
station to see Miss Vernet off by 9
train.

29 April.

Tues.

H & I to tea with Ethel, then
out shopping. Ada to dinner.

1 May.

Thurs.

To Allori in morning with flowers
for their grave. Ada to dine.
M^r Perkins in morning.

2 May.

Fri.

Ada to lunch & afterwards to the
Newman's. Took Bepping/, the
Pekinese with us.

3 May.

Sat.

H & I & Ethel motored out to M^r
Perkins for tea. Lot of people. We
dined at the Italie with M^r &
M^{rs} Hugh Allan, their daughter &
M^{rs} Drummond. Mah Jongg.

4 May.

Sun.

M^{rs} Drummond & Miss Allan
to tea, also Ethel. We dined
with Ada.

5 May.

We lunched with Ethel. M^r

Burton, M. MSS 183

1924

Florence

Spender, M^r "Bogey" Harris & M^{rs} Sturt. <M^{rs} Leith afterwards>

After tea H & I to the de Robecks. To

Nonini after. Ada to dine.

6 May

Tues.

H & I called on M^{rs} Mason Jones

(out) <Mme> de Faverot, & shopping.

We dined with M^r Allan & the

Bagnanis at the Italy. They motored

up to say goodbye to us. Very late.

7 May.

Wed.

H out with M^r Allan in morning.

They all (he & Gilbert & <Mme> Bagnani)

& Ethel & Ada lunched with us.

After which we went in car to find

old furniture in Via dei Fossi, &

then to tea at the Villa Medici

Careggi with the Segres. Dined

at the Italie with M^r Allan.

Ottavia left.

8 May.

Thurs.

H & I motored out to the Villa

Ridolfi to tea. Large party. To

Innocenti after about hats. Spent

morning with Papi. After lunch

with pearl stringer & cecchini.

Ada to dinner. Emmelina.

Burton, M. MSS 184

1924

Florence

9 May.

~~Thurs.~~

Fri.

Two years since Mamma went.

To Allori in afternoon with arum
liH/<l>ies. Cold windy & wet. In
morning to Maria's pension about
milliner. Out. Then shopping.

Harry in afternoon to party at M^{rs}
Donner's. Ada to dinner. H after
dinner to Miss Koon's - M^r Proctor
sent lovely bunch of roses & M^{rs}
Donner large bunch of sweet peas.
Emilia after lunch about Lina.

10 May.

Sat.

Maria Pasqui here in morning.

H & I to tea with the Pogsons. M^{rs}
Mason Jones, de Robecks, Baroness
de Kerbrech & Miss M^c D. Nuns,
Miss Ryerson etc etc. Walked back
by Via San Leonardo. Drizzling.
We dined with M^r Temple. D^r
James called about flat. <Emmelina left>

11 May.

Sun.

To Forca's in morning. H & I
with Ethel & M^{rs} Leith to the Dearbergh's
for tea. Masses of people. Contessa

Burton, M. MSS 185

1924

Florence

Damjani, Angiolino Pacini, M^r Russell
etc. ~~Ada~~ <We> dined with Ada.

12 May.

Mon.

To milliner (Macheroni, Innocenti
6 Borgo San Jacopo) in morning. To
tea here the Gilbertsons, Miss Eyre,
M^{rs} Fitt, <Mme> Courvoisier, M^{rs}
Parker & Ada. The latter to dinner.
After tea to Papi for fitting.

13 May.

Tues.

To Papi in morning. After lunch
to American Consulate with H about
Passports. Then to Cecchini. The
Wilfred Jennings Bramlys to tea,
also M^{rs} Granville & M^r Procter,
& the Jameses in after, Also Ada.
We diner with Miss Sheldon &
Miss Nixon who sent the car for
us. Also the Dursts, Spellmans
& Miss Fernie & M^r Barr.

14 May.

Wed.

We lunched with the Berensons.
M^{rs} B. called for us in the car
& also 2 Austrian girls from the
Pendini. Miss Mariani showed

Burton, M. MSS 186

1924

Florence

us over the house. Back in car.
Should have tea with Ethel but
too tired with fittings. Dined
with the Dick-Lauders. Lady D.L.
seedy. Miss Frazer & M^r Neville
there. They sent us back in the
car.

15 May.

Thurs.

Ada to lunch. Carena in morning.
We went to tea with the MacDougalls
& Mme de Kerbrech. Mme Courvoisier
M^r Talbot, Hunter Smithe, & a
girl called Sonia Michel played
Cyril Scott. A lot of people there.
Then to Papi. New cook Adele.

16 May.

Fri.

In morning to Carena etc.
After lunch again & Forca at
3.30. Ada to lunch & tea & also
Alfred Niccoli. I went to tea alone
at the Lawlesses. Several people.
Then to Papi. Back to dress, & we
dined at Miss Ryerson's. Miss
Buttles & the Nunns.

Burton, M. MSS 187

1924

Florence

17 May.

Sat.

To Cecchini to pay. Then M^{rs} Crown-
nishild & to Innocenti. H & I
motored up to the Maclean's party.
M^r Procter with us. All English &
American Florence there. After to
Papi. Ada to dinner. Mafeking.

18 May.

Sun.

H & I to tea at Ethel's. Ada there.
E back to dinner with us also Ada.

18 May.

Mon.

H & I to lunch at the Dearberghs.
M^{rs} Wright. They sent us both ways in
the car. M^r Guntner after tea. We
dined at Ethel's. Ada & M^r Procter.

22 May.

Thurs.

We left by 2.40 P.M. train. Ethel
& Ada to see us off. Very hot. Arr.
Milan 10.10. Left in sleeping car
11.40.

23 May.

Fri.

Very good night. Arr. Domodossola
2.10 A.M. Breakfast on train, also
lunch. Arrived Paris 3 P.M. Drove
across to Nord & caught 4 o'clock
train for Boulogne. Left B. at 7.30.
Raining, & arr. Folkestone at 9.
Smooth crossing. Dined on board.

Burton, M. MSS 188

1924

London

Arr. Folkestone 9. & London at 11.

Dined again on Pullman. To

Bailey's Hotel. Cold.

24 May.

Sat.

Raining. Showery all day. With H shopping.

Orton for furs. Lunched

with Miss Greenhome. M^{rs} Sharman.

H to Vic for baggage, which didn't come, then we went together later & got it at 7.45.

25 May.

Sun.

H & I walked in Kensington Gardens in morning. Slight rain showers.

Everything looking lovely. To lunch with the Vernets. Major V. there, & with him afterwards to the S. K. museum to look at Maestro Giorgios. To Hotel for tea & then motored to the Zoo & back. Barney to dinner.

26 May.

Mon.

H out alone, & I shopping in Knightsbridge. We met at the Lyceum Club where we lunched with Jeannette Franklin. Met M^{rs} Krayl there (Stan Harding). Across the Green

Burton, M. MSS 189

1924

London

Park & saw the arrival of the King & Queen of Italy with Queen Mary & King George. With Jeannette to the R.A. Met Sir Rider Haggard there. Back to Jeannette's for tea. M^{rs} F. Dined at Hotel & to see "Havoc" at the Haymarket.

27 May.

Tues.

H & I to Bank. Then A & K Stores & to see M^r Bartlett <& in to Westminster Cathedral>. We lunched with Barney. Sir Seymour Fortescue also. After lunch to Wembley by Paddington. Round in Radiotoc Saw Burmah, Canada, & to performance of conjuring in Indian Pavilion, etc. Met the Spences.

28 May.

Wed.

To Dear. Lunch at Hotel. Then to Olympia to Military Tournament. The Duke & Duchess of York there. Fine show. Tea at Hotel & dinner, & to the Aldwych Theatre to see "It pays to advertise".

29 May.

H. out with Jeannette to meet

Burton, M. MSS 190

1924

London, Mauretania

Lady Witte. I shopping alone.
H. lunched with M^r Sinclair.
Back for me & to Harrods. Tea
there & then to London Museum.
We dined with Jeannette & M^{rs}
Franklin & J. took us to
Bernard Shaw's "St. Joan".
Sybil Thorndike. Back to the
Franklins after for a drink &
met M^r F. just back from the
House.

30 May.

Friday.

H & I to the Stores. Back for
lunch & packed. After tea to
Dear's & to see Barney.

31 May.

Sat.

Left Hotel at 7.40 A.M. &
got to Waterloo at 8.5. Special
train to Southampton. Arr. 10.45.
On board Mauretania. Cabin
32. A. deck. Very comfortable.
Beautiful luxurious boat. Saw
the Leviathan. Sailed at 11.30.
Raining slightly. Arr. Cherbourg

Burton, M. MSS 191

1924

The Mauretania, New York

at 4.30 P.M. & took more people on board. Sailed at 5.30. Rain. Calm.

1 June.

Sun.

Sea moderate, cold & cloudy. H went to Divine Service

2 June.

Mon.

Fog all night and fog/horn every minute. Sea moderate. ~~Got rough~~ in afternoon.

3 June.

Tues.

Cold & fog. Very windy & rough in afternoon. H & I sea-sick & to bed before dinner.

4 June

Wed

Very rough all night Crossing the Gulf Stream. Later fog.

5 June.

Cold cloudy & fog.

6 June

Friday.

Fog all night. Arrived at N. Y. at 2.45. P.M. Very interesting coming in to Harbour & watching the ship being berthed. M^r & M^{rs} Lythgoe on wharf to meet us & help us through Customs. No trouble at all. Two taxis to the Gotham Hotel, Fifth Av. & 55th Street. 19th Floor! Two

Burton, M. MSS 192

1924

New York

rooms with each. 1910 & 11.

Out to tea at the Women's Exchange with the Lythgoes & then for a walk down Fifth Avenue. Met the Winlocks. Lovely flowers from M^{rs} Harkness. Dined in the Hotel, & M^r Hall in after. Up late.

7 June.

Sat.

H & I to museum in morning. The Winlocks showed us round Egyptian Dept. & then with M^r Hall to see pictures. With him to lunch, & afterwards by "Elevated" & "Subway" to Bronx Park to the Zoo & had tea there. Hot. The Winlocks called for us at 7.15 & dined with them at the Crillon & we took them to the Strand Theatre. Variety performance. Also walked down Broadway to see the night signs.

8 June.

Sun.

H & I took 10.15 train from the Great Central for Bedford Hills.

Burton, M. MSS 193

1924

New York

M^r Colegate met us & motored us to their house at Bedford where we had lunch. The Speranzas also & M^{rs} C's mother. Listening in after lunch. Charming house & garden. Afterwards the Speranzas motored us to Irvington by the watershed & artificial lakes, by White Plains & Tarrytown to their house, Jerry Croft. Miss Rogers driving. Dined with the Speranzas & back from Irvington Station by the 9.15 train. Arr. N. Y. 10 P.M. Raining off & on all day & cold. Fires at both houses.

9 June.

Mon.

M^{rs} Lythgoe for me in ~~morning~~ /<aft.> & shopping at Macy's etc. Lunched at the Woman's Exchange first & shopped after. Then to the Museum where we met Harry & we all had tea with M^r Lythgoe in the Trustees room. The Harknesses called for us at 7.20 & with them to dine

Burton, M. MSS 194

1924

New York

at Sherry's. Also the Lythgoes.

Then on to the Broadhurst

Theatre to see "A Beggar on

Horseback" M^r Robinson called in <aft>.

10 June.

Tues.

M^{rs} Harkness & M^{rs} Lythgoe
called for me at 1. & we lunched
at the Colony Club. M^{rs} H made
me a member for the day & took
me all over the house. Afterwards
we went on to the Museum, where
we saw the movies taken by Harry
M^r Lythgoe & M^r Harkness last
season in Egypt, on board the
Khonsu etc. M^r Bull there &
Percy White, Théy, the Lythgoes &
M^r Winlock had tea with us
at the Plaza. We dined in.

11 June.

Wed.

H & I to Lythgoes where he
left me. M^{rs} L. & I to Stein's
& shopping. Then with her to
her doctor, Chace, 525 Park
Avenue, & on to lunch at the

Burton, M. MSS 195

1924

New York

Women's Exchange, Madison Avenue.

Then to Museum alone & picked

up Harry & round the Museum

also to the Treasure's Office to

see M^r Foote & give my signature

They spelt Catherine with an A.

Met M^r Robinson. We had tea

in Trustee's room with M^r Lythgoe

& M^r Winlock. Back in bus.

M^r Bull called at 7. & took

us to dine at Pierre's. Miss Koe.

Then to the Sam Herbert Theatre to

see a revue "Vogues". Found

a charming present from M^{rs}

Harkness when I got back - a

travelling cushion & hanging

bag with hanger & work bag full

of cottons needles etc for the journey.

12 June.

Thurs.

Raining. M^r Hall in at

breakfast time. Packing all morn.

Harry out alone. M^r Hall to lunch,

& M^{rs} Lythgoe came in. She came

Burton, M. MSS 196

1924

New York, En route to S, Francisco

to the Great Central to see us off by the 3.45 (Town time). We had a "drawing room". Passed along the W. bank of the Hudson for some time & saw the "Palisades" & West Point. then alongside Erie Canal. Through Albany, Schenectady, Mohawk Valley & Little Falls, Utica, Rome Syracuse, Rochester, Buffalo.

13 June.

Fri.

Papa's birthday. Along the shore of Lake Erie. Cleveland, Toledo on Maumee River & arrived La Salle station Chicago at 9.45. (station time). To the Blackstone hotel. Bath. H went to Art Institute Back for lunch. Then we both went to the Art Institute, & then took a taxi & drove round Lake Shore Drive & Lincoln Park etc. Tea on Michigan Avenue. Misty on Lake & not very good views. Dinner at Hotel & left for

Burton, M. MSS 197

1924

En route for San Francisco

station at 8.15. Met some people from Mauretania at the Hotel. Started for San Francisco at 9.10 P.M. In car Fifeshire, 23. Drawingroom A. To bed almost immediately. Mississippi.

14 June

Sat.

Passed through Council Bluffs & Omaha after breakfast & across the Missouri river. To Julesberg, where the line dips into Colorado, but soon back to Nebraska. Then into Wyoming, Cheyenne, to Sherman the culminating point of the Rocky Mountains (the Continental Divide) <Fearfully hot. Bad cold in in head & sore throat.>

15 June.

Sun.

Granger, Passed the Uintah Mountains, through the Wasatch Mountains into Utah. Through the Echo Canyon & Weber Canyon, & across the Great Salt Lake ~~of O~~/~~after~~> Ogden. Then Nevada & up to the Sierra.

16 June

Mon.

Woke at Reno in early morning, high on the Sierra Nevada, & down into California. Sacramento.

Burton, M. MSS 198

1924

San Francisco

& across the Straits of Carquinez
the train divided into 3 sections
on huge ferry. Arrived Oakland
3.30. where M^r Harrison met us
& brought us across the Bay by ferry
steamer to San Francisco & to the
Palace Hotel. 6011 & 6012. M^r
Lathrop & another man to meet us
in hotel, & also M^r Flint. After
tea M^r Flint took us out in car
for 2 hours, & we visited Telegraph
Hill, Nob Hill, Pacific Heights,
Presidio, Docks, Chinatown etc.
etc. I had a fearful cold, & to
bed when I got back. Ella Hutton
called after dinner.

17 June.

Tues.

Stayed in bed until after lunch. Then
up, & at 2 went out with H in the
car with Flint. We went up to Twin
Peaks, Golden Gate Park, saw the
Aquarium & Japanese Garden &
Young Memorial Museum & Scientific

Burton, M. MSS 199

1924

San Francisco

Museum & on to Cliff House, Golden Gate
& back by St Francis' Wood etc at 6.
To bed again. Ella Hutton dined with
Harry & came up to see me after.

18 June.

Wed.

H went to San Mateo in the morning
by car with M^r Lathrop to see the
movie studios. I had bad night
& stayed all day in bed. D^r Selfridge
to see me in afternoon. Also Nurse
~~White~~/~~Wright~~.>. Telephone goes all day. Harry
gave 5 interviews yesterday & I gave
one through telephone this morning. The
President of the Women's Art Institute
rang me up yesterday to say that the
members wanted to entertain me on
Thursday & would I speak a few
words to them afterwards about Egypt.
There is some advantage about having
a cold! Ella Hutton in after dinner
but I didn't see her.

19 June.

Thurs.

In bed all day. D^r Allen, the
chest man to see me. Poultices &

Burton, M. MSS 200

1924

San Francisco

inhalations all day. Harry to see
M^r Shoup & M^{rs} Spreckels. M^r
Manwaring sent me some lovely roses.
& book. Ella H. to see H after dinner.

20 June.

Fri.

Basket of exquisite flowers from
M^{rs} Spreckels. M^r Lathrop lunched
with Harry. D^r Allen in morning
& says I must spend 2 more days
in my room. Nurse Wright in off
& on. Mustard poultices etc all
the time. Better much. Still
coughing a good deal.

21 June.

Sat.

D^r Allen in morning. Wont let me
up today. Inhalations. Books &
flowers from Ella Hutton. Hot.
Harry to Oakland in morning &
Berkeley in aft. Bad night with fire
Brigade rushing about & making
an awful noise with bells, & syrens.
Ella Hutton in after dinner.

22 June.

Sun.

No doctor today. Nurse Wright
in early with inhalations. Better. Up

Burton, M. MSS 201

1924

San Francisco

after breakfast & out at 11. in car with H. Flint's brother. To big Conservatory in Golden Gate Park & up by Cliff House to see the Spreckels Memorial Museum & down by Lincoln Park & Presidio to Ella Hutton's flat where we had lunch. Also Miss Slusher. Feeling very stuffed up & breathless. Back to Hotel at 2.45 & to bed again.

23 June**Mon.**

M^{rs} Landfield to lunch. D^r Allen came to see me after lunch. Much better, but still coughing & rather tired. Lying down all afternoon. Tea upstairs. Dined downstairs. Left the Hotel at 8.30 P.M. in Flint's car for the Ferry station. M^r Richardson (asst. passenger agent Southern Pacific) met us there & came across to Oakland with us & put us into our "drawing room". To bed & to sleep, & the train left at 12.10.

24 June.**Tues.**

Arrived Merced 5.10. Got up at 6.30, & to the El Capitan Hotel for

Burton, M. MSS 202

1924

Yosemite

breakfast. Then back to station & in
Observation car & started at 8 A.M.
Followed San Joaquin Valley & Merced
River, past Exchequer Mine, Pleasant
Valley, Solomon's Gulch, Jasper rocks
to El Portal. Arr. 11.55. Got into
motor stage coach, & up Yosemite
Valley to Yosemite Lodge. Arr. 1.15
P.M. Lunch, presented letter of intro.
to M^r Hunkins (Director Transportation)
Met D^r Bryant Ph.D. & M^r Van
Wyck who motored us to the
Museum & showed us round &
then to Mirror Lake etc. Tea
& rested. Dined & listened to
Jazz band & concert & bonfire.
My cough very troublesome.

25 June.

Wed.

<Young

Russell

Elsworth.>

Up early, & started at 7. in M^r
Hunkins' touring car, with D^r & M^{rs}
Bryant, & M^r & M^{rs} van Wyck.
Finlay driving, by Inspiration
Point & Chinquapin to Wawona

Burton, M. MSS 203

1924

Yosemite

Hotel. D^r Bryant took us to see a fish hatchery some distance off in the woods. Then to the Mariposa Grove of Giant trees. Lunched there & on to Glacier Point. Arr. 4.45. Very hot & very dusty. Hundreds of cars out. Tea & rested, & dined at 7. After tea to Overhanging Cliff, & feeding tame chipmunks & deer. Wonderful view. We all dined together, & listened to lecture by D^r B. in big hall & then to see bonfire at 9 near Overhanging rock & the lovely cascade when the fire is pushed over. Bed early. Cold & cough very troublesome

26 June.

Thurs.

Up at 5.30 A.M. breakfast at 6.30 & started at 7. D^r Bryant left on foot by cliff trail. We others returned by Inspiration Point & Chinquapin, 28 miles, & arrived at the Lodge at 9.30 A.M. Rested. Very tired & seedy. Very hot. Lunch at 1. & rested. Tea

Burton, M. MSS 204

1924

Yosemite, Los Angeles

in Cafeteria & H went to see M^r
Hunkins (away). Afterwards we walked
to the river & along the banks. After
dinner in motor stage to see the fire-
fall from below. Somebody played "at
the end of a perfect day" on fiddle with
much sentiment & spoiled the whole
effect.

27 June.

Fri.

We left the Valley at 10.55 A.M. M^r
v. W. saw us off. Lunched at the
inn at El Portal, & got our train on
at 1 P.M. Arr. Merced 4.40. & left
in our "drawing room" at 4.50. Via
Joaquin Valley, Fresno, Tulare,
Teháchapi Pass & Mohane (in night)

28 June.

Sat.

Saugus, & arrived Los Angeles at
7.40. A.M. M^r Moni/han of the
Southern Pacific met us. To the Hotel
Ambassador, & had breakfast.
Room 562. Unpacking & resting.
Lunch in restaurant & tea in
coffee shop. Then out with H. & walked

Burton, M. MSS 205

1924

Los Angeles

about 3 miles on the way into town. Shopping.
No one walks here. Side walks empty.
Stream of motor traffic. 1 car to every 3½
inhabitants. The Hotel about 5 miles out
from the city. Taxi back. Dined in
Coffee Shop, & to cinema in basement.
Wonderful place.

29 June.

Sun.

In all the morning writing letters.
After lunch with H in yellow bus to
terminus in Wilshire Av. & back to
the Biltmore Hotel in the city. Walked
to the Pacific Electric Rly. & out to the
Redondo Beach & back. Very hot when
we started & turned chilly. Back from
Biltmore in bus. Met Charles Breasted
in the lounge. Feed always in coffee
shop. After dinner to Hotel Cinema.
“Triumph”. <Saw gathering of Ku
Klux Klan near the Biltmore.>

30 June.

Mon.

H & I in morning by bus to Biltmore
& then to Southern Pacific to leave letter
on M^r M^c Ginnis, & then to Security
Trust Bank with letter of credit, &

Burton, M. MSS 206

1924

Los Angeles

shopping. Taxi back. To see M^{rs} Macleod at the Stendhal galleries in morning & after lunch. Harry went out to Hollywood after lunch with some cinema men & I stayed in writing letters. To Hotel cinema after dinner. "Lights of Broadway.

1 July.

Tues.

H & M^r Monahan went off to Hollywood at 9 A.M. I stayed in all day & wrote letters. H back at 4.30 for tea after which we went to Hollywood to call on M^r Procter. Miles & miles away. Dined at a little private restaurant called the Glen Ellen & tried to go to see the "Ten Commandments", but only standing room. So came home.

2 July.

Wed.

With H in morning by bus to Biltmore & then to S. P. offices & saw M^r M^c M^c Ginnes & M^r Monahan. Tea at "Lady Anne Cavendish" Tea shop
No dinner, some milk at a café

Burton, M. MSS 207

1924

Los Angeles, Catalina

near Graumont's Egyptian Theatre, Hollywood Boulevard, & to see "Ten Commandments".
Taxi home.

3 July.

Thurs.

H & I left Hotel at 8.20 for Pacific Electric Station & took 9 A.M. train for San Pedro. Arrived 10. Hideous journey. Embarked on SS. Avalon & arrived at Catalina Island at 12.25. On bus to St. Catherine's Hotel for lunch, & then in glass-bottomed boat to see the "Marine Garden". Very interesting Tea on "front", & left at 4.15 in SS Catalina, 2nd trip. Fine big boat. Arr. Wilmington at 6.5 & by train to Los Angeles. 7.20. Bed early, very tired. Hot day.

4 July.

Fri.

Independence Day & great national holiday with crackers going off all day like machine guns. So stayed in H out for a walk by himself in aft. After dinner to hotel cinema. "The Night Patrol". Very good.

Burton, M. MSS 208

1924

Los Angeles, San Diego

5 July.

Sat.

In all morning. H to Hollywood to see Henry Kidd. H & I went to tea with the Proctors & in his studio. Also looking at Indian relics.

6 July.

H & I for a walk to Westlake Park. Very hot.

7 July.

Mon.

M^r M^c Ginnis came for us at 9 A.M. in car & took us all round the residential quarter & then out to Pasadena, & back to Berkeley Hills where we had lunch at the big hotel there. Afterwards to Sta. Monica & the "Beaches", Venice, etc, & back here at 4. After tea H. & I shopping near the Commodore.

8 July.

Tues.

Started at 8 A.M. in Parlour Car from Cook's Office, Spring Street, & motored to San Diego, via Anaheim & Orange County. Lunched at Capistrano(?) La Jolla (Hoya). Left our things at San Diego U. S. Grant Hotel, & on to Coronado & Tia Juana across the Mexican border. Back to San Diego

Burton, M. MSS 209

1924

San Diego, Los Angeles

& walked about the town. 180 miles.

9 July.

Wed.

Started at 8 A.M. & to Balboa Park, & Loma Point. Ocean Beach, where some of the people got out & flew in an aeroplane over the bay. Back by San Juan Capistrano where we visited the Mission & Ramona's Marriage House. Lunched at Torrey Pines, & back by Santa Ana. Got back to terminus at 6.30. M^r & M^{rs} Weller, Australians in the car with us. <To cinema after dinner. Bohemian Girl. English. saw Elinor Glyn.>

10 July.

Thurs.

H. out in morning alone. After lunch M^r Watson came & motored us to M^r Huntington's place where we saw the Library & met M^r Bliss. Back by Pasadena. After tea to see M^{rs} M^c Louth & M^r Stendhal.

11 July.

Fri.

Up early & caught 8 A.M. train to Sta Barbara. Arrived ½ hour late at midday. M^{rs} Peabody met us & motored us to their place Solana. Walked round garden with M^r & M^{rs} P. Judge

Burton, M. MSS 210

1924

Los Angeles, Santa Barbara, Mount Wilson

Ivor(?) & a lady staying in the house.
To lunch M^r & M^{rs} Jefferson, M^r &
M^{rs} Pritchard & son & some other
people. After lunch <M^r &> M^{rs} Peabody
motored us about the town & up
the Mountain Drive back to the
Jeffersons for tea. M^{rs} Reeves etc
there. Beautiful houses. Back
by 7.30 train, dined on board
& arrived here at 11 P.M. tired.

12 July.

Sat.

H at Hollywood. I in all
morning & lunched alone. H & I
to tea with the Stendahls. Met a lot of
people. Procters, Schwarz etc.

13 July.

Sun.

Left here at 8.30, & took the stage at
5th Street for Mount Wilson at 9 A.M.
Arr. M^t. W. at 11.40. 6000 ft. Terribly
narrow road & jumpy work. Had
lunch up there & then visited the
Observatory (largest in world). Very
hot. Left at 3 P.M. & got back
to Los Angeles at 5.15. Tea here.
To Cinema after dinner. "The Guilty One".

Burton, M. MSS 211

1924

Los Angeles

14 July.

Mon.

M^r Monahan & Harry to Studios in morning.
I alone for lunch. H back at 5 & then
to 7th Av. for my hat etc & shopping.
Walked back from Commodore. M^r &
M^{rs} Procter to dine & to cinema in hotel.
All about Alaska.

15 July.

Tues

M^r Monahan for us at 10.20 & took
us to Culver City to Hal Roach's Studio
& then to the Goldwyn Maier where we
met Jackie Coogan & his father & saw
Jackie take part in the "Ragman". We
lunched at the Mary Helen, & then
H & I went to Graumont's ~~Null~~ Egyptian
Theatre to see Douglas Fairbanks in the
"Thief of Baghdad. Walked back to
Western & took taxi. Tea at the café
near by the theatre.

16 July.

Wed.

Left Los Angeles by the 11.30 A.M. train
for the Grand Canyon. Passed through
Pasadena, San Bernardino, up the
Cajon Pass to Barstow, ~~Mohave~~ Mojave
Desert (yø/<u>cca palms) & on into Arizona

Burton, M. MSS 212

1924

Grand Canyon, Los Angeles

17th July.

Thurs.

To Williams. Arrived at the Grand Canyon at 8.20 A.M. Very hot
<16.> journey & uncomfortable night. To El Tovar for breakfast & bath & then walked round the rim of Canyon. Had a room at the "Bright Angel". Lunched at El Tovar, & at 1.30 in motor stage for "Rim Drive". Wonderful. Then another walk & saw Indian dances outside Hopi house. Dined early & to station to get 7.25 P.M. train back. Very hot. Same route back to Los Angeles & arrived at

18 July.

Fri.

2.30 P.M. Breakfast & lunch on the train. H out after tea alone & I packing. To hotel cinema after dinner "Toilers of the deep".

19 July.

Sat.

H out shopping in morning. I not out all day.

20 July.

Sun

D^r Hall called for us at 12 & motored
<20.> us out to Pasadena where we lunched with them. Also M^r Dickie. Some other

Burton, M. MSS 213

1924

Los Angeles, Sacramento, Portland

people came in after lunch. D^r Hall brought us back. Not out again. Cinema after dinner. Pola Negri in "Men".

21 July.

Mon.

H. to Hollywood in morning. I packing. Henry Kidd (M^r Theodore Davis' butler) came in aft. Dined at 6.30 & left hotel at 7.10. Met Charles Breasted & Miss Roman. Train left at 7.55. Bed early.

22 July.

Tues

Arrived Sacramento at 12.15. Took a taxi & drove round the town - the Capitol & Riverside drive. Lunched in station & left at 2 P.M. Very hot. Passed through Chico at 5.50 P.M. & arrived at

23 July.

Wed.

Medford at 7.5 A.M. having entered Oregon much earlier at Cole. Passed through Eugene & Salem, the capital of Oregon & at 8.46 P.M. crossed the Willámette & entered Portland. M^r Hall met us at station with Miss Creadick & we went with them to Portland Heights to the Creadick's house.

Burton, M. MSS 214

1924

Portland, Seattle, Victoria, Vancouver

<Fine view of Mount Hood.>

M^r Hall saw us off again at 11.15 P.M.

24 July.

Thurs.

Arrived at Seattle at 6.30 A.M.

M^r Bryant of the Southern Pacific met us & had breakfast with us at the station & afterwards we drove to the Canadian Pacific Steamer "Princess Louise" & left at 9 A.M. Lovely trip up the Puget Sound. Beautiful views of M^{ts} Rainier & the Olympic Mts.

Perfect day though very hot. M^r Baker exquisite. Passed Port Townsend, & across the Strait of Juan de Fuca to Victoria, Vancouver Island. Arr.

1.15. drove round the town for 50 minutes <Beacon Hill Park etc.> & left at 2.15 P.M. Two nice men on board, friends of Macys D^r Page & M^r Crane. From Vic. through the Canal de Haro - most beautiful - across the Gulf of Georgia to Vancouver, British Columbia. Most wonderful day. Arr. Vancouver 7 P.M. & to train & left at 7.45 in the

Burton, M. MSS 215

1924

Sicamous, Revelstoke, Banff

“Mountaineer”. Passed Burrard Inlet
& New Westminster before dark. & arr

25 July.

Fri

Sicamous at 9.10 A.M. after coming
along the Great Shuswap Lake for
some time. Most gorgeous day of won-
derful views <crossing the Selkirks> past Craigellachie, Eagle
River & the Lakes Griffin, Three Valley
Victoria & Summit, Eagle Pass,
Mt Begbie of the Columbia or Gold Range
to Revelstoke. Mts Clachnacudainn,
Mackenzie, Twin Butte, & Albert
Cañon with the Illecillewaet River
up to the Loop & Mt. Sir Donald.
to Glacier House. Then through the
Beaver Gate to Golden, & the Cañon
of the Kicking Horse, Field, the K. H.
Pass, past Laggan & Lake Louise
to Banff. at 10.30 P.M. A wonderful
day. To Banff Springs Hotel. Lovely place.

26 July.

Sat.

Left Banff in motor stage at 9 A.M.
to Johnson's Creek. Most lovely place.
Then on to Lake Louise. Lunch at
Hotel (half of which had been burnt

Burton, M. MSS 216

1924

Banff, Lakes Louise & Moraine, Winnipeg

down 3 weeks before & then on with
M^r Maclean (Singapore) to Lake
Moraine after lunch. Tea at Lake
L. when we got back, & back to
Banff at 6.40. M^r Maclean had
dinner with us. Lovely day, very
hot. We walked alongside Lake
Moraine. Lovely flowers. Iceland
poppies in profusion & Indians'
Paint brush & fire-weed etc.

27 July.

Sat/<Sun>

Left Banff at 11.15 A.M. & through
Canadian Rockies along Bow River
to Calgary at 2.5 P.M. Left at 2.35.
Arr. Medicine Hat 8.50 P.M.
& at Walsh entered Alberta. Arr.

<28th. July. July>

<All day. in train crossing great wheat belt

28/<9> July

Mon/<Tues>.

Regina at 7.20 A.M. (Saskatchewan)
Broad view 10.35 A.M. & Winnipeg
at 8.10 P.M. D^r Benner met us
& motored us round for an hour
& we left again at 9. P.M.

29/<30> July.

Tues.

Wed.

Left Fort William at 10.45 P/<A>.M.
& round the top of Lake Superior

Burton, M. MSS 217

1924

Toronto, Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Boston, New London

to Toronto. Arr. 3 P.M. Rained all the morning heavily. Drove round town (fine at Toronto) to University Square etc Suicide bridge etc. Left at 5 P.M. & arrived at Buffalo 8.55 P.M. & to Hotel Statler.

30/<1> July.

Thurs.

We started at 10 A.M. in motor for Niagara, accross in the ferry to the Canadian Side. We went down into the tunnel under the Central Fall. Lunched at the Hotel, & then to see the Rapids & the whirlpool & round to the American side to Goat Island. Buffalo again at 4. Tea then for a look at the shops. Beautiful Delaware Av. Left Buffalo at 11.15 P.M.

1 Aug

Fri.

Arrived Boston 12.20. I had my breakfast at 10, after having gone for it at 8.30. So great a crowd for the dining car. To the Parker House. No Lythgoes, but a note from M^r L. telling us to go on to New London by the 3 train

Burton, M. MSS 218

1924

New London

Fearful rush. Got boxes & repacked,
bath, lunch, & we left at 3 P.M.
Arrived New London 4.47. M^r
Harkness <& M^r L> met us & motored to the
house at Goschen Point. Lovely place.
Tea in the Loggia. After dinner
we had movies of Egypt in the
drawing room.

2 Aug.

Sat.

The Lythgoes left at 9 A.M. to
join M^{rs} Satterlee on board M^r
Pierpoint Morgan's yacht the "Corsair"
at Black Bay for a cruise. Letters
then with M^r H. to watch M^{rs} H &
Harry bathe. After lunch we four
motored to Norwich, & after tea
walked in garden. M^r & M^{rs} Hewsted
(M^{rs} Armstrong's daughter) turned up
to spend the night. Movies.

3 August.

Sun.

With M^{rs} H. & M^r &/<to> the Children's
Home in morning. To lunch M^{rs}
Hamilton (Pierpoint Morgan's daughter)
& her daughter & son-in-law - Woods

Burton, M. MSS 219

[1924]

New London, Providence, Boston

& her son <Peter> & daughter in Law & another son, Sandy, & Miss Woods. The Hewsteds left after lunch. Old M^{rs} Harkness (87) to supper. More movies after she left. After lunch H & I round the farm with M^r H.

4 Aug.

Mon.

To say Goodbye to old M^{rs} Harkness & left by the 11.45. M^{rs} & M^r H. came to the Station with us. "Stopped over" at Providence, Rhode Island, where we lunched at the Biltmore, then to see M^r Collins. M^r Tillinghast & M^r Gardiner. Tea at station & on at 5.40 for Boston. Parker House.

5 Aug.

Tues.

With H. to Fogg Museum <& Harvard Univ.>. Saw M^r Forbes. Then to Boston Museum & M^r Sanborn lunched with us, & showed us round the Museum. He motored us away at 4.30 & we had tea, & he took us all round Boston & then to Sudbury for dinner at the "Old Wayside Inn".

Burton, M. MSS 220

1924

Boston, New Haven, New York

Aug 6.

Wed.

Left Boston at 10 A.M. & got to New Haven at 1.45. Lunch in train. To Yale University & over the Harkness Memorial Quadrangle & Tower. H to the Art Gallery while I rested. Left at 3.53 & arr. New York at 6. Very hot. Gotham Hotel. 1221.

7 Aug

Thurs.

Very hot 95° & very moist. Lunched at Women's Exchange. M^r Bull & Rev. Rogers in after. We went to Wanamakers, Customs Office & Cunard. Dined in hotel.

8 Aug

Fri.

To Museum & met H. & M^r Nixon & lunched with them at Longchamps. Then to Museum & to see M^r Foote. Then M^r Nixon took us all over the place in his car. Central Park Washington Heights, Columbia & New York Universities etc & Riverside Drive Tea here & dined at the Piping Rock Walked down Fifth Av. after dinner.

9 Aug.

Sat.

H & I lunched at the Longchamps &

Burton, M. MSS 221

1924

New York

then spent the aft at the Museum. Greek
Rooms & pictures. Tea in restaurant.
Very hot. Storm in evg. Dined in
hotel.

10 Aug.

Sun.

Left at 9.15 A.M. for Beverley Hills
M^r Colgate met us & drove us to their
house. Lunch & dined there. Miss
Ryerson staying there. Tea at their
bathing pool. A lot of people for tea.
Fearful storm. Left at 9 P.M. in car
in floods of rain & lightning & thunder.
All the way to station & after in train
Arr. N. Y. at 10.45. No rain here.

11 Aug.

Mon.

With H. to Nat. Hist. Museum in morn.
To lunch at Women's Exchange. H to
meet M^r Collins. M^r Nixon to tea with
me, & he dined with us at the
Crillon & afterwards to the Liberty
Theatre to see "The Thief of Baghdad.

13/<2> Aug

Tues

Poured all night & all the morning.
M^r Bull lunched with us. To the
Museum in afternoon with him &
did Greek rooms & pictures. M^r B.

Burton, M. MSS 222

1924

New York, SS. Berengaria

motored us back. Tea at the Museum
& dined at the Women's Exchange.
Much cooler. Sauntered down Madison
Avenue after dinner.

13 Aug.

Wed.

Left the hotel at 8.30 & to Cunard
Wharf. On board the Berengaria
(52,000 tons). Started at 10 A.M.
Calm, Cabin 137 D. deck. Fine
large cabin.

14 Aug.

Thurs.

Some movement. Very hot & damp.
<Rained hard. in morning early.>
Walked 3 miles. Gulf Stream.

15 Aug.

Fri.

Very calm, blue sea. Still very hot,
but slightly (about 2 degrees) cooler.

16 Aug.

Much cooler

17 Aug.

Sun.

Fine & cold. To Divine Service in
the Lounge, held by the Purser. M^r
Howells after dinner

18 Aug.

Mon.

Rolled a lot in the night & all day
Concert after dinner. Ballin, Chief
Steward sang & humorous stories
by Father Bampton. Fiddles on tables.
<M^r & M^{rs} Fraser.>

19 Aug.

Tues.

Arrived at Cherbourg at 9 A.M. & left
at 11.30. Arr. Southampton at 4.30.

Burton, M. MSS 223

1924

Berengaria, London

Tea on board. Left S.hampton at 6 &
arr. Waterloo 7.55. To Bailey's hotel.
Rooms 161, 162.

20 Wed/<Aug>

Wed.

Out shopping alone in morning. Lunch
with H. at A.B.C. Gloster Rd. & then by
bus to Zoo. Crowds. Rained a bit.
Back by taxi <To Selfridge's for tea.> To Ethel's in morning for
letters. Taxi home
Dinner in hotel.

21 Aug.

Thurs.

H out in morning & back for me
at 12. To Wembley by underground.
Lunched there. Machinery/<Industrial> & Art
Sections & Queen's Doll's House. Back
here for tea. H out after. Dined
here & to see the "Green Goddess"
<by William Archer.> at the St. James's. George Arliss
Ivan Simpson, Owen Roughwood,
Mary Merrall etc.

22 Aug.

Fri.

Ada called at breakfast time. With
H. to Cook's etc. Then he to Agnew
& I to Glove Co. Met in Bond St &
to Duveen's. To A & N. Stores &
lunched there. Met Norah Eyre.

Burton, M. MSS 224

1924

London

Tea here. H. out after. We dined with M^r Carter at Prince's Grill Room & he came back here with us.

23 Aug.

Sat.

H left for Market Harborough at 10.30 (from here) & Stamford. I ~~walked~~ to Piccadilly by Tube. To Wagon Lits Co. Then Cook. Met Ethel Towgood in Piccadilly & to Debenham & Freebody & Marshall & Snellgrove & then to Lyceum for lunch. Taxis everywhere. After lunch E & I to Nat. Gallery English rooms. Tea at Corner House. Got caught in heavy shower in Tral. Sqr. With E. to Waterloo to see her off & back here for tea & dinner. Ada in after dinner.

24 Aug.

Not out all day. Poured, & cold.

25 Aug.

Mon.

Walked to Lyceum calling in at Harrod's, Miss Mitchell (Sloane St) & Dear's on the way. Met Lady Palin. Met Jeannette Franklin at the Lyceum & lunched with her.

Burton, M. MSS 225

1924

London

Afterwards we went to S. K. Museum
to see the Van Burgh Dutch tiles & 13th
Cent stained glass. Then we came back
here for tea. H. back while I was
out. We dined here.

26 Aug.

Tues.

H & I out in morning. <Cook's first &> Wagon Lits
Then Asprey's about cig. case. etc.
<To get Theatre tickets & Shaftesbury Av.>
To Stewarts for lunch. Met
Hassanein there. I home & H. to
do more shopping. We left here at
3.30 for Putney Bridge to tea with
the Darvells. Back for dinner & to
the St. Martin's to see "In the Next
Room" by Eleanor Robson & Harriet Ford.
Very thrilling. Clifford Heatherley,
Nora Swinburne, <H.R.> Hignett, Francis
Lister. Gilbert Ritchie, Basil Arnold.
Stella Arbenina, May Ward, Nicolas
Hannan. Fine by/<u>t cloudy day.

27 Aug.

Wed.

H in morning to Watson, Sinclair
Tailor etc. Met him at Sinclair's.
Walked all the way in, & to Dear's.

Burton, M. MSS 226

1924

London

On to Simpson's where we lunched
with Francis Rodd. To the Zoo in
aft. Back to Hotel first. Ada to
dine & to see "Our Betters" (Somerset
Maugham) at the Globe Theatre.
Lilian Cavanagh, Constance Collier,
Martita Hunt, John Stuart etc.

28 Aug.

Thurs.

With H. to High Street, & then to
Sleeping Car Co. Cockspur St. Lunched
at Civil <Service> Stores & then to A & N. Stores
I home, & H. to pay calls. We dined
with Archie & Katie Bell at the
Langham Hotel. Hugh & Trice Chisholm
there.

29 Aug

Fri.

Met H at the Lyceum. He & Miss
Vernet lunched with me there.
We dined at Pall Mall Rest. &
Francis Rodd dined with us & we
went to the Comedy Theatre to see
"The Creaking Chair". Very thrilling
by Allene Tupper Wilkes.

Aubrey Smith, Nigel Bruce. Tallulah

Burton, M. MSS 227

1924

London, Bâle

Bankhead, Eric Maturin etc.

30 Aug

Sat.

H & I to Tate Gallery in morning. To Sinclair after alone, & back to Hotel. H. left Victoria at 1.35 for Brighton to see M^r Hopkinson & D^r Routh. I had tea and dinner at Ethel & Barney, <just back from Harrogate.> & H. came for me later.

31 Aug.

Sun.

Packing all the morning. We lunched with Hassanein at his rooms in 38 St. James's Place. and saw his Kufra photographs. Poured, & taxied home. Nat. His. Museum. & Kensington Gardens after tea. Ethel & Barney dined with us.

1 Sept.

Mon.

We left Victoria at 1.50 P.M. arr. Boulogne at 6. Very crowded boat. Carriage to ourselves. Very rough. Left Boulogne at 6.20 for Bâle in 2 single wagon-lits compartments. Dinner on train. Tea on boat. Lunch at buffet at Victoria.

2 Sept.

Tues.

Arrived Bâle 6.30 A.M. & to

Burton, M. MSS 228

1924

Bâsle, Florence

Hotel Victoria. Bath & breakfast.
Then to Historical Museum & the
Art Museum, Cathedral etc.
Tea in town & walked about.
Showery.

Sept 3.

Wed.

Left Bâsle 12.36 by St. Gotthard.
Lovely trip, though cloudy. Alone
in carriage. Arr. Chiasso 7.20
for Douane. <outside> Arr. Milan 9 P.M.
Dined in station. Left in wagon
lits at 10.30.

Sept. 4.

Thurs.

Arr. Florence 7.7. A.M. Found
everything in order & Lina here.
<The Pasquis to meet us on the landing>
We had tea with M^r Allan. He
sent his car for us. Grand Hotel.
Afterwards shopping with him.

5 Sept.

Fri.

Busy in house. Out with ~~th~~<H> in
aft. We dined with M^r Allan.

6 Sept.

Not out. M^r Allan to dine.

7 Sept.

Sun.

M^r Allan came for us at 3.45 &
motored us out to M^r Procter's for
tea. The Rolshovens & some

Burton, M. MSS 229

1924

Florence

other people there. <Heard of M^r Harry Russell's death.>

8 Sept.

Mon.

Busy all morning. After tea with H. to the Allori, with flowers. The heliotropes on their grave lovely. To Ada's after to take measurements of a chair. Very hot. 86°. <To see Maria in morning.>

9 Sept.

Tues.

Fosca here at 11. & out with her to buy material. Very hot. 90°. After tea H & I to see M^{rs} de Robeck. Nesta in later.

10 Sept.

Wed.

To see M^{rs} Crowninshield after tea. Working in boxroom. Gave Giuseppe Papa's trouser pressers.

11 Sept.

Thurs.

In afternoon to Settepassi & Bizarro. The Dursts dined here. 82.

12 Sept.

Fri.

Fosca in morning. Working in box room before & after lunch. M^r & M^{rs} Hervey & M^r Davis to tea 85

13 Sept.

Sat.

Harry's birthday. Went with him in morning to Sette passì & bought him

pair of agate & pearl cufflinks. Via
Tornabuoni, met M^r Bond. In aft
H went to see Miss Koon at the Blue

Burton, M. MSS 230

1924

Florence

Nuns. I not out & working in boxroom. Calzolaio came. We read in the Morning Post of M^r Evelyn-White who shot himself in a cab at Leeds on Tuesday last. He was at Wady Natroun with Harry.

14 Sept.

Sun.

Helping H. with his negative cupboard in morning. & working in boxroom. M^r Bond came to tea.

15 Sept.

Shopping with H. after tea.

16 Sept.

Tues.

Ethel Harter, the Lansings & M^r Procter to lunch. After tea H & I to Coppoli etc. ~~Maria in after dinner.~~

17 Sept.

Wed.

M^r Elsworth called for us at 10.30 & we took Ethel to the Villa Palmieri & spent 2 hours looking at M^r E's collections. To tea with Ethel. Miss Good there. Maria after dinner.

18 Sept.

Thurs.

Shopping with H. in morning. Giannini, Dori etc. M^r Temple to tea. We dined with the de Robecks M^r Pinsent & M^r Davis. M^r Jeffrey Reynolds in aft.

Burton, M. MSS 231

1924

Florence

19 Sept.

Fri.

We lunched with Ethel. M^r Kenyon & M^r Procter. M^r Reynolds called for us & we went on to the Spelmans. They, H & M^r R bathed in the swimming pool. Tea in Belvedere, & music after. M^r Reynolds back with us to dinner. H. to station to meet Ada. Very hot day.

20 Sept.

Sat.

H & I had tea with M^r Temple. M^r Sargent there. Then to Ethel's. Mme & Miss Sergio there. Ada to dinner.

21 Sept.

Ada to tea. We dined with the Spelmans.

22 Sept.

Mon.

The workmen began work on the bathroom. Met Ethel at 4.30 & to tea with M^r Kenyon. After to Bizarri & shopping, & infilatrice di perle for Ethel. Over 80° every day. Natale came for the lady canary.

23 Sept.

Tues.

Shopping with H. in morning. Shared Taxi with Ethel to the Norman's. A M^{lle} Chaplain played the violin. M^{rs} Thompson, Miss Denby, <M^r Isherwood> Miss Good & several other people. Afterwards

Burton, M. MSS 232

1924

Florence

with Ethel to Station to meet the Bagnanis who didn't come by the 7.10 train.

24 Sept.

Wed.

We should have lunched at Ethel's & I forgot! She, Mme & Gilbert Bagnani, Miss Good, Mme Sergio, M^r Kenyon, M^r Isherwood to tea. Harry to bathe at the Spelmans at 3. Ethel stayed on till after dinner when H. went with her to station to meet Cuckoo & Naomi.

25 Sept.

Thurs.

H out with Gilbert in morning. Ada to lunch. We had tea at the Nunns. Miss Ryerson. He motored us back.

26 Sept.

Fri.

We had tea with M^{rs} Crowninshield. The Nunns, Miss Koon, Miss Davis. Ethel, the Bagnanis & Ada to dine.

27 Sept.

Sat.

To Innocenti in evg. & left books at M^{rs} Crowninshield. Then to call on Helen. The Spelmans, M^r

Burton, M. MSS 233

1924

Florence, Rome

Pinsent & M^r Temple dined here.

28 Sept.

Sun.

Dusting books all morning. We had tea with the Buttles, & on to Ada's for dinner. Cold wind.

29 Sept.

Mon.

M^r Gilbertson called after lunch. H. out with him. After tea with H. to buy kitchen chairs etc. We dined with Ethel. Also Ada.

30 Sept.

Tues.

Maria in in morning with patterns of stuffs. M^r Allan in after tea. We dined at the Dursts. People in afterwards. Miss Moller, Miss Durst etc.

1 Oct.

Wed

Left Florence with Jim Allan in his car at 8.50. A.M. Fine morning, but rained after we left Siena. Lunched at Radicofani <Pension Vertunno.>, & reached Rome at 6 P.M. Poured most of the way.

2 Oct.

Thurs.

Raining. Called for the Bagnanis & took them to the Vatican & St. Peters in the morning. ~~Gilbert with us i~~<I>n afternoon to St. Paoli Fuori & the Appian Way.

Burton, M. MSS 234

1924

Rome

3 Oct.

Fri.

Gilbert with us to the Palatine & spent the morning there. After lunch Jim, H & I to S. Sabina, Valla Malta, S. Saba & S. Prassede. The Bagnanis to dinner.

4 Oct.

Sat.

Called for Gilbert at 11 & to Tivoli. Over Villa d'Este & Hadrian's Villa. Lunched at the Sibilla & saw Temples of Vesta & Tiburtino. After lunch to Palestrina & over Temple of Fortune & Villa Barberini. Back to Rome at 6 & had tea with Mme Bagnani.

5 Oct.

Sun.

Picked up the Bagnanis at 11 A.M. & to the Basilicata, San Giovanni Laterano, S. ^{ta} Maria Maggiore. Lunched with the Bs at the Ulpia (Trajan's Forum). Afterwards to Ostia. Back at 7 P.M. M^f van Leer called.

6 Oct.

Mon.

Left Rome at 9 A.M. A few

Burton, M. MSS 235

1924

Florence

minutes at Viterbo & on to Acquapendente. Saw the church, & had lunch. Left again at 1.30 & to Pienza. <2.45.> Saw the Cathedral & Villa Piccolomini & Museo (Piviale) & left at 3.45. Siena at 5 & on to Castellina in Chianti - To Florence by Radda & arrived at 7.30. Dined at the Grand Hotel with Jimm/<m>.

7 Oct.

Tues.

H. out shopping with J. in morning & he motored H. & the van Leers to the Certosa after lunch. They all came back for tea. Also Ada. Ethel, the van Leers, Jim & Ada to dinner.

8 Oct.

Wed.

Nesta, M^r Lamb & M^r Roskill to ~~din~~/<tea>. With H. to Peyron.

9 Oct.

Thurs.

H. & I lunched with Ethel. Ada M^{rs} Leith & Lady Houston-Boswell. Dined with the Spelmans. M^r Pinsent.

10 Oct.

Fri.

M^r Sargent, Ada & M^r Davies to dinner.

Burton, M. MSS 236

1924

Florence

11 Oct.

Sat.

To see Ethel off at 2. Also M^{rs}
Leith & M^r/L^{ady} Houston-Boswell.

12 Oct.

Sun.

We lunched with the Courvoisiers
The Wilfred Bramlys there. To M^r
Procter's for tea, & dined with Ada.

13 Oct.

Mon.

M^r Lambe, M^r Roskell & Baroness
de Kerbrech to tea.

14 Oct.

Tues.

We lunched with M^r Sargent.
M^r Davies came with us. Walked
up to Arcetri after to inquire for
M^{rs} Maclean who was in the
bad railway accident. The
Pasquis & Ada to dinner & the
Contis came in after.

17 Oct.

Fri.

M^{rs} Willis & Miss Mackern to tea
H & I to Gambrinus after dinner to
see Jackie Coogan in "Daddy".

18 Oct.

Sat.

to a party at the Butties.
Masses of people. We dined with
Miss Ryerson. M^r & M^{rs} House &
M^r Ashburner.

19 Oct.

We called on the Paysons & left

Burton, M. MSS 237

1924

Florence

a note on the Reddies. H. dined with
Ada.

21 Oct.

Tues.

M^{rs} Ottway & Miss Churchill to see flat.
The Nunns, Paysons & Ada to tea.
M^{rs} Reddie in later.

22 Oct.

Wed.

Mamma's birthday. To the Allori
with flowers. We went to tea with
the de Robecks. M^r Temple, Lady Sybil
Scott etc. Dined at M^{rs} Mason Jones.
M^r Bond, & the Paysons.

23 Oct.

Thurs.

Ada & M^r Barker to tea. Ada & Miss
Whytlaw to dine.

24 Oct.

Fri.

We had tea with Miss Penrose. Lots
of people. Poured.

25 Oct.

Sat.

M^r Howell, M^r Firth, M^r Perkins to
lunch. Baron de Cosson & M^{rs}
Jennings Bramly in aft. We went to
tea at the MacDougalls.

26 Oct.

Sun.

Miss Priuli Bon in morning to see
H. We lunched with M^r & Lady Sybil
Scott at Villa Medici, & walked down
to San Domenico. Tea at the Spelmans.

Burton, M. MSS 238

1924

Florence, at sea

Misses Sheldon, Nixon & Fernie & M^r
M^r Barr there. We dined at Ada's.

30 Oct.

Thurs.

After lunch to the Allori. H with
me. Took pink chrysanthemums, &
bought 2 pots of same - beautiful
plants, for All Soul's Day.

Ada to dinner. Giuseppe after.

31 Oct.

Fri.

We left Florence at 1.25 P.M. Arr.
Rome 7.20. To Restaurant where
we dined with Gilbert & Florence
Bagnani & Jim Allan. Left Rome
in Sleeping car at 8.20.

1 Nov.

Sat.

Breakfast in our carriage at Bari.
Arr. Brindisi 11.20. To Hotel
Met Winlocks. Embarked at mid-
day & sailed at 2 P.M. The
Davieses, M^r Hauser & M^r Wilkinson
& 2 new young men, Peek & Cline
on board. Cabin 168. Deck D.
Calm & hot.

2 Nov.

Sun.

Calm. M^{rs} Bristowe at our table.
Her husband in Anglo-Persian Oil Co
at Port Saïd.

Burton, M. MSS 239

1924

Cairo

3 Nov.

Mon.

Arr. Alex 4 P.M. Saw Col. Parker on board.

Purser did our passports, so no queue.

Customs awful as usual. The Davieses

& Crages (?) in our carriage. Dinner

on train. Dep. 8 P.M. Arr. Cairo 11.45.

M^{rs} Scott up to welcome us. Room 230.

the one we had for 3½ years during
the war.

4 Nov.

Tues.

Moved down to 131, the room we have
always had since the war. Edwina's.

We had tea with M^{rs} Scott. Katie

Bell & Miss Latley. Called on the

Garrys. King Fuad arr. back from

Alex. Terrace crowded to see him &

Zaghloul go by. Mertons etc.

5 Nov.

Wed.

Balchin in morning. H & I shopping
in aft. Katie dined with us.

6 Nov.

Thurs.

K with us to tea at Miss Latley's.

We went after to Garrys. With K.

M^{rs} Mohan after dinner, M^r Cline.

The de Cossas came in.

7 Nov.

K with us to tea at the Mertons &

Burton, M. MSS 240

1924

Cairo, Luxor

on with us to the Tommy Russells.
Also with us to dine at the
Phillips.

8 Nov.

Sat.

H & I to Musky after lunch. Bought
rugs at Mustafa's. Back for
tea. Balchin in. Then shopped.
Capt Cresswell & Mustacchi in
later. Also M^r Percy White while
we were out. To Lawrence & Mayo
in morning.

9 Nov.

Sun.

Left by the 7 P.M. for Luxor. The
(Assuan) Watts in train with us &
3 Dutch tourists. No one else.

10 Nov.

Mon.

Arr. Luxor 8.50. Bayumi, Ali
Khalil & a whole lot of the servants
on platform. Breakfast at the
Luxor Hotel. The Ford on river
bank, & had to go round by M^r
Carter's house. Very hot. M^r
Hauser, M^r Peek & M^r Cline here.
<After dinner all of us in bus to Medinet Habu.>

11 Nov.

Tues.

The Winlocks arrived, with Miss
Willis, the Governess.

Burton, M. MSS 241

1924

Luxor

18 Nov.

Tues.

Walk with H. after tea by Temple & then to call on the Davieses.

19 Nov.

D^r & M^{rs} Wilfred Grenfell <of Labrador> came to lunch.

21 Nov.

Fri.

M^r Quibell arrived in morning to stay a few days. D^r Nelson in at tea time. Walk with H. after. We got the news of the attempt on the life of the Sirdar.

23 Nov.

Sun.

Walk with H after tea. The Winlocks & M^r Quibell to tea at the Nelsons, & they dined with the Davieses. Cold wind. <& overcast.>

24 Nov.

Mon.

M^r Q. to Luxor in morning & back for tea. He brought us news from the Arab papers of the terms of the Ultimatum from the Home Government to the Egyptians on account of the murder of the Sirdar D^r Allen (Chicago University) to lunch. Walk with H. after tea. Cold, but clear & bright.

25 Nov.

Tues.

Harry, M^r Peek, M^r Quibell & I walked down to the Ramesseum & back in morning. M^r Quibell & M^r Winlock left at 3.30 for Luxor en route to Cairo. H & I walked to the Nelsons for tea. D^r

Burton, M. MSS 242

1924

Luxor

Allen there. We went over the house.

26 Nov.

Wed.

Not out all day. The Nelsons & D^r

Allen to tea.

28 Nov.

Fri.

Polishing furniture. In afternoon with H.

to Hui <40.> in bus. Walk after tea to Temple.

29/<30> Nov.

Sat./<un>

M^r Winlock returned. With H & M^{rs}

W. to Huy after lunch. M^{rs} W. back to

Ramesseum to sketch. Walk to Temple <with H.>

1 Dec.

Mon.

In aft to fetch H from Huy in car. Then

with M^{rs} Winlock & children the long

way round to River bank. Walk by

Temple after tea with H. M^{rs} Davies in

at tea time, & M^r Nelson at breakfast.

2 Dec.

Tues.

H & I, M^{rs} Winlock & Frances & M^r Peek

to Luxor after lunch. Back for tea.

River very wide & difficult to cross.

Towed up Western bank. Walk after tea.

3 Dec.

Writing letters all day. Walk with H.

4 Dec.

Thurs.

Sewing all mornng. Walk with H. after
tea & to the Davieses. M^r Nelson in mornng.
After lunch with M^{rs} Winlock &
Frances in car to the River to take back
mattrass man.

Burton, M. MSS 243

1924

Luxor

5 Dec.

Fri.

Aunt Hattie's birthday. The Mudir called this morning as the result of M^r Lythgoe's visit to the American Minister asking that precautions should be taken for our safety. H & I for walk after tea to Temple.

6 Dec.

Walk with H. after tea - Temple.

7 Dec.

Sun.

Barbara seedy. Temp. 102°. The Nelsons to dinner. Walk with H. to Temple.

8 Dec.

Mon.

Barbara's temp. still 102°. No doctor sent for, & child eating baked potatoes, digestive biscuits & orange juice. Walk to Temple with H.

9 Dec.

Tues.

Frances' birthday. 11. Gave her bag & handkerchief. B. still high temp. M^r W. went to Luxor & got the doctor from the "Sudan". Diagnosis tonsillitis. M^r & M^{rs} Byne & M^r Hyde to lunch. Walk with H. after tea. Frances up to dinner.

10 Dec.

Wed.

M^r Callender arrived. M^r Crosby & M^r Pomeroy to lunch. Walk after tea with H. & M^r Callender.

11 Dec.

Thurs.

Colonel Watson after lunch, with
the Phillipsons (Belgian Jews, friends of

Burton, M. MSS 244

1924

Luxor

D^r Capart. He was Director of all the Belgian Wireless during the War.)

Out in bus with Frances after to river & round by M^r Carter's house. We took Irene. Walk with H.

12 Dec.

Fri.

M^r Callender left about 10.30.

M^{elle} Verbrouck & M^{lle} le Beau called at tea time. Walk with Harry.

13 Dec.

Sat.

M^r, M^{rs} & Miss Phillipson to tea. Walk with H. after.

18 Dec.

Thurs.

The Nelsons to tea. The Davieses & M^r Wilkinson to dinner. Not out all day. Gloomy.

19 Dec.

Fri.

Good shower of rain in early morning. Bright sunshine after 3 cloudy days. Walked to Temple in morning & again after tea with H.

23 Dec.

Tues.

H. & I for a walk after lunch by Der el Medina & Sheikh Hassan's house. & afterwards at 4 in bus to river bank to pick up M^r Davies & M^r Peek.

24 Dec.

Wed.

The Lythgoes arrived about midday. Walk with H after tea. The Davieses

& M^r W. over to greet the Lythgoes.

Burton, M. MSS 245

1924

Luxor

Xmas Day.

Thurs.

H & I & M^{rs} Winlock, children & Miss Willis to Luxor in morning. Had to walk a good way from the bus to the river bank. H. & I to cemetery to see to the graves of Travers Allan & Prof. Lafleur. & then to the W. P. to arrange about them with the gardener & to get roses. Talking to M^r Bolland & the Tites. Back for lunch. M^r Harrison Gardiner to lunch. Decorating tree & drawing & dining room after with M^{rs} Lythgoe M^{rs} W. & Frances. The Nelsons & M^{lle} Bau & M^{lle} Verbrouck to tea. The Davieses & M^r Wilkinson to dinner. Games after. Bed late.

28 Dec.

Fri.

M^r & M^{rs} Stewart Johnston to lunch. He is 1st Sec. of American Legation just come from Berlin to relieve the Crawfords. They stayed to tea. Colonel Lucas & M^r Wood of the Buffs on leave from Alex. to tea. Walk after with H. Winlocks & M^{rs} Lythgoe. Very cold.

Burton, M. MSS 246

1924.5

Luxor

30 Dec.

Tues.

H & I, M^r Hauser & M^r Wilkinson to Luxor in morning. The children & Miss W. in bus. Cold & no sun. Saw Gardener. Pohoomull etc. Talking to D^r Worthington.

31 Dec.

Wed.

My birthday. Capt. Newton to lunch. Mrs/ <iss> Huller (Miss Whytlaw's friend) in after lunch, to tea. Cake with candles! Walk with H. played Mah-Jong with Mrs L., M^{rs} W. & Frances.

1 Jan.

Thurs.

Miss Huller & Phillipsons (English) in morning. M^r & M^{rs} Billy Hornblower to lunch. Walk with H. Finished anti-m.

2 Jan.

Fri.

All of us photographed in group in morning. With M^{rs} Lythgoe & Frances in bus to river after lunch & waited for Ali Khalil. Back long way round. Very cold.

3 Jan.

Sat.

M^r Davies in after dinner. M^r D. left for Abu Simbel in morning. Walk with H. after tea.

4 Jan.

M^r Wilkinson to lunch.

5 Jan.

M^{rs} Lythgoe's birthday. Gave her a bag.

Burton, M. MSS 247

1925

Luxor

M^r Davies in after dinner. Walk with H. to Temple.

6 Jan.

Tues.

The Winlocks to lunch with the Hornblowers. M^r Cline to Meta mut. M^{rs} L. Frances & I in bus at 2.30 to meet the Winlocks. Walked along river bank. Walk with H. after tea round cultivation.

7 Jan.

Wed.

After lunch with H & M^r Lythgoe to Valley of Kings with movie camera. Also M^{rs} W. & Frances. They walked home. Walk to Temple after tea with M^{rs} L. M^r Davies & M^r Wilkinson to dinner. Cross-words puzzles.

8 Jan.

Thurs.

Walk after tea with M^r & M^{rs} Lythgoe & H. To Davieses with papers. Miss Moss. M^{rs} D. back from Abu Simbel in aft. Cold & windy. Tent up on lawn & spent aft out there reading to M^{rs} L. & Frances.

9 Jan.

Fri.

With H & M^r Lythgoe in bus to Valley, & then walked up behind Tutankhamen on to Plateau & round by Harry's b/<p>ath to rejoin tourist path & down to Der el Bahari. Movie taking
Lovely day. Walk after tea with M^{rs} L. & M^{rs} W.

Burton, M. MSS 248

1925

Luxor

10 Jan.

Sat.

After lunch with the Lythgoes, M^{rs} W. & F. to Luxor. Pohoomull etc & basket shop. Work-basket. D^r Worthington. Hornblowers left. Back for tea. D^r & M^{rs} Cowan & Miss Ives to tea. Walk with M^{rs} L. & Harry to see newly uncovered Temple steps up to ramp.

11 Jan.

Sun

Miss Ives to lunch. Afterwards M^{rs} Phillips, & later M^{rs} Finch Jones, Molly Hornsby, Katherine, M^r Tryman & M^r Kenyon to tea. Walk with H. Fire in dining room for dinner. Cold night.

12 Jan.

Mon.

After lunch with H. & M^r & M^{rs} Lythgoe in bus to Medinet Habu & Colossi ghissa, with movie camera. Picked M^{rs} W. up near Colossi & brought her home. Cold.

13 Jan.

Tues.

H & I & M^r Peek in bus to Luxor after lunch. Also F. as far as river. To Pohoomul about jacket. H & I walked to the cemetery to see about T. A's grave. Walked back as far as native Tribunal. Met M^{rs} L. & M^{rs} W. at Hotel, also

Burton, M. MSS 249

1925

Luxor

M^r Peek & Frances & all back together. M^r Cline, Miss W. & Barbara waiting in bus. Cold day & windy. 62°. The Ls & Ws lunched with M^r Hyde on the Khonsu.

Jan 14.

Wed.

M^r Hyde & M^r & M^{rs} Byne to lunch. They had tea with the Davieses. Walk with M^{rs} L. & to Davieses after. Fire in dining room for dinner & we all sat there afterwards. Cold day 62°.

Jan 15.

Thurs.

After lunch Monsieur & Madame Mounerat who stayed to tea. (Director Gen. of Cairo Water Works). M^r Whittemore in morn. at breakfast time. After tea with M^{rs} & M^r L. to Temple. Met M^{rs} D. & Miss Moss there.

Jan 16.

Fri

Sitting in tent sewing between lunch & tea M^r Whittemore in for a short time after lunch. M^{rs} Davies & Miss Moss to tea & M^{rs} L. & I for a walk with them after to Lansing 1915 dig. M^r Carter arrived?

17 Jan.

Sat.

After lunch Princess Bessima Fouad & her companion Miss Davison & her niece Miss Green. They stayed to tea. Later for tea Lady Sybil Scott & M^r Lubbock. Walk

Burton, M. MSS 250

1925

Luxor

with H. Reading in tent after lunch.

18 Jan.

Sun.

M^{rs} L. & I in bus to river to meet M^{rs} Armstrong, for lunch. M^{rs} W. Frances & I back with her to river at 3.30. M^{rs} L & I to tea with M^{rs} Davies & Miss Moss, & walk after.

19 Jan.

Mon.

Windstorm in night. After tea H. took a photograph-group of us all. Walk with M^r & M^{rs} L. & H. round cultivation.

20 Jan.

Tues.

H. & I in bus to Luxor. Miss W. with us to river. Lunched with M^{rs} Armstrong. Met <M^r &> M^{rs} Bret Young & D^r Munthe (Physician to Queen of Sweden). After lunch Baroness Szilassy, M^{rs} Mond & her niece. To Pohoomul & tried on jacket, bought string of turquoises. Back for tea. M^{rs} L, M^{rs} W. & Frances in bus to meet us. Walk after tea with M^r & M^{rs} L. At dinner felt the Col. had gone. Cold wind. M^r Carter arrived yesterday & was here while we were out.

Burton, M. MSS 251

1925

Luxor

21 Jan.

Wed.

M^{rs} Fowler, Miss Brewer & Miss Hodges
to lunch. Capt. Newton after lunch.

Tea early & in bus with M^r & M^{rs} L.
to river. M^r L. left for Cairo.

22 Jan.

Thurs.

Lady Sybil & M^r Lubbock were to have come
to lunch, but she seedy. Cloudy & overcast.
In afternoon, to tea, M^r & Mme Merzbach & M^r
Carter. D^r & M^{rs} Morton Howell called.
M^r Harkness' birthday. M^r L. sent cable
yesterday. We had a fantasia in aft.
Gufti band. Mahomed Saïd's little girl
danced. Naboul fighting. M^{rs} Davies &
Miss Moss over. Walk after alone.

23 Jan.

Fri.

M^r & M^{rs} Garfield & Miss G. to lunch &
tea. Walk after with M^{rs} L. More
music & single-stick fighting. H & I
dined with the Davieses. Miss Moss
& M^r Wilkinson. M^r Garfield is
President of Williams, & the son of
President (of the U.S.A.) Garfield who
was murdered.

24 Jan.

M^r Lythgoe arrived back from Cairo.

Burton, M. MSS 252

1925

Luxor

Lady Sybil & M^r Lubbock to lunch.

Walk after tea with H & M^{rs} L. Very cold.

25 Jan.

Sun.

M^{rs} Armstrong to spend the day. M^{rs}

Mond & her niece Miss Le Manach to

tea, also M^r Callender who stayed to dinner

Walk with M^{rs} L. & H.

26 Jan.

Mon.

M^r Ballard & M^r Parkes in morning.

The Brett Youngs, M^r Quibell & Monsieur

Lefèbre to lunch. Afterwards to tea the

Brett Youngs, M^{rs} Fowler & Miss Hodges,

Princess Bessima, Miss Davidson &

Miss Green, M^r Ballarde & M^r Parkes,

M^r, M^{rs}, & Miss Garfield. M. Kuentz

also called. Walk with H.

27 Jan.

Tues.

H & I to Luxor to lunch with Lady

Sybil Scott & M^r Lubbock. The Brett

Youngs also. M^{rs} W. & F came over

with us to lunch with M^{rs} Armstrong.

To Pohoomull with jacket. Picked

M^{rs} W. up at M^{rs} A's. M^{rs} Mond,

D^r Worthington & D^r Munthe. Warm.

28 Jan.

Wed.

H & M^r Lythgoe to Karnak to movie.

Burton, M. MSS 253

1925

Luxor

at 10. A.M. M^{rs} L. Davies & Winlock & I in bus to Valley, & M^r Carter took us into the Tomb to see the Coffin lying in the Sarcophagus. Very impressive.

M^{rs} Armstrong after lunch. M^r & M^{rs} Dick to tea. Walk with M^{rs} L. after & to M^{rs} Davies. H & M^r L. back at 4.30.
<Flowers & vegetables from M^{rs} Mond.>

29 Jan.

Thurs.

H. to Valley in morning. Walk with him after tea. Miss Moss to dinner.

30 Jan.

Bitterly cold wind & dust.

3 Feb.

Tues.

H & I to Luxor. Miss W. & F. in bus to river. To walking-stick man. Met the Brett Youngs & photographed them. Hampden's, Gaddis etc. Lunched with M^{rs} Armstrong. Talking to M^{rs} Fowler & M^{rs} Mond who gave me lots of flowers & vegetables. M^{rs} Lythgoe & M^{rs} W. came over after lunch & we all went back together, also M^r Peek at 4.30. Also M^{rs}/_{iss} Dalton (fiancée of M^{rs} W's brother) came for the night. Walk after tea with M^{rs} L. The Ws & Miss D. to Medinet Habu after dinner by moonlight.

Burton, M. MSS 254

1925

Luxor

M^{rs} Armstrong gave me string of blue beads. Back in the launch.

<Heard of M^{rs} Macy's death.>

4 Feb.

Wed.

M^{rs} King, M^{rs}/_{<iss>} Dalton's friend to lunch & tea.

Walk alone after tea. Miss D. & M^{rs} K left

5 Feb.

Thurs.

H. to Tomb in morning. The Baraizes here before lunch. M^{rs} Armstrong after lunch & to tea. Walk alone.

6 Feb.

Fri.

Bad cold & cough. To bed after tea. <no dinner> The Lythgoes & Winlocks dined at the Nelsons to greet the Breasteds. Lying down all aft.

7 Feb.

Sat.

Better. D^r Derry arrived in morning.
No lunch. Not out.

8 Feb.

Sun.

Better. M^r & M^{rs} Winship arrived about 10.30 A.M. Bishop Gore after lunch & stayed for tea. M^r Lynden Smith & his daughter also for tea. Afterwards with Bishop Gore & M^r Winship to river in bus. Dropped D^r Derry at M^r Carter's on the way. Waited at river for M^r Winship who went to Luxor. Picked up M^{rs} Davies & Miss Moss. Talking to M^r Carter & M^{rs}/_{<r>} Lucas.

Burton, M. MSS 255

1925

Luxor

9 Feb.

Mon.

Cough still uncomfortable. M^{rs} Armstrong to lunch. Walk after to Temple with the Lythgoes & Winships.

10 Feb.

Tues.

H & I to Luxor. Miss Willis & children to river. Met M^{rs} Armstrong, M^{rs} Brett Young & D^r Munthe. Tailor in M^{rs} A's rooms. Lunched with the Monds. M^{rs} A. & M^r Emery there. On the Mond's terrace after. H. to cemetery. Tea on terrace with the Winships, Lythgoes, M^{rs} Winlock & M^r Peek. M^r Winship left at 7 P.M. for Cairo.

11 Feb.

Wed.

D^r Brett Young over in morning for lunch & tea. D^r & M^{rs} Howard after lunch. M^r Robbins & the Davieses & Miss Moss to tea. Horrid windy dusty day. D^r Derry left for Cairo after tea. My cough still troublesome. Letter from Jeannette announcing her engagement to Fred Kohn.

12 Feb.

Thurs.

M^{rs} Bagg & her daughter, Marchesa de Rosales to lunch. M^r & M^{rs} Robbins to

Burton, M. MSS 256

1925

Luxor

tea. Horrid day, windy & clouds of sand.
Walk to Temple with H. The Lythgoes &
M^{rs} Winship to tea with the Davieses.

13 Feb.

Fri.

The Winlocks lunched at Luxor. M^{rs}
L. M^{rs} Winship & I to Temple before tea.
M^r Merton for tea. Walk round cul-
tivation with H. Still coughing.

14 Feb.

Sat.

Bad night with cough. After lunch
with Lythgoes & M^{rs} Winship, M^{rs} W. &
Frances to river. M^{rs} Winship left by
evening train. H & I for walk up
the hill opposite, along the ridge &
down by tourist path. Baraize to
lunch.

15 Feb.

Sun.

M^r Mond here in morning. M^{rs} Arm-
strong to lunch. M^r Newberry in later.
Both to tea. Walk with H. to cultivation.

16 Feb.

Mon.

H. very rude to me at lunch. People
here afterwards, M^{rs} Manson Smith's
friends, but didn't see them. Walk
alone after tea, up hill & round
by tourist path.

Burton, M. MSS 257

1925

Luxor

17 Feb.

Tues.

M^r Evelyn Baring arrived in morning
& went over to the Valley immediately to
see Tut ankh amen. H & I, M^{rs} W. Frances
M^r Peek to Luxor after lunch. H. to
Savoy to call on Miss Littell etc. I to
M^{rs} Armstrong & got D^r Worthington to
overhaul me. All right. Cough still
tiresome. With M^{rs} A. to Luxor Hotel
& H. later & tea with the Brett Youngs.
Talking to M^{rs} Newberry & Miss Moss,
M^{rs} Ryan, Miss Percy White, Father Carden,
Lady Sybil, M^r Lubbock, D^r Munthe,
M^{rs} Ackroyd etc. Winlocks, M^r Peek
& ourselves bath together at 5.30.
Also the Lynden Smiths at the Luxor.

18 Feb.

Wed.

Three years since To-To died. M^r
Baring went off to Tombs of Nobles &
Ramesseum in morning. Miss Littell
Miss Winslow etc to tea. Walk with
M^{rs} L. after. Harry & M^r L. all day
with movie at Luxor. To the
Davieses with M^{rs} L.

Burton, M. MSS 258

1925

Luxor

19 Feb.

Thurs.

D^r & M^{rs} Flexner (distinguished American bacteriologist & discoverer of germ & serum for infant paralysis. Head of the Rockefeller Foundation), & D^r Boak of Michigan University, to lunch.

After tea walk with H by cultivation.

M^r Baring up cliffs. He went to Luxor after lunch, & in morning to Tombs of Queens, Der el Medina & Colossi.

20 Feb.

Fri.

Linden Smiths in at tea time. Walk with H by cultivation.

21 Feb.

Sat.

Miss Willis bitten by dog. She & M^{rs} W went to Luxor to see D^r & stayed to lunch.

Children lunched with us. M^r Mond, M^{rs} Davies & Miss Moss to tea & later M^r M^c Cormick, M^r Horder & M^r Cowles. (M^r Peek's friend). Walk by Temple with H.

22 Feb.

Sun.

To River in morning with M^r Baring & M^{rs} W. & children. M^r B. lunched with Colonel Owen. M^{rs} Armstrong lunched here & teaed at Davieses.

Burton, M. MSS 259

1925

Luxor

M^r L. to Davies' after tea. H. & I for a walk to Temple.

23 Feb.

Mon.

M^r L. laid up with cold. M^r & M^{rs} Procter (friends of Harknesses) to tea. Also M^r M^c Cormick, 2 sons, daughter-in-law, M^r & M^{rs} Cowles & Hugh Walpole. Later to River with M^r Peek who was to dine on the Khonsu with the M^c Cormicks. Also M^{rs} W. & M^r Hauser. After dinner at 9.30 to river to pick up M^r P. with M^r Hauser, Miss Willis & M^r Baring. H. to see M^r Carter etc. after tea.

24 Feb.

Tues.

M^r Baring out shooting with Col. Owen after lunch. M^{rs} Winlock & F. lunched with Monds. M^r Cline out. M^r L. still in his room. M^r Callender to tea. H & I for walk by cultivation.

25 Feb.

Wed.

M^r Baring left after lunch for Asswan tomorrow & Wady Halfa. F. & I went to the river to see him off. Awful wind & dust & confusion with tourists. The Lynden Smiths to tea. <Walk to Temple with M^{rs} Lythgoe.>

Burton, M. MSS 260

1925

Luxor

26 Feb.

Thurs.

Captain Smith (9th Lancers) & Lady Leirim to lunch. Afterwards with them & M^{rs} L. to Valley of the Queens, Medinet Habu & Neckt. Back here for tea. Walk after with M^{rs} L. & Miss Moss. M^r L for tea, but he spent the rest of the day in his room. Very windy.

27 Feb.

Fri.

M^{rs} Winlock's birthday. M^{rs} Armstrong here in morning. M^{rs} Garvice to lunch. M^r Lythgoe in public again. M^r Lucas to tea & dinner. Walk alone by cultivation.

28 Feb.

Sat.

Walk alone round cultivation before tea & again after with M^{rs} Lythgoe. To Davieses. M^{rs} A. here in morning but not in.

1 March.

Sun.

M^{rs} Greg turned up ~~su~~/un>expectedly at lunch time. M^r Greg later & they stayed to tea. On their way to Bangkok from home leave. Walk after to Temple with M^{rs} L.

2 March.

Mon.

M^r & M^{rs} Kimball & M^r Carter to lunch. M^r & M^{rs} K. to tea. M^r Cline laid up & D^r Worthington to see him. No walk as

Burton, M. MSS 261

1925

Luxor

my legs troublesome.

3 March.

Tues.

M^r & M^{rs} Church Osborne arrived. H & I to Luxor after lunch. Shopping & drove to cemetery. Talking to M^{rs} Newberry. They are taking him down to Cairo tonight (stretcher to station). Fever for 10 days & D^r W. thinks paratyphoid on top of bronchitis & slight congestion of the lungs. Tea with M^{rs} Armstrong & Miss Le Manach. D^r W. to see M^r Cline. Normal. Walters (of Times) here to tea & others while we were away.

4 March.

Wed.

H. to Valley to work on objects at Seti II - laboratory. Back after lunch. M^r & Miss Wiborg to tea. Afterwards they went to river in bus with the Winlocks, M^r Hauser, M^r Peek & M^r Wilkinson who are all off to Kharga. M^r Cline still in his room though all right. Only the Lythgoes, Church Osbornes & ourselves & Miss Willis at dinner.

5 Mar.

Thurs.

H. to Valley in morning. Back for tea walking. Walk with him by cultivation after.

Burton, M. MSS 262

1925

Luxor

M^r Cline appeared normally. M^r Lythgoe left for Cairo from here at 5. The Church Osbornes left after lunch. Only H. M^{rs} L. Miss W. & I, & M^r Cline for dinner. M^{rs} Davies & Moss after to play Bridge with M^{rs} L. & Miss Willis.

6 Mar.

Fri.

M^r & M^{rs} Lansing & M^r Howe arrived in morning. H. to Valley, & back for tea. M^r Baring to lunch. After~~erw/~~<er> tea at 4 M^r B., the Lansings, children Miss W. & I in bus to river bank, dropping the Ls at Medinet Habu & picking them up on the way back, & leaving them again at Der el Bahari. Walk round cultivation with H.

7 March.

Sat.

The Lansings left very early to catch the 9.15 A.M. train to Asswan. H. to Valley.

8 March.

Sun.

Lady Sybil & M^r Lubbock arrived at 10.30 A.M. & stayed until 5 P.M. she resting on my bed most of the time. M^r Cline went over to Luxor after lunch to leave for. Kharga tomorrow.

Burton, M. MSS 263

1925

Luxor

9 March.

Mon.

H. went over to Luxor with Miss Moss at 7.45 A.M. to movie the Festival of Abul Hagag. Frances, M^r Howe & I followed at 10.30. Miss W. & Barbara to river with us. Met Miss Moss in Hotel & then to Luxor Hotel where we found Harry & had drinks. All of us to Luxor Temple where M^r Lubbock joined us. M^r Mond etc. Back to Luxor Hotel with M^r L. for lunch. H. couldn't come, & Lady Sybil laid up with bad headache. Back to Temple after lunch & saw the Procession. Rather interesting survival of the Barque of Amon. First gaily dressed camels & riders, most elaborately got up, then procession of donkeys, then Sheikhs & banners, more camels with "howdahs" rather like mahmal, & then 2 boats on carts, the boats full of children. The "howdahs" - covered - had boys inside singing. Great crowds, drums, dust & heat. H. got back to Winter Palace at 3 & had some sandwiches etc. &

Burton, M. MSS 264

1925

Luxor

I went up to see M^{rs} Armstrong who was in great distress. Had had news from Hertford that her eldest grandson (7) had been run over by a motor, & pelvis bone & arm broken. No internal injuries. M^{rs} Mond there. Afterwards in lounge D^r Worthington, M^{rs} Scott, M^c Cormicks, Kimballs, Holdens. <Breasteds & Nelsons.>. Miss Moss, Frances M^r Howe & we back at 4.30 to bank & found M^r Cline in bus, who had had wire from Kharga not to come. Bad weather & short supplies. Headache.

10 March.

Tues.

H. to Valley. No day of rest this week! Lord Exmouth to breakfast. Lovely clear day after 3 days of Khamseen. A party of Davidsons & Le Braz to tea also Sir Hesketh Bell. H. & I for walk by Temple. The Lansings returned from Aswan. M^r Cline & M^r Howe to Luxor for the night & to go to Edfu tomorrow.

11 March.

Wed.

Miss Willis laid up with sore throat & fever. Looking after her all day.

Burton, M. MSS 265

1925

Luxor

To river in bus at 4.30 to meet M^r Cline.
M^r Howe stayed at Edfu. The Breasteds &
Nelsons here after tea. No walk. Harry gave
us a movie show after dinner with M^r
Harkness's new projector. Unwrapping
mummies (H's film) & Nile banks, taken
last year on the Chonsu by M^r Lythgoe.
M^{rs} L. slept in Winlock's room.

12 March.

Thurs.

Tending Miss Willis all day. D^r & M^{rs}
Morton Howell to lunch. M^r Cline went
to Luxor with them & ~~brought back~~/~~sent~~> D^r
Worthington who stayed to tea. H & I
for walk by cultivation. Met the bus
bringing back the Winlocks & M^r
Peek from Kharga, M^r Howe from Edfu
& M^r Cline from Luxor. M^r Carter &
M^r Lucas came after tea & stayed until
latish. The children sat up to dinner,
& we had the movie after. Miss W.
normal. H back early from Valley.

13 March.

Fri.

Miss W. all right & up. Dame
Clarissa Guthrie Read & M^{rs} Mackay to tea

Burton, M. MSS 266

1925

Luxor

H. home early from Valley. Walk with him after tea.

14 March.

Sat.

With M^{rs} L. & M^r Howe to Luxor at 2.30.
Very hot windy & khamseeny. To M^{rs} Armstrong & she gave me & M^{rs} L. clothes & things to bring back for M^{rs} Winlock.
Tea with M^{rs} A. & back with M^r H. at 5. M^r Cline joined us at bus back from Edfu. M^{rs} Lythgoe left by the 7 P.M. train for Cairo. Walk with H. when I got back.

15 Mar.

Sun

The Lansings left after lunch. M^{rs} W. F. & I to river with them. Very hot & khamseeny. After tea with H. & M^r Howe to the Temple to look at Neferu.

16 Mar.

Mon.

M^r Howe left at 7 A.M. M^r Peek with him to Luxor but back for lunch.
M. Bénédict (Conservateur of the Louvre) & M. Baraize to lunch. Very hot. 90.
M^r Winlock very seedy & to bed after tea. Walk with H. after tea by cultivation Porters in morning but didn't see them.

Burton, M. MSS 267

1925

Luxor

17 Mar.

Tues.

St Patrick's Day. H & I & M^{rs} W. & F. to Luxor at 2. Also M^{rs} Davies & Miss Moss. Ices with M^{rs} Armstrong, & shopping. Very hot. 97. On the way home to tea with the Breasteds. M^{rs} D. & Miss Moss came later & picked us up. M^r W. in bed all day.

18 Mar.

Wed.

To Luxor at 10.30. With M^{rs} Armstrong for lunch & tea. Talking to Crosbys, Porters, Baroness Szilassy & D^r W. To chemists' & Chellaram & paid them. To visit M^{rs} Scott & M^{rs} Mond. Back at 5 with M^r Davies, M^r Hauser & M^r Wilkinson back from Kharga. Prof. Steindorf here for lunch Very hot 100°.

19 Mar.

Slightly over 100°. Walk with H.

20 Mar.

Fri.

95°, but felt hotter than yesterday. In morning M^r & M^{rs} Douglas & 2 daughters (friends of the Harkness's) called, & also M^r Peek came back for half an hour & brought his friend Miss Wood. D^r Breasted & the Nelsons to dinner. M^{rs} B. laid up with flu! Walk round Temple with H.

Burton, M. MSS 268

1925

Luxor

after tea. Movie of M^r W. & mummy
after dinner.

22/<1> Mar.

Sat.

Very hot. 96°. Heavy sultry. Walk
with H. by cultivation & on hill. The
Winlocks to M^r Carter. M^r Peek back
in evg.

23/<2> Mar.

Sun.

101°. Walk with H. Winlocks dined
with the Davieses.

23 Mar

<103°.>

M^r Mond in morning to say goodbye.
<H. to M^r Carter's in evg. with prints. M^{rs} Davies left.>

24 Mar.

Tues.

H. & I to Luxor at 10.30. M^r Cline also.
M^{rs} Armstrong walked into the town
with us to buy crash. We lunched with
M^{rs} Scott. D^r Worthington after. Tea
with M^{rs} Scott, also M^{rs}/^r> A. M^r Cline
M^r Hauser & M^r Wilkinson. Back
together. Three? Miss Rentouls here
to lunch while we were away. M^{rs}
Davies & Miss Moss left yesterday.
To say goodbye to them at 4 & tea there.

25 Mar.

Wed.

M^{rs} Breasted supposed to have dipt~~th~~<ht>heria
M^r Lindon Smith in morning but didn't
see him. With H. after lunch in bus

Burton, M. MSS 269

1925

Luxor

to M^r Carter's ghissa with movie camera doing shadoofs. Very hot. Walk after tea alone. H. tired.

26 Mar.

Thurs.

M^r Peek's friend, M^r Cerney to lunch. Cooler. Police officer in morning. M^r Carter after tea & took H. & me out in car to Valley of Queen's, Der el Moharram, & the "Palace". M^r Davies & M^r Wilkinson to dinner. Ramadan begins.

27 Mar.

Fri.

Walk with M^{rs} W. & children to Temple, & back with H. to hill. Sept in M^{rs} L's room.

28 Mar.

Sat.

Walk round cultivation with M^{rs} Winlock, children & Harry.

29 Mar.

Sun.

M^r Carter after tea. Took the Winlocks driving. H & I round cultivation

30 Mar.

Mon.

With H. round cultivation Hot & hazy. 96°
M^r Carter & M^r Callender to dinner & movies 1 & 2 after.

31 March.

Tues.

M^{rs} Winlock, the children & Miss Willis left at 5. M^r Winlock spent the night in Luxor. Walk with H by cultivation

Burton, M. MSS 270

1925

Luxor

1 April.

Wed.

Walk with H after tea. Tea alone. M^r
Winlock back in morning. Very hot.

2 April.

Thurs.

103°. Worst khamseen I remember.
Blinding. Even pylons invisible. Tried
to walk after tea, but impossible. Thick
yellow like bad London fog.

3 April

Fri

Dropped to 66° in night. Clear day. High
dustless wind. Feels quite cold!

4 April

Sat.

With H. to Ramose after lunch.
After tea with H. to top of Sheikh Abd'
el Qurneh. <& Temple.> Lovely day <M^r Davies to
say goodbye. M^r Wilkinson. to stay.>

5 April

Sun.

M^r Carter in morning. H. late
for lunch working in Ramose. M^r
Hauser with fever. Walk with H. round
cultivation. M^r Carter & M^r Callender in
after dinner.

6 April

Mon.

Walk alone. Helping Harry with films
Two new movies after dinner. More
unwrapping of mummies & the draugh/<draft>ing
room. M^r H. still laid up.

7 April

Tues.

H & I to Luxor after lunch 3 P.M.

To cemetery & took photos of Travers

Burton, M. MSS 271

1925

Luxor

Allan's grave for Jim. Hampden's, & to tea with M^{rs} Scott at the Winter Palace. She crossed over with us for the sail. Movies after dinner. ~~Dei~~[?]. Karnak & Luxor <& packing cases.>

8 April.

Wed.

M^r Nelson in morning. Walk alone. Movies after dinner. Nile ferry & Valley of the Kings & Hatshepsut Temple.

9 April.

Thurs.

Walk with H. to Temple. M^r Winlock there. Movies after dinner. More Valley of Kings, Medinet Habu, Temple, group on steps.

10 April

Good

Friday

Third anniversary. Nelsons came after tea to say goodbye. No walk.

11 April.

Ramose with H. after tea & back by cultivation

12 April

<Easter Sunday.>

Walk to Temple with H. Sultry. 91°.

13 April

Mon.

M^r Callender arrived after breakfast from Erment, & left at 5 for Cairo. Walk with H by cultivation. Very hot.

14 April.

Tues.

H & I to Luxor at 3. To station for

tickets. Walked. Tea with M^{rs} Scott. who
crossed the river with us. Cool, but cloudy.

15 April.

Walk to Temple with H. after tea.

16 April.

Thurs.

Monsieur Baraize & M. & Mme Pilot?

Conservateur of the Chinese Dept at Louvre,

Burton, M. MSS 272

1925

Luxor, Cairo

& another old gentleman here in morning
Cloudy & fairly cool all day. Walk with
H. by cultivation. Rained at 9 P.M.

17 April.

Cloudy, cool wind. Walk with H. cul.

18 April.

Sat.

Cool, crystal clear in morning, hazy after.
Lovely sunset. Walk with H. cul.

19 April.

Easter Sun.

Cool. Clear in morning. Hazy later.
Walk with H. cul.

20 April.

Mon.

Walk alone, Temple. Movie show on
mandora after dinner for all the servants
& camera boys etc. Unwrapping mummies
River bank & group on steps.

21 April.

Walk with H. cul.

23 April

Walk with H. Temple. Very hot.

25 April.

Sat.

We left Qurneh at a little after 3 for
Luxor. Very hot. Drove to cemetery.
Tea with M^{rs} Scott, & left by the 6 P.M.
train. I had no dinner.

26 April.

Sun.

Arrived 7.30 A.M. up to time, to

Continental. Roses from Miss Latley.
M^r Wainwright before lunch. At 4.30
to Miss Latley's & with her to Sporting Club

Burton, M. MSS 273

1925

Cairo

where we had tea. Then walked back over Kasr el Nil bridge where she took tram & we drove. Balchin before dinner with roses. Bed early very tired.

27 April.

Mon.

H & I in car with movie camera. Called for M^r Wainwright at 4 Charia Wabour el Maza & to Pyramids, Sphinx etc. H. taking movies: 2 camera boys from Lisht. To the Reisner Camp to call on the Rows. M^r W. back to lunch with us & stayed until 4. Miss Latley at 4.15 & in car to M^r Farnall's for tea. The Quibells, Ponsos, Lansings, M^r Phillips etc. etc. H. & I with M^{rs} Phillips & Katharine to M^r Humphries at Boulac Dacrour. Lady Oakes. D^r Steele, Major & M^{rs} Douglas Hamilton, M^{rs} Taylor, M^{rs}/^r Marchmont etc. Garden lovely. M^{rs} P. brought us back, & she & Katharine din<e>d with us. Afterwards to lecture by Capart. Foucart, M^{elles} Werbrouck & Bau, M^r Erman, M^r

Burton, M. MSS 274

1925

Cairo

Melville etc. Bed late.

28 April.

Tues.

With H. to Bank. Mustacchis. Bought shoes, Greek cobbler. Indian tailor, Eshekia Hotchand. M^{rs} Phillips for us at 5. (Balchin in) & we went to a party at Lady Oakes. Lots of people. Ermans. Gayer Anderson, Douglas Hamiltons, Winships, M^r Humphries etc. Back to Garrys. out. Miss Latley to dinner.

29 April.

Wed.

D^r Garry in morning. M^r Winship called for us in car & we lunched with them. After to Musky & bought Yildiz lamp. D^r Steele to tea, & after to Garrys.

30 April.

Thurs.

M^r Peek arr. from Luxor & had breakfast with me. Left Cairo by the 9.30 A.M. to Alexandria. M^r Balchin at station with flowers. Arr. Alex 12.50. Drove from station to boat (Sitmar line) "Sicilia". Lunch on board. Sailed at 3 P.M. Cool. & calm. At table with Miss

Burton, M. MSS 275

1925

SS Sicilia, Rome, Florence

Wiggin & her 2 nieces, & Sir Horace & Lady Pinching & their daughter.

3 May.

Sun.

Two calm & lovely days at sea. A little rough last night. Arr. Messina 3.10 P.M. & H. & I ashore. Drove out to Campo Santo - fine view - & round the town & to see remains of Duomo & Sta Maria Catalana. Left at 8 P.M.

4 May.

Mon.

Arr. Naples 12.45. Landed after lunch 1.10 P.M. Got 14.45 train to Rome & arrived 7.10. Jim to meet us & take us home. Gilbert Bagnani to dine & M^r Whitehead staying in house.

5 May.

Tues.

After breakfast Jim took us to sta Susanna where Gilbert met us & showed us round. Then to American Catholic Church. & afterwards motored to Frascati. G. didn't come. Lunch & to station & train left at 2.20 P.M. Arr. Florence 7.59. & home for dinner. Masses of flowers from everyone & letters.

Burton, M. MSS 276

1925

Florence, <12>

6 May.

Wed.

<5>

Busy arranging drawing room & flowers all day. M^{rs} Armstrong called in morning. <Ethel & Florence after lunch.> Ada to tea, & M^{rs} Armstrong to dinner.

7 May.

Thurs.

<2>

Unpacking. H & I to tea with Miss Maude. ~~Capt~~ M^{rs} George Keppel, M^{rs} Ingram, Sir Archibald Edmonstone & Helen & the Baroness there. The latter motored me home. <Ada & Ella to dine.>

8 May.

Fri.

<2>

With Maria shopping in morning. With Ethel & M^{rs} Earle & H. to Holy Trinity to M^r Dearbergh's funeral service. Everybody there. The Manacordas to tea. We dined with Ethel. Florence Bagnani & the Claude Nevilles. Mah Jong & won 40 cts!

9 May.

Sat.

<1>

Third anniversary of Mamma's death. To Allori with arum lilies. M^r Houghton dropped in to tea. Out with H. later to post etc at station. Mill.

10 May.

Sat./<un>

<2>

<12>

To Milliner again at 3 P.M. Ada &
Ella to tea, & we dined with them.

Burton, M. MSS 277

1925

Florence, <8>

11 May.

Mon.

<2>

Poured with rain most of day. After lunch with Miss Hunter Smith's scarves to Ethel, Florence & M^{rs} Anstey. Then to Ada's, & cigarettes. Poured all the time. H & I after tea to Franzi & bought tray. Met Miss Fuller. To call on M^{rs} Crowninshield, but having a party so we fled. Met Ella & Ada at the Gatto Bianco in Via Monalda for dinner & to see the "Ricco Sheikh"

Very bad. 1

12 May.

Tues.

To dressmaker (Biondi Pironi) in morning. Met the Tiffanys there. To tea at the de Robecks. H came later & Miss Cheever. Walked home. Muddle with the Baroness about theatre.

13 May.

Wed.

<6>

Jim here in morning. Out to buy flowers. Forca here. H & I to tea with Miss Good. Lots of people. To dinner Jim, M^r Whitehead, Ethel, M^{rs} Anstey & the Bagnanis. Very late.

14 May.

Thurs.

Jim here at 10. Motored me to Biondi Pironi & he took H. on to the Book Fair

Burton, M. MSS 278

1925

Florence, <7>

& sent the car back for me. H & I
picked Ethel & M^{rs} Anstey up at 33
Via Alfani & motored to S. Domenico
Lunched with the Normans. M^r Grey
& Capt Goad. Tram back. M^r Hennion.
To tea with M^{rs} Earle. Crowds. M^r
Burke etc. We dined with Jim
at Grand Hotel. Sent car for us &
Florence Bagnani. Gilbert & M^r
Whitehead there.

15 May.

Fri.

<2>

Jim & Miss Maude to lunch.
Tea with the Lawlesses. The Gibbs,
Todd Mercers, M^{rs} de Robeck, M^{rs} Herbert

16 May.

Sat.

Tea with M^r Sargant. Crowds. Dined
with Miss Hutton. M^{rs} Campbell in after.

17 May.

Sun.

<5>

The Niccolis, Miss Pughe, Miss
Christie & M^r Burke to tea. H to
see Ada after dinner.

18/<9> May.

~~Mon~~-/<Tues>.

Tea with M^{rs} Rathbone. Lots of
people.

19/<20> May.

~~Tues~~./<Wed.>

<Wed.>

H & I to the Allori for Stephen
Parker's funeral. Gave M^r Gee a lift

Burton, M. MSS 279

1925

Florence 1', <17/<2>>

back. Tea at Ethel's. Lots of people. Played Mah-Jongh & lost 56 lire.

20/<1> May.

Wed.

Thurs

<5>

Ethel, M^r Procter & the Ansteys to lunch
M^{rs} Murray Baillie in after. After tea
called on Buttlers/<e>s, M^{rs} Mason Jones &
M^{rs} Crowninshield. All out. Dined with
Miss Ryerson & M^{rs} Emetaz.

21/<2> May.

Thurs.

<Fri>

Tea at Dick-Lauders. Lots of people &
Lady Sybil. Dined with Ethel & on to
see "Acadabra" at the Alfieri. The
Ansteys, M^{rs} Murray Baillie & M^r
Faulkner.

23 May.

~~Fri~~/<Sat.>

<2>

M^r Murray bought the Newman pictures
Ada & Miss Whytlaw to dinner.
<Helen the Gibbs, M^r Bond, M^{rs} Hervey, to tea>

24 May.

~~Sat~~/<Sun>

Tea at Villa Medici. In tram & bad
thunderstorm. Dined with Ada.

25 May.

~~Sat~~/<Mon>

To Empire Service at Holy Trinity.
To tea with the Pughes.

26 May.

Tues.

Tea at the M^c Dougalls. Lots of people. M^{rs} ~~Kopp~~ Ingram & Sir Archie Edmonstone. Dined with the Herveys. People in after.

Burton, M. MSS 280

1925

Florence

27 May.

Wed.

Walked round Viale with H after tea. H to Ada after dinner.

28 May.

Thurs.

We lunched with M^{rs} Murray-Baillie at 3 Via Tornabuoni. M^{rs} & Miss Essex Read. To M^{rs} Donners for tea. Lots of people. Tilde laid up.

29 May.

Dined with M^{rs} Lindley. Pughes.

30 May.

Sat.

Big garden-party at the Macleans. Dined at the Nunns.

31 May.

Sun.

Lunched with the Hills at Villa Pestellini. To M^r Procter's for tea. Crowd.

1 June.

Mon.

H to tea with Miss Ryerson. I busy all day with Maria preparing for our at home. Out in aft. to Giorgi & Doney.

2 June.

Tues.

Busy all day. Forca after lunch. Tea in dining room, Mah Jong in Gallery & Terraces open. To tea Miss Good, M^r Burke, M^{rs} Strong (later), M^r & M^{rs} & Miss Durst.

Baroness de Kerbrech, Lady Dick-Lauder

Burton, M. MSS 281

(97 up to date.)

<58>

<51.>

<57/<8>>.

M^r Percival, Helen, M^{rs} & Miss Evans,
Miss Moller, M^{rs} Murray Baillie, Sophie
Denys-Burton, M^r & M^{rs} Nunn, M^{rs}
Campbell, Ethel, M^r Procter, Colonel
& M^{rs} Payson, M^{rs} Maclean, M^{rs} Van
Milligan & Miss Van M., Miss Mackern,
M^r Sargant, M^r Ballance, M^{rs} Sturt,
M^{rs} Kenyon Cox, General & M^{rs} M^c Coy,
Ada (poured tea) M^r & M^{rs} Neville
Miss Rita Fuller, M^r & Miss Grey,
M^r & M^{rs} Norman, M^r & M^{rs}
Atkinson Grimshaw, M^r Bond,
M^r & M^{rs} Vicars, M^{rs} Reddie, M^{rs}
Gardiner, M^r Gee, M^{rs} Donner,
M^{rs} Austen Leigh, M^{rs} Lindley
(Sixteen acceptances didn't turn up.)
Miss Mansfield, M^{rs} Fisher, M^{rs} Earle,
Nesta de Robeck, Miss Penrose. Miss
Tiffany, M^r Hill.

Supper on Terrace after, & Harry went
to see M^r Faulkner.

Ada poured tea, & Maria directed, &
lent me her maid. Also Miss Good's.

Burton, M. MSS 282

1925

Florence, <102.>

3 June.

Wed.

To Maestosi in morning. H & I
to lunch with the Prices at Villa Capponi,
Taxied up, walked down. Very hot.
Marchesa Torrigiani, M^r Tharp & 2
other people. I went to tea with
Madame Hoeltzke. The Sabrefeldts.

4 June.

Thurs.

To Gisela in morning. H & I to
a party at the Dursts. Crowds. Gen.
& M^{rs} Mc Coy, M^r Wilson etc. Maria
in after dinner doing accounts.

5 June.

Fri.

<2.>

To Gisela in morning & shopping.
Ada here all the morning arranging
silver & to lunch. M^r Faulkner to
tea. Maria before dinner.

6 June.

Sat.

<3.>

Jim, Miss Fuller & M^r Faulkner to
lunch. Afterwards Jim motored us to
Monte Senario. Back at 6.30.

7 June

Sun.

Jim came for us at 9 A.M. & we
motored with him over the Consuma
by Poppi to Serravalle. Lunched & tea
with the de Robecks, & back by
Camaldoli & new road down into Poppi.

Burton, M. MSS 283

1925

Florence, < 109.<

<2>

Lovely drive & lovely day. Also through Borg' alla Collina. Got back at 7.30 P.M. Jim & Ada to dinner.

8 June.

Mon.

Jim motored us & Ada to garden party at the Firths'. We dined with him at the Grand. To Maestosi in morning & paid her.

9 June.

Tues.

Drove to Gisela & Papi in morning. Paid former. Seedy all day & not out again. H. to tea party at the Butties.

10 June.

Wed.

Seedy. Not out. Maria in morning & Ada at tea. M^{rs} Mason Jones called.

11 June.

Thurs.

Maria in morning. Gave her Aunt Hattie's black velvet dress for Signora Pacini. H. & I to tea with M^{rs} Bond. Several people. Nunns, M^{rs} Erskine, Robertsons, Mme Tassinari, M^{rs} Lindley, M^{rs} Maclean, Harveys etc. Walk back with M^{rs} Crowninshield & stayed with her until 7.30. Very hot.

12 June.

Fri.

<5>

H & I to tea with Ethel Harter. M^{rs} Murray-Baillie, the Macquay girls & M^{rs} Earle. Sir Seymour left

this morning. We had the Dick

Burton, M. MSS 284

1925

Florence, <111.>

Harveys, M^{rs} Lindley & M^r Bond to dinner, & Miss Fuller came in after. Very late to bed, as it was very hot & everyone stayed on on the terrace. 90°.

13 June.

Sat.

Papa's birthday. Took a bunch of gladioli to the Allori in morning. H. had tea with Ada. We dined with Ethel. Very hot.

14 June.

Sun.

<2>

Very hot & steamy. We motored with Ethel in Lady Ida Sitwell's car to M^r Proctor's for tea. The Nunns, M^{rs} Austen-Leigh, Gen. <& M^{rs}> Shipley etc. Hills. Back with Lady Ida, Miss Allison & Ethel & H. Ada dined here & M^r Sargant in after till nearly 1 on Terrace.

15 June.

Mon.

H. out all day from 8.30 A.M. till 9 P.M. with M^r Nunn, Gen. Shipley & Col. Courvoisier on walking trip. Out with Maria in morning shopping bags etc & to Bank. 23.50. Drove up to tea at M^{rs} Cox's. M^{rs} Evans

Burton, M. MSS 285

1925

Florence, <115.>

& M^{rs} Durst, & brought the latter back. Dinner at 9 when Harry came back.

16 June.

Tues.

H & I to tea at the Harvey's. to see his picture of M^{rs} Parish. Lot of people. Very hot. After dinner to Miss Moller & sat on terrace. The Dursts, M^{rs} Austen Leigh, M^r Bond, Miss Morrison etc.

17 June.

Wed.

M^r Harvey here in morning & out with H. M^r Lee Warner called after lunch. I went to tea with Ethel at M^{rs} Lindley's. M^{rs} Durst & young Bombicci. H. came after & we did some shopping with Ethel in Via dei Benci. We dined with the Buttles.

18 June.

Thurs.

Shopping with H. in morning. Tea with Ada. She & Ethel to dine.

19 June.

Fri.

After tea H & I to call on the Scotts & for a short walk with them up the River as far as the Barracks. The Hills to dinner. Saw Ethel off after lunch <The Sergios & M^{rs} Sturt at Station.>

20 June.

Sat.

We dined with M^{rs} Lindley. The Baldwins, M^{rs} Earle, Marchese Imperiale.

Burton, M. MSS 286

1925

Florence, <120.>

21 June.

Sun.

M^r Lee Warner to tea. We dined with Ada. Roberto in morning.

21/<2> June.

Mon.

<3>

Bad night. With H. to see Caruso's things on show for sale at Materazzi. Nothing worth having except a few decent rugs. Theatrical costumes interesting. Shopping after. Baron de Cosson, Vivian Bramly & M^r Temple in after dinner.

23 June

Tues.

M^r Davies to tea. To dine at Miss Whittuck's. M^r Ehrenheim.

24 June.

Wed.

After tea H & I to call on the Grimshaws (out) & Knollys (in) Walked back by Viale. Ada to dinner. <Duomo etc. illuminated>

25 June.

Thurs.

With H to flower market etc in morning. To Ethel's later to see Romiti & Pippo. The Hills called for us at 6.45 in car & we went out to dine with M^r Procter. His birthday. I gave him socks & H gave him a pipe. The de Cossons there & Vivian, M^{rs} Robertson & her son

Burton, M. MSS 287

1925

Florence, <124.>

& the Hills. Poured & had to dine in.

26 June.

Fri.

<4.>

M^r Callender arrived from Montevarchi
in morning & stayed to lunch & tea.

Maria to tea & she & I out after to
get tablecloth for Jim. H. saw M^r
Callender off at 6.30. M^r Ehrenheim
to dinner.

27 June.

Sat.

After tea to Durst's at Casa Guidi
with stuff for bag & <Mamma's> amethyst. H
joined me there. After dinner to the
Reddies'. M^r & M^{rs} Vicars there.

28 June.

Sun.

Roberto in morning. Sent him to the
Fishers. Pouring in morning. H & I
motored (Attilio's car) to tea with
M^{rs} Dearbergh. M^r Hart, Miss Borden
& Marchese Montai/<u>to. Then on to
the Evans. H. dined with Ada &
I stayed in to let the servants go to
see the San Giovanni fireworks.
Rained in evening but cleared up
for fireworks at 9 P.M.

29 June.

Mon.

H & I to tea with M^r Von Ehrenheim
& walked back by river.

Burton, M. MSS 288

1925

Florence, <130.>

30 June

Tues.

Shopping with H. after tea. Papi
here in morning.

1 July.

Wed.

<4.>

In all day. The Pasquis, Miss Good
& Miss Hutton to dinner.

2 July.

Thurs.

To dentist at 10.15 A.M. only cleaned
my teeth (30 lire). Then to Gisela.
After tea to Gisela again with my
grey cloak. After dinner to the
Lawlesses. The Reddies & Dursts there

3 July.

Fri.

With H after tea to call on M^{rs}
Faust, & walked back by Viale &
Costa S. Giorgio. M^r Procter & M^r
Bond called while we were out.
Forca at 7.45 P.M.

4 July.

Sat.

After tea with H. to call on Buttles
(out). Walked both ways. Very hot &
oppressive. To see M^{rs} Crowninshield.
Ada to dinner.

5 July.

Sun.

M^r Cline to tea, & afterwards he,
H & I walked up Scala alle Croch/<i> &
V/ack by Via S. Leonardo. H dined
with Ada, & I let Lina & T. go to the

cinema.

Burton, M. MSS 289

1925

Florence, <134.>

6 July.

Mon.

In morning to Papi. Rained on the way back. Navone's man here about cheque. H & I there after tea, & then to the Costa. We dined with Miss Penrose. The Copingers Atkinson-Grimshaws, M^r Ashburner, M^r Bond & another woman. Drove M^r Bond home.

7 July.

Tues.

To Gisela in morning. Then met H. at M^r Procter's, & went to Bank & Laurenziana. We had tea with M^{rs} Earle in garden. M^{rs} Fitz George & Major Maclean.

8 July.

Wed.

M^r Barr came for us in the car & motored us out to tea at Miss Fernie's M^{rs} Fernie & daughter there. Also the Spelmans, M^r Priestly, M^{rs} Gregory Smith & St. Gemmes. M^r Barr motored us & M^r Priestly back. Ada & M^r Cline to dinner.

9 July.

Thurs.

Major Maclean & M^r Procter to lunch. After tea with H. to Casoni & the Costa.

Burton, M. MSS 290

1925

Florence

10 July.

Fri.

With H. in morning shopping.
H. went to Spelmans to swim. I too
tired. Raining. The Nunns,
Dursts, M^r Ashburner & Miss
Ryerson dined with us. Dursts
left at midnight! Poured all the
evening & night & thunder off &
on all day.

11 July.

Sat.

H & I to tea with M^{rs} Gregory-Smith
& St. Gemmes. The Fernies (Miss & her
sister in law & niece) Victor Barr, the
Spelmans & M^r Muller. The Spelmans
motored us home. Ada to dinner, &
after H & I to see "Madame Butterfly"
with a Japanese singer Tapales Isang
in the title rôle. Walked back with
the Dursts.

12 July.

Sun.

Ada to lunch, & H to station with
her to see her off by the 2.15 to England.
M^r Cline to tea.

13 July.

Mon.

Shopping with H. after tea. The Dursts
in after dinner.

Burton, M. MSS 291

1925

Florence

14 July.

Tues.

We lunched with the Lawlesses. The Valensins there. Miss Agnew after. M^r Ettrich to tea.

15 July.

We dined with the Spelmans. M^r Muller.

16 July.

Thurs.

H & I left at 10.30 A.M. in the Firth's motor for Saltino where we lunched and teaed with M^{rs} Firth & Marchesa Scarampi. Very cold & rained. Fine for the trip up & down. Got back at 7.40 P.M.

17 July.

Fri.

H to swim at the Spelmans. I later for tea. Very hot.

18 July.

Sat.

H & I to tea with M^{rs} Crowninshield. The Nunns & Miss Koon there. Shopping. <H & I married 11 years.>

19 July.

Sun.

H to swim at the Spelmans. I went after tea.

20 July.

M^r Procter & M^r Barker to tea.

21 July.

Tues.

M^{rs} Crowninshield & Miss Koon had

tea with us at the Palazzo Antinori.
The Hills there. Shopped after.

22 July.

The Spellmans & Dursts to dinner.

23/<4> July.

Fri.

H. to swim at the Spelmans. We
dined with M^r Procter al fresco. M^r

Burton, M. MSS 292

1925

Florence, Interlaken

& M^{rs} Alexander Morgan there.

26 July.

H. & I to see Tom Mix at the Savoy.

29 July.

Wed.

We dined at 7 P.M. Left house at

8.30. & left Florence at 9 P.M.

Sleepers. Very hot & not much sleep.

30 July.

Thurs.

Arrived Milan 6.30 A.M. breakfast
at buffet & then walked into town
to see Duomo & drove to Castello &
back to station. Slipped & fell & on
platform & hurt my foot. Rheuma-
tism & indigestion! Left Milan
9.30 A.M. Arr Brigue 2.30.
Simplon & Lötschberg. Lovely.
M^r Skipwith in carriage with us.
Arr. Interlaken 4.50. To Hotel
de l'Europe. Also M^r S. Didn't like
it. So out to tea & looked for
another Hotel. Back for dinner
M^r S. with us. Spent the night at
the Europe.

31 July.

Fri.

Moved to the Savoy after breakfast.

To the Tivoli for tea & walked to

Burton, M. MSS 293

Interlaken

Lake Brienz along the Aare. Rheumatism bad. After dinner to Kursaal. Rained off & on all day.

1 Aug.

Sat.

Swiss Nat. Fête. Brilliant day. In morning we walked along canal towards Lake Thun. Limping badly. & hurt. After lunch by boat to Brienz. Walked through town & back by See-Promenade. & took the boat back. Tea on board. Kursaal after dinner. Great National Concert & very fine fireworks.

2 Aug

Sun.

Poured all day & bitterly cold. Out a little in morning with H. & after lunch to see the Nibelungens at the cinema.

3 Aug

Mon

Lovely day. H & I walked to Lake Thun along the river bank in morning. And took the steamer after lunch to Op/erbozen where we had tea at the Moy with M^{rs} Mason Jones & M^{rs} Crowninshield. Paysons. Back by tram.

Burton, M. MSS 294

1925

Interlaken

4 August.

Tues.

Eleven years since war was declared. Left at 10.45 A.M. for Lauterbrunnen & from there in motor car to Trümmelbach/Grütsch Alp & walked from there to Mürren. Lovely walk. Back all the way by train to Lauterb. & tea at the Station Restaurant. <Rained while between. Grütsch & Mürren.>

5 Aug

Wed.

Not out in morning. After lunch walked with H. alongside Brienzersee to Iseltwald. 7 miles. Tea there & back by boat. After dinner to Kursaal showery.

6 Aug.

Thurs.

Out with H. in morning. After lunch H. walked up the Rugenhohe & back for me to tea at the Kursaal met the Bartletts there. To Kursaal again after dinner for fireworks. My rheumatism pretty bad all day & slept after lunch.

Burton, M. MSS 295

1925

Interlaken

7 Aug.

Fri.

We left by the 8.35 A.M. for Freibourg & arrived at 11 A.M. Walked down through the town to St. Nicholas.

Over the great new bridge to the other side of the Sarine & then up the road & over the suspension bridge across the ravine. Then back by tram to the station & had lunch at the Continental Restaurant. Left at 1.20

P.M. for Berne. Drove down to the Bär Garten. Saw some cubs etc.

Drove to the Münster, & then walked back up the main street by the Zeitglockenturm. To the Kursaal for tea on terrace overlooking the Aare. Bought some brise-bise. Left Berne at 4.55 P.M. & arr. Interlaken 6.55. Very hot day. No view at Berne at distance hazy.

8 Aug.

Sat.

With H. in morning shopping & walk along riverside. Left at 1.45 for Gründelwald. To call on the Pughes at the Belvedere, but out.

Burton, M. MSS 296

1925

Interlaken

Walked through the village & had tea at the Bär & left 4.40. (arr. there at 3.10.) Very hot day.

9 Sun/<Aug>.

Sun.

H. went off after breakfast & climbed the Abendberg. Got back at 2.20 P.M. We had tea at Confiserie des Alpes & then walked to the Wildgarten & back by the river bank. Very hot. Over 80°.

10 Aug.

Mon.

Not out in morning. Writing letters. H & I took 1.45 train from Ost-Bahnhof for Schynige Platte. Changed at Wylderswil. Lovely day & gorgeous views from top. Walked to the Daube & had tea at the Hotel at Schynige. Left at 4.34 & got back at 5.50.

11 Aug.

Tues.

Walk with H. in morning to Unterseen to Kloster & pottered about. Poured later & all the aft. Should have gone to tea with M^{rs} Mason Jones at Oberhofen, but weather too bad. To Kursaal to tea in floods of rain. Cleared

Burton, M. MSS 297

1925

Interlaken

later & we walked back by Ost Bahnhof
& Wilderswil road.

12 Aug.

Wed.

H. walked to Iseltwald alone in morn.

After lunch we went by boat to Beatenhöhle
& walked through the caves. Very wonder-
ful. Heard an old man playing on an
Alpine horn. Tea there & for a walk
along the Thun road, then back by
tram. To Kursaal after dinner.

Harry's pyjamas & shirts stolen.

13 Aug.

Thurs.

With H. to Mersmann's & pottered
about in morning. After lunch we
took 1.40 boat to Iseltwald & walked
from there by footpath through the
woods to Giessback/<h> to the Falls. Lovely
walk. Tea at the big hotel, & home
by boat.

14 Aug.

Fri.

We left by the 8.15 A.M. train for
the Jungfrauoch. Arr. 11.45.

Brilliantly fine. Wonderful trip.

Went as far as Eismeer 20 years
ago with M. & P. The rest of the
way to the Joch not then finished.

Burton, M. MSS 298

1925

Interlaken

We got out & walked about in the snow. Left at 12.30 & eat our sandwiches in the train. Went back by Grindelwald (arr. 3) & had tea with M^{rs} & Miss Pughe at the Belvedere. Left at 4.45 P.M. & arr. here at 5.50.

15 Aug.

Sat.

Mersmanns in morning. After lunch steamer to Beatenbucht & up in funicular. Then walked to Regina Hotel (about 3½ miles) & tea there, then down through the woods about 9 miles in all. Arr here 7.30.

16 Aug.

Sun.

H alone to Beatenberg & wa<l>ked to Regina Hotel, then Amisbuhl & down here. Tea at Confiserie des Alpes.

17 Aug.

Mon,

We took the 10.29 A.M. train to Meiringen, then tram to the mouth of the Aareschlucht & walked through the Gorge. Wonderful. Then back part of the way & up the Finstere Schlucht to the Lammi Gasthaus

Burton, M. MSS 299

1925

Interlaken

at the top, where we ate our sandwiches.
Back down the Finstere & along the
Aareschlucht to the tram, then up in
the funicular to the Reichenbach falls.
Gorgeous & impressive. Left Meir-
ingen at 4.30 in train to Brienz
Then boat to Interlaken. Tea on board.
Back at 6 P.M.

18 Aug.

Tues.

Shopping with H. in morning. Bought
2 Unterlage for Eimer. At 3
we went up the Harder by funicular.
Very steep! Meant to have walked
down after tea, but thunderstorm
& floods of rain, so down in funicular.

19 Aug.

Wed.

Packing all morning. Tea at the
Confiserie des Alpes & then walked along
river to Unterseen. Rained a little.

20 Aug.

Thurs.

Left Interlaken at 9.34 A.M. Ost.
Cloudy. Over the Brünig Pass from
Meiringen & along Lakes of Sarnen
& Luzern & Alpnach to Lucerne.
Lovely trip. Lunched at the buffet
at Lucerne Station & on to

Burton, M. MSS 300

Zug, St Moritz

Zug. Fine most of the way, but pouring when we got to Zug & all aft. Arr. 2.45 & to Hotel Löwe on the Lake. No bus & no cabs, so in tram. Tea at a Confiserie & then walked about the town in floods of rain. Zeit thurm, & Gothic church of St. Oswald. & aviary. Dined in Hotel (one other woman) & bed early.

21 Aug.

Fri.

Got up at 6.30. A.M. Walked to station at got 9.4 A.M. on. Arr. Chur at 17.35. Came by Zürich (lake), Thalwil, Weesen, along Walensee to Flims & Seezthal & along Rhine to Chur. Lovely. Lunched at buffet at Chur, & train on to St. Moritz by the Raetien bahn (Albula line) Wonderful scenery & engineering. Arrived St. Moritz 2.45. P.M. & to Hotel Schweizerhof. Tea in town & walked about.

22 Aug.

To Kurhaus etc. with H in morning

Burton, M. MSS 301

1925

St. Moritz

After lunch walked to Campfer. & had tea there. Came on to rain so drove back. Afterwards to buy shoes.

23 Aug.

Sun.

In morning we walked round the lake to Meierei. After lunch walked to Pontresina. Tea there, & I back in train & H. walked.

24 Aug.

Mon.

To the Bad in morning. After lunch we walked to Silvaplana. Poured most of the way there & back. Tea there. Cinema in Hotel after dinner. The climbing of the Giulia del Diavolo. Terrifying feats.

25 Aug.

Tues.

We walked up by Ober Alpina to Alp Giop in morning. Out for tea & then H. for a walk by himself. Dull or rainy day. & very cold.

26 Aug.

Wed

After lunch we walked up to Hahnen See. & had tea there. A little rain.

27 Aug.

Thurs

In morning we walked to Campfer & Lej Nair through the woods. Train up from Bad. After lunch to

Burton, M. MSS 302

1925

St. Moritz

Maloja. H. walked as far as Sils
Maria. We had a carriage. Tea
at the Kuhn, & looked at the
Chiavenna road & up to the
Schloss Belvédère. Perfect day. I
had a bad fall.

28 Aug

Fri.

We left at 8.20 A.M. in Post
motor diligence & over the Julier
Pass to Tiefencastel. Arr 11 o'clock
Left our wraps at the station & then
walked to Thusis by the Schyn
Gorge. Picnic lunch. About 9
miles. Tea at Thusis station &
train back. Left 4.13. Picked up
wraps at Tiefencastel & arr. St.
Moritz at 7. Lovely day.

29 Aug.

Sat.

Short walk with H. in morning
He on to Chantarella. Perfect day.
We took the 3.35 P.M. to Punt
Muraigl & up in the cable railway
(25 minutes) to Muottas. Tea
up there. Wonderful view of the Bernina

Burton, M. MSS 303

1925

St. Moritz

group. Walked down (1½ hours) saw lots of marmots. Train back to St Moritz.

30 Aug.

Sun.

Lovely day. H & I in morning to the Engadiner Museum & then to the Segantini museum. Packing. H. for walk alone after lunch. Tea at Hanselmann's & then we walked round the Lake to the Bad & back by tram.

31 Aug.

Mon.

Up at 6.15 A.M. Got the 8.30 train Bernina Bahn. Carriage to ourselves as far as Tirano. Lovely day & wonderful views of the Morteratsch Glacier, Palü etc. No trouble with Customs at Tirano. Change there. Boiling hot. Started an hour late & awful confusion. Crowded train. Arrived Milan 2 hours late at 7. & /<To> the Hotel du Nord. Cleaned up & had dinner out of doors. Started at 10.30 o'clock in sleeping car for Florence. Young Cumming with us in Bernina train.

Burton, M. MSS 304

1925

Florence

1 Sept.

Tues.

Arr. up to time 7.30 A.M. after good night. Fearfully hot. No baggage. House upside down as workpeople only finished yesterday. Working hard all day. Maria in in aft.

2 Sept.

Wed.

Baggage arr. this morning. Very hot but not as bad as yesterday (highest temp. in all Italy). Maria in morning. Not out all day. Working hard. The Pasquis in after dinner.

3/<5> Sept.

Sat.

Not out since we arrived until we went to dine with the Spelmans tonight

6 Sept.

Sun.

To see Ethel's villa in morning with H. & Francesca's baby. Awful mess with workpeople. We went to tea at M^r Procter's. Miss Bramly staying there. Played to us. Old Bianchi drove us.

7 Sept.

Mon.

After tea to the de Robecks in their new house, 20 bis Via San Leonardo. Tilde left. Esther came.

8 Sept.

Out with H in morning, & after tea

Burton, M. MSS 305

1925

Florence

with him to see the picture at the S.S.
Annunziata. Fearful crowds.

9 Sept.

Wed.

We had tea with Miss Koon at Doney's.
M^{rs} Berenson.

11 Sept.

Thurs.

<Fri.>

In morning with H to Cook's & Giacosa.
M^r Procter & Normans. In aft to
Miranda's etc.

12 Sept.

We dined alone with M^{rs} Lindley.

13 Sept.

Sun.

H's birthday. Gave him a clock.
To Pitti with him in morning. M^r
Durst there. Walked round Viale
after tea with H. He called on M^r Temple.

14 Sept.

Mon.

H. met me at Mercato Nuovo & to
the Allori. Maria to tea & then
with H. to Ginori's etc. Ada to dine
She arrived yesterday.

15 Sept.

Tues.

The Normans, M^r Procter & Miss
Bramly to lunch. Maria to tea.

16 Sept.

Wed.

Miss Koon to tea. Late. Then out

with H.

17 Sept.

Ada to tea. Then shopping with H.

18 Sept.

Fri.

Out with H in morning. After tea
to see Miss Robbins. Miss French.

Burton, M. MSS 306

1925

Florence

The Dursts, M^{rs} Lindley & M^r Temple
to dinner.

19 Sept.

Sat.

Out shopping with Luisa to buy
stuff for Winlock children's dresses.

Then to Costa with H. to see poor
old Marco buried in garden. He
died yesterday, aged 17. Ada to dine

20/<1> Sept.

Sun.

Ethel to lunch. Out with H after
tea, & we dined at the Buttles
Miss Lafarge.

22 Sept.

Mon.

We lunched with Ethel. Miss Sergio
M^r Bond called after tea & then out.

23 Sept.

Tues.

With H. to Lisio & Rubelli etc.
To tea at the Fisher's. Lots of people.
Bartletts, M^r Carter. Mme Casardi
motored us home or rather to M^{rs}
Lindley's.

24 Sept.

Wed.

We lunched with the Vicars. M^r
Temple & Lord & Lady Wester Wemyss
& their daughter. To tea with
Miss Whittuck. Contessa Pandolfini
& her girl & M^r Ashburner & Miss Good.

Burton, M. MSS 307

1925

Florence

To see Giuditta after.

25 Sept.

Fri.

Giulia in morning. H. to oculist.

Ethel & Ada to lunch. Miss Buttles

& Miss Lafarge to tea. Out with H to Sbisà.

26 Sept.

Sat.

Tea at the de Robecks. M^r Perkins
in before.

27 Sept.

Sun.

To the Firths with Ethel & Miss
Tweedie. The Gerald F^r & Marchesa
Scarrampi. Ethel & we dined
at Ada's.

28 Sept.

Mon.

M^r Perkins after lunch. Ethel,
Mrs Lindley, M^{rs} Earle, Balfours &
Barnards to tea. We dined at
M^{rs} Lindley's. M^r L. Barnards &
Dursts.

29 Sept.

Tues.

Ada to tea. Then with H. to
rammendatrice & Bruni.

30 Sept.

Ada & M^r Bond to dinner.

1 Oct.

Thurs.

Very tired & headachy. Slept after
lunch. Making cushion covers all

the morning. Boni & Forca for
fittings. The Herveys to tea. We
dined with Miss Ryerson. The Nunns,

Burton, M. MSS 308

1925

Florence

& M^r Ashburner.

2 Oct.

Fri.

We had tea at Ethel's. The Balfours,
M^{rs} Earle, Miss Tweedie, M^{rs} Sturt &
Ada. Met M^{rs} Leith on the stairs.
H & I to Gambrinus to see "The Queen
of Saba" (Betty Blythe).

3 Oct.

Sat.

Out after tea with H. & left my jewel
case at Bank. Palagi, facchino &
then to see Giulia about telephone. Ada
dined here.

4 Oct.

Sun.

We heard the fascisti last night had
made a raid on Avv. Bosi (who
shares the same floor with M^r
Procter in Via Tornabuoni) & shot
him dead & burnt out his rooms. <One fascista killed.>
Also a maglieria in Por Santa
Maria, which we saw. To Station
with H. to see him off by the 1.25
train to Rome. Ada there. Walked back
by Via Tornabuoni. Very hot. I dined
with Ada. Streets deserted on way
home at 10, & military patrols.

Burton, M. MSS 309

1925

Florence

5 Oct.

Mon.

Quiet night. In morning to P.O. & round by Via Strozzi. Botti's shop had been attacked. One shutter down & burnt, otherwise all right. To M^r Procter's & looked in a Bosi's room. Everything destroyed. M^r P. says about £10,000 worth of damage. Bosi himself not killed (it was some other lawyer) & he is in hospital as the result of the beating he got some time ago. A Fascista was murdered on Sat. night (Giovanni Luporini) & everything that has happened since have been reprisals. Canon Knollys, M^{rs} Hayes-Sadlin & Miss Bramly at M^r P's. Then to Bank & on to Boni. Very hot. Antinori's man. Showed him receipt. Aft. watching the funeral procession of Luporini from Fascisti headquarters. Took an hour & a half to pass. Lovely wreaths. After tea tidying H's wall cupboard & shelves between dining room & guarda roba.

Burton, M. MSS 310

1925

Florence

6 Oct.

Tues.

In morning drove to 9 viale Amedeo about telephone. Sent back to Via Anselmo. Closed call, but saw Andrei. Had to go back at 3.30. Shopping & to M^r Procter to ask him to lunch. Very hot. Back for tea, & Forca all the afternoon. Ada to dinner & Maria in after.

7 Oct.

Wed.

<Letters from H. from Rome & Brindisi.>

Not out in morning. Tidying shelves between dining room & guarda-roba. Telephone man here. Sent Esther to pay subscription. After tea to fioraio & to try & get inkpot & to Ginori for tumbler. Forca while I was out. Miss Fuller rang me up about milliner. Fine day, not so hot.

8 Oct.

Thurs.

In morning to P.O., ink, & to Dori & Bella. The Herveys & M^{rs} Evans & Col. Evans to lunch. Left at 4. After tea to P.O. & to see M^{rs} Crowninshield. The piumino came half empty. Great row. To Maria about it. Lovely day. Warm.

Burton, M. MSS 311

9 Oct.

Fri.

Sent C. to see piumino. Greater row.
Bed came, mattress & saccone. Ethel
& Cuckoo came after lunch. I dined
with Ethel alone. Fine day.

10 Oct.

Sat.

Maria & Ada went about piumino. The
man furious. But he sent it home in
the evening full. I dined with Ada. Fine

11 Oct.

Sun.

Working on blankets & washed my
hair. To the de Robecks to tea. M^{rs} de
R. very seedy & not down. Misses
Shaw, Knatchbull & Byng there, also
Miss Harrison, & walked down with
the latter. Ada dined here. Fine & warm.
Wire from H in morning from Cairo.
Arrived yesterday.

12 Oct.

Mon.

In morning to Shoemaker, met
Miss Young. Brogi, Bank (1500)
& M^r Procter. Bella. After lunch
doing blankets. To tea with the M^c
Dougalls & Baroness de Kerbrech. Miss
Bathurst & M^{rs} Hewett there. Poured
all the way home. Letters for Harry from
Southern Pacific & Rhode Island <H> Trust ~~Fun~~/~~Co~~>.

Burton, M. MSS 312

1925

Florence

13 Oct.

Tues.

In morning to Ada & with her to nearly all the shops to find stuff for eiderdown unsuccessfully. To Smorti. Arranging spareroom. Fosca. To tea with the Herveys. Smorti after dinner. Fine day but cloudy. Rang up Baroness de K. M^r Spelman rang me up, also Vicars.

14 Oct.

Wed.

Mounted spare room. Mme Muranyi & a friend here in morning. In aft to Dori with Arabic Simplified, Brogi, etc. <& to Ada's.>

15 Oct.

Thurs.

Dusting books. To Boni in morning & also Cook's office about ticket. The Vicars & Piots to tea. Stayed late. Ada to dinner. Maria in before.

16 Oct.

Fri.

Dusting books in drawing room, & working in box room. Rosina with orchid dress. After tea to Dori, Ancora & to see Ethel before dinner. Chilly & had stove lighted. Also yesterday Letter from H. from Alexandria.

17/<8> Oct.

Sun

Had supper with Ada. Going to Manacordas tomorrow. Tea with the Spelmans. He walked down with me.

Burton, M. MSS 313

1925

Firenze

20/<19> Oct.

~~Tu~~/~~M~~on.

Lunched with Ethel & Cuckoo. Young Carère. Went over the priest's flat.

20 Oct.

Tues.

To station at 2 to see Ethel off by 2.20, but missed her.

21 Oct.

Wed.

Dined with Jim & M^r Harry Walker at the Grand Hotel & joined on to 2 families of Chapman after.

22 Oct.

Thurs.

Mamma's birthday. Took some lovely chrysanthemums to her grave. Attilio took me, & then to the Hotel de la Ville to see Lady Wilson. Then to Bella & Digerini. Lunch late. Arranging flowers after & Jim & M^r Walker came for me at 3 & motored up to Fiesole & spent some time in amphitheatre & Museum. Then to look at view & back here for tea. M^{rs} Temple, M^{rs} Hervey & Lady W. already here! They left at about 7.10. M^r Spelman called for me at 8 & we picked up the Dursts & dined at the Spelmans, who motored us back at midnight.

Burton, M. MSS 314

1925

Firenze

23 Oct.

Fri.

Working most of the morning. Out after lunch to get things for dinner.

Met M^r Procter at Cassone's.

Marchesa Malaspina here in aft.

Poured after lunch. Jim & M^r

Walker, the Vicars & Baroness de K. to dinner. They left at 10 to 12.

24 Oct.

Sat.

Poured. To Helen's for tea. M^{rs} Clive

Wilson & ~~Berthe~~ <Lisa> Michel, Baroness de Cosson & M^{rs} Bramly there. Fosca.

25 Oct.

Sun.

Rosina in morning. To tea with the de Robecks. Marchesa Fossi there (Nannina Rucellai). Jim & M^r Walker called for me & motored me home. Lina, Esther & Giulia to the cinema.

26 Oct.

To tea with the de Cossons.

27 Oct.

To tea with the Herveys. Met Miss Orpen. <Ada & the Pasquis to dinner.>

28 Oct.

Wed.

Lunched with the Lawlesses.

March on Rome. Banners out. The

Herveys, Miss Orpen, Miss Harrison & Ada to tea. To Ada's after to measure Oreste's little girl. Lovely day.

Burton, M. MSS 315

1925

Florence

30/<1> Oct.

Sat.

To lunch with the M^c Dougalls & Mme de Kerbrech.

31 Nov.

Sun.

To Allori in morning with great lovely pink chrysanthemums. Took some yellow ones for M^{rs} Newman's grave. A great many people there & the graves looked lovely. I put 2 pots of pink chrysanthemums on the grave also. Took Attilio. To lunch at the Payson's. Ada there & back to Porta Romana together. She & Miss Tweedie & Mme Courvoisier to tea & I had supper with her.

2 Nov.

Mon.

Not out till 6. Then to Ada's & we went out to buy glasses. Several shops. Ada here to lunch after inventorying the silver. Slept after lunch. Had a bad night. Letter from Harry.

3 Nov.

Madame Jendrassik & Ada to lunch.

5 Nov.

Thurs.

Ada to lunch. Oreste took my things. In morning to Palagi & Bank. Met Miss Good, Miss Tweedie, Miss Orpen, the Stronges, Sir George Dick Lauder, the Teagues, Miss Nixon, Miss Ryerson, M^{rs}

Burton, M. MSS 316

1925

Florence, SS. "Helonan"

Nunn, M^r Bond! In aft. to Palagi,
Esther's husband left the little boy here.
Infiltratrice delle Perle. Forca all afternoon.

6 Oct./<Nov>

Fri.

Sent Esther to see Signor Niccoli. Awful
rush to get ready, & splitting headache.
Ada lunched with me at 12. & t/<le>ft
<for> station at 12.45. Cook's man put me
in carriage on siding, afterwards
hitched on to main train. Raining.
Three ladies in carriage to Rome.
Arrived 6.55 punc. & to restaurant
& dined with Jim, M^r Walker, Mme
Bagnani & Gilbert who all saw
me off at 8.40 P.M. The Barkers
in the next sleeper to mine. A M^{rs}
Noble in with me. Bed early.

7 Oct./<Nov.>

Sat.

The Cyril Barkers in my carriage
from the time we got up till we
arrived at Brindisi 11.15 a.m.
Raining. They introduced me to Ziwar
Pasha. After passports visaed on
boat "Helouan" for lunch. Sat

Burton, M. MSS 317

1925

"Helouan", Cairo

with the Barkers & the Stanley Gordons.

Found on board the Winlocks, Miss Bow-

ditch (M^{rs} W's friend) Miss Perry (new gover-

ness) & M^r Weyre (new young man on <Ex.>)

also Barbara Phillips, Sir R. & Lady Oakes,

Sir Horace & Lady Pinching & 2 girls, M^r

Murray Graham <Signor Adamoli> etc. & /<K>ing Feisal

also on board. Cinema after dinner

calm. Single cabin on 3rd deck

very small. ? 138.

8 Oct/<Nov>.

Sun.

Began to get roughish after Crete.

Movie in salon after dinner

(Fiddles on tables) & boat gave tre-

mendous lurch. Furniture & people

capsized & Coptic Patriarch nose

dived into the screen.

9 Oct/<Nov>.

Mon.

Very mouvementé night. Arrived

Alex 3.30. off at 4.30. Usual

pandemonium at customs Customs. Special

train left at 7. In carriage with

M^r & M^{rs} Noble & young Englishman

on his way to China. Arr. Cairo

11 P.M. Letters from H. Room 131.

Burton, M. MSS 318

1925

Cairo

10 Oct/<Nov>

Tues.

The de Cossons in morning, Also
Balchin & Pembrokes. Miss Lattey
to tea. ~~Even~~/**<After>** to see the Garrys. Evg.
with Firths , Bruntons & Winlocks.
To Cicurel's after tea about mattress.

11 Nov.

Wed.

Barbara's birthday. Gave her an
Italian doll. To Bank in morning &
saw Mustacchi. After lunch M^{rs}
Pembroke & I drove out to the War
Graves Cemetery for the Armistice
Service. High Com. & Lady Ll. there. Spoke
to Sir Ronald Storrs & he introduced me
to Lady S. On to see M^{rs} Phillips.
M^{rs} Pembroke came also. Tea there.
M^r Bolland came in & D^r Maclaren
(lady). Then to Evagoras &
Greek shoemaker. After dinner
with Pembrokes.

12 Nov.

Thurs.

Washed my hair in morning.
Tea with the Russells. Stayed late.
& went over house. Talking about
possible correspondent for Morning
Post. M^r Allen asked me to find one

Burton, M. MSS 319

1925

Cairo

for him. Davieses arrived.

13 Nov.

Fri.

Col. Mackintosh came to see me in morning about the M.P. job. He was in the R.A.F. during the war, & then Arab Bureau. Wrote to M^r Allen about him. Eton & Oxford & M^{rs} M. was a Labouchère. Saw Major Gayer-Anderson M^{rs} Pembroke & I shared a car & went out to Mena to tea with M^{rs} Gunn. A Russian sister & brother there - ? Stanislavski. The Breasteds, père et fils lunched with the Winlocks. Dined with the Howells, American Legation. Went with the Winlocks. Crabites there, also Reisners & Watsons.

14 Nov.

Sat.

~~Shopping all the morning.~~ To

Museum to see To tea with M^{rs} Merton. M^r Farnall & the Crabites. Dance after dinner. With M^{rs} Scott after lunch.

15 Nov.

Sun.

To Museum in morning to see the Tutankhamen things. Met Bruyère. On to M^{rs} Phillips. M^{rs} Elgood there. Also George Benson.

Burton, M. MSS 320

1925

Cairo, Luxor

Nurse Miss Kavanagh. To tea at the Russells. She sent me home in the car.
<The Ablitts there.>

16 Nov.

Mon.

To Bank in morning. M^r Watt at breakfast. M^{rs} Merton, Miss Brown & Miss Lattey to tea. M^{rs} To the Garrys after.

17 Nov.

Tues.

M^r Winship in in morning. M^{rs} Winlock & I back in his car to see M^{rs} Winship. Then to Lawrence & Mayo. In aft. M^{rs} Winlock & I to call on the Howells. M^{rs} & Mary Reisner there & Miss Crowley. We all left the Hotel at 6 & got the 7 P.M. to Luxor. I dined at table with Miss Perry, Miss Bowditch & M^r Weyre. Shared sleeper with Miss Bowditch.

18 Nov.

Wed.

Arr. ½ hour late. Breakfast at Winter Palace with the others. Then to Gurna. Walked to meet Harry at 4. Found him looking very ill.

24 Nov.

H & I to Luxor in bus after lunch.

Burton, M. MSS 321

1925

Luxor, 20th Friday Queen Alexandra died.

Also M^{rs} W. Miss Bowditch & Frances. Met M^r Carter, Lucas & D^r Hall. Back for tea.

26 Nov.

Thurs.

D^r Hall here in morning & again for tea. After lunch M^{rs} W. Miss B. & I walked to the top of the hill & round at back. "Thanksgiving Day". The children came to dinner. The Davieses in after.

27 Nov.

Walk with H. by cultivation.

28 Nov.

Walk with H. by cultivation.

29 Nov.

Sun.

Walk with H. by cultivation. Met M^r Carter & M^r Lucas. The others went for a moonlight drive to Medinet Habu. The Winlocks dined at the Davieses. Also Miss Bowditch.

30 Nov.

Mon.

After lunch to river in Nedbert with Miss B. & Miss P. & back alone, with Hamid. Walk with H. by cultivation after tea. Lovely moonrise. Irene to tea with children.

1 Dec.

Tues.

M^r Carter & M^r Lucas at tea-time. H & I walked to Temple to see Thotmes III on 4th inner pillar in birth colonnade with diadem like Tutankhamen's. Then round by cultivation. Moonrise, Venus & Jupiter.

Burton, M. MSS 322

1925

Luxor

2 Dec.

Walk with H. by cultivation.

3 Dec.

Thurs.

We all (Winlocks, Frances & Barbara, Miss Perry, Miss Bowditch, Davieses, M^r Weyer & M^r Hauser & M^r Wilkinson) went over to the Valley to No. 15 & M^r Carter showed us the Tutankhamen jewels – masses & masses of them, most exquisite inlaid things, & rings, gold plaques in the shape of spread-winged vultures, inlaid bracelets & amulets. A lovely perfume box in gold & inlay on polished iron base, & 2 gorgeous daggers in sheathes, one with crystal stopper handle & polished iron blade, very sharp. Also the gold & inlaid mask, so like Akhnaton, in the gold coffin. Also the wonderful gold coffin lid, & the inlaid second coffin, as well as the first we had already seen. We saw a hand of the mummy with the rings on & gold finger stalls, & the head of the king, very small & well-

Burton, M. MSS 323

1925

Luxor

preserved, lacking nose. After a lengthy stay in No. 15 we went to the Tomb & saw the sarcophagus again, & M^r C. opened the door of the store chamber so that we could look in & see the Anubis & the Canopic chest. After tea with H. by cult.

4 Dec.**Fri.**

M^r Callender arrived in morning. Also Chief inspector of police about the guard who absconded with the pay of Mickey's father. M^r C. for walk with H & me after tea by cultivation. M^r W. went to tea at M^r Carter's. D^r Hall to lunch on his way down from Aswan.

5 Dec.**Sat.**

M^r Callender left at 2. M^{rs} W. Miss B. H. & I in car with him to river. Miss B. H & I for walk by cultivation.

6 Dec.**Sun.**

M^r Horn called with introduction from M^{rs} Gunn - after lunch. Miss Perry laid up & looking after her. For a drive to Tombs of the Queens before tea with M^r & M^{rs} W. & Harry. Hot & heavy. <Walk after to Temple with H.>

7 Dec.**Mon.**

Miss P. better. Made her ovaltine. The Ws to Luxor in morning. Walk with H. by cultivation Arrowroot for Miss P. & Horlick in evg.

Burton, M. MSS 324

1925

Luxor

8 Dec.

Tues.

Shabaan Effendi in morning. Started at 2 in bus for Luxor, H. the Davieses & Miss B & M^r Weyer. The Davieses went in boat by themselves. H & I drove out to cemetery to see T. Allan's grave. Then to new photo stores & Hamptons, & Hotel where I talked to M^r Lucas & D^r Worthington. Miss Perry better, but made her arrowroot & Horlick at night.

9 Dec.

Wed.

Frances' 12th birthday. Gave her a doll. M^r Carter & M^r Lucas at tea time. H & I for walk by cultivation. Cold. Frances & Barbara to dinner.

10 Dec.

Walk with H. by cultivation.

11 Dec.

Fri.

In car with M^{rs} W. & Miss B. after lunch to Tombs of Queens. Home from there, & they got out at Ramesseum to sketch. Walk with H. after tea round cult. Headache all day.

12 Dec.

Sat.

Walk with H. by cult. M^r Carter & M^r Lucas to dinner. Headache.

13 Dec.

Sun.

D^r Ranke to lunch. Prof. of Egyptology at Heidelberg. Walk with H. by Temple.

15 Dec.

Tues.

Miss Perry, H & I to Luxor at 2. The Davieses
part of the way, & M^{rs} W. & the children to the

Burton, M. MSS 325

1925

Luxor

river. To Hampton's, Gaddis & Chekaram, & into the village to buy bowls. Back to W.P. Hotel & saw D^r Munthe. To Luxor to ask about M^{rs} Armstrong.

16 Dec.

Wed.

After lunch with H. in bus & movie camera along Sheikh Amran's Ghissa to do a water wheel. M^{rs} W. & Miss B. came too to sketch. Walk after tea with H. by Temple.

17 Dec.

Thurs.

M^{rs} W. Miss B. & I to Luxor at 11 in bus. M^{rs} W. & I to Luxor Hotel to M^{rs} Armstrong who arrived yesterday. Lunched with her. M^{rs} Mond also. Sat in garden after also D^r Munthe. Then to W.P. Hotel where we had tea with M^{rs} Mond. Mr Mond & Miss Le Manach also. Talking D^r Worthington. Noticed in morning that my heart was missing a beat every now & again. Back in Nedbert. M^{rs} W. drove. Miss B. lunched by herself at W.P. & joined us for tea. M^r Wilson lunched here.

18 Dec.

Fri.

M^r Carter & M^r Lucas at tea time. Walk with H. by cultivation, Back alone.

Burton, M. MSS 326

1925

Luxor

19 Dec.

Sat.

D^r & M^{rs} Nelson, Miss Wells (governess) & Irene to tea. H & I to cultivation.

20 Dec.

Sun.

M^{rs} Armstrong to lunch. To river with her in Nedbert at 4.15. Cold. Saw Colonel Matheson riding & ? Col. Parker in carriage
Walk with H. Temple after tea.

21 Dec.

M^r W. to Luxor for lunch. Walk with H.

22 Dec.

Tues.

H & I, M^{rs} W. & Miss B. to Luxor to lunch with the Monds. M^{rs} W. & Miss B. went on ahead early to go to Karnac, & M^{rs} W. & Miss B. W. drove us in Nedbert with the children to the river.
To Pohoomull & got abaya for Irene.
After lunch to Hampton etc & into village to get bowls. Back through gardens. M^{rs} Armstrong moved to W.P. yesterday.
Later with her & M^r Carter, M^r Lucas & M^{rs} Davies. Bought linen baskets.
Back at 4.30 with M^{rs} W. Miss B. & M^{rs} D. <Large Xmas mail on 23rd.>

23 Dec.

Wed.

After tea M^r W. drove H. & me as far as well near M^r Carter's & we walked back along edge of cultivation.

Burton, M. MSS 327

1925

Luxor

24 Dec.

Thurs.

D^r Phillips turned up at tea time & brought M^r & M^{rs} & Miss Hadow. M^r & M^{rs} Dodge also to tea. Relaying bricks in dining room. Mess. Afterwards M^r W. drove us in Nedbert to the Nelsons. We walked back.

Xmas Day.

Fri.

In morning H, Miss P. & Frances walked up the Gurn. I with them to top of Goat Track & along cliffs, then back alone. Fearfully hot & couldn't climb. After lunch preparing Xmas tree etc. The Nelsons, Herr Bolicher & M^r Lucas to tea, & the latter stayed on to dinner. I gave F & Barbara, pink & blue shot taffetas, & pink silk alpaca respectively, both embroidered by Luisa & made by Beppina. Gave Miss Perry a string of mummy beads & coral. Harry gave me a lovely <long> string of turquoise matrix graduated beads. Mrs Armstrong gave me a lovely pink silk pin-cushion beautifully embroidered with tall holleyhocks & lower flowers. Pleasant day.

Burton, M. MSS 328

1925

Luxor

27/<6>Dec.

Sat.

Miss Lattey to lunch & tea. Walk
after with H.

27 Dec.

Sun.

M^{rs} Armstrong to lunch. With her, M^{rs}
W., & Frances in Nedbert to Tombs of the
Kings & M^{rs} W., F. & I walked back
over the cliffs. After tea M^r W. took
H & me & M^{rs} W. in Nedbert for a
drive round the ghissas. H. at
Valley from 8 a.m. & got back at 4.30.

28 Dec.

Mon

H at Valley. Back at 5. M^{rs} W. Miss B &
I started about 5 & climbed cliffs & walked
along the top by setting sun & moonlight
& down by French digs & Der el Medina.
Harry joined us by French digs. The Davieses
in after dinner. Got back yesterday from
El Kab where they had been spending
Xmas with M^r Somers Clarke.

29 Dec.

Tues

H. back from Valley for lunch. After, I
<M^r &> M^{rs} W. Miss B. to Luxor. Tea with Miss
Lattey. Mackintoshs.

30 Dec.

Wed.

M^r Callender arrived in morning. M^r
& M^{rs} Charles Mackintosh to lunch. Harry

Burton, M. MSS 329

1925-6

Luxor

at Valley. After to river with M^r Callender.
Walk with H. after.

31 Dec.

Thurs.

H. to Valley. After lunch with Miss B. & Miss P. to Luxor in Nedbert. To Cook's & got ticket & went on board the Egypt to see Miss B's cabin. Tutankhamen stores etc & to Hotel Said goodbye to M^r Lucas. He & M^r Carter going to Cairo by tonight's train in service car with armed guard, taking the gold coffin & mask down to the Museum. Back for tea & walk round Temple with H. & to the Davieses. My birthday. H. gave me chocolates.

1 Jan.

Fri.

H. to Valley in morning. Back for lunch. Miss B. left for Nile trip after lunch. Walk with H. by cult. after tea.

2Jan.

Sat.

Leónie & M^r de Casson to lunch. They came back to tea. Also the Mackintoshs & Miss Hamersley. H. to Valley in morning Back to lunch. Tomb opened to public. M^r Darke in charge. Walk after tea with H. by cult.

3 Jan.

Sun.

M^{rs} Armstrong & D^r Worthington to lunch. Planting bulbs after. H. to Valley,

Burton, M. MSS 330

1926

Luxor

but back for lunch on donkey. After tea with M^r & M^{rs} W. & H in Nedbert to Der el Medina & walked to French diggings. M^r Mond & Miss Le Manach called in morning.

4 Jan.

Mon.

Horrid dull cloudy day. Looked like rain, but cleared up about 1 o'clock & was fine. M^{rs} Firth, Diana & their cousin came to lunch. After M^{rs} W. & I took them in bus to the Temple & then to the Ramesseum. Back here for tea. M. Bruyère & M. Czery also, & M^r Darke who had come to call on me. Walk round Temple after.

5 Jan.

Tues

We were to have lunched with M^{rs} A. but she put us off as she has Influenza. H & I to Luxor after lunch in Nedbert. Miss P. & Frances to river. To Toby Mansur & bought necklaces. Tutankhamen stores. Met D^r Worthington. We had tea with M^{rs} Mond in her bedroom, & she was in bed. The Bisson de la Roques there & Miss Le Manach. Left at 5. Us at Davieses after dinner.

Burton, M. MSS 331

1926

Luxor

6 Jan.

Wed.

H to Valley. I went over in hedbert at 12 to bring him back to lunch. Walk after tea with H. to old dig to gather pebbles for bulbs.

7 Jan.

Thurs.

M^{rs} Firth, Diana & Miss Drage to lunch.

Walk with H after tea gathering pebbles. H very hysterical about my films.

8 Jan.

Fri.

The Lacaus here after lunch & their friends the Maynards. I didn't see them as they went off with the Winlocks. H & I gathering pebbles by Pylon, & walk by cult. afterwards.

9 Jan.

Sat.

To river in bus in morning with M^{rs} W. & Miss Perry. After lunch Lady Neumann Guy & Rosie to call. Walk with H. by cult.

10 Jan.

Sun.

After lunch M^{rs} W. & I went over to Luxor & I gave H's photographs of Tutankhamen to Diana Firth to take down to Cairo to M^r Carter. Pohoomull's & met M^{rs} Mond & Miss Le Manach also Mme Lacau, & we went to see M^{rs} Armstrong in bed. Back for tea. Nice sailing breeze. Walk with H. by cult.

11 Jan.

Mon.

After tea walk with H. up rocks & down the tourist path. Fire after dinner.

Burton, M. MSS 332

1926

Luxor

12 Jan.

Tues.

M^r W. to Luxor early to Merkus. After lunch to call on me M^r & M^{rs} Elgood, Miss Dight & M^{rs} Molesworth from M^{rs} Phillips. H. & I went to Luxor at 2.20. H. played tennis with the Davieses & Miss Le Manach, & I shopped & went to see M^{rs} Armstrong & called on Lacauss. Tea with the Neumanns Countess Blücher & M^{rs} Mond. ~~Back~~<Left> with Davieses soon after 5. Very cold.

13 Jan.

Wed.

With M^{rs} W. to Luxor. Children & Miss P. to river. Very cold, but bright. M^{rs} W. tea with M^{rs} Mond. I tea with M^{rs} A. Absurd fight. Talking to the Elgoods & Wiggins. Miss Bowditch arrived from Aswan & she M^{rs} W. & I back, arriving about 6.30 in the dark. Splitting neuralgic headache. Fire in dining room after dinner.

14 Jan.

Thurs.

D^r Munthe & Countess Behague to tea. Afterwards a crowd of Russells, Lamonts & Robinsons from the Asswan boat. Walk with M^{rs} W. & Harry round cultivation.

15 Jan.

Fri.

Tent up today. M^r Carter to tea. He

Burton, M. MSS 333

1926

Luxor

got back from Cairo yesterday. Walk after with H. by cultivation. Saw the death of Lily Dalgairns in the Morning Post Dec. 28.

16 Jan.

Sat.

M^r Newberry arrived in morning to stay.
Walk with H. after tea by cultivation.

17 Jan.

Sun.

M^r & M^{rs} Victor Bouney came to early tea.
Also M^r Newberry. Walked round cultivation after with H. & M^r N. Upset about M^r W. having told H. that M^r Carter complained that I had told M^{rs} Armstrong things I never said.

18 Jan.

Mon.

After lunch with M^{rs} W. & Miss B. gathering pebbles & Nile onyx. Colonel & M^{rs} Mathieson to tea & also M^r & M^{rs} Harewood & Miss Griggs. H. to M^r Carter's.

19 Jan.

Tues.

M^r Newberry, Miss B. H & I to Luxor at 11. In shops. M^r N. & H & I lunched with the Bonneys. Talking to D^r Munthe & M^r Mond. Miss B. waited for boat to see a maid, so left to come back about 5.20.
M^r N. dined with the Davieses. M^r Hauser lost his temper badly at dinner.
After lunch H. & I drove to Cemetery & after to the Sug.

Burton, M. MSS 334

1926

Luxor

20 Jan.

Wed.

Planting bulbs. Gathering pebbles by big pylon after lunch with M^{rs} W. & Miss B. Walk with H.

21 Jan.

Thurs

The Bonneys to lunch. Some friends of the Harknesses called after. M^r Carter to tea & dinner. Walk with H. by cult.

22 Jan.

Fri.

M^{rs} H. & Miss. B. to lunch with the Harwoods at Luxor. Walk with H. cult.

23 Jan.

Sat.

Lord & Lady Leitrim to lunch. M^r W & Miss B. took them after to the Tombs of the Queens. I had to stay behind to meet M^{rs} & Miss Addison who came for tea. Walk with H. by cult.

24 Jan.

Sun.

To Luxor in morning. M^{rs} W. & Miss B. in car to meet M^{rs} Armstrong. Lunched with M^{rs} & Miss Addison at Luxor Hotel. Talking to M^r de Bildt, the Douglas-Mathesons. After lunch to Mohassib's with M^{rs} & Miss A., Gaddis, & back to the W. Bank at 3.45. Walk round Temple with H. M^r Carter at Luxor with Merzbach.

25 Jan.

Mon.

Expected M^r de Bildt but he didn't turn up.

Burton, M. MSS 335

1926

Luxor

Walk with H. round Temple. After dinner movies. The Davieses came in. Warm day.

26 Jan.

Tues.

H & I to Luxor at 2.30. To Gaddis. Then to the Luxor & with M^{rs} & Miss Addison to the shops. Back to the Winter Palace for tea with the Leittrims on the terrace. M^{rs} & Miss Roberts & M^r Robert Hichins. Saw M^r de Bildt who had twisted his ankle yesterday. The Winlocks lunched with D^r W. & M^r Aubrey Le Blond, & M^r Newberry with M^{rs} Armstrong. He came back with us.

27 Jan.

Wed.

H. went to M^r Carter's in evg. so I walked alone up the hill & down the tourist path & then to M^{rs} Davies!

28 Jan.

Thurs.

M^r, M^{rs} & Miss Russell from Chicago to lunch. Miss B. left for Cairo to the dentist at 3. M^r Newberry left early in the morning to go to Abydos with Sir John & Lady Maxwell. After tea M^r W. drove M^{rs} W. Harry & I to Tombs of Kings in hedbert.

29 Jan.

Fri.

M^{rs} W. & I to Luxor about 12 from here. Lunched with M^{rs} Armstrong. Talking to M^{rs} Mond, & afterwards M^r Aubrey Le Blond.

Burton, M. MSS 336

1926

Luxor

D^E Worthington & Miss Heywood. Then to Indian, Dayaram Bros. M^{rs} W. had tea with friends & I had tea with M^{rs} Armstrong. M^{rs} Garvice. Horrid cold windy day.

30 Jan.

Sat.

M^r Newberry got back from Abydos & brought Eric Maclagan back to lunch. Hadn't seen him for 20 years. He stayed to tea. Very cold wind.

31 Jan.

~~Sun.~~

<1 Feb.>

<Mon.>

M^r Newberry came for a walk with us after tea to the top of the hill opposite Der el Medina. M^r Winlock left for Cairo for the opening of D^E Reisner's Tomb Seneferu.

2 Feb.

Tues.

H. & I went by car to M^r Carter's house starting at 2. & then to the top of the hill where the <Coptic> temple is. Hard pull & very hot in sun & out of wind. Down the S. face of hill, one or two jumpy bits, into Priest-King's Valley by water course. Up another water course to top of hill & down Harry's old path into Valley of Kings. Up path opposite Western Valley

Burton, M. MSS 337

1926

Luxor

on to the ~~W~~/~~E~~. > side of Valley, down again & up
on to our hill & down the tourist path. Got
back at 6.45 dark & M^{rs} W. anxious. M^{rs}
Davies to dinner.

3 Feb.

~~F~~/~~W~~ ed.>

M^r Aubrey Le Blond & Miss Hayward to lunch.
After tea H & I round cultivation.

4 Feb.

Thurs.

M^r Winlock returned from Cairo. M^r
Bannard to lunch & a lot of people in
after. I went to see Neferu with Harry. After
tea we met M^r Carter & he took us back to
his house. We walked home. Warm day.

5 Feb.

Fri.

M^r & M^{rs} MacLagan to tea. Walk with H. by
Temple after. M^r Davies in.

6 Feb.

Sat.

Sir John & Lady Maxwell to lunch. Lady
M. went home early but Sir John stayed
until nearly 6. Baroness Ramsay, M^{rs}
& Miss Barker to tea. Walk with H. by cult.

7 Feb.

Sun.

M^{rs} Ronald Greville & Bogey Harris to
lunch. M^r Newberry lunched with the
Maxwells. Walk after tea with H. by cult.
The Davieses & Miss ~~B~~/~~M~~oss to dinner.

8 Feb.

Mon.

Sir Robert Watson Smyth to lunch. Walk

with H.

Burton, M. MSS 338

1926

Luxor

9 Feb.

Tues.

H. & I to Luxor at 11.30. Gave M^r Davies & Miss Moss a lift to Drab el Naggar. The High Commissioner's boat passed us as we were crossing the river - arriving from Khartoum. Met D^r Worthington, & Sir Robert Smyth who introduced me to Lady S. The girl laid up with measles. We lunched with M^{rs} Ronald Greville & Bogey Harris. She had asked Sir R. Horne & his sister but they were lunching with the Lloyds. Talking to the Maxwells, M^{rs} Scott, M^{rs} Mond, Miss Fisher, M^{rs} Marshall, Col & M^{rs} Brassey. We had tea with Baroness Ramsay & M^r M^{rs} & Miss Barker. M^{rs} Davies & Miss Moss teaing with M^r Darke & we brought them back at 5.45. Wonderful sunset.

10 Feb.

Wed.

D^r & M^{rs} Flexner of the Rockafeller Inst. to lunch, & stayed to tea. Walk with H.

11 Feb.

Thurs.

M^{rs} Marshall & Miss Fisher to lunch. Some people called Cutler to tea. Walk round

Burton, M. MSS 339

1926

Luxor

cultivation with H. M^r Hauser left for Cairo.
M^r Newberry didn't dine, with headache.

12 Feb.

Fri.

M^r Weyer laid up all day - nothing much.
M^{rs} Winlock & I to Luxor after lunch to tea
with M^{rs} Armstrong. Talking to the Brasseys,
M^{rs} Flexner, M^r Darke, Col Matheson, M^r
Hichens, also called on the Britannia to
find the Hopkinsons, but out. Saw Foucart
with the Snarey's.

13 Feb.

Sat.

To Luxor & lunched alone with Sir Fred-
erick & Lady Hopkinson & Sir Hardman &
Lady Lever. Introduced M^{rs} Armstrong. Her
birthday & gave her Talbot Kelly's book &
M^{rs} Quibell's. Tea with the same party. Talking
to Sir John & Lady Maxwell, M^{rs} Marshall, Miss
Fisher, Barkers, M^r Carter, Merzbach, Miss
Le Manach. Met the Monds on river bank
Left 5.30. M^{rs} W. & Miss B. to meet me in
car.

14 Feb.

Sun.

M^r & M^{rs} W. lunched at Luxor with the
Flexners to meet D^r Prichett. H. & I to M^r
Carter's after tea. He leaves for Aswan to-
morrow. Miss Moss in after dinner. Warm.

Burton, M. MSS 340

1926

Luxor

16 Feb.

Tues.

M^r Darke called for us at 12.20 & took us across in M^r Carter's car. We lunched with M^{rs} Marshall & Miss Fisher. Sir John & Lady Maxwell, Miss Leigh, M^{rs} Wren M^r Hichens. Afterwards to M^{rs} Armstrong, & we had tea with M^{rs} Scott. The Prichetts lunched here & saw them before we left.

17 Feb.

Wed.

Sir Robert Watson Smyth & Mary to lunch. M^r Darke to tea. The Winlocks & Miss B at Luxor for tea. Walk with H. after by cultivation. Letter from Maria to say Esther incinta. Wrote & told Mme J. to get rid of her.

18 Feb.

To-To died 4 years ago. D^r Breasted & D^r <Nelson to tea. Walk after with H.>

19 Feb.

Fri.

Walk with M^{rs} W. after lunch by Der el Medinet & Medinet Habu. After tea with H. by Temple. Miss Moss in after dinner.

20 Feb.

Sat.

<2>

M^r W. & M^r Newberry left at 8 A.M. for El Kab. Packing their food after breakfast for Osman to take later. M^r W. Miss B & I to Luxor & had tea with M^{rs} Armstrong who looked ill & depressed & wept.

Burton, M. MSS 341

1926

Luxor

21 Feb.

Sun.

Walk with H. by cult after tea. M^{rs} W. to tea with Miss Aldrich. Workpeople moving front lawn.

22 Feb.

Mon.

M^r Hauser & M^r Wilkinson returned. Cold wind. M^{rs} Winlock lunched at Luxor. Brought back to tea Miss Aldrich & Miss Macfadden. M^{rs} Colley Rowan & Lord James Stewart Murray. Walk after by cultivation with H.

23 Feb.

Tues.

H & I to Luxor at 12. Lunched with M^{rs} Armstrong. M^r Hichens. Afterwards in M^{rs} A's room. Tea on the <back> Terrace with M^{rs} A., M^{rs} Winlock, Miss B. D^r Worthington & M^r Prescott. Talking to Lady Leitrim Maxwells. Rather chilly day. M^{rs} W. & Miss B. came over to meet the "Egypt" bringing the Berkeleys, but ended by dining at the W. P. & when they left at 9.30 P.M. the boat hadn't yet arrived.

24 Feb.

Wed.

The Berkeleys expected to lunch, but boat not in. M^r & 2 Miss Bartlots to tea. Walk after with H. by cultivation. Big fire in sugar plantation.

Burton, M. MSS 342

1926

Luxor

26/<5> Feb.

Thurs.

The Berkeleys here in morning. M^r & Miss Warren called. Miss B. lunched at Luxor. M^r & M^{rs} Krech lunched here. Walk with H. by cult after tea.

26 Feb.

Fri.

Lord & Lady Berkeley to lunch. Afterwards M^{rs} W. & I to Luxor & had tea with M^{rs} Scott. Saw M^{rs} Armstrong. M^r W. & M^r Newberry arrived from Aswan, & stayed in Luxor for the evg. dining at Karnac with Berkeleys, M^{rs} W. & Miss B.

27 Feb.

Sat.

Saw first flight of storks hovering over the cliffs in morning. Walk with H.

28 Feb.

Sun.

After lunch at 3. with M^{rs} W. & Miss B. up tourist path, back of hump, & round cliffs to Der el Medina. Saw Bruyère & Czerny. To Chicago House & had tea with the Nelsons, Miss Wills & D^r Breasted.

1 March.

Mon.

M^r Hichins & M^r Prescott to tea. Afterwards M^{rs} W. & Miss B. left for Palestine. M^r W. went to see them off. Walk with H. by cultivation.

2 Mar.

Tues.

H. & I to Luxor at 11. Lunched with M^{rs}

Burton, M. MSS 343

1926

Luxor

Armstrong. M^r Prescott. Talking to M^{rs} Brassey & Col. B., M^{rs} Mond, D^r W. <Maxwells> etc. Tea with M^{rs} Scott. Miss Moss. Back at 6. Lord Leitrim here while we were out. Also Harrimans. H. talking to Phelps Stokes.

3 March.

Wed.

Lord Leitrim to lunch. Took him afterwards to Menna, Sennefer, Ramose & Kha em hat. Met M^r Mond & Miss Le Manach in Ramose superintending work there, also Sir John & Lady Maxwell, who came back to tea here, also Lord L. Madame Lortet & Marchese Umberto Strozzi. Warm day.

4 Mar.

Walk with H. by cult.

5 Mar.

Fri.

After tea for drive to Valley of Kings & back by canal ghissa with H., M^r W. & children. Met M^{rs} Mond & niece. M^r Lucas dined here, M^r Carter too seedy to come. Grey & overcast in morning. After lunch wind & rain storm & 6 degrees drop in ½ hour.

6 Mar.

Sat.

M^r Newberry lunched with the Maxwells, back for tea & came for a walk with us round the cultivation. Maddison Grants in morning.

Burton, M. MSS 344

1926

Luxor

7 Mar.

Sun.

To Luxor in aft. Children & Miss P. to river.
Had tea with M^{rs} Scott, Miss Burgess &
Count Bruno Corra. Talking to Monds,
Mme Lortet, Marchese Strozzi. Back at
W. bank at 5.30 & met children & Miss
P. M^r W. left for Cairo. M^r Newberry
at Valley & lunched with M^r Carter.

8 March.

Mon.

Miss Burgess & Count Corra to lunch.
Took them to the Temple after. They stayed for
tea. After for a walk with H. by cultivation.

9 March.

Tues.

M^r Winlock back from Cairo. M^{rs} Moore
& Miss Harris to lunch. After H & I to Luxor
also M^r W. Miss P. & the children. Bayumi's
wife had miscarriage last night. We
had tea with Miss Burgess & Count Corra
also M^r Lucas & M^r Carter. Back with
Winlock party. Speaking to the Berkeleys.

10 Mar.

Wed.

Miss Moss arrived at 12. Barbara
with me all the morning. M^r Newberry
knocked up & no tea or dinner. Walk
with H & Miss Moss after by cultivation
Horrid day, dark, gloomy, high wind & cold.

Burton, M. MSS 345

1926

Luxor

11 Mar.

Thurs.

Lord & Lady Berkeley to lunch. Walk after tea with Miss Moss & H. by cult. Lovely day.

12 Mar.

Fri.

To Luxor in morning & lunched with M^{rs} Armstrong. D^r Strong & D^r Worthington Also tea with them. Warm day. M^{rs} A's arms very inflamed with infected insect bite.

13 Mar.

Sat.

M^{rs} Winlock arrived. Mme de Cramer in morning, & also <to> tea bringing Count Caccia Domenini with the Contessa, 2 daughters, a friend & Jarsa Bey Beschari Walk with H. by cultivation. Very cold day. Windstorm in early morning.

14 Mar.

Sun.

Bitter cold wind. Professor Steindorf to lunch. Afterwards M^{rs} W. & I to Luxor to tea with M^{rs} A. in bed with arms bad. M^r Carter & M^{rs} Lucas to dinner. Very cold.

15 Mar.

Mon.

Miss Moss & M^r Newberry left for Abydos. Miss M. to Fayum, & M^r N. to Mena House. Walk with H. by cult. after tea.

16 Mar.

Tues.

M^r Lee Simonson to lunch. At 2.30 H & I with the Winlocks & Miss Perry to Luxor. M^{rs} W. & I to Luxor Hotel to see M^r Prescott's

Burton, M. MSS 346

1926

Luxor

portrait of M^{rs} Armstrong. The porter spilt ink on my dress. Tea with M^{rs} A. Also M^r Winlock. Back at 5.45. Speaking to M^r Darke. Last Tutankhamen day.

17 Mar.

St Patrick's Day. Walk with H. after tea by cult.

18 Mar.

Thurs.

M^{rs} W. & I to Luxor in morning. Children to river. Lunched with M^{rs} A. also tea. To Hampton, Gaddis & Tutankhamen store. Warm aft. D^r Worthington at tea.

19 Mar.

Fri.

M. Benedite & M. Foucart in morning. H & I for walk after tea by cult. & M^{rs} W. too.

20 Mar.

Sat.

M^{rs} W. & I to Luxor at 3. Children to river. Tea with M^{rs} Armstrong, M^{rs} Murray. Met Miss Helm, M^{rs} Strealfield & M^{rs} Gordon. Left at 5.45. M^{rs} A. leaving for Cairo on Sunday.

21 Mar.

Sun.

Monsieur Bénéдите & M. Foucart to lunch. Walk after tea with H. by cult. & sitting on hill

22 Mar.

Mon.

In morning to Rek ma re' with H. M^r Mond turned up & I went back to lunch with him & M^r Emery at their place. M^r Knittel turned up after, & H. came at 2.

Burton, M. MSS 347

1926

Luxor

Walk with H. after tea by cult. & on hill. The Winlock's dined on board the "Scarab".

23 Mar.

Tues.

A wire came from M^{rs} Phillips at 7.15 A.M. to say she was arriving this morning. So H. went over after breakfast to meet her. She stayed there for lunch with Lady Horne. H. brought back the news that Monsieur Bénédite died this morning at 7. from sunstroke contracted at Karnac yesterday. M^r Williams, M^r Cravath, M^r Cruger, Miss Brush & M^{rs} Whitehouse to lunch. Afterwards H & I to Luxor with the Winlocks. To see M^{rs} Scott, seedy in bed. We had tea at Winter Palace with Robert Hichens. Then to Luxor Hotel to pick up M^{rs} Phillips. Met Lady Horne. Talking to M^r Mond, M^r Emery, M^r Knittel, D^r Worthington. Brought M^{rs} Phillips back.

24 Mar.

Wed.

Lady Horne called for M^{rs} P. & me at 10. & to Valley of Kings. Seti, Amenhotep II & Meremptah, Back for lunch & then to Tombs of Queens in Lady H's car. M^{rs} W. joined us there, & to Medinet Habu.

Burton, M. MSS 348

1926

Luxor

Lady H. back to Luxor from there, & M^r W. drove M^{rs} P. & me home. M^r Welch to lunch. After tea, H. M^{rs} P. & I walked by cultivation.

25 Mar.

Thurs.

M^r Hawes to tea. Walk after with H. & M^{rs} P. by cult. Warm. Winlocks to Luxor in aft.

26 Mar.

Fri.

Admiral & M^{rs} Welles, Commander & M^{rs} Carpenter to lunch. After, M^{rs} Phillips & I to Luxor. Tea with M^r Hodge, Welles, Carpenders & Colefields (?) & after to the Grand Hotel to see Musa catching snakes. Then with M^{rs} Scott, & M^r Hodge saw us off. Talking to D^r Worthington. Schwartz

27 Mar.

Sat.

The Welles here in morning. M^{rs} Scott to lunch & tea. M^{rs} P., M^{rs} W. & children with her to the river. Walk with H. by cult. M^r Carter & M^r Lucas here. After dinner H. walked to Temple with M^{rs} P. & M^r Weyre.

28 Mar.

Sun.

Wire from N. Y. announcing the death of old M^{rs} Harkness. After lunch M^{rs} P., M^{rs} W & children to Luxor. M^{rs} P. & I to station & to tea at Winter Palace. M^{rs}

Burton, M. MSS 349

1926

Luxor

W. home before us. H. in car to meet us.
Very windy crossing. Talking to M^r Cravath
& D^r W.

29 Mar.

Mon.

Miss Helen to tea, after which M^{rs} P. H
& I to Luxor to see M^{rs} P. part of the way
off. H. & I started back at 6. The
Winlocks to M^r Carter after dinner. M^{rs}
Phillips & I to M^{rs} Davies in morning.

30 Mar.

Tues.

The Winlocks & Miss P. to Luxor early. Back
at 2.30. We went over at 3. Talking to
M^r Hichens. We had tea with M^r Prescott at
Winter Palace. Margaret Strong was having
tea with M^r Hichens. Back at 6.

31 Mar.

Wed.

M^r Carter at tea time, & afterwards the Ws
H. & I in his car, M^r W. driving, & children
& Miss P. following in our car, accross the
desert behind Medinet Habu, & back by
ghissas to M^r C's house. H & I & Miss P.
walked home. M^r W. to Davies after dinner.

1 April

Thurs.

~~M^r Balfour to tea.~~ With H. to Davies' &
saw their El Amarna drawing. Then round
by the Temple.

Burton, M. MSS 350

1926

Luxor

2 April

<Good Friday.>

M^r Balfour to tea. Walk with H. by cult.

3 April

Sat.

M^r Balfour to lunch. Walk with H. by cult.

Hamper of vegetables & fruit from M^{rs} Phillips.

In morning with H. & movie camera to
take weavers & spinners near Menna. Hot.

4 April

Easter

Sun.

High wind & wind in aft. not khamseen.

M^{rs} W. for walk by cultivation in aft. The
Children to dinner.

5 April

Mon.

<Cool.>

H went to Kena by 10.30 train to do
some movies of potters. Miss Perry, Frances
& I to Luxor in aft, & I to station to meet
H. by 4.30 train arrived at 5. Tea at
Luxor Hotel. M^r Prescott leaving that night.

6 April.

Tues.

H & I for walk after tea. Lovely cold
day. Went up the hill opposite, along top &
overlooking Western Valley, & back by tourist
path.

8 April

Thurs.

M^r Winlock drove M^{rs} W. H & me to
M^r Carter's. Left H. there, & we went to
river bank & back to M^r C.'s for Harry.
Quite chilly.

9 April.

Fri.

M. Bruyère & Cerny after lunch to
say goodbye. Then M^{rs} W. Miss P. children

Burton, M. MSS 351

1926

Luxor

& I to Luxor & shopping. Said goodbye to M^r Lucas at Luxor Hotel, leaving that night. Back for tea at 5.30. & walk by Temple with H. D^r Nelson & M^r Kellogg in after h/d inner.

10 April.

Sat.

Fourth anniversary of Papa. H. began working again for M^r C. photographing the jewellery. Back after lunch. After tea for walk with him by cult. Still cool. The Frankforts & Davieses to dinner.

12 April.

Mon.

H. back after lunch from Valley. M^{rs} W., Miss P., children & I out in car at 4 & along Erment ghissa. Back at 5.30. Walk with H. by cult. Warm day. M^r Carter to dinner.

13 April.

Tues.

Hot day. 96°. Walk with H. after tea. He got back from Valley for tea. Last day of Ramadan, but couldn't see new moon.

14 April.

Wed.

Servants all went to Mosque at Luxor in morning. First day of Bairam. Hot. <On hill top with H. No walk. Not to Valley.>

15 April.

Thurs.

M^r Williams in morning. M^r Callender arrived for lunch. H. back from Valley about 3. 101°

Burton, M. MSS 352

1926

Luxor

16 April

Fri.

M^{rs} W. & I to Luxor in aft. With M^r W who left for Cairo at 6. P.M. Tea at Luxor Hotel. M^r Williams & sisters. To Pohoomull's after to buy silks. Very hot 102°. Back late. H. to Valley.

17 April

Sat.

M^r Callender left in morning. Hot 100°. H. back from Valley. 2.30.

21 April.

Wed.

M^r Winlock back in morning. D^r Nelson to tea. The Winlocks to Luxor to see Lacau. M^r C. here, everybody out. H. & I round Temple & on hill.

22 Ap.

Thurs.

Lacau to tea. Walk with H. by cultivation & on hill.

29 Ap.

~~Fri.~~ / < Thurs. >

M^r Speleers in morning. M^{rs} Winlock, **children & Miss P. left on the 26 April.** for Cairo. On the 27th, 28th, 29th out with M^r W. in aft in car, H. M^r Weyre & I. Thermometer every day 103, 105, 103 for 6 days.

30 Ap.

Walk with H. after tea to hilltop.

1 May.

Sat.

Left Qurna at 3. & Harry & I had
tea at Luxor Hotel with M^{rs} Scott. Left Luxor

Burton, M. MSS 353

1926

Cairo

by 6 P.M. train. Dined on board.

2 May.

Sun.

Arrived Cairo 7 A.M. after almost sleepless night from the heat. To Continental Hotel, 131. Washed my hair. Slept after lunch. We had tea with the Russells. M^r & M^{rs} Pearce, & Prince Jellaleddin. From there to the Garrys. After dinner M^r Roberts. <Balchin lunched with us.>

3 May.

Mon.

Shem-en-nessim. Most of shops shut, but H. & I did some shopping & also to Groppi's Tea with the Phillips. M^{rs} P. wanted to take us to the Loutfallah's big lunch but refused. M^{rs} Scrivener at the Phillips's. <The Garrys dined with us & afterwards with the Mertons & Persian Minister & his English wife.>

4 May.

Tues.

Shopping all morning with M^{rs} Harry. Very hot. M^{rs} Winlock in from Mena House in morning. Also D^r Reisner, Monsieur Baraize, D^r Garry. Prof. Steindorff & M^r Hauser. The Phillips for us at 4 & motored us out to see the restored Sphinx & we had tea in the car. Khamsin & beastly. In to Mena House on our way back & saw Miss Perry & the children. Also Miss ? At Sphinx met

Burton, M. MSS 354

1926

Cairo, SS. Famaka (Khedevial)

Prince Amr Ibrahim (son of married
M^{lle} Yousri, a sister of Hassanein's wife.
Is a nephew of Seif ed din). Back to
Phillips. Madame Wickefort van Crommelin
there. Also M^{rs} Scrivener. D^r P. drove us back
to town. Packing after dinner until late.

5 May.

Wed.

Left Cairo for Alex by the 9.30 A.M.
train. M^r Boys in carriage. At Tanta
Léonie & the Courvoisiers came to the train
to see us through & brought us lemonade.
Arrived Alex 12.45. Sent luggage to boat &
to Claridge's for lunch. The Monds & Miss Le
Manach, also manager of Semiramis.
After lunch to Khedevial mail boat
Famaka. & sailed at 4.15 P.M. ¼ hour
late. M^r & M^{rs} Hardy <or Harding> at table (the Delco
Traveller). M^r Richardson & M^r Carr on
board who came down from the Sudan
in our train from Luxor. Calm.

6 May.

Thurs.

Calm & muggy. Passed Crete at tea-
time.

7 May.

Fri.

Arr. Piraeus about 8.30 A.M. (instead
of 10). Not allowed on shore as Turkey

Burton, M. MSS 355

1926

SS. Famaka

had put Greece in quarantine on account of plague. Had our Greek visas in Cairo. 2 English men <(on board).> of business from Smyrna on visit to Athens had to go to Egypt in order to get back to Smyrna on account of quarantine. M^r Carr & M^r Richardson & the Hardys disembarked. Also most of the passengers. Much cooler & clearer. <Sailed about 4.30. Passed Cape Colonna & Temple of Poseidon & then between Mikronisi & Kea.>

8 May.

Sat.

Arrived Smyrna 8 A.M. We went ashore & motored up to Mount Pagos, by American Institute & back by the Bazaars. M^r Campling & M^r Montgomery left us. Three old Scotch people on board - a couple & another woman, & also a very self - satisfied young Jackanapes, also Scotch. The Captain Scotch also.

9 May.

Sun.

Four years since Mamma died. Got up at 4 A.M. while boat stopped at Chanak for pratique, & stayed on deck until we passed Gallipoli town at 6, & saw the whole of the Dardanelles. It was dark when we passed Cape Helles

Burton, M. MSS 356

1926

Constantinople

So could not see the War Memorial.
Very lovely approach to C'nople, beauty-ful
day, & got into port about 3 P.M.
Edwina sent the Embassy Cavass to
meet us & get us ashore & through
the Customs & up to the House at 8
rue Minaret, Pera. Tea with her alone
then M^{rs} Wylie who is staying in the
house, & Edwin later. Dinner 8.30.
After tea we walked to the Embassy
& wrote our names in the book & walked
through the Garden, also about Pera
& taxied back.

10 May.

Mon.

Left the house with E. M^{rs} W. & H.
at 10.30 & first to sleeping car office where
we met the Hinds. In M^r Hoar's car
(chancellor). Then to Museum & saw
Alexander's Sarcophagus & Shepherd boy.
<M^{rs} Leeper & Miss Somervell.>
Then to Sta. Sophia. After lunch H &
I to be photographed for permit de sejour
Then tea, & to see the great cistern
with Edwina & M^{rs} W. She left us, &

Burton, M. MSS 357

1926

Constantinople

E. H & I went to the Sultan Ahmed Mosque. In the morning also the Hippodrome. After the Mosque we walked to the Bazaars & spent a little time there. M^r Helm to dinner, M^r Knoblet to lunch every day - a young cousin of Edwin's.

11 May.

Tues.

M^r Hoar's car, & E. M^{rs} W. H & I to the Yeni Kouli (Seven towers) & on the walls etc. Then to the Mosaic Mosque, & a long way back round by the country over an awful road for lunch at after 2. At 2.30 on to the Seraglio, & from there to the fur shop in the bazaar, Edwina having left us after the Seraglio. Back for tea at 6. Very tired. M^r & M^{rs} Waugh & her mother, M^{rs} Hugh Jones to dinner.

12 May.

Wed.

Left house at 10.45 & by steamer up the Golden Horn to Ayub Mosque. Lunch late & just caught the 2.30 boat with Edwina up the Bosphorus to the Black Sea, Roumeli Hissar. The

Burton, M. MSS 358

1926

Constantinople

Hinds on board. Bitterly cold.

13 May.

Thurs.

With H. Edwina & M^{rs} D. W. to the Bazaars in morning. Bought some Turkish towels After lunch with H. to Wagon Lits. Back for tea, & Kenny & Ruth Whittall, Arthur, Miss Dodd, & Canon & M^{rs} Whitehouse.

14 May.

Fri

Left by 10 A.M. boat for Prinkipo & spent the day on Edwin's yacht the "Eaglet". The Edmunds, M^{rs} Hadow, Miss Hampson, M^{rs} D. W. Chilly but fine. At the Hampson's villa later & for a walk as we missed the 5.15 boat. Caught the 7.15 boat back to C'nople & got back at 9.

15 May.

Sat.

Left C'nople by the Orient Express at 11 A.M. The Edwins came to see us off. Beautiful view of the Golden Horn & Golden Gate etc.

16 May.

Sun.

Passed through Belgrade at 2.30 P.M. Good view.

17 May.

Mon.

Arr. Trieste 10 A.M. 2½ hours late. To the Savoy. Excelsior Hotel. Room 5_6

Burton, M. MSS 359

1926

Trieste, Florence

with bath. Left again at 11.30 for Postumia to see the Stalagmite Caverns. Very wonderful. Got there 1.45. & entered grottoes at 2.15. Two hours in, & walked 3 miles. Got the 4.40 P.M. back & changed at San Pietro in Carso. Arr. Trieste 6.45. Dined early, & bed, very tired. Rained slightly

18 May.

Tues.

Left Trieste 10 A.M. Had a coupé to ourselves in through carriage, & bought cestini for lunch & dinner. Saw floods in upper Italy - Adige, Po & Piave. Giuseppe Pasqui to meet us.

19 May.

Wed.

Unpacking. Ada in morning & to tea. To Ethel's at 6.30. P.M. for clothes' clothes' patterns. Maria in in morning.

20 May.

Thurs.

Gisela here & then Forca. With H shopping after tea & to Dori. Ada to dine. Cloudy & cold.

21 May.

Fri.

Maria P. in morning. Sunny & warm. H & I to tea at the MacDougalls & Baroness de Kerbreck. Lots of people, & Mme Sabelvelt sang. Afterwards to the Butties, & walked home. The Kirks there & Miss Lafarge.

Burton, M. MSS 360

1926

Florence

also Miss Wilson.

22 May.

Sat.

To Milliner & then to lunch with Ethel where I met H. Met M^{rs} Norman. M^{rs} Ryle & Angela staying with E. also M^{rs} Anstey, & Count Frassinetto to lunch. Afterwards to see Miss Goode who had been in bed 12 days. After tea shopping with H. Met the Courvoisiers.

23 May.

Sun.

H & I to tea at the Firth's. Drove in Bianchi's carriage. Marchesa Scarampi. We dined with Miss Hutton. Miss Latley in afterwards.

24 May.

Mon.

H. & I to Empire Day Service at Holy Trinity at 11. Lots of people after. After tea with H. to the Reddies'. Marchese Gordi, & Madame & young Beldimano. Walked home by Viale & Via S. Leonardo.

25 May.

Tues.

To Gisela in morning. Met Hunter-Smiths. M^{rs} Julian Story at Gisela's & her sister M^{rs} Making. Shopping with H. after tea.

26 May.

Wed.

Met H. at M^r Procter's in morning. M^{rs} Duncan. To tea with Miss Ryerson. Signa

Burton, M. MSS 361

1926

Florence

Abetti, Buttles & Miss Lafarge. M^{rs} Howes, M^{rs} Austen Leigh etc. Walked back.

May 27.

Thurs.

Flower market with H. in morning. To tea Ethel, M^{rs} Anstey, M^{rs} Baird, the Firths, M^{rs} Ryle, Marchesa Scarrampi, Miss Latley & Miss Hutton. Also M^{rs} Reddie.

28 May.

Fri.

To the Allori in morning with H. in Attilio's car. Took Madonna lilies. After to Gisela. To tea at the de Robecks. Miss Feilding, & the Courvoisiers. Walked both ways. Met M^r Rathbone. Maria in after dinner. Met Miss Durst.

29 May.

Sat.

We had tea here, then with Ethel, M^{rs} Anstey & M^{rs} Baird to the Maclean's at home. Everybody in Florence there. We went on to M^{rs} Lindley's. Some other people there. The Pasquis to dinner & we took them to "Boris Godonoff." Very good. The Dursts, Mme Courvoisier etc there. Back at 1.

30 May.

Sun.

To tea with the Spelmans & met Tim's mother. M^{rs} Cox & a friend & M^{rs} Durst & Giovanna. H. dined with Ada.

Burton, M. MSS 362

1926

Florence

31 May.

Mon.

Baroness Faverot & Isabel lunched here.

We had tea with M^{rs} Murray-Baillie.

Miss Goode & M^{rs} Hayes-Sadler & M^r Procter.

1 June.

Tues.

H. & I to Consulate to have Egypt. Trib signatures witnessed. To milliner. To tea at the de Cossons. M^{rs} & Miss Evans, the Bramleys, M^{rs} Turner etc. Also Addie & Isabel. They motored us back to Piazza. Norton etc. Ethel, M^{rs} Anstey & M^{rs} Baird dined here.

3 June.

Thurs.

H & I motored M^{rs} Murray Baillie out to M^r Procter's at home. Everybody in Florence there. 300. Fine, but chilly, though pouring wet morning. Miss Latley, M^{rs} Hook, & Ada to dinner.

4 June.

Fri.

Col & Mme Courvoisier & M^r Procter to lunch. To tea with Ethel Harter.

Duca del Monte, Carlo Placci, Haslips M^{rs} Sturt, etc.

5 June.

Sat.

M^r & M^{rs} Jennings Bramly & Sir George Dick Lauder to lunch. I had tea with Miss Robbins. M^{rs} Robbins & another

Burton, M. MSS 363

Florence

woman there. Found Jim and M^r
Whitehead here when I got back. We dined
with them at the Baglioni.

6 June.

Sun.

We had tea with the Spellmans. M^{rs}
Cox. Miss Ferine, M^r Forbes (playwright)
& some other people. H. dined with Ada.

7 June.

Mon.

We lunched with the Dick-Lauders.
Lady Ross, Vicars, Ethel, & Munari
Roccas. We called on M^{rs} Crown-
inshield. M^{rs} Mason Jones & a Miss
Robinson there. H. went to see Miss
Koon after dinner.

8 June.

Tues.

We lunched with Ethel. The Carrères
there & M^{rs} Haslip.

9 June

Wed.

H & I called on the Nunns, out. Met
Mme Courvoisier & shopped. We dined
with the Spellmans. M^r Temple.

10 June

Thurs.

We lunched with the Lawlesses. Lady
Coote & Capt Williams. Nesta, Marchesa
Scarampi, Miss La Farge & Ada to
tea.

11 June.

To M^{rs} Van Millingen's tea party. Lots

Burton, M. MSS 364

1926

Florence

people. Abettis, M^r Bell, Miss Penrose etc.
Ada dined here.

12 June.

Sat.

M^{rs} Robbins, Miss Latley, Miss Whytlaw
the Hills, M^r Bond, Miss Saxe, M^{rs} Cox
& some others to tea.

13 June.

Sun.

Papa's birthday. Could not go to
Allori as torrents of rain all day
until 6. The Nunns sent their car
for us & we went there for tea & they
brought us home by the Viale dei Colli.
We dined with Ada. Miss Latley there.

14 June.

Mon.

We left by 10 A.M. train for Bologna.
Arr. 13.20. Jim met us & we lunched
at Majestic Hotel & left again by car
at 2.45. Arr. Florence at 5.45.
Came by the Futa Pass. but we were
in the clouds, & it rained from there
on. Jim & M^{rs} Lindley to dinner.

15 June.

Tues.

To tea with the de Robecks. Also Jim
& back by Piazzale. Mme Maraini &
Miss Harrison. Jim, the Vicars, Ethel
& Sir George D-L. to dinner & Nesta.

Burton, M. MSS 365

Florence

16 June.

Wed.

With Jim & H. to Miss Latley's in morning.
Then to Cascini. Jim & M^r Perkins to
lunch. After to Inciso & San Donato
with J. in car, & back by Pontassieve.
Lovely drive. Jim to tea, & with him
to dine at the Baglioni.

17 June.

Thurs.

In aft. doing books. New shelves all
wrong.

18 June.

Fri.

I had lunch with the Van Millingens,
M^{rs} Earle & M^{rs} J-Bramly. M^{rs} Earles drove
me home. To tea at the Normans.
Ethel, M^r Procter, Miss Good & another
woman. Ethel & Ada to dinner.

19 June.

Sat.

Attilio took us out to tea at the Evans.
then had to go. Miss Frost motored us back
& we called en route on M^{rs} Keppel. Out.
Maria in after dinner with embroideries.

20 June.

Sun.

We lunched with Ethel. Lina went to
cook the soufflé. The Vicars, & Monsignore
Giuliairi. To tea at the Prices. The
Pirries, Munari-Rocca, Maria Pia,
Marchesa Capponi, & Miss Cotterell who

Burton, M. MSS 366

1926

Florence

motored me down. Harry walked. He
dined at Ada's.

21 June.

Mon.

With H. to station to see Ethel off
We had tea with M^{rs} Myburgh at
Giacosa's. M^r Ashburner & M^r Harvey.
H. called on M^r Ehrenheim after.

22 June.

Tues.

H. & I lunched at the Prices.
Walked up, very hot, felt seedy. Lady
Rogers & M^{rs} Herbert. Lady R. motored
us down. To tea with the Dursts
Two women there.

23 June.

Wed.

I lunched with M^{rs} Earle. Miss
Turner, the 2 Macquays, M^{rs} Norman
& M^{rs} Fisher there. M^r Procter to
dinner here, but I had a temp. of
102° 4', so went to bed before
dinner.

23/<4> June.

In bed all day with temp.

25 June.

Fri.

In bed all day with temp. 101.4.
D^r Ancona came, & said there was
much of this fever, but they couldn't
diagnose it as all the blood tests
were negative. H. to Fiesole in

Burton, M. MSS 367

Florence

morning & had M^r Davis to tea & Ada to dinner.

26 June.

My temp. from 99.8 to 101.4.

<H had the Evans, M^{rs} Harvey Miss Good & Ambrosetti to tea, & Ada to dine.>

27 June.

My temp from 99. to 102.4. Rash all over my body. Miss Latley looking after me, & Ancona coming every day. ~~He gave me an injection of~~ Omnadine. Ada to dinner.

<Miss Lascelles & Miss L. to tea.>

~~H. took M^{rs} Russell to the Uffizi in~~ the morning & she had tea here & came to my room. Then H. took her to Sto Spirito & the Carmine.

28 June.

Mon.

Temp. 99.4 to 102.4. H met M^{rs} Russell at 11. 7. P.M. & took her to Grande Bretagne. She was to have stayed here, but Ancona wouldn't let her.

29 June.

Tues.

Temp. 100.2 to 100.6.

Ancona gave me an injection of Omnadine. H. took M^{rs} R. to the Uffizi etc. & in aft to Carmine & S. Spirito

Burton, M. MSS 368

1926

Florence

30 June.

99.8 to 100.6. Another inj.

Miss L. here till 7. Ada here to dinner & also in morning.

M^{rs} R. to tea & H. out with her.

1 July.

Thurs.

99. to 99.4. Ancona took a blood test. Ada to lunch & dine

M^{rs} R. to tea, also Normans.

2 July.

Fri.

98.4 to 99.4. H went with

M^{rs} R. to Paglio at Siena & San Gimignano. Left at 8.15 A.M. & got back at after 10. P.M.

3 July.

Sat.

Temp. 98. to 99.2. H out with M^{rs} R. & she here in aft. Giuseppe after dinner.

4 July.

Sun.

H. to tea at the Spelmans with M^{rs} R. They lunched at the Normans. Up for 2 hours.

5 July.

Mon.

M^{rs} R. to lunch. I up all day. Very cheap.

6 July.

Tues.

M^r Muller to tea - & he & H went on to tea at Miss Fernie's.

Miss Latley to dinner.

Burton, M. MSS 369

1926

Florence

7 July.

Wed.

I went to station with H. to see M^{rs}
R. off in luxe at 2.10. Also M^{rs}
Lindley. H. dined with the
Spelmans. 19 people.

8 July.

Thurs.

Miss Latley to tea. Out with her to
picture framer's after. Also H.

9 July.

Fri.

To M^{rs} Crowninshield's after tea &
H. picked me up there.

10 July.

Sat.

H. & I to tea at the Lawlesses. Then
to Ada's & Sbisa.

11 July.

Sun.

H. to swim at the Spelman's.
I there after tea. Lots of people.

12 July.

Mon.

H. to tea at the Normans. I had
tea at home & then to the Teagne's &
H. picked me up there.

13 July.

Tues.

The Normans, Spelmans,
Fernies, Miss Whittuck, M^r
Burke & Miss Harrison to tea.

14 July.

Wed.

M^{rs} Evans to tea. With H. to
fumista after.

15 July.

Thurs.

With H. & the Fernies' in Attilio's
car to tea with M^{rs} Kenyon Cox.

Burton, M. MSS 370

1926

Florence

Miss Nixon etc there. Ada to dine.

16 July.

Fri.

To Gisela's in morning. H. & I to tea with Miss Latley. Then to stuff shop in Via dei Tintori & Nonnini. & trunk shop, Porta Rossa. Very muggy

17 July.

Sat.

Shopping with H. after tea. We dined with the Normans. M^{rs} Sturt & M^r Burke. Very hot.

18 July.

Sun.

Packing house. H. to the Spelmans to bathe. We dined with Ada. Miss Latley.

19 July.

To the Allori, with H. in Attilio's car.

20 July.

Tues.

I left by the 1.25 train. Forgot my keys & H. had to rush back for them. Fearfully hot. Train very empty. Miss Whittuck & Miss Gardiner in my coach. Dined alone.

21 July.

Wed.

Arrived Paris 2.30. ? Cook's man met me & took me across to Gare des Invalides. Hot, but much cooler than Florence. Left for Bagnoles at 5.10 & arrived 10.40 P.M. Frances V. M. was waiting up for me at the Villa Sylvabelle.

Burton, M. MSS 371

1926

Bagnoles de l'Orne

22 July.

Thurs.

Luggage came at 10 A.M. Got up late.
Much cooler. Frances took me to D^r
Quiserne's after lunch, but he was too
busy, & so came to see me at the
Sylvabelle at 7. Said I was all right.
Bad headache all day & M^{rs} V. M. horrified
at my appearance! With the V. M's
to tea at the "Roseaie". In bus both
ways. Walk after dinner with Ms in forest.

23 July.

Fri.

With M^{rs} V. M. to the Bath Etablissement
& had her bath after she came out.
20 minutes at a temp of 35°. Back
to the Sylvabelle & in bed for 2 hours.
Up for lunch. Have to drink a glass
of mixed Vittel & Vichy before & after the
bath. My baigneuse's name Andrée.
Had tea in the V. M's rooms while
they packed. Rested after lunch &
then out to village with F. to do some
shopping & to Bank. The exchange
213 to the £. After tea with F
to register their baggage, but office shut,

Burton, M. MSS 372

1926

Bagnoles

so we went again after dinner with M^{rs}
V. M.

24 July.

Sat.

The Van Mills. left at 6. A.M.

Bath every day. To P.O. after lunch
with H's letters every day, then sleep
till tea time. Walked through Etabl.
grounds after

25 July.

~~Mon~~/**<Sun>**

No baths on Sunday. After tea walked
for 1¼ hours. To P.O. after lunch.

26 July.

Mon.

Bath. Go down in car with M. &
Mlle. Beer. Sit next Madame Villers
Swiss from Berne. Pouring in morn.
Cleared up after & went for same
walk as yesterday.

27 July.

Tues.

To Bath. Bank after lunch. Got
191. After tea crossed the railway
line & walked back towards
Bagnoles.

29 July.

Wed

Bath. Visit from Quiserne who said
30 minutes now. Generally stay longer.
Walked to Gui des Biches & back
by Manoir du Lys.

Burton, M. MSS 373

1926

Bagnoles

6 August.

Fri.

Harry arrived at 3.30 P.M. Went to meet him. Couldn't write my diary till he came as I had left it behind. We had tea at the pension & then walked round by Tessé la Madeleine & back by the Etablissement grounds. Another short walk after dinner.

7 Aug

Sat

To bath as usual & bed. Had tea in & then H. & I walked to Manoir du Lys <by road> & back through the woods.

8 Aug.

Sun.

We left at 3.30 & walked to Vallée de la Cour by road. Tea there (The Le Tourneurs there) & back by road. Very warm.

9 Aug.

Mon.

Bath. H. goes to the swimming bath every day. Started at 3.30 & we walked to St. Michel des Andaine. Church & met the curé who knew Lord Lloyd. Tea at an inn <garden> Poured while we were there & had to go in & wait some time. Walked back by Gui des Biches.

Burton, M. MSS 374

1926

Bagnoles

10 Aug.

Tues

Bath, & H. swum. Started (in a car we hired) at 2. to Mont St. Michel 110 kilometres. Had tea at a place up the hill, then visited the Abbaye. Then watched the haute marée come in (not the Grande Marée). Dined at the Poulard's & left at 9. Got back at 11.

11 Aug.

Wed.

We took the 3.30 train to Couterne taking Mme van Hagendorne with us. Tea there & walked back by the Château de Faye.

13 Aug

Fri.

After lunch H & I in charàbanc (Anglo-French) to Falaise & Falaise. Went over the Castle of Robert le diable or magnificent (Father of William the Conqueror). Tea at the hotel. Got back at 7. Very hot.

15 Aug.

Sun.

We left Bagnoles at 12.10. & ate a picnic lunch in the train. Arr. Paris 5.20. & to the Terminus Hotel. Had tea & then took taxi

Burton, M. MSS 375

Paris, London

& drove round by Champs Elysées to Pte Dauphine, visited tomb of unknown soldier, Trocadero, Eiffel Tour etc. Dined in Hotel. Bad service.

16 Aug.

Mon.

Left Paris 10 A.M. Arr. Dover 3.20. Lovely crossing. Pulman & tea & arr. London 6.25. Queen's Gate Hotel 7.10. We dined with Ethel & Barney, Sir Seymour Fortescue & M^r Baird.

17 Aug.

Tues.

With H. in morning to Westminster Exchange, then to Customs House. Back for lunch. Hurt my leg & had to lie up all aft. With H. to see the "Ghost Train" at the Prince of Wales's Very thrilling.

18 Aug

Wed.

After lunch to S. Kens. Mus. to see The City Companies' Plate. Tea at Russian Tea rooms & then in taxi to the Park & after to Kens. High St. After dinner on top of bus to Turnham Green & back.

Burton, M. MSS 376

1926

London, Headley

19 Aug.

Thurs.

With H. to stores & then he went to see D^r Laing. Tea in house & then with H. to Deb. & Freebody & Marshall & Snelgrove. Met M^{rs} Granville. After dinner to see "The Last of M^{rs} Cheyney" Gerald du Maurier, Gladys Cooper, Ellis Jeffreys etc.

20 Aug.

Fri.

To Harrods with H. in morning
After dinner to see the "Ringer" very good.

21 Aug

Sat.

H. left in morning to go to see his people at Stamford. I left by an aft. train for Headley to stay with Ethel T. Had to change at Guildford. She met me & motored me 2 miles to her house. M^{rs} Wynne there. Tea at Guildford Station. Short walk with E. before dinner.

22 Aug.

Sun.

With E. in morning for longish walk. Lovely country & heavenly heather. Back in bus. Bordon.

23 Aug.

Mon.

Early tea & Ethel & M^{rs} Wynne

Burton, M. MSS 377

London

motored me to Farnham where I got the train back to London, via Aldershot.

24 Aug.

Tues.

Lunched with the Lythgoes at the Burlington Hotel, & ~~back to Q.G.~~
Then to tea with Edie Bell. Back for dinner & found Harry back.

25 Aug.

Wed.

With H. to Harrod's in morning.
Then Cameron etc. Tea in house & then to call on the Robinsons, Berkeley Hotel. We dined with the Bairds. Capt & M^{rs} Martyn (Cold-Stream Guards). Won 4/3 at Vingt et un!

26 Aug.

Thurs.

Shopping with H. in morning. In afternoon to Zoo & tea there. To see "Ask Beccles."

27 Aug.

Fri.

We had tea with the Contessa. M^{rs} Lythgoe there who motored home with us. ~~Also Major Gayer Anderson, M.~~
Laptew, M^{rs} Millward, M^{rs} Wyllie, Hassanein etc. The Lythgoes & we dined at the Pall Mall Restaurant then to see "Rookery Nook".

Burton, M. MSS 378

1926

London

28 Aug.

Sat.

We had tea with the Granvilles. M^r Tweedie & M^{rs} Peckitt. After dinner on top of busses to Richmond & back.

29 Aug.

Sun.

Spent the day with the Newberrys at Ightham. Train to Sevenoaks where their car met us. M^r Carter there. 10.20 P.M. back & arr. London 11.30.

30 Aug

Mon.

H. to Guildford to the Williamsons to sleep. I had tea with Trice.

31 Aug.

Tues.

H. got back at 10 A.M. & we went to his tailor Cameron. Met M^{rs} Lythgoe. Left Victoria at 12.5 for Hayward's Heath. Arr. 1.15 & M^{rs} Mace met us & motored us to the house where we had lunch. Left at 3.10 & arr. Clapham Junc. 4.10. To Williamson & Cole. Had tea in the High St. After dinner to see "The Queen was in the Parlour" at St. Martin's. Madge Titherage. Etc.

1 Sept.

Wed.

To Bank with H. saw Gillam. To Stores. We had tea with the Contessa (see Aug 27th for guests) To the

Burton, M. MSS 379

London, Paris, Florence

“Ambassadors” to see Galsworthy’s
“Escape”.

2 Sept.

To see “Rose Marie” at Drury Lane.

3 Sept.

Fri.

To Tate Gallery with H. in morning
After tea to National Gallery. Called
on the Macdonalds.

4 Sept.

Sat.

We left Victoria at 10.50 A.M. M^r
Temple on train. Arr. Paris 6.20 P.M.
Stayed at Lyon Palace Hotel & then
walked to Châtelet by rive gauche
& dined at Dreher’s. M^r Davis there

5 Sept.

Sun.

We went to Cluny Mus. in morning.
Slept after lunch. Very hot. Left by
5.10 P.M. train de luxe. M^r Temple
& M^r Davis in our coach.

6 Sept

Mon.

H. got out at Modane (4.30 A.M.)
to see about luggage. Customs men
came into carriage at 8 A.M. arr.
Florence 5.30. 5 mins late. Ada
met us.

7 Sept.

Tues.

H. to Dogana to get luggage. After
tea out shopping with H. Ada to tea.

Burton, M. MSS 380

1926

Florence

8 Sept.

Wed.

Ada here to do silver. With H. shopping after tea.

10 Sept.

M^r Rideout arr. by 5.30 train to stay.

11 Sept.

After tea with H. & M^r R. to San Miniato

12 Sept.

Sun.

With H. & M^r R. to tea with M^r Procter. Miss Bradstreet, Col & M^{rs} Hammersley Smith & the Roeshovens. We dined with Ada.

13 Sept.

Mon.

Harry's birthday. After tea he, M^r <R.> & I walked from Piazzale to Pta Romana. Taxied up & drove back.

14 Sept.

Tues.

M^r R., H & I in Attilio's car to Volterra
Left at 8.45 A.M. via Colle going &
back by Castelfiorentino. Saw Municipio,
Cathedral, Museum & San Francesco,
& bought some pottery in alabaster.

15 Sept.

M^r Procter to lunch.

16 Sept.

Thurs.

The Hammersley Smiths, M^{rs} Hervey
& Ada to tea.

17 Sept.

Fri.

M^r R., H & I in Attilio's car to tea
with the de Robecks. Walked back. M^r
Temple, M^r Davis & Ada to dinner.

18 Sept.

Ada to tea.

Burton, M. MSS 381

1926

Florence

19 Sept.

We dined at Ada's.

20 Sept.

H. & M^r Rideout went to Siena.

21 Sept.

They got back at 6.30 P.M.

22 Sept.

Wed.

M^r R., H & I in Attilio's car to
Fiesole & round by Vincigliata after
tea.

22/<3> Sept.

Thurs.

M^r Rideout left by the 9 <15> A.M. train for
Milan. Sent off my Jutland Bonds.
Ada to tea. After out shopping with H.

24 Sept.

Fri.

Ada, H & I to M^{rs} Tobin's funeral
at the Allori. Took flowers to my grave.
The Mustacchis to dinner, & the Pasquis
& Capt. Fedele in after.

25 Sept

Sat.

Out with H. after tea, & after dinner
to Savoia to see "Notte Nuziale".

26 Sept.

Sun.

Miss Aitken & her niece & Miss
Bradshaw & Ada to tea. Also M^r Bond.
We dined with Ada.

27 Sept.

Mon.

H. went early to the de Robecks for
the Vendemmia & I went up later
for tea. Miss Pilkington, & her brother
& Ada.

Burton, M. MSS 382

1926

Florence

28 Sept.

Tues.

M^r Carrère & M^r Hervey to lunch.

After tea we called on M^{rs} Scott. M^{rs} Rhodes. Afterwards shopped.

29 Sept.

Wed.

To Dori with H. after tea & then to Ethel's (who arrived on the 27th)

30 Sept.

Thurs.

H. to Ethel's in morning. She & Lady Houston Boswell to tea. Out after with H.

1 Oct.

Fri.

Ethel, Lady H-B. & the Normans to lunch. Ada to tea. Later H & I called on the Butties. Saw Janet.

2 Oct.

Sat.

Overhauling boxes after lunch. The Herveys to tea. Rainstorm after while H & I were out trying to find tumblers & getting clock. Ada to dinner.

3 Oct.

Sun.

Overhauled guarda roba cantina in morning. Had Attilio's car & we went up to call on Lady Sybil Scott. Indisposed. From there <by Maiano> to M^{rs} Firth for tea & walk round the garden. Back at 7. & dined with Ada. Lovely day.

4 Oct.

Mon.

Dinner early, & with H. Ethel, &
Lady Houston-Boswell to the Teatro Verdi.

Burton, M. MSS 383

1926

Florence

to see "The Four Horses of the Apocalypse"
Rudolph Valentino & Alice Terry.

5 Oct.

Tues.

We lunched with Ethel. Cuckoo & Lady
H. B. Young Orvieto came in after.
The Bagnanis, Baroness de Kerbrech,
Isabel McDougall & Ada to tea.
They left late. We dined with the Spelmans.

6 Oct.

The Bagnanis dined here. <We called
on Miss Ryerson, out, & Giulia Marucelli.>

7 Oct.

Thurs.

The Bagnanis here for us at 3.45
& took us in their new car to the
de Robecks, then back to Ethel's for
tea. The Normans there. Ada
dined here.

8 Oct.

Fri.

With Harry to the station to see him
off by the 1.25 train for Rome &
Egypt. Ada there. Young Knollys
going by same train. Canon & Miss
Knollys seeing him off. To the Sudan.
From the station to Luisa's to see
about frocks for the children, & she
came with me to Gisela's. Back

Burton, M. MSS 384

1926

Florence

home & Fosca here. Then after tea to milliner's. Not in. Rained slightly.

9 Oct.

Sat.

P. C. from Rome from Harry. Says it was hot in the train. Joined forces with young Knollys at the restaurant. To Marranini in morning to buy foulard & then to Bella & then to milliner (having come back here to get hat.) Cloudy & warm. Writing all the afternoon. Ada to dinner. Very warm.

10 Oct.

Sun.

Working all day, linen cupboard & boxroom, & writing in aft. Not out. Slight rain in aft. & cloudy & warm.

<11 Oct.>

<To call on Miss Latley. Out. Then to Helen's. In morn. out with Luisa>

12 Oct.

Tues.

To maglaia in morning & Pineider & seed shop. Tea with Ethel. M^{rs} Pirie, Lady H. B., Baroness de Kerbrech & Isabel & Ada
<Wire from Harry from Cairo.>

13 Oct.

Wed.

To Sbisà with my glasses. Post office, & Magliaia in morning. Met the Nunns. Fosca all afternoon.

14 Oct.

Thurs.

After tea to post office, then Sbisà, Dori,

Coppini & to M^{rs} Crowninshield. Miss
Koon there.

Burton, M. MSS 385

1926

Florence

15 Oct.

Fri.

In morning to Bella & for flowers.
Ethel to lunch. To tea with Helen. Met
Miss Latley & M^{rs} Cairns on the way.
M^{rs} Clive Wilson & her girl Thetis there,
also M^{rs} Sturt, the Van Millingens,
Vivian & her sister, walked back with
the V. Ms. & to Ethel's .M^{rs} Sturt there.

16 Oct.

Sat.

To Gisela's, American Express. (Paoletti)
Casardi's Bank, & magliaia. Drove
home from P. Santa Croce. Streets very
slippery. In afternoon with notes
to Dursts & Reddies & M^{rs} Sturt.
Ethel & Ada to dinner.

17 Oct.

Sun.

Met the de Robecks at St. Mark's at
12 & drove up with them to lunch.
Col. Payson calling. Talking to Sir
George D-L. outside Church, also Miss
Latley & Cairns. Walked down, &
went with Ethel in Attilio's car to
M^r Procter's. Lots of people. M^r
Acton, Collinson's, Munari Roccas,
Prinze Djordja<n>tze etc.

Burton, M. MSS 386

1926

Florence

18 Oct.

Mon.

A letter from Harry in morning & another in the evg. from Cairo. In morn. to Roberts to order Thymol. Met M^r Norman & M^{rs} Hayes Sadler. Cook's. Then to Lorelle Fossi. One of them came to fit me after lunch. To fumista. To tea with the Normans. Ethel, V. Millingens, Helen M^{rs} Clive Wilson, Contessa Munari Rocca M^r Procter, Imperialis, Signa Maraini M^r Sargant, Walpoles etc. A Signor Angelelli played the piano. Afterwards for cigarettes, Pineider & Sbisà.

19 Oct.

Tues.

In morning to magliaia. To lunch with Ethel. Back for tea. Then to Fosse Lorelle, glove shop, Dijerini etc. Cold tramontana.

20 Oct.

Wed.

In morning to dentist, then to D'L/<Gi>orgi & Bella. Met Dick-Lauders & M^r Scott. Fosca in aft. Ada, M^{rs} V. Millingen, M^{rs} Collinson, Col. Payson, & M^{rs}, M^{rs} Durst, Miss Latley & M^{rs} Cairns to tea. Cold.

Burton, M. MSS 387

[Luxor]

1926.

Feb.

[Date]	[Max.]	[Min.]	[Comments]
13	77.	55	calm, clear, warm.
14	74.	55	" " "
15	76.	57.	" " "
16	74.	57.	" " "
17	72.	56	" " "
18	71.	54	" " fresh.
19	70.	53	" " "
20	70	52	" " "
21	71.	58	" " warm / fresh >
22	67.	51.	cold wind
23	71.	52	clear & fresh / cold >
24	68.	52.	" "
25	69.	53	" cool.
26	73.	53	" warm.
27	70.	54	" fresh.
28.	72.	56	" "

March

[Date]	[Max.]	[Min.]	[Comments]
1	74.	60	overcast
2	75.	55	clear, warm / cool >.
3	76.	58	" warm.
4	84.	71.	<heavy> cloud. overcast.
5	75.	59	high wind & rain
6.	74.	54	fresh, hazy.
7	72.	57.	" windy hazy.
8	72.	51	fresh, hazy.
9	70.	57.	clear, calm.
10	67.	56	windy cloudy, <u>cold</u>
11	73.	54	calm, clear.
12	63 / 71 >.	56	" "
13	67.	51	wind storm.
14	67.	49.	cold wind.
15	73.	54	calm, fresh, hazy.
16.	75.	56	" warm, clear.
17	77.	59.	" " "
18	83.	64	" " "

			clear, fresh breeze.
19	80.	59	" warm " "
20	83.	61.	" warm, breeze.
21	88.	67.	hazy, hot.
22			clear, hot.
23.			

Burton, M. MSS 388

[Luxor]

1925.Nov.

[Date] Max. Min. [Comments]

22/<1>. 77. 61. clear

calm

22. 77. 61. "
"

23. 77 60. "

24 78. 60 "

25 77. 58 "

26 77. 60. "

27 79. 62 "

28. 80. 70. "

29 77 59 "

30. 79. 62. "

Dec. 1925.

[Date] [Max.] [Min.] [Comments]

1 82. 64. "

2 83. 65 "

3 85. 63 "

4 82. 62. "

5 81. 61 slightly cloudy.

6 81. 64 Hot & heavy.

7 81. 60. calm, clear.

8 76. 57 " "

9 70. 52. " "

10 68. 49. " "

11 65. 51 " cold "

12 68. 52 " " "

13 70. 52 " fresh "

14

15 70. 53 " " "

16 77. 58 " "

17 77. 60. " hot. "

18 76. 62. " "

19 75. 55 " "

20. 66. 49. cold windy.

21 calm clear.

22. 66. 50. " "

23 68. 52. " "

24	71.	55	" "
<u>25</u>	72.	54	" "
26			" "
27	73.	4/<5>4	" "
28	69.	55.	" "
29	69	52	" "
30			breezy.
31.	69.	53.	calm, clear.

1926.

Jan

[Date]	[Max.]	[Min.]	[Comments]
1	68.	52.	calm, clear.
2	67.	50	" "
3	68.	54	" "
4	65.	49	dull, cloudy cleared later
5	67.	51	clear, calm.
6	70.	53	" "
7	69.	56	clouds & sun.
8	66.	48.	cold wind " " "
9.	65.	51	clear, calm.
10	65.	47.	" cool breeze
11	64.	47	calm, clear.
12	63.	46	" "
13	64.	45	bitter cold wind "
14	68.	47	<u>cold</u> calm, clear.
15.	66.	48	" "
16	67.	48	" "
17	69.	55	" "
18	73.	51	" "
19	73.	50	mild sandstorm
20	67.	51	breezy.
21	67.	50	cold breeze.
22	67.	50	calm clear warm
23	69.	49.	" " "
24	69.	53	" " "
25	66.	50	breezy " "
26	67.	50	calm " warm
27	69.	51.	" " "
28	67.	53	" Cloudy, "
29	65.	53	clear / <sand> cold wind
30	67.	51	clear " "
31.	68.	50	" calm, mild.

Feb

[Date] [Max.] [Min.] [Comments]

1	67.	54	" " "
2	71.	56	cold wind.
3	69.	54	" windy.
4	72.	55	" calm warm.
5	73.	52	" " "
6	73.	55	" " "
7	70.	53	" windy "
8			" breezy fresh.
9	70.	51	" calm, warm.
10	70.	53	" " "
11	74.	57.	" " "
12	76.	56	" " "

Burton, M. MSS 389

[Luxor]

	Max Day.	Min Day.	Max Night,	Min Night.
	23 Mar.	5, 13, 14 16, 17 Jan.	1 April	29 Dec.
	2 April			
1924-5.	103.	62.	72/<7>.	43.

Burton, M. MSS 390

Major General Bland-Strange <1st cousin of my grandmother>

Papa's 2nd cousin.

2 sons, 3 daughters. Alice, married
a barrister, Ross. Hilda married
George Tucker son of General Tucker.
& Kathleen. ~~Mary, Lady M^c Mahon.~~

Lady (Henry) M^c Mahon. Papa's
2nd cousin. 3 sisters & 3 brothers
Emma, Jane, & Kate who married
General Wareless O'Gorman.
Relations Orpen (Sir William) &
Palmer.

Maud Boyce <(Papa's 2nd cousin)> (mother a Duckett)
married her cousin General Sir
Herbert Boyce. Live at Fleete
near Aldershot. 2 daughters. Olive
to marry a Lt. called Wheeler
Eileen aged 20.

Whitstones, whose mother was a
Duckett. Maidstone

Davys (Humphreys), Maria, Arthur her
son lives at Kimmage. He has 2
girls. No son to inherit Kimmidge.

Burton, M. MSS 391

Elsie St George (née Fitzgerald) 3 daughters & 1 son.

Gordons. Mother (Mary Duckett) was my grandfather's 1st cousin. Mary ~~Winters~~ Duckett, Lady Boyce & M^{rs} Whitstone were sisters?

Godfreys. Rev^d William. 2 daughters Katie & Lucy. Katie married a M^c Kenzie in a Scottish Regt whom she divorced. She remarried a Major M^c Kenzie R. A. They live near Cork for the Hunting. No children. Lucy married a Capt Orpen-Palmer. One boy of 9. Capt O. P. lost an eye in the war.

Boyce. Sir Bertram's wife was a Maud Boyce who married her cousin when he was a Capt. more than 30 years ago. Her mother was a daughter of Richard Duckett, of Upper Mount St. a first cousin of my grandfather. Richard Duckett was the Gordon's grandfather & Maud Boyce was their first cousin.

Burton, M. MSS 392

[Luxor]

April 1925.

[Date] [Max.] [Min.] [Comments]

1.	97.	77.	
2.	103.	66.	blinding sand storm
3	77.	59.	high wind clear.
4.	77.	56.	clear, calm.
5	81.	58	" "
6	87.	66.	" "
7	93	72	windy in aft.
8.	90.	66	calm.
9.	90.	70.	"
10.	99.	67.	windy evg.
11.	91.	64	clear, cool.
12.	94.	69.	sultry
13.	95.	73	Khamseeny
14.	91.	74	cloudy & sultry.
15.	95.	67.	cloudy
16	90.	63	rained 9 P.M. 16th.
"			

cloudy. Cool.

17.	86.	67.	cloudy.
-----	-----	-----	---------

[18] ____ ?

18/<9>	86.	63	crystal clear.
--------	-----	----	---------------------------

In morn. hazy
after.

20.	63 /<90>	90 /<63>.
-----	---------------------	----------------------

21.	90.	63
-----	-----	----

22.	95.	75.
-----	-----	-----

23.	99.	73.
-----	-----	-----

25	100.	
----	------	--

1 bowl narcissus, pebbles. 21 Jan/<Dec> <Jan upstairs

1 " tulips " " "

2 bowls hyacinths, 19 Jan/<Dec.> fibre

1 " " 20 " fibre. M^F H.

1 " Chionodoxa 20 " fibre

1 Daffodils or narcissus 3 Jan " chest of d.

1 muscari, fibre 3 Jan.

1 Sir Watkin bulb, pebbles - 6 Jan.

1 Daffodil or Narcissus pebbles, 8 Jan Chest of d.
Mme de Graaf.

Burton, M. MSS 393

~~1 terra cotta bowl scyllas, fibre 20 Jan. Upstairs~~

1 " " " narcissus or Daffodils, fibre

20 Jan. Upstairs.

1 bowl narcissus in place of scyllas bad

1 Feb.

Burton, M. MSS 394

[1924]

[Luxor]

Florence.

[Date] [Max. temp.]

8 Sept. 86°.

9 " 90°

11 82

12 85.

13 85.

18. 86.

|

Xmas 1924.

<wires from

M^r Bull

M^r Harkness.>

Presents from:

Nesta. Helen. M^{rs} Quibell

M^{rs} Lythgoe, M^{rs} Banks.

Frances.

Cards from Spelmans.

Reine, M^{rs} Mason Jones.

Charles Breasted. Miss Stillman

M^{rs} Manson Smith. Hopkinson

Miss Burgess, Jim.

Buttles. Miss Greenhorn

Macys. Calendar from

Miss Whytlaw. Van Wyck.

Lansings. Mis Sheldon.

Miss Eyre. Winnie Seeds.

Darvells. M^{rs} Pemberton.

M^r Procter. Robinsons

Severances. Miss Latley.

M^{rs} Doris Baker. Miss

Whittuck. Firths

Birthdays, Frances 9 Dec. M^{rs} Lythgoe 5 Jan.

M^r Winlock 1 Feb. Irene 15/<6> Jan.

M^{rs} Winlock 27 Feb. Barbara 11. Nov.

M^r Lythgoe 15 March. M^r Cline 13 April.

M^{rs} Armstrong 13 Feb. M^r Harkness 22 Jan.

Bulbs planted flowered. [+ comments]

2 bowls hyacinths 19 Dec. fibre

1 " " 20 " fibre M^r Hauser's

1 " Chionodoxa 20. fibre

1 " daffodils or

narcissus 3 Jan fibre. dressing table

1 " muscari 3 Jan. fibre

1 " 1 Sir Watkin

narcissus 6 Jan. pebbles

1 " Daffodil or narcissus

Mme de Graaf. 8 Jan. pebbles chest of
drawers

upstairs

1 terra cotta bowl scyllas. 20 Jan. fibre "

1 " " " narcissus or

daffodils 20 Jan. fibre over.

Burton, M. MSS 395

[Luxor]

1923. 3 P.M.

7 Nov. 87.

8 " 89.

9 " 90.

10 " 90

11 " 88

12 " 84.

13 " 81.

15 " 71.

16 " 76.

18. 76.

19. 74°.

Feb. 1924.

17th 77.

18 " 75.

19 " 77.

20 " 82

21. 83.

23 84.

24 87.

25 77.

26/<8>. 78.

2 March. 73.

|

March 1924.

4th. 73°.

6th. 86°

8/<7>. 89.

9. 72.

10. 72

11. 73.

12. 77.

14. 83/<2>.

15. 83/<4>

16. 84

17. 91°

18. 74.

- 20 $8\frac{3}{7}$.
- 21. 83.
- 22. 84.
- 26. 85.
- 28. 88.
- 29. 91.
- 30. $93\frac{1}{2}$.

April 1. 97.

- 2. $98\frac{1}{2}$.
- 3 99.
- 4 100.
- 5. 98

|

April 1924

- 6th. 94
- ~~10~~/ $<9>$ 95
- 10 $98<9>$.
- 12 90°
- 13. 98° .

Burton, M. MSS 396

[number of days] [date]

1922.

25 April.

36. 31 May.

25 25 June.

28 23 July.

15 7 Aug.

nearly 3 months 5/<4> Nov.

32 6/<6> Dec.

28 3 Jan. 1923

28 30/<1> Jan.

28 28 Feb.

27. 27 Mar.

13 9 April

40. 31 May.

~~2 June~~

34 5/<4> July

49. 22 Aug.

39 30 Sept.

31 1 Nov.

72 22. Jan. [1924]

25. 16 Feb.

32 20 March.

13. June.

7 August.

19 Feb. 1925.

11 Oct. 1926.

<29

31.

12

72>

Burton, M. MSS 397

[Luxor]

March 1923.

[Date] [Temp.] [Comments]

11th	76°	
12	"	79°
13	"	82° very heavy & sultry.
14	"	85°.
15		76°.
17		81.
18		83°
19.	92°.	hot, but light air.
20	76°.	delicious day.
22.	78	Cool, fresh breeze
23.	79°	" "
24.	79°.	" "
25.	79°.	" "
26.	84°	heavy & sultry.
28.		83°
29		88½°
31.	83.	hot. heavy black clouds & few drops of rain.

April -

[Date] [Temp.] [Comments]

2.	78°	Fresh & cool breeze
3.	83°	Coolish
4.	90°	cool indoors.
5.	89°.	
6.	93°.	
7	88°	
8	84°	
9.	85°	
10	88°	
11.	90°	
12.	77°	cool wind.
13.	75.	
16.	91.	
18.	85.	

Burton, M. MSS 398

[Luxor]

April <1924.>

[Date] [Max. temp.]

19th 80°.

21 83.

22. 85.

Luxor

Nov. 1924.

[Date]	<u>Max.</u>	<u>Min.</u>
14/<0>th		88 65
11.	89.	73
12.	89.	73
13/<4>.	86.	62.
15.	82.	59.
16.	82.	62.
19.	83	59.
20.	83.	62.
21.	83	63.
22	78.	56.
23.	72.	50.
24.	68.	50.
25.	66.	49.
26	?	50.
27.	70.	52.
28.	72.	54.
29.	74.	3/<5>3.
30.	74.	54.

|

Dec. Luxor

[Date] [Max.] [Min.] [Comments]

1.	74.	54.
2.	71.	54.
3.	74.	58
4.	78.	60
5	79.	58.
6.	78.	60.
7.	79.	61.
8.	80.	61

9.	77.	62
10.	74.	54
11.	72.	53
12.	71.	52
13.	71.	50.

Dec. 1924. Luxor

14.			
69.			
51.			
14.	69.	51.	
16.	75.	61.	
17.	78.	63	
18.	73.	56	
19.	71.	57.	rained.
20.	71.	56	
21	69.	55	windy.
22	66.	54.	"
25	65/<3>.	53/<4>	
26	63.	50	
27	65.	47.	
28	63.	46	
29	63.	43. +	
30.	64.	46.	
31.	63.	46.	

1925 Jan Luxor.

[Date] [Max.] [Min.] [Comments]

1.	64.	51.	
2	64.	47.	
3	63.	48.	
4	63.	50	
- 5.	62.	47.	
6.	64.	46.	
7	64.	48.	
8.	65.	47.	
9.	65.	46.	
10.	65.	47.	
11.	63.	45.	
12.	63.	46	
- 13.	62.	45.	
- 14.	62.	44.	
- 15.	62.	44	

16.	68.	47.	
- 17.	70.	49.	
18.	68.	53.	
20.	64.	45.	
21.	64.	50.	
22.	64.	45	cloudy.
24.	63.	47.	clear
25.	65.	48.	cloudy.
26.	68.	51	"
27.	68.	48	clear.
28.	67.	51.	
29.	65.	51.	
30.	63.	48	gale cold.
31.	64.	45	wind "
" "			

Feb.

[Date]	[Max.]	[Min.]	[Comments]
--------	--------	--------	------------

1.	66.	48.	" "
2	67.	47	fine clear.
3	67.	48.	" "
4	68.	48	" "
5	66.	50.	windy.
6.	64.	48.	
7.	68.	48	
8	69	49.	

|

Feb 1925.

10.

70.

50.

12.	67.	51.	windy & sand.
13.	67.	47.	
14	67.	49.	Lovely.
15	45/<71>	71/<48>	
16.	70.	50.	
17.	72.	49.	
18	73.	51.	
19	77.	54.	windy.
20	77.	55	
21	77.	62	

22	82.	61.	
23	83	64.	
+ 24.	86.	66	
26.	74	53	khamsiny
			wind.
27	73.	54	strong wind
28	74.	54	windy.

March.

[Date]	[Max.]	[Min.]	[Comments]
1	74.	53	calm.
2	76.	54	"
3	78.	55	"
4	78.	54	"
5.	81.	59	"
6.	83.	59	"
+ 7.	91.	66.	Khamseen
8.	86.	44	"
9.	83.	60	khamseeny.
10	73.	60.	calm, clear.
11	79.	57.	" " wind
			night
12	81.	58	"
13	84.	62	"
14	89.	67	Khamseen in aft.
15.	85.	63.	Khamseen "
16	90.	67	calm, clear
17	97.	70.	" thick.
18	100.	75	hazy.
19.	100.	77	
20.	95.	77.	windy haze.
21	96.	77	overcast, sultry
22	101.	80.	" "
23.	103.	73	
24.	93.	67.	clear
25.	94.	64.	"
26.	93.	64.	"
27.	94.	68	"
28	93.	66.	"
29	93.	66	"
30.	96.	70	hazy.
31	97.	74/<2>.	

Inside back cover

top of chest of drawers

22 X 46 inches

table 25 X 17.

Hair

1925.

[J]an 15/<6>.

? [F]eb 5.

Mar. 25.

My Aunt's Agent.

Major Teigne.