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Wednesday January 1

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0. x. Out 8.30 & cycled round Park. Saw Dalby & Mills riding. After Mocatta, & met Joe Parkinson. Back. Wrote for 3 seats for Roy to Terry's Theatre. Mr Edgcombe called at 10.10. Stayed $\frac{3}{4}$ hour jawing. Settled about cartoons. After went on to work. Otley round. Sent him back. At 12.40 photod Roy for (*illeg*) etc. At 2.40 Otley with brushes & mat etc. Changed & rested at 3.30. Very tired. Uneasy rest. M pottering. Roy & Alice. Tea. Threw cards into box & wicker seat. Left at 6.0pm for Punch dinner. Got buss. Out at Aitchisons to look at opera glass. Walked to Punch dinner. Sir W.Agnew, Phil Agnew, Phil May, E.T.Reed, H.W.Lucy, Anstey Guthrie, F.C.Burnand, Sir J Tenniel, L Sambourne, A à Beckett, Rudolph Lehmann, E.I.Milliken (late) there. Good dinner. Chaff about my sending cheques. After Tenniel had cartoon of South Africa. Self Poet Laureate. Left 11.0. Gave 10/s Xmas Box to waiters, 5/s Tenniel's cab. Put down at Garrick Club. Met Roy there who had been to see 'The Strange Adventures of Miss Brown'. News of march into South Africa by the Chartered Company. Home by cab 11.40. M & Mite back from dinner at Col Welby's. No Lanson. No sandwiches. Wrote Tenniel. (*Red ink across page: M & Mite dined at Col Welby's. Roy went to Terry's Theatre.*)

Thursday January 2

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.20. Wet morning. Walk round Campden Hill. After breakfast wrote Stores, Reynard etc. Met Coward on horse. Back. Skemed subject of Alfred Austin. At 12.0 photod a boy that Otley got & also Otley in cloak. Developed them & put to dry. After rested in chair. M, Mite & Roy went to the à Becketts at home. Got to work at 4.30 & on till 8.0 when quiet dinner. Backgammon & bed.

Friday January 3

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Walk round Campden Hill. After at 10.0 got to work on drawing of Alfred Austin. Worked all day up to 8.30pm. Roy went out on cycle in Park. M went to lunch at Charley Hartree's, after to call on Mrs Willard. Back at 6.30pm. Quiet dinner & bed. Roy beat me 1 game backgammon. (*Red ink: M lunched at Charles Hartree's.*)

Saturday January 4

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Walk round Campden Hill. At 9.30 got to work on drawing of Alfred Austin. Went on up to 1.0pm. Lunch. Miss Ritchie at lunch. M, Mite & Miss R left in carriage at 1.30 & went to Gaiety Theatre. Saw The Shop Girl for the 6th time. Roy & self by cab. Out 5.0. M, Miss R & Maud to the Private View of the Old Masters. Roy & self tea at the Garrick. Walked

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nearly home. Bought fruit, sausages etc. Had hair cut at Belshaws after. Home. Opera glasses from Aitchisons came. Quiet dinner, M, Mite, Roy & self. Played Roy 3 games of backgammon. Won 2. Bed 11.0. x. (*Red ink*: Miss Ritchie lunched. Went to Shop Girl for 6th time.)

Sunday January 5

Stafford Terrace. M up at 8.0. Talked. Self 8.35. Down 9.0. Intended to go to Calais. Ordered cart. Found I had lost my pass. Intensely disappointed. Hunted everywhere. Decided to go on cycle ride. M back at 11.0. Sent Otley for Phil May's cycle at 11.45. Roy & self started for Hampton Court 12.40. Got there easily at 2.0pm exactly. Had good lunch. Roast beef, apple tart & cream, pint Stout & Bitter. Left at 2.45. Left wrap. Got to Stafford Terrace at 4.10pm. Roy very weary & grumbled the whole way about Phil May's cycle. Spencer at Stafford Terr. Tea. Miss Rose Innes, Mr Sladen & Mrs Sington called. Went up into nursery & rested a miserable hour. Cold. Had a bath. Dressed. Down 6.45. Roy & map of route. Wrote Forbes about pass, & also incandescent light. Arthur Linley came exactly at 8.0pm. Dined 8.15. Good dinner. 2 bottles of Champagne, Lanson, crackers. Arthur & Roy played beggar my neighbour with toy cards. Arthur left at 11.15. Bed at 12.0 after reading Phantom Death by Clark Russell. (*Red ink*: Arthur Linley dined with us.) (*Red ink across page*: Went with Roy on cycle to Hampton Court & lunched.)

Monday January 6

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.30. M out of bed sharp. Struck a match. Water & bath in a second. Roy about all day reading Le Croy. Worked in morning. Dull wretchedly dark weather. Lunch. At 2.0 cycled 17 miles, round Richmond Park. Good going out very dark back 4.0. Roy still reading. M & Mite out 3 hours. Dressed. Worked from 5.15 to 8.15. Miss Ritchie in to dinner. Dancing after. Letter from Harris saying Baddeley cake given up in answer to my wire. Miss R left at 11.15. Read a story & to bed at 12.0. Sleep. M tired. (*Red ink*: Miss Ritchie dined & danced after.)

Tuesday January 7

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.20. x. Walk round Campden Hill. M read papers. M & Mite out in carriage at 11.0. Roy on cycle. Men doing creepers. Looked over M's diary for 1886. Think I dated Tab's photo. Worked after on 2nd cartoon for Lord Masham. Roy back at 12.30. Men called about fitting Incandescent Light. Proved to be the same man that had put up Sugg's burner 10 years ago. Lunch. After cycled 16 miles round Richmond Park., Wimbledon & down Putney Hill from 2.15 to 3.50. Roy in bath. Changed. Tea. Many callers. Came fast along the the Earls Court Road past Mrs Geiger's carriage. Changed. Went down & saw Mrs Geiger. Tall dark girl there, Miss Phillips. Up & worked on 2nd cartoon for Lord M. Quiet dinner afterwards. Played Roy at backgammon afterwards. (*Red ink*: Mrs Geiger called.)

Wednesday January 8

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Walk up Campden Hill. Breakfast. After got to work on drawing for Lord Masham, 2nd. Roy about reading all day. Lunch. Worked up to 6.0pm. Dressed & left for Punch dinner by Met Rly. There

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7.30pm. Gave serjeant 10/s for Xmas Box. At dinner F.C.B, J.T, self, R.L, A à B, E.I.M, P.M, E.T.R, H.W.L & A.G. Good dinner & pleasant evening. After Tenniel got cartoon of England from King John suggested by Milliken. Self the Sultan. Stayed till 11.0 when left with Tenniel. Put down at Isthmian & home. Read paper. Bed 12.30. (*Red ink*: Dull dark weather up to this.)

Thursday January 9

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. M up & went for walk with me, fine morning for a wonder. Met Alfred Parsons. Called on milkman in Silver Street. Breakfast. After skemed subject after writing letters. Otley round at 11.30. Photod him twice for Sultan of Turkey & newspapers twice. Developed them & put to dry, also to print by 2.0pm. Left 2.25 & cycled into & across Richmond Park. Home by Putney. Stopped & gave Xing sweeper 6d. Home by 3.50. M out in carriage. Got to work on drawing of Sultan up to 8.0pm. Dined. Both chicks left at 9.0 in carriage to go to a dance given by Mrs Roberts at same rooms Maud came out in. Read after & M & self to bed. M cold. Coldish night. Chicks back 1.30pm. (*Red ink*: Extraordinary height of barometer almost out of index. Roy went to his first dance.)

Friday January 10

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.15. x. Did not go for a walk. M down. Roy & Maud late. After breakfast got to work & went on with cartoon of Sultan feeling knife. Roy listless & tired all day. Worked up to 8.0pm. Mrs Willard called in afternoon & saw M & Mite. At 9.0 after dinner Roy & Maud went off to a dance at Jacomb Hood's. Wet evening. They enjoyed it. M to bed at 11.0. Read stories of of Clark Russell's, one of Ramsgate sailor finding a treasure, referred to Consul Hammond. Went to bed 12.0. Chicks back at 1.45am. Bed 2.0am. (*Red ink*: Roy & Maud went to dance at Jacomb Hood's. Wet evening & night. Spoilt cycling.)

Saturday January 11

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.25. No walk. M in bed. Down breakfast. Roy down 9.30. After at 9.45 went on with cartoon of Sultan of Turkey. Took head out again. Finished at 1.0pm. Lunch. M & Mite went in carriage at 2.0. Roy & I followed on after to the Lyric Theatre & heard Wilson Barrett's play The Sign of the Cross. Long dreary play of Xtians & Romans but well put on the stage. Saw no one in the house I knew. Out 5.45. M & Mite home by carriage. Roy & self walked the whole way. Bought sausages, also brawn & cream at Crafts & vegetables & fruit at Butts. Home 6.45. Tea. Dressed & wrote diary. (*Red ink*: Went to matinée Sign of the +. E.T.Reed rode the cob. Did not like him.)

Sunday January 12

Stafford Terrace. Up at 9.0. Down & breakfast. After Roy would not cycle. At 12.15 started & called for Reed. Had a most uncomfortable ride to Hampton Court. Roads heavy & wet. Not quite right in seat. Felt tired. Got to Hampton Court 1.55. Lunch, same people there as last Sunday. Talk of Phil May. Left 2.45. Weary ride home. Back 4.10pm. Edgar & Sophia & Miss Dietz there & Ryle. Talk. After had bath & rested. Read Sir William Fraser Napoleon III. Good. Snooze. Dinner at 8.0. Quiet dinner, M, Mite, Roy & self. Game of backgammon after. Roy won 2 out of 3. Bed 12.0 after reading. Very

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uncomfortable in chair from ride. (*Red ink:* Weary cycle ride to Hampton Court. Roads heavy. Uncomfortable.)

Monday January 13

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.30. Walk round Campden Hill. Mite long letter from Mr Blair. M in bed. Lovely bright morning. Warmer & sun. Wrote letters. At 12.0 man came to put up Incandescent Burners in Drawing Room etc. Finished by 2.0pm. Roy about busy talking. Worked in afternoon, Lord Masham's 2nd cartoon. Developed 16 plates Miss Green taken Novr 19 1895 whilst men were fitting burners. Guthrie wired he would come to dinner. Dined 7.0 & after at 8.0 Roy & Maud left in carriage & Guthrie & self in cab & went to the St James's Theatre & saw The Prisoner of Zenda. Had stage box B. Very good. Miss Millard delightful. Costumes good. Saw Mrs Pickering, son & daughter in stalls. Home by carriage at 11.30pm after very pleasant evening. (*Red ink:* Maud, Roy, self & Mr Guthrie went to see 'The Prisoner of Zenda' at the St James's Theatre. Guthrie dined with us. M had cold & did not go.)

Tuesday January 14

Stafford Terrace. Fine morning but dull. Walk round Campden Hill. After in morning got to work on 2nd cartoon for Lord Masham. Lunch. M seedy with sore throat. After rested in chair. Snooze. Lady Margaret & Rosalind called, Mrs McQueen etc. In evening Maud & Roy went to the Holl's dance. Quiet dinner. Rest & bed. Finished Frazer's book on Napoleon 3rd. Bed 11.30pm. (*Red ink:* Maud & Roy to Mrs Holl's Dance.)

Wednesday January 15

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.20. M would come down to breakfast. Fine morning. At 10.0 got to work & worked all day Lord Masham's 2nd cartoon. M & Mite out in carriage in afternoon. Left at 6.20 & went up dressed in omnibus to Bouverie Street. There 7.10pm. Good dinner. Lawrence Bradbury 1st time since row. E.I.M (late) Phil May, E.T.R, H.W.L, A.G, F.C.B, J.T, self, A à B, R.L. Long discussion. After Tenniel got French Rapprochement, self Lion Cubs. Lucy buttering Tenniel. Left at 10.50. On in buss. Called Adelphi. After saw last act of Michael & his Lost Angel. Saw Critchett, De las Rues etc etc. Met Mite & Roy & home in cab. Home 12.0. Bed 12.45am after sandwich etc. (*Red ink:* 1st night of Michael & his Lost Angel. Roy & Maud went. Saw last act only, all home together.)

Thursday January 16

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.15. M drank my large cup of tea. Talkative. Out & round Campden Hill. A most lovely & delightful morning bright sun. Roy to go on cycle in Park. Thermometer in room 60°. Bright sun. Roy went & met Guthrie & Lehmann & Reed in Park. Self could not. Worked all day & by 6.0pm finished 2nd cartoon for Mr Edgcome. Dined at 6.30 & after M & Mite went with the carriage to Adelphi Theatre to see 'One of the Best'. Roy & self went in hansom after. Edgar & Sophy there. Had pleasant evening. Henry Chaplin & Duke of Sutherland in the stalls. Also Spalding & Miss Young, Mrs Stephenson etc etc. Left after & home in A1 4 wheel cab, passed everything. Supper & bed. (*Red ink:* Saw 'One of the Best' 2nd time. Sophy & Edgar in box.)

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Friday January 17

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Rode cycle round the Park & down Bayswater home. After breakfast got to work & did British Lion & Australian Cubs. Worked all day up to 8.30pm. Very behindhand with it, rested after lunch. Dined quietly at home, 4 of us. M called on Mrs Orchardson. Ought to have gone to Percy Fitzgerald's at home. Could not. Wrote after dinner. M better. (*Red ink*: Percy Fitzgerald's at home, did not go.)

Saturday January 18

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.40am. x. Down & did ½ an hours work before breakfast. After finished cartoon of British Lion & Australian Cubs by 1.20pm. Lunch. After M & Mite went by carriage to Shaftesbury Theatre & saw A Woman's Reason. Very good. Written by Brookfield & Edgcome. Walked part of way home. Bought sausages & 1/3 of Stilton cheese. Buss to Kensington. Bought fruit. Spent 25/s. Home. M resting. Bathed prints. Wrote cheques & diary etc. Quiet good dinner, selves 4. After played Roy best of 5 games backgammon. Roy won 3. Read Jules Verne. Bed. Chicks making noise. Bed at 12.30. Felt giddy & faint from smoking Navy Cut. Read Robinson Crusoe. (*Red ink*: Went to matinée Shaftesbury. Saw 'A woman's Reason'. Saw Sir Henry Calcraft apparently well. Died next Wednesday, 59.)

Sunday January 19

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.30. Went for cycle ride round Park. Saw Phil Agnew & also Lord Russell. Home. Breakfast & changed. At 10.30 drove dog cart to Victoria by Cob with Roy. Went down to Dover & over to Calais & back. In same carriage with Lucy's. Also saw Hamilton Aidé. Most pleasant passage there & back. Good lunch at Calais but too much. Left at 3.50. Saw no one I knew in return passengers. Diving guillimots. Fed gulls crossing over to France. Roy & self paced deck 109 paces self, 106 Roy. At Dover a long moustached Frenchman, wife & little girl got into carriage & out at Herne Hill. Snooze all way home. Cab at Victoria. Home. Dressed & dined. No appetite. Miss Rose Innes too seedy to call & dine. Mrs Watney & a German governess from Bergheims at Vienna called. After had crackers. Roy & Phil May's book. Spencer & Adah called, stayed till 11.30pm. Danced. Bed 12.0. x. (*Red ink*: Delightful run over to Calais with Roy. Back dinner 10 past 8. Lucy went to Cannes.)

Monday January 20

Stafford Terrace. Up very late. Both M & self overslept ourselves. Very much colder weather set in. Breakfast 9.30. Wrote letters & diary up to noon. Fog & dark after. Roy off on cycle. Sent off Miss Florence Carlyle's drawing. After sorted phos. Lunch. Dressed & out on cycle 2.25. Went to Richmond 1st time along Rly by Mortlake. Home. Went thro' Chelverton Street. Back 4.10pm. Roy in with Tip. Changed & after tea dated Reed's photos & wrote letters. Vol of Owen Meredith's poems came. Roy left at 6.30 to dine at Banbury's. M on sofa. Dined M, Maud & self. After waited for Roy. Back at 11.45. Had been to Princess's. Bed 12.0. (*Red ink*: Cycle ride 14 miles Richmond. Not very comfortable.)

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Tuesday January 21

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0. x. Down & out on cycle. Went round Park. Met Pepys Cockerell. Down Bayswater Road. Back breakfast. After applied for Northampton Brewery. Fog. Dark & wretched. Wrote up to lunch & dated up to March 1889. After rested till 4.30. Langley called & came up to room. Commenced work on British Art. Drew out figure. Spencer & Roy back at 6.0pm. Miss Rose Innes called. At 7.15 dressed & left in carriage with Cob at 7.45. Dined at Mrs Geiger's. Met Mr & Mrs Stobbert, Captain Edgcombe & also one other lady. Pleasant & good dinner. Young Geiger well behaved. Left at 11.0. Carriage went on to Colin Hunter's to fetch Maud & Roy to go on to the Banbury's dance. M & self went to bed 12.0am. (*Red ink:* Dined at Mrs Geiger's. Roy & Maud went to two dances, Colin Hunter's & also Banbury's.)

Wednesday January 22

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Rode cycle at 8.30. Met Sophy & went round Park. S's feet cold. Came back to breakfast. Mite in bed with cold. Roy out with Sophy. After wrote dates 1889, then got to work on drawing of Thesaurus for Art Journal. Lunch 1.15. Left with Roy at 1.50 for Comedy Theatre. M & Mite in carriage after. Saw Gaffer George & 'The late Mr Costello'. Admirably played & quite delightful. Miss Emery A1. Left. Met Lockwood. Saw Tree at Garrick. Had tea. After walked to Holborn Viaduct. Called at Jones's. Looked at pins. Saw Simpson's lever chain etc. Roy & self to Fleet Street. Roy home by buss. Punch dinner. Phil A, E.I.M (late) Phil M, R.L, A.G, F.C.B, J.T, self, A à B, D.M there. Good dinner. Tenniel a cold. Cut of Pantomime Gun. Self Strewwelpeter, Fidgety Will. Left 11.0 with J.T. Home by 11.45. Death of Prince Louis of Battenburg. (*Red ink:* Went to matinée of 'The late Mr Costello'. Death of Prince Louis of Battenburg.)

Thursday January 23

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Out 8.30. Went round Park. Very foggy. Spoke to Doctor on grey. Back 9.10. Breakfast. Mite in bed. After dated 1889. Skemed subject of Strewwelpeter, Fidgety Phil(*sic*). At 12.0 had table etc down in yard & small boy & Otley. Photod them. In the midst of it came F.C.B & down into the yard. Away 12.30. After developed plates. Lunch. To dry. Roy & his mother went to Olympia. Self followed at 2.30. Mite at home. Alice & Mary Carter in box No 3. Very hot & stuffy. Met Georgy Boehm & her husband Rook. After out at 4.20. Walked home. Left Alice & M.C at station. Met Mrs Stone. Back. Bathed prints after tea. Rested. Felt tired. Read 'The Reformation of a Savage' by Gilbert Parker. Good. Dressed. Roy packing to go to Eton. Dinner 8.0pm. Sent Otley to F.C.B's with letter. Quiet dinner M, self, Roy & Mite. Gave Roy £3.10.0. He left for Eton by carriage at 10.0pm. Bed 11.30pm. x. (*Red ink:* Went to Olympia in afternoon. Roy returned to Eton at 10.0pm.) (*Cuttings glued in: Death & obituary of Sir Henry Calcraft.*)

Friday January 24

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. Cycled round Park at 8.30. Back by Notting Hill. In morning finished by 1.0pm cut of Punch as Puppet & Sultan. After lunch at 4.0pm began cartoon of Fidgety William, after Strewwelpeter. Worked till 8.30pm when dined, M, Mite & self. Bed 11.30pm. (*Red ink:* Cycle completed

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its 1000th mile at gate of 18 Stafford Terrace this morning.) (*Cuttings glued in: Death of Alexander Macmillan. Obituary of Mr Tracy Turnerelli.*)

Saturday January 25

Stafford Terrace. Wet morning. Up at 8.0. In room did ¼ hrs work before breakfast. After Otley to F.C.B with letter. On to work & finished by 1.20pm. Lunch & after by buss to Criterion, M & Mite by carriage. Saw 'The Squire of Dames' very good. Bernard Partridge very bad. Saw De la Rues. D.L.R came up to box. Out. Had Turkish bath 1st time since Saty Sepr 7th. Weight then after 12.6½. Weight now 12.8 after bath. Walked down & took bus home by 7.45. Death of Lord Leighton. Met an extraordinary pretty cocotte in omnibus. Got out at Piccadilly. Dined at 8.0. Quiet dinner, M, Mite & self. Bed 11.30. x.x. M. (*Red ink:* Went to matinée of 'The Squire of Dames'. Had Turkish bath. Death of Lord Leighton.) (*Cutting glued in: Will of Frederic, first Baron Leighton of Stretton.*)

Sunday January 26

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.30. Out on cycle round Redcliffe Gardens etc. Back 9.30. Met M & Mite going church. At 10.20 in cart to Victoria. Down to Dover & over to Calais in fog. Fog horn going all time. Met Williams looking frightfully ill, also old Jacobi etc. Lunch with Jacobi. Gave me cigar. On board 3.45. Met Roger Wallace & also Austrian Chief of Police, pleasant man. Whiskey & soda. Back 5.0pm & up to town 7.35. Out & in cab. Home by 7.50 exactly. Long talk all way up with the Austrian. Alice & Mary Carter to dinner. Felt tired. Sleep after & bed at 12.0 exactly. Spent 9/s. (*Red ink:* Went to Calais & back. Very foggy weather. Met Roger Wallace.)

Monday January 27

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Rode mare 1st time since Monday Oct 14. Went very well. Fresh. Went round Park twice. Men shooting ducks. Saw Lord Russell, Whiteley etc etc. Back 9.30. Wrote Croal Thomson etc etc. Posted. Changed & put clothes straight etc etc. Dated 1889. Lunch. After read & rested. Put things straight all afternoon. Wired to Palace Theatre. No box available. At 8.0pm Mrs Dick Cornwell came & dined & after sang. Stayed up till 12.0 before she went. Very tired & worried. Bed 12.30am. Mrs C sang. (*Red ink:* Rode mare before breakfast 1st time since Monday October 14th.)

Tuesday January 28

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0. Rode mare. Very skittish. Took her out of Park & along Bayswater thro' Porchester Terr, Queens Road & Palace Gardens home. Met Sophy going to breakfast at Mrs Pollock's. Home breakfast. After dated 89's etc. Lunch. Many callers. Most brilliant & lovely warm day. M & Mite out. Mr Wheat called. Mrs Leech, Miss Ritchie, Miss Schwann etc etc. Worked on drawing for Art Journal. Was to have dined at the Percy Hollands. Put off for 3rd time. Quiet dinner at home, M, Mite & self. Read Palmyra after. Bed at 12.15 after snooze.

Wednesday January 29

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. Rode mare in Park. Went A1. Saw Janet Lewis on a bicycle. Slight frost. Rode with Dalby, Dr Dash. Spoke to Smith. Story of

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German Emperor's wiring to Lord Lonsdale. Talk of Kiki. After with Parsons & Conway. Home 9.45. Breakfast. Wrote letters after & sent breeches to be mended. Maud out to have her 1st singing lesson from Mrs Dick Cornwell. After got to work & also dated 1888-9 photos, Miss Manning etc etc. Lunch . At 6 started for Punch dinner. Buss to top of Piccadilly. Walked to Club & on. Saw Millais looking very ill & Furniss who was full of American lecture. L.B, E.I.M late, Phil May, A.G, F.C.B, J.T, self, A à B & R.L. Long discussion. Cut of Pretty Dick made up for cartoon. Self got nothing. Left 11.0 & on home in hansom from Isthmum. Ran into fog at bottom of Piccadilly & again at Kensington. Home 11.45. Emma & Marie out at Pantomime. Bed 1.0 after reading Palmyra.

Thursday January 30

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. Foggy. Decided not to ride. Walked with Tip round Campden Hill. After breakfast set to skeme Memorial for Art Journal Leighton. Letter from F.C.B. Lunch. Rested. F.C.B called himself. No subject. After snoozed in chair. Tea. Mite & dressmaker. M out by herself. Wrote many letters. Went on with Art Journal subject. Mite went to dine at 7.45 at Miss Phillips's. Much colder. Dr Philips turned out to be husband of tall lady 6ft 5in. Back at 11.15. Quiet dinner M & self. Bed 12.30 after reading Palmyra.

Friday January 31

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0. Good ride in park 8.35 to 9.40. Saw horse rear with Aspinall QC. Talk to Mrs Pepys Cockerell & Alfred Parsons. Dull morning. Breakfast. Letter from F.C.B with Mephistopheles subject. Bother with Barker's bills. Evelyn Coward in & also Miss Ritchie. M off to shopping. Worked on all day up to 8.30pm. Wired to say could not dine at the Black & White dinner at Café Royal. Quiet dinner at home after. Did not dress. Read paper & bed 12.0 after snooze. Tired. x.

Saturday February 1

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45. Down, ¼ hrs work before breakfast. After at it till 1.30 when finished drawing of Russian Mephistopheles & Turkish Faust. Lunch. Put things away & cab to Savoy Theatre. Box B. Mr Carlisle in box. Saw the 'Mikado' revival. Very good. New Ko Ko. Jessie Bond & Barrington, Miss Brandram. Out at 5.0 & had Turkish bath. Weight after 12.10. Too much. Home by buss. Bath gave me a headache. which lasted till Monday morning. Quiet dinner at home after, M, Maud & self. Read paper, snooze & bed at 11.30. Headache. (*Red ink: Went to matinée of 'Mikado'. Turkish bath after.*) (*Cuttings glued in: Death of infant son of Herbert & Edith Sismey. In memoriam Mary Thorneycroft. 1900.*)

Sunday February 2

Stafford Terrace. Up at 9.0am. No walk. Breakfast. M & Mite out to church. Left in cart at 10.20 for Victoria. Cold. Fur coat. Down to Dover. Off 1.15. Met on boat Whitby, also Jacobi, Captain Churchward, Jacobi's son-in-law. Also introduced to Mr Lonniss, managing director of Maples. At Calais 2.20. Lunch all together. Off at 2.50. Lunch 6/6, 2/3 cigars. Met Mr Balkeley Johnson also high shouldered little Madame Louise. Long talk with Jacobi & son-in-law.

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Spoke French. Victoria at 7.35. Home 7.55. Horse down & others slipping. Hard frost. Sylvia Rose Innes & Mr Evans had called. Dinner & after read Trevor Battye's book. Bed at 11.30pm. Felt well very. No sleep after dinner. Left brown pot hat at Victoria. Saw Sir Rivers Wilson. (*Red ink*: Delightful trip to Calais 3rd Sunday running.)

Monday February 3

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.15. x. Walk round Campden Hill. After sorted Times etc. At 10.45 left & drove in dog cart to Lord Leighton's funeral. Stopped in Piccadilly. On to St Pauls. Crowd. Stood between Norman Lockyer & East. Sir F. Abel etc. Many there. Volunteers fainting. Long service from 12.0 to 1.15. Out. Bright sun but slight fog. Saw Leslie, Stone, Dolly S etc. In back street saw men with quarts of beer & pushing the pall into a 4 wheel cab. Buss to St Martin's Lane. Boughton got in. Club for lunch. Saw Lockwood, Tree, Alexander, Bulkeley Johnson, D'Arcy, Campbell Praed, Jones etc. Out & smoke. Read books & magazines till 5.0. Tea & home by buss. Attack of P. M & Mite in. Mr Galbraith called. Home 6.15pm. Wrote letters. Miss Rose Innes dined with us. Stayed till 12.0am nearly. (*Red ink*: Funeral of Lord Leighton. Lunched at Garrick.)

Tuesday February 4

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0. Walked round Notting Hill. Saw house at end of Holland Pk. After breakfast sorted Times. Re-dated Manning photos '88 etc. M out in carriage at Stores. After in afternoon got to work & skemed out drawing of draped figure. Lady Margaret called with Lady Dorothea & many others. After at 7.0 dressed & got ready to go to dine at Mr Spielmann's. Walked up hill. Freezing. Took a Mrs Lousada in to dinner. Sister of Mocatta. Dull stupid dinner to 18 Jews & ourselves. Left 10.45 & carriage went for Maud who had dined at the Henry Levy's. Missed my way & walked towards Edgware Road. Just caught the carriage by luck in the Bayswater Road & home on box. Very slippery. Bed after reading paper & smoke. (*Cutting glued in: Death of Rollerton Cathcart.*)

Wednesday February 5

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. No walk. After breakfast got ready & at 10.0 left in cab for Camera Club. At 11.0 photod Miss Fletcher for draped figure. Out at 1.0 & on to lunch at the Garrick Club. Saw Evans & also Jones etc. Out 1.55 & on to morning performance of the pantomime for the 2nd time. In box Sir J.T, Anstey G, Mars, Routh, M, Mite, little Wallace, self & Miss M Nemhard. Out 5.20 & put M in carriage. Tea at Club. Read Cruise of the Alerte. Left with Tenniel & Lawrence Bradbury for P.D. J.T, self, A à B, E.I.M (late) L.B, P.M (late) E.T.R, H.W.L (back from Cannes) A.G. Long discussion over both cuts. Tenniel got Boxing outside booth, self Rhodes. Left at 11.0 with J.T & home. Got Scribner. (*Red ink*: Left at 9.55 in cab for Camera C. Photod Adah Fletcher for draped figure. After lunch at Club went to Pantomime 2nd time. Box A.) (*Cutting glued in: Death of General Sir Charles Keyes.*)

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Thursday February 6

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. Rode mare in Park. Met Sterne. After Bond & Mills. Oh! Mills. Back 9.30. After wrote letters & posted them. Then schemed drawing for Rhodes crossing chasm. At 11.45 photod Stace with Otley on his back. Galbraith called in middle. Photod palette & drapery. Developed. Lunch. Long rest after. M & Mite out in carriage. Gave Mite silk stockings. Got to work after rest & drew in figure of Rhodes for crossing ravine with Chartered Company on his back. Worked till 8.0pm. Quiet dinner & evening afterwards. Guthrie wrote about the Humber Company shares.

Friday February 7

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Ride in Park on mare. Talk to Parsons & Mills Oh! After home. Work all day on drawing of Rhodes carrying man in sack across ravine, Chartered Company. M seedy. Could not finish by dinner time. Mite went to dine at Arthur Russell's & after went to Lord Russell's Ball. M & self had quiet dinner by selves. Bed after. (*Cuttings glued in: Obituary Lady Wilde. Death of Francis Cockshott.*)

Saturday February 8

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0. Mite wanting to get up after her Ball last night at Lord Russell's. Got to work & finished at 12.0 Rhodes & Chartered Company. Lunch. After enlarged & developed from negatives of Adah Fletcher cloaked figure. At 5.30 got to work & began drawing for Leighton's memoriam for Art Journal. Worked till 8.0pm when dined quietly. Good still evening afterwards. (*Cutting glued in: Death of Jane Wylde.*)

Sunday February 9

Stafford Terrace. Up at 9.0. Went for walk round Campden & Notting Hill. Looked at large house in Holland Park grounds. Horrid. Breakfast 9.45. M in bed. After wrote 6 letters & in morning got to work on drawing for Art Journal. Very disappointed could not go to Calais. Lunch. After took photo of palm & enlarged Tenniel & photo of model. 8½ minutes small stop. Dressed. Mr Blair, Evelyn Coward & Spencer called. Tea. Walked with Spencer to call on Ham & Tabs at the Alexandra Hotel. Met Bill Weigall, sent him in. Saw H had had bad piles. £1000 profit in the Abafan. Home by buss. Dressed after 1 hours work. Miss Rose Innes at Stafford Terr. Stayed to dinner. (*Plan of seating*) Home impromptu dinner. Self, S.R.I. Mr Blair, Mite, Mars, M, S.J.H. Miss R.I. left 9.0. Rest stayed till 12.30.

Monday February 10

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.20am. Dull foggy morning. No walk. Read by candles. After got to work 9.45 on drawing for Leighton Memoriam for Art Journal. M out to lunch at 12.30 in carriage. Mite for walk with Mary Carter. Nash called. After got to work all day & finished drawing at 8.30pm for Mr Croal Thomson & sent it off by messenger. M & Mite out a long time in carriage. Called on Tabs & Midge & lunched at Alice Linley's. Colin Hunter asked again to play billiards. Could not go. Dined 9.0 & snooze after. M has a nasty cough. Bed 12.45am. (*Cuttings glued in: Death of Elizabeth Wills. 13 Feby.*)

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Tuesday February 11

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45. Out on mare 8.30. Rode with Mr Smith & daughter. After with Parsons. Mare very fresh. Back 9.40. Breakfast. After put things away. Bank book in. Things better, £800 credit. M out in carriage. At 12.0 Mite went to Tabs to lunch. M's cough very troublesome. In morning put things away & expected Mr Edgcome. Never came at all. After dated 1890 up to March. Wrote letters. Developed photos of Adah Fletcher taken last Wednesday. Dressed at 7.15. Sent cheque for £111 for Debenture bonds to Glynn Mill Currie & Co. Left at 7.40 in carriage to dine at the De la Rues. Took Mrs Mumbling Trower in to dinner. Next Mrs D. All people we knew, Tates, Bancrofts, Mocattas, Godefrois etc. Good dinner. Left 11.10 & home. M's cough troublesome. (*Red ink:* Dined at Andros De la Rue's. Good dinner. M a bad cough.)

Wednesday February 12

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Very undecided whether or not to go to Calais. Did go at 10.20, leaving M with bad cough. Lovely bright morning. Victoria, got brown pot hat. Saw only people I knew by sight. Rose like Victor Emmanuel. At Dover 1.0pm. Slight breeze. Very pretty piquante woman sitting on life belt chest with feet on ladder. (*small drawing of woman*) Good lunch at Calais. Back. Stiff breeze. Wet decks. Back to Holborn V at 7.34. Cab to Bouverie St 7.45. Dinner. Phil A, Phil M, E.T.R, H.W.L, A.G, F.C.B, J.T, self, A à B, R.L. No Milliken. Very hard work to make up cuts. Long time. Got Bear & Turk. Left at 11.0. with J.T. Isthmum. Home 11.50. Found Mr Blair there. Keeping M up & Mite. M's cough very bad & looks ill. (*Red ink:* Crossed the Channel in hopes of meeting Langleys. Pleasant day, good breeze. The time when I saw pretty little girl like S.D.M was Tuesday 2 Feby 1897, not this day. Wed 20 May 1903.)

Thursday February 13

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.50. x. Out on mare. Heard from Parsons of Solomon's & Abbey's election ARA. Rode with Bond & t'other doctor. After home. Wrote letters & got sword from Mr Edwards at Olympia. After skemed subject & at 12.30 photod Stace for Turkey & Russia. Developed. Lunch. Rest. M out at 3.30. Her cough very troublesome. Mite going to Ball at Inner Temple. Worked on Bear & Russia. Discovery of North Pole in evening paper. Evelyn Coward could not get cards for the Ball. M & self dined together quietly. Bed early. (*Red ink:* Mite went to Ball, Inner Temple. Reported discovery of North Pole.) (*Cutting glued in: Death of Herbert Keith.*)

Friday February 14

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0. Rode mare in Park. Delightful morning. Met Lockwood. After back. Letter from F.C.B about North Pole at 11.0. Got to drawing at 12.0. Otley round 12.30. Photod him in fur coat for Nansen & developed & put to dry. After rested & got to work at 4.30. Drew figure out. Mite had early dinner & went to Olympia with Mr Blair's cousin. M & self dined 9.0pm & quiet evening after. M's cough very troublesome. x. Bed at 12.0. Rode round by The Boltons & called on F.C.B & left letter in the morning. (*Cutting glued in: Obituary of Captain Le Clerc. T, Feby 13*)

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Saturday February 15

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.30am. Got on with drawing of Ice Maiden & North Pole. Finished at 1.15pm. Could not try cycle. Gave up idea of taking cycle to Pym's. Lunch. Packed & at 4.0pm M, Mite & self left for Pym's. Self in 4 wheeler, M & Mite in brougham. M's cough bad. Caught 5.5 train Charing X & down with Lehmann & Guthrie to Pym's. Got there 6.0. Tea. Saw Julian. Miss Wallace governess. Mr & Mrs Johnson to dinner. 'Gushing old cat'. Mrs P too much wine. Pleasant evening. Bed 11.30 after smoke. Comfortable room. (*Red ink:* M, Mite & self left at 4.0pm for Foxwold, Brasted.)

Sunday February 16

Foxwold, Brasted. Up at 8.0am. Went for walk. Saw cycles at Lodge. Breakfast. After stroll with Lehmann, Pym & Guthrie. Thro' farm. Good dairy, piggeries etc etc. Hydraulic pump for water. After with Guthrie to meet chicks from church. Lunch. After at 3.30 walked with Guthrie to Westerham. Major Boords house pretty. Sketched windows. Home at dusk 5.45. Tea & looked at French life of Napoleon. Well illustrated. Dinner. White Burgundy. After smoke & talk. Bed at 11.45. Lehmann 'Look me in the face'. Goodbye to Pym & L. (*Red ink:* At Foxwold, Brasted. Quiet day.)

Monday February 17

Foxwold, Brasted. Up at 8.30am. M saw saw Lehmann & Pym go off. Down. Lost pocket book. Breakfast. Cold after. M, Guthrie, Mite & self got off at 10.0 & left for Brasted. Met Mr Johnson in train. Up to Charing X. Home 12.0. No letters much. After at 2.35 went on cycle with Bondards gear. Called Reed. Thro' Richmond to Kingston & home over hill. M in school room. Rested. Very tired & smoked pipe. After dressed & left 7.30 in carriage & dined with Mr & Mrs Armsrtong. Met a Belgian attaché & a Mr & Mrs Musgrave. Told me about the Wealth of Nations mine. A man's nothing there. M reluctant to go. Left 11.10 & home. Bed after reading paper. x. (*Red ink:* Came up from Foxwold. Dined at Mr Armstrong's. Lovely cycle ride to Kingston.) (*Cutting glued in: Death of Ellen Leigh.*)

Tuesday February 18

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. Out on cycle with Bondard gear. Round Park. A beastly dark cold foggy morning. So much so that made up mind to cross channel. Ordered cart & left in fur coat at 10.20. Victoria, carriage full. Fussy old agent for Cook. Dover. No one I knew going over. Lady lying on deck. Met Mr Gage & Cuthbert Burnand at Calais. Good lunch. American lady opposite could not speak French. Met Warren. After very pretty woman walking up & down & eastern-looking lady with maid. Back all right & home 7.55. Dinner, M, Mite & self. Read Knight's Trinidad after & bed 11.30pm. x. (*Red ink:* Crossed the channel. Horrid day in London.) Lost a sovereign in Rly carriage.

Wednesday February 19

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Out on mare. Met Sir Martin Conway & talked of Knights of Trinidad. Warmer sunny. Back 9.30. Good breakfast. Mr Edgcome called about 3rd cartoon 11.0 to 12.0am. M's cough a little better. Rested after lunch. Wrote letters etc. At 6.30 started & went by buss to the Punch dinner. There 7.30pm. F.C.B, J.T, self, A à B, R.C.L, L.B, E.I.M (late)

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P.M, E.T.R & A.G there. Long discussion. Tenniel got Navy cut. Self Bear & Turkey. Left by 11.10 & home with J.T. Read after & bed. Discovered at 6.0pm I had lost a sovereign yesterday. Must have dropped out of my pocket in giving light to gentleman in Rly carriage.

Thursday February 20

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Dull wretched morning. Out on mare. Rode with Sir Martin Conway. Told him about Kemp Welch. Back. Took out & put in head on Mr Edgcome's drawing. After skemed subject of Bear & Sultan. At 12.0 photod small boy & Otley. Spoilt plates in developing put water on instead of the developer. Put to dry & printed in platinotype. Tilda Frick came in afternoon. M & Maud out. Got to work at 4.30pm. Worked till 8.0pm when dined quietly. Read Cruise of the Alerte after.

Friday February 21

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. Rode mare at 9.40 in Park. Met Alfred Parsons at corner. Very misty & foggy. Back breakfast. After at 11.30 got to work after sorting papers. Worked on Bear & Turkey. Lunch. M & Mite went to Albert Hall for private theatricals in which Mr Routh took part. Rested. After at 3.30 got to work till 8.30. Dinner. Rested till 12.0 in chair. Bed. (*Cutting glued in: Lady Jessel, of a son.*)

Saturday February 22

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. x. Fine morning. Easterly wind. Did not go out. Tip with new muzzle. Went on to work at Bear & Turk. Finished 12.30am. Lunch. Roy back from Eton for Exeat at 1.30. M & Maud & Tilda went to see Gentleman Joe at Prince of Wales's. Roy & self followed on. Met Judge Stonor. Good laugh at Arthur Roberts. Out & on to Jermyn St. Bought sausages. Roy & self walked home. Roy dropped glass jar with Boar's Head in it. Got fruit, yellow chartreuse etc. Dinner. After played Roy two games of backgammon. Roy won. Cycle ought to have been sent home. Was not. (*Red ink: Roy back from Eton. Went to Arthur Roberts at Prince of Wales's. Cold east wind set in.*)

Sunday February 23

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.45. Out at 9.0 on cycle. Back 9.30. Decided to go to Calais as cycle had not come back. Dog cart at 10.20. Roy went. Put down at Hyde Park Corner. Down with 4 men one like a son of Ritchie's the others a Mr Lewis & one I made acquaintance with a Mr Saunders. Fresh easterly wind blowing at Dover. Cold. Over 2.30. Lunch. Looked at engravings. Back & home at 8.0 for dinner. Hamilton Langley & Mr Routh dined. Pleasant evening. They stayed till 11.45. Read & bed. (*Red ink: Went to Calais & back. Very cold. Met a Mr A.B.Saunders, 151 Fulham Road. Mines, West Australian. Florence Lady Shelton, Mount Margaret, Hannen Brown Hill. Cold east wind.*)

Monday February 24

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.20. Very cold. Mite in bath. Printed blue photos etc. In morning wrote letters etc. Mite & Roy out. Lunch. Cycle back 12.30. At 2.30 after lunch Roy & self went to Kingston & back 24 miles. Home 4.45. Mrs Fair

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called. Roy went back to Eton at 6.0pm. Dressed. Read Lady Eastlake's book. At 7.35 carriage to dine at the Threlfall's. Gorgeous home. Met Mr & Mrs Gilbert, Marcus Stone, Harry Dickens, Lucy, Scott Gatti. Long girl sunburnt, Mr & Mrs Joicey, Mr Pollock, Mr & Mrs Fairfax Rhodes, selves. 20 in all. Very good dinner. Organ & singing after. Left 11.25 & home. Very cold. Good 'Punch'. Bed 12.15. (*Red ink*: Cycled with Roy to Richmond & Kingston. Roy returned to Eton. Cold east wind & frost.)

Tuesday February 25

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.15am. Did not go out before breakfast. After in morning put things straight etc. Slight head. Lunch. Cycled at 2.30 to F.C.B's. Not in. After went by Putney etc to Richmond Pk & on to Hampton Court & home by Richmond. Alice & Mary C there. Miss Nemhard etc. Many callers. Tea. Rested after dressing & wrote many Stores orders. Dined quietly at home, M, self, Tilda & Maud. Wretched weather. Hard frost at night. (*Red ink*: Cycled 24 miles, Hampton Ct etc. Cold east wind. Bitter frost.)

Wednesday February 26

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.10am. Cycled to F.C.B's & along Park. Home. Breakfast. Packed things for journey. F.C.B wrote to say would not have Millais. Wrote letters etc all the morning. After lunch also wrote & rested. Maud went out. Saw Mr Stone etc etc. Paid Parish Taxes £23.17.11. Packed bags etc & all afternoon wrote letters etc. Went to P.D by buss in old trowsers & shoes. There 7.5. Good dinner. No Proprietors. F.C.B, J.T, self, A.G, A à B, E.I.M, P.M, E.T.R, H.W.L, Guthrie out of his place. Made cuts & changed with J.T, he having Herdsman. Self Turk. After Guthrie chaff about the Furniss tickets. Left 11.0 with J.T & home by his cab & omnibus. M awake & anxious about Maud who was dining at the Hendersons. (*Red ink*: Cold east wind. Bitter frost.)

Thursday February 27

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.10am. Wrote letters before breakfast. My pass renewed & came this morning. After again wrote F.C.B in mind to alter subject. Photod Otley for Sultan with gun.etc. Developed. Lunch. Mite at Miss Wallace's. After putting to dry & print went on cycle to Richmond Park & home. Met Tate at Putney Road, came back with him. Home to tea 5.5. Bathed prints. Mite back 5.30. Wrote letters. Did not work. Dined at 7.0pm. After at 7.50 drove with Mite in carriage to Lyceum Theatre. Left fur coat at Garrick on to theatre Lyceum. Sat next Mrs Jopling Rowe. Oh! Saw 'For the Crown'. Wonderfully put on the stage. Miss W.Emery & also Mrs Patrick Campbell in same play. Son kills his father. Left at 11.0. Home by carriage all right. Bed at 12.30am. (*Red ink*: Première of 'For the Crown'. Went with Mite. Sat next Mrs Jopling Rowe.)

Friday February 28

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.10am & after breakfast got to work on cartoon of John Bull & Sultan of Turkey. Wrote letters. M packing all day. Did not ride on cycle. Worked until 9.45pm. No rest after lunch. Got well on but could not finish. Mite had her dinner earlier. Dined 9.50. M, Tilda & self. Had bottle of

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Krug 1887. Had been in cellar for ages. Rest after & bed 12.0. Mr Forbes wrote in morning he could give no more ladies passes in future. Paid wages.

Saturday February 29

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.0am & got to work & finished drawing of John Bull, Egypt & Sultan. After put rest of things together & M & self got off at 10.0am for Victoria en route for Biarritz. Sent Otley to Hains & Potter. Arrived Victoria, carriage to ourselves. Good crossing. Met De la Rues & Sir Blundell Maple. M clinging on to rail. Good cabin. At Calais Mr Gage very kind. Princess Louise & Lord Lorne lunched next to us. Sailor in charge of seats at Calais. Curious passengers. Old lady had windows open. Young girl sick out of window. Curious butler looking man next M. Paris. Heavy rain. Bother with fiacre. Interpreter got on box. Drove across to Orleans Railway, porteau No 17. Striped Swiss. M had no ladies room to go to. No water. Pair of trowsers on bed. Dined 16 Fr. After left at 10.25 for Bordeaux. Corner seats, one other passenger a Spaniard. M & self fairly uncomfortable. Slept. Woke up occasionally. M slept well. Country smothered in vines all over. (*Red ink:* Started at 10.0am for Biarritz.)

Sunday March 1

On board train, Paris to Bordeaux. Woke at 7.0. Spaniard in train. Got out at station. Had coffee. M left her purse in cape. Good wash. Into train again. Man got in like Daddy Levy. Got to station for Biarritz Negresse at about 11.30. Boxes there. Lady & 2 daughters in omnibus. Biarritz at noon. Room No 15. Saw William Agnew. Lunch, M & self. After walk with Dora. Hot sun. Back. Rest. Another walk with Dora in afternoon. Basque population very handsome. Universal round caps. Dressed. Dined. Poor dinner. Sat in corridor after. W.A came up & talked. Bed at 10.15. M slept indifferently, too tired. I slept well. Not very much impressed with Biarritz. (*Red ink:* Arrived Biarritz at 12.30pm. Saw Agnew.) (*Cutting glued in: Obituary John Clutton.*)

Monday March 2

Grand Hotel, Biarritz. Up at 8.0. Coffee 8.30. Got out & went for stroll. Back. Had hair cut F1.50. Walk with M & Midge. After got camera & took 4, 2 broken plates. Cycling on the Plage. Lunch. After snooze, heavy. At 4.0 took the tram to Bayonne. Fine cathedral. Coffee or rather chocolate at shop. Back by tram. Fête at a village. Talkative old lady in tram car. Bought cigar before dinner. Dined. Sat in rocking chair after. Miss Wilkinson came & talked about Miss Holland's illness. W.A came & said we were to go to Fontarabia tomorrow. He would arrange it. Bed at 10.15. Changed plates. Nightmare at night. M woke me. (*Red ink:* Lovely day at Biarritz, Went to Bayonne in afternoon.)

Tuesday March 3

Grand Hotel, Biarritz. Up 8.0am. Coffee. At 9.20 went over to Agnew who settled about our trip. Carriage at 10.5 & M, self, Midge & Dora went for long drive (*blank*) kilos to Hendraye. Past St Jean de Luz. Wonderful house there where Louis XIV stayed. On through Urrunge. Delightful church with 3 tiers one above the other. Curious old Chateau with the Baron walking about with an umbrella. Mrs Corrie's carriage passed us. On to Hotel d'Angleterre at

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Hendraye. Good dejeuner. Introduced ourselves to Mrs Corrie. Out & off by boat to Fontarabia. Curious little Spanish town. Church & old Fort with shot holes. Beggars & Spanish soldiers. Took photos. Left at 3.0. Back & on home again from Hotel at 3.50. Same way back. Stayed at St Jean de Luz. Got macaroons & looked into church. Carriage passed us with Mrs C. 2 boys playing fives. Home at 7.0 exactly. Civil cocher, 40 francs the journey. Dinner. After an entertainment in the Dining Room. Wrote F.C.B & also tradesmen. Looked at prints & bed at 11.0. Changed plates. (*Red ink*: Went by carriage to Fontarabia.)

Wednesday March 4

Grand Hotel, Biarritz. Up 8.30am. Coffee. M to stay in bed. Dressed leisurely. After went down & wrote letters. Sent 5 to London. Heavy rain & storm came on. Undecided whether to return to London. After went for walk to see the sea. Back to get camera. Took 5 photos. Lunch. A poor one. After sat in corridor. Cold & wretched. Agnew came & took me up to his rooms. Long talk. Down 4.30. Up in M's room. Tea with Midge. After went to look at sea. Huge rolling waves breaking over like leaping horses. Grand sight. People got drenched with salt water. Miss Healy looking on. After went to the Plage, saw over the establishment. Back 7.0. Dressed & dined 7.30. After dinner sat & talked to Mrs Parson's sister. Then went up to Agnew's room. Playing piquet. Whiskey. Bed at 11.30. Changed plates. (*Red ink*: Heavy sea & gale o' wind.)

Thursday March 5

Grand Hotel, Biarritz. Up 8.0. Coffee. Heavy gale & wet again. Wretched. Thunder. Heavy wet all morning. Went out with camera to get photos. Got overcoat drenched. Back. Lunch. After in Agnew's room. News of the defeat of the Italian army in Abyssinia. Took M for walk to look at waves. Got as far as tunnel. In afternoon walked with Agnew to look at the waves. Not quite so rough as yesterday. Then on to Lady Vincent's house. Lady V came up & asked us in to the garden. Told about wreck last year their little girl being swept out to sea by big waves. Charming woman. Stroll back. Dressed. Dinner. After Mr Bethell came & talked to me. Long yarn about Engineering & Art. Agnew brought a Mr Bond up & introduced me. Ball at one of the hotels. American widow overdressed. Surgeon Major Vash went with her. Bed after smoke. (*Red ink*: Still broken weather. Clearer.)

Friday March 6

Grand Hotel, Biarritz. Up 8.0am. Out & walk to end of Virgin Rock. M in bed. Got camera & took waves. Went to Club & wrote letters in morning for 1st time. Back. Lunch. After rain came on again. Met Agnew. He was bored & depressed. Took train at 4.0 after reading in Club. Dozy & sleepy reading. Went to Bayonne. Walked about. Had chocolate. Met Mrs Corrie. Looked into church. 'Defence joue aux paume'. Back at 5.40 to Biarritz. Walked from saline baths right to end of Plage. Back 7.0. Dined. After Agnew talked a long time & then to bed. Walked without overcoat to Club. Spoken to by 2 women. Great bother to get rid of them. Read Times & had whiskey. Back home at 11.0 & bed. (*Red ink*: Went into Bayonne by self.) (*Cutting glued in*: Obituary Sir George Tapps-Gervis-Meyrick.)

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Saturday March 7

Grand Hotel, Biarritz. Up at 8.0am. Coffee in room. After down & out in checked suit. Was to have gone to links with Lindo. Missed him. At 10.30 drove in fiacre with Midge to meet at Negresse. Took Agnew with us. Poor affair. Very handsome young man. French or English? Back & walk with M & Agnew on the Flarge. Lunch 12.30 after went out with Mr & Mrs Lindo to links. Saw Eyton Roller & a Mr Hutchinson play for Biarritz v Pau. They won. Crowd of people. Got away & tramp along sea shore towards the Adour. Saw woman at gap. Doubts of going up. Sauntered to Club. Talk to peasant about oxen. Wrote long letter to Vernon Watney etc & then walk right thro' Biarritz to end of Flarge. Back 7.10. Dressed. Dinner. After talk to the Misses Field. Then to Club. Read article on Venezuela or British Guiana.. Went up & saw high play going on. Back home & bed at 11.5. Again spoken to by woman. No police. Had flagette of beer at lunch. (*Red ink: Golf match. Eyton Roller & a Mr Hutchinson v Pau.*) (*Cutting glued in: Death of Sir George Meyrick.*)

Sunday March 8

Grand Hotel, Biarritz. Up 8.0am. 8.15 walked to end of Virgin Rock. Looked into church, early mass. No letters. Down 10.0am. Left M to dress. After M looked very well in bonnet. Went for walk. Bright sun but cold wind. Went up on hill by cross. Back & to dejeuner. Mr Holland arrived. Went & spoke to him. After lunch took camera & stroll along Flarge. Took 2 of sea. On to gap at top of golf links. Sat down & dozed. Bitten by mosquitos. Back & looked into Club. To M at 4.0 exactly. Went to call on the Mackellans. Slow. After to Lindo's for tea. Then for walk after before dinner with M. Good dinner. Agnew & Mr Holland talking after in corridor. Walked to Club & read papers & looked at Graphic etc etc. Back to bed 11.0. (*Red ink: Fine day. Walk with M. Cliffs & calls.*) (*Cuttings glued in: Death of James Abernethy. Obituary James Abernethy.*)

Monday March 9

Grand Hotel, Biarritz. Up at 8.0am. Walked to the Virgin Rock & back. Coffee. After took M for walk up to cliff & down to Virgin Rock. M saw a boat. Did it exist? Back thro' town & in to cycle shop. Boyers. Arranged for cycle for 3 Frs for 4 hours. Dejeuner. Had Graves. After sat in corridor etc. Waited for Dora till 3.15 when went for long cycle ride to the Barre. Past Will Agnew. Thro' pine woods. On to Bayonne & home 5.30. Dusty roads. Fair at Anglet. Dora went well. After rode cycle on to sands. Skidded. Saw girl learning. Back to Boyers. Tired. Dressed. M came back from calling. Passed M & Midge in Biarritz. Down & wrote cheques to London. Dinner. After talk in corridor. Went to bed early without going out. (*Red ink: Cycled with Dora to Barre & Bayonne. Good ride.*) (*Cuttings glued in. Death of Henry Howe. Obituary Henry Howe. Death of Philip Harper.*)

Tuesday March 10

Grand Hotel, Biarritz. Up at 8.0 in M's bed. x. Packed bags & down 10.0am. Bill in 288 Frs. Some to come off. Drizzle of rain which kept on all day. Out & got £15 changed at Bellain the consul. Bought bull & cigars. Up in Midge's & Agnew's rooms. Goodbye to W.A. Lunch. After a talk to Mrs Field & others. D that parrot. Goodbye to M. Left in rain at 1.15. Lady got in from villa with maid

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& 'Ah mon singue'(?). Off from station at 2.0. Registered bag. Carriage to self after Bayonne. On to Bordeaux past Monceaux. Changed carriages & dined. Left 6.45. One other gentleman after Tours. Made ourselves comfortable for the night. Felt cold.. Undid fur coat. Slept fairly well. Strange dreams. Carriage well lighted. (*Red ink*: Last morning in Biarritz. Left at 1.15pm for Paris & home.)

Wednesday March 11

On board train on road between Bordeaux & Paris. Woke 5.15 & at Paris 5.25. Across in an omnibus fly. Got to Gare du Nord at 6.5 & put my 3 bags in the parcel office, 3d. Up & had coffee at 6.30. Walk etc. At 6.50 went for walk in Paris round Nouvelle Opera. Saw Colonne Vendome & after into the Grand Hotel. Back. Bought photo clip & cigars. In carriage at 8.35. Lame old man & young man like Thornton. Longish journey to Calais. On boat at 12.45. Could not see bag. Cold beef. Little girl with monkey & dogs etc. Fresh breeze. Train up to town. Ass in cap. Bought The Sketch & St Pauls etc. No bags at Victoria. On home in cab. Found Mite & Tilda. Looked at letters. Bath & on to Punch dinner by Metropolitan. There to a minute with J.T. L.B, P.M, E.T.R, H.W.L, A.G, F.C.B, J.T, self, A à B & E.I.M (late) there. Good dinner. Champagne. Long discussion. Got cut of Oxford Don & Minerva. Left with J.T in cab. Wrote letters at Garrick & home by 1.0pm. Bed 2.0pm. Tilda had fetched bag. (*Red ink*: Arrived home 6.0pm from Biarritz. All well.)

Thursday March 12

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0 & round Radcliffe Gardens on cycle. Wretched morning. Met Reynard. Back & looked over letters & looked out when Leech was at Biarritz in 1862. After wrote letters. Mite out with Miss Ritchie. Sorted things. Lunch. Was resting after when F.C.B came in with 2nd subject of Duke of Cambridge & Balfour. At 4.30 began it. Worked till 8.0. Dined. Tired after. Wrote letters. To bed at 1.0 after snooze. Something upset me at the Punch dinner. Indigestion all day. (*Cuttings glued in: Death of Eleonore Lethbridge. Death of Anthony Brabazon.*)

Friday March 13

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Out on cycle thro' Park. Saw Romer Williams & Lockett Agnew, Sir William Dalby etc. Home 9.15. Breakfast. After finished drawing by 1.30 of Duke of Cambridge & Balfour. Rested in chair till 4.30pm when began cartoon of Oxford Don & Minerva. Hard put to it. Left off at 8.35. Dined. After Tilda & Maud to bed at 10.30pm. Read Excursion in Greece. Dozed till 2.0am when to bed. Could not sleep. x. Woke 7.0am. x. Tabs.

Saturday March 14

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.30am. x. Tabs. At work on porch before breakfast of drawing of Oxford Don & Minerva. In after. Finished 1.45. Lunch. After put things away & packed bags by 4.0pm. Wrote diary. At 5.0. left in 4 wheeler from Victoria to Brighton to visit Hartree. Letters from M & Tabs. Put cycle on cab & caught the 5.40 to Brighton. No trouble. There 7.30 at Norfolk Hotel. Dressed. Found cab. Bailey, Mr Tomes & a nondescript there. Dined ½ bottle of Claret. Oh. Smoke after & bed at 12.0. Dull evening. (*Red ink*: Went to

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Brighton to visit Hartree.) (*Cuttings glued in: Death of Sophia Ashmead-Bartlett. Obituary Sophia Ashmead-Bartlett.*)

Sunday March 15

Norfolk Hotel, Brighton. Up at 7.15 & out 7.45 on cycle. Went along Brighton to Rottingdean. Pretty village. Back at 9.0. Went down hill too fast going. Brushed hair etc. Had a long time to wait for breakfast. Colonel Baily opposite. After changed into brown suit & wrote 6 or 7 letters. After walked on esplanade. Saw John Dudley Rider, old Elephant & Bolton. No one I knew. Back & to lunch. Cold beef & Pilsiner. Smoked to 4.0 when out at 3.50 on cycle. Mr Tomes could not get one. Went to Devil's Dyke most uncomfortable ride ever had. Not comfortable behind. Flints & head wind. Gale. Walked. At Dyke 100 minute gun. Nigger & Gipse. 1/s for ginger beer & gin. Back. Broke cyclometer. Good ride into Brighton. Tired. Dined 7.0. Bath before. After Tomes & nondescript left. Sat up till 11.0 talking of Penn. Mrs Horton's name Caroline. Left H & Col up together. (*Red ink: Cycled to Rottingdean & very bad ride to 'Devil's Dyke'.*) (*Cutting glued in: Death of Florence Morris.*)

Monday March 16

Norfolk Hotel, Brighton. Up 7.15. Bath. Down. Heavy gale & rain. Could not cycle. Walked to P.O.O. Wired to Otley. Bought D.T. In Hartree's room. Breakfast 9.15. Long wait. After got off by 11.0 train XS up 14/s. Amusing old man from Burmah in train. Talked of reminiscences. Home 12.50. No Otley. Wired. Went round to stables. Looked at cycle. Wrote Polly etc. Developed 1 doz plates. Failures some. Not exposed. Read Frankfort Moore's story. After rested. Dressed 7.15. Dined 7.35 & on to Empire Theatre after. Saw the Lumiere photography & clever twins. Little girl like Mrs Arthur Russell. On to Garrick. Saw Sir Euan Smith, Judge Bacon & Carr, Wicks etc etc. Left after talk with Salomons. Home 1.30. Bed 2.0am. (*Red ink: Returned from Brighton. Went to Empire Theatre in evening. Fit of indigestion.*)

Tuesday March 17

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0. Out on cycle 8.30. Round Park. Saw Maple. To Gloucester Sq & Gloucester Terr. After breakfast painted walls etc. Spencer called 1.15. Mite out with Tilda in carriage. Lovely Miss Wallace here. What colour? Thought after lunch would go to Uxbridge & back by West Wind. Did go to Westbourne Park Station. Came on rain & so back. Went down Hammersmith Road & back over Barnes Common & thro' Putney. Wet. Cycle went well. Rested in chair after tea & dozed. Fit of indigestion. At 7.30 dined & left in carriage sitting outside for Court Theatre. Mr Carlyle there & Spencer after. Saw 'Mrs Ponderbury's Past'. Percy Reeve & wife opposite us. Walked down Sloane St. Home with S.J. Cab 2/s. Long letter from M at home. Bed 1.0pm after snooze. (*Red ink: Went to Court Theatre. Tilda shewed me letter about Mrs Furrell's illness. Fit of indigestion.*)

Wednesday March 18

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Wrote for Barney Barnato's portrait. Walk over Campden Hill in pouring rain. Back. Looked out drawings for Royal Academy. Paid books. Saw Mr Johnson afterwards about framing drawings. Rest after lunch. Very wet. At 4.30pm dressed & went by buss to 82 Gloucester Terrace,

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called on Sands. Left at 6.0pm. Walked to Garrick Club in rain, through Wardour St. Letter from G. On to Punch dinner by cab. Phil A, E.I.M (late) P.M, E.T.R, A.G, F.C.B, J.T, self, Arthur à B & R.L. No subject for self. Left without one. On with Tenniel in cab & home by omnibus. (*Red ink: Very wet day all day.*)

Thursday March 19

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.50. Took Condal water. Went on cycle round by Burnand's etc. Only just back in time. Most lovely morning. Went out again in Park. Saw Mite & Tilda, also Galbraith. Back & in coming home broke chain. Got labourer to wheel machine home. Called Corbens. Wired Humber. Met Mills. Oh! Mills. After lunch got on with drawing of Barney Barnato. Poor things to work from. Dined 7.0pm & after Mite, Tilda & self went to the Comedy Theatre & saw Gossip with Mrs Langtry in it. Poor play. Thought Claude Watney had a box near us. Home by hansom cab. All well. (*Red ink: Lovely day. Broke cycle chain in Park.*) (*Cuttings glued in: Death of George Richmond. RA. Death of Lady Matheson.*)

Friday March 20

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Walk round Campden Hill. No cycle. After finished by 3.0 pm portrait of Barney B. F.C.B came in at noon & gave subject for Beresford & Official Shooting. Worked up to 8.30pm when dined & rest after dinner. Bed at 12.30am. (*Red ink: Began cartoon 5.30pm.*)

Saturday March 21

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.30am. Did work before breakfast. After went on & finished by 1.45 drawing of Beresford & Dummy Official. No box for Avenue. Gave it up. Mite & Tilda out in afternoon. Rested & after drove in brougham to Camera Club & to Garrick. Back. Letter from Vernon Watney announcing birth of daughter. Out & wired to him. Hair cut. Got bad burgundy at Buckle's. Dined & after went in cab to Pavilion & Empire, crowded out, & to Garrick. Dozed over book. Supper next Percy Reeve & Campbell Praed. Left at 1.0 & home by cab. Tired. Indigestion all the week. Mite dined at Sir Richard Webster's. (*Red ink: Went to Pavilion & Empire. Slow. Daughter born to Vernon Watney.*) (*Cutting glued in: The wife of Egidio Vitali, of a daughter. Lady Margaret Watney, of a daughter.*)

Sunday March 22

Stafford Terrace. Up at 9.0am. Undecided what to do. Lovely morning so wrote Phil May & went to Calais. Drove cart. Met the Faudell Phillips's. Also Mr Saunders photographing. Lunch not so good as usual. Lovely passage both ways. Met John Hartree & wife. Carriage to self home. Back S.T at 8.0. Langley came into dinner at 8.30. Whiskey & S. Tried Buckle's bad Burgundy. L left at 11.15. Rest & bed. No callers in afternoon. Not one. (*Red ink: Most lovely day. Hot. Went to Calais. Langley dined.*) (*Cuttings glued in: Death of Thomas Hughes. Death of Lady Burton. Sunday 22 March.*)

Monday March 23

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Walk with Tip. No ride. Lovely morning. After dressed & got away after seeing tailor from Barker's. Went to Camera Club by

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buss. Took at 11.30 42 photos of Mrs King, say 40. Out & to Garrick to lunch. Long talk to Willard. Smoke. Wrote letter to Vernon Watney. Out & called Adelphi. Latham with bad cold. Called Burberry's after changing plates in dark room. After to Lincoln & Bennett's, ordered hat. Called Vernon Watney's. Left letter. Had Turkish bath. Weight 12.10 without clothes. Too much. Good shampooer, N° 3. Out & home by buss. Dined at 8.15. Letter from Argyll Rink in answer to mine at 4.0pm. Rest after dinner. Read Canon Harford's Epigrammatica. Bed at 1.0am. (*Red ink*: Photod Mrs King. Ordered coat & hat. This is the last sitting of Mrs King. She disappeared & I heard in December of this year was dead with her little girl too. Good model. L.S. 11 Nov 1899. Did not see Mrs K again until October 31.00. Thought she was dead. 3 Nov 1900.) (*Cutting glued in: Death of Peter Hawker.*)

Tuesday March 24

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.50. Out on cycle. Round Radcliffe Gardens. After breakfast Tip ran out without his muzzle. Taken to stable by old lady opposite. Wrote letters & diary, sorted Times etc. Mite & Toulia busy with dinner for tonight. Sent Otley to Stores. Lunch. Rest. After got to work on Academy drawings for Magazine of Art Journal. At 6.0 dressed. The Galbraiths dined with us. Had a very good dinner. Left 7.30 for Adelphi, Galbraith & self in brougham. Sir John Tenniel in box. Saw 'One of the Best' for 3rd time. House not so full. Out 11.0 & home outside brougham. Supper & bed 1.0pm after snooze. (*Red ink*: Galbraiths dined with us & went after to 'One of the best'.) (*Cuttings glued in: Death of Jane Beattie. Death of Jessie Piazzi Smith. Death of Walter Beebe.*)

Wednesday March 25

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.50 & out after answering Mazawattee letters. On cycle round Park. Met Sterne. Breakfast & wrote letters after. Sent Otley to Stores with corked bottle of Champagne etc. Also at last got ink. Worked on drawing for Art Journal. After dressed & went up to lunch with Phil May at the Devonshire Club. Met Mr Gibson, American artist. Good lunch. Saw George & Morland Agnew. Cart at Club 3.30. Drove to see Abbey's pictures & after up to Garrick Club. Then to Turkish bath Northumberland Avenue. Weight 12.10 after. Too much. Cab to Club. Got letters & on to Punch dinner. Full. Lawrence B, E.I.M (late) B.P, P.M, E.T.R, H.W.L, A.G, F.C.B, J.T, self, A à B, R.L, D.M. Good dinner. Got subject of Hydrant & Hercules County Council. Left with Tenniel & home by cab. Alice up for Mite at Cameron Corbett's Ball. Men fighting at end of Terrace, cabmen. Had no key. Thought of A. Bed at 1.0. x. Mite back at 1.30pm. (*Red ink*: Lunched with Phil May to meet Mr C.D.Gibson. Full 'Punch' dinner. Turkish bath, weight 12.10.)

Thursday March 26

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Called for Tip & walk over Campden Hill. Saw Sir Martin Conway's horse after breakfast. Skemed subject of County Council Hercules & Hydrant. Stace round at 12.0. Photod him. Developed plates. Thought I would ride to Windsor. Did not. In afternoon did Fancy Portrait from Hippopotamus & Kruger. Moth coming out of chairs. Quiet evening & read after dinner. Bed at 12.30.

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Friday March 27

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0 & out on cycle. Went up Piccadilly & round thro' Bond St. Called on Guthrie. Back. After breakfast got to work & finished Kruger as Hippopotamus. After to work on Hercules County Council & Hydrant. Mite went to Sports & to Mrs Threlfall's at home. Tilda & Mite dined early & went to Royal Institution in evening. Worked on to 9.0pm when dined by self. Mite back 10.30. Rested in chair & read St James's Square. Bed at 12.0. (*Red ink:* Mite went to Threlfall's at home & the Royal Institution in evening. Verdict £12000 damages against Dr Playfair. Kitson v Playfair.)

Saturday March 28

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.0am. Worked ½ an hour before breakfast on drawing of County Council Hercules & Hydrant. Roy back from Eton for Boat Race at 10.30am. Finished 11.30. Mr Stone came 11.30. Dressed hurriedly. Off in cart at 11.45, Stone, Roy & self. Got wet with heavy squelches of rain. Went to Donaldsons. Saw Oxford & Cambridge Boat Race. Miserable day. Wretched altogether. Lunch at Donaldsons. Saw Mrs Morell's brother. Left in brougham at 3.0 & back to S.T at 4.0. Having changed went to rink at Henzlers. Good skating. At Camera Club at 5.15. Game of 100 up at billiards till 6.0. Beat Roy. Out & walked thro' St James's Square. Saw houses. Caught buss. Home. Old woman coughing. Girl singing etc. Dined 8.0. Bad beef. Sent it back by Otley. Roy left 10.0pm. Very cold & wretched weather. (*Red ink:* Roy back from Eton for Boat Race. Oxford won by ¼ length.) (*Red ink across page:* Oxford & Cambridge Boat Race.)

Sunday March 29

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.30. Dull cold wretched morning. Decided not to go across channel. Mite to church. Wrote letters etc in morning, labels for Academy etc. Evelyn Coward in. Wrote letters all day. After lunch read The Sudan by Slatin Pascha. Not one single caller & altogether a horrid wretched day. Wrote long letter to M. Quiet day writing letters. Tilda, Mite & self dined quietly. Rest & bed after.

Monday March 30

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Called for Tip. Walk round Campden Hill. Breakfast. After in morning got to work on drawing for Academy Art Journal. Lunch. Rested. Left at 5.30 & by buss to top of Piccadilly, dressed. Called at Burberry's & tried suit on. Strolled on to Punch dinner. There 6.45. Burnand ill. L.B, P.M, B.P, E.T.R, A.G, Arthur à B presiding. Self. Only my cut to be made up. Left at 9.0 to see glove fight. Went to the National Sporting Club. 4 fights. The principal one settled in 2 minutes, 1st round. After went with Guthrie to the ice rink at Henzlers. No one there. Saw boy skating. Felt more or less seedy. Went to Guthrie's rooms. Looked at stained glass etc. Had whiskey. Home at 11.30 by cab. (*Red ink:* 'Punch' dinner today. Burnand & Tenniel away. Went to glove fight after.)

Tuesday March 31

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Fine morning. Got on cycle & went to Putney before breakfast. Back at 9.30. Mr Paxton was to have come to lunch. Maud put him off. Mrs Parr called. Left fan. Man measuring stairs for linoleum etc

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from Treloars. In afternoon after rest skemed subject for drawing of National Portrait Gallery. Drew in Britannia. Tilda's last evening. Quiet dinner, Mite Tilda & self. Bed after rest. Read Fire & Sword in the Sudan by Statin Pacha. Letter from Davis about photo board on roof. Told Otley to take it down.

Wednesday April 1

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Did not go out. Worked on drawing for National Portrait Gallery hard all day. Tilda left us at 3.15pm. Wrote M. Mite went out in carriage. Dined at 8.45, Mite & self. Quiet evening & bed. Mr Wade called at 5.30 & settled about Mazawattee.

Thursday April 2

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.0 & down to finish drawing of National Portrait Gallery & Britannia. At breakfast much annoyed to find that Mr Ainger had complained about Roy's smoking. Got on after & finished drawing at 2.0pm. Roy back at 12.0. He cycled from Windsor. Very angry with him. In afternoon rested & at 5.30 cycled to Ealing & back. Had to get off to S. Back. Dressed. Read the Arabian Nights. Miss Wallace dined with us. 2 long letters from M in pencil. Games after. Felt irritaion in nostrils. Sent for ammoniated quinine & Dunbar. Slept in chair till 1.45am & then to bed. Dream of Rosy Burnand & monkeys. (*Red ink:* Roy back from Eton with very bad report. Mr Ainger complained of his smoking.)

Friday April 3

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.5. Out with Roy on cycle & went to Ealing & back. Good ride. After breakfast tackled moth in bath room. Felt seedy. Billious eyes etc. Spencer in at 12.0. Roy & Mite went to church. Evelyn Coward in after. Lunch. 1 hour's rest. Roy & self then at 3.15 cycled to Uxbridge. Got there 4.45. Left 5.15 & back home through Brentford. Home 6.45. Not very tired. Whiskey & soda & bath. Head swam. Good dinner. Very tired after. Roy went to bed at 10.0pm, self 11.30. (*Red ink:* Dull wretched day. Cycled 45 miles in day with Roy.)

Saturday April 4

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0. Not very tired. No walk, no cycle. After breakfast did a little work at drawing for Art Journal. Roy went to his Club. Sorted 'Times' etc. Mite out in carriage. Went up to dress at 12.45 for cycle ride. Could not find my pin. Mite had it. Was mysteriously lost afterwards. Left 1.45 for Victoria, there in ¼ hr. Slow train down to Leatherhead & Dorking. Out & cycled from Dorking to Leatherhead. Came on to rain. Obliged to stop at L. Had tea & left cycle at the Swan Inn where I was with German Reed this very day 23 years ago. Rode from Uxbridge on Blondin Easter or rather Good Friday 1873. On to station & home. Slow weary journey. Cost me 22/6 for nothing. Bath. Taking off spats found pin stuck into left spat. Wonder did not lose it. Down in room. Wrote letters & diary. Dined quietly. Roy & M bed 10.30, self 12.20pm. (*Red ink:* Letters from H & M. Not to return until Thursday. Miserable fiasco of ride from Dorking. Beastly wet evening. Lost cats eye pin in bath room. Found it in spat.)

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Sunday April 5

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.15am. Walk with Tip round Campden Hill. After breakfast did some work on the drawing for Art Journal. Evelyn C in. Roy went to Club. Mite to church. Rested after lunch. At 3.30 went in the carriage with Roy & Mite to Thorneycrofts, Watts, Marcus S (not at home) Fildes, Hunter, Val Princep, Forbes & then to Abbey's (not in) & to Herkomer's. Herkomer's wonderful show of portraits. Madonna, Miss Dexter, Bishops of London & Hereford. Back by carriage home by 6.5. Wrote letters up to dinner time. Thought saw K.M as model coming out of Poynter's studio. Wrote letters & diary on getting home. Had quiet dinner, Mite Roy & self. After read Sunday Sun. Bed at 11.30pm. (*Red ink: Picture Sunday. Dull heavy day. Warmer.*)

Monday April 6

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. Did not go out or cycle. Letter from Polly. Breakfast. A finer morning. Warmer & brighter. Roy went to Club. No horses used. Stayed in the entire day. Worked on drawing for Art Journal. Put many heads in. Quiet dinner in evening, Mite, Roy & self. Bed early. Got up after dinner to my desk & decided to write to 'The Times' on street music. Did so. Alice posted letter. In afternoon annoyed by usual old organ grinder. Ordered him away. Maid opposite gave him coppers. (*Red ink: In all day. Wrote letter to 'The Times' on street music.*)

Tuesday April 7

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Walk round Campden Hill with Tip. In morning worked on drawing for Art Journal. After in afternoon Roy & self went in cart to Victoria (Otley late) caught the 4.5 train Victoria to Leatherhead 2nd class. Got cycles & came home thro Epsom & Wimbledon. Got home 7.10. Left Leatherhead 5.30. Good run. Road blocked at Lillie Bridge. Tired. Dined quietly, Mite, Roy & self. Quiet evening & bed. (*Red ink: Roy & self cycled from Leatherhead at 5.30 to 7.10pm.*)

Wednesday April 8

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Got ready to go to Victoria in dog cart. Lovely morning & warm. Roy & Mite went too. On platform met Mr Forbes who asked Roy to go over to Calais. Left. Young man in carriage with very bad cough. Over to Calais. Helped a lady with bags. Saw M, Midge & Dora, Miss Healey, Ham & Mr Holland (Percy) on quay. Had lunch. M with us. Bought box of cigars. Back by boat, got M good seats. Great rush on boat, great difficulty in getting a carriage. All up to town together. Left & on to Garrick to get dinner being so late. M & Mite home in carriage. Roy left for M's box. Dined at G next Pigott & Crabbe (Ed). Out & on to Punch dinner. Chaff about my letter to the Times & also about the banquet tomorrow. F.C.B, J.T, self (late) E.I.M, R.L, A à B (vice chair) P.M, B.P, E.T.R, H.W.L. Left with Tenniel in cab. Buss home. Drunken man got in at Knightsbridge. Found M in bed. x. (*Red ink: Went over to Calais to fetch M. Lovely day. Late back.*) (*Cutting glued in: Letter on street music to The Times, signed Linley Sambourne.*)

Thursday April 9

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. x. M rested in bed. After wrote letters. After skemed drawing for Enraged Householder. At 12.30 photod Otley & self &

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Alice for drawing. Developed it. Went out at 1.0 & photod German band. M out in carriage. Rested tired after lunch. Had headache all day & bilious. Wrote speech. At 5.30 dressed & left at 6.40 in cab for Holborn Restaurant. Met the brougham in Argyll Road. Got to Holborn Restaurant at 7.10. Met Ed Vanity Fair. Mr Burgin, Mr F. Moore, Blackbourne, Mauville Fenn, David Murray, Bernard Partridge etc etc. Good dinner. Flash photo. Arthur's speech. Made a very good one myself. Great reception. Thunders of applause. Talk after to many. Left in carriage & put J.S. Ward down at Duke's statue. Home. Read paper & bed. Roy went to the Court Theatre. Got home before him. (*Red ink*: Banquet in my honour at the New Vagabond Club, Holborn Restaurant.)

Friday April 10

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Roy & self cycled round Park. Strong N.W wind. Long day's work on drawing of Enraged Householder. Quiet dinner by selves after. Music in evening. Bed after rest & read. M sleepy. x.

Saturday April 11

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.15. Down 8.0 & worked before breakfast on drawing of Enraged Householder. Put in German band. After finished drawing by 1.45. Lunch. Put things away. At 3.15 started on cycles for Great Western Railway. Caught the 3.45pm train & went down to Windsor with Roy. Uncertain weather. There 4.30. On to Slough. Rain. Tea at the Old Inn. There 20 minutes. Left at 5.0 on through Langley. Saw Mrs Bacon's cottage. Ivor & Uxbridge. There 5.45. Got to Ealing 6.30. Very heavy rain came on. Shelter in tramway shed. Left 6.45 & on home 7.5. Dressed. Dined 7.30. After at 8.30 left for Lyceum, M & Mite in carriage, Roy & self in cab. Saw 'For the Crown' for 2nd time. Tired & sleepy. A'Becketts in next box to us. Roy & self had supper at the Garrick after. Plovers eggs. Col Jones mentioned my dinner on Thursday. Left 12.30 and home by 1.0. Straight to bed. Tired. (*Red ink*: Cycled in afternoon from Windsor, 22 miles. Went for 2nd time to see 'For the Crown'.)

Sunday April 12

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.30am. Breakfast 9.15. M & Mite to church. Roy down late, self after. Tired. Read about Louis Phillippe. Cold morning, sun at intervals. Edgar & Sophia with Sprite called at 1.0. Stayed to luncheon. At 3.15 changed. Roy & self on cycles. Back on account of rain. Percy Holland & wife called. Tea 4.30. Brilliant sun. Jar looked lovely in corner. After at 5.30 cycled by self to Barnes Common & round by Putney home, very wet. Not a very comfortable ride. Back & rest. After dined quietly at home, M, Mite, Roy & self. Quiet evening & bed. (*Red ink*: Death of poor Goldie.) (*Cuttings glued in: Death and Obituary of John Goldie.*)

Monday April 13

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am & Roy & self round Park on cycles & home by Bayswater. After breakfast skemed T pot. Photod Maud at 12.0. M out in carriage. Developed them & after lunch photod T pot. Took Maud in carriage. After rested & at 5.30 went with Roy for cycle ride to Barnes, Richmond & home at 7.0. Langleys dined with us. Had 2 bottles of Lanson. Left early. Bed

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at 11.30. Saw old organ man at Bayswater. (*Red ink: Hamilton & Midge dined with us.*) (*Cuttings glued in: Death of Lilian Holland.*)

Tuesday April 14

Stafford Terrace. x. Up at 8.0am. Very wet in morning. Did not go out all day. In morning got to work on T pot drawing. At 12.30 developed photo of Maud & carriage. Lunch. After enlarged with new paper. Very great success. Rested & worked from 5.0 to 8.0. Roy at Club. M in. Callers. Dined 8.0. Quiet evening after. M played. Roy & Mite danced. Poor Goldie's death in papers & Miss Lilian Holland's.

Wednesday April 15

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0. Out on cycle. Roy caught me up. East wind. Very wet in roads. Came home along woods. Nearly ran into butcher's cart. Back breakfast. Roy & Maud playing Bump Thump. Wrote letters & diary. Finished drawing for Mazawattee by 4.0pm. After changed & went by Met Rly to Turkish bath in Northumberland Avenue. Good bath. Saw Leslie Ward. Shocking weight 12.12³/₄ nude. Out & buss to Punch dinner. Good dinner. F.C.B, J.T, self, R.L, D.M, E.I.M (late) Arthur à B, Phil May, B.P, E.T.R, H.W.L, A.G (from Paris). J.T felt faint & giddy. F.C.B got him brandy. Got cut of German Emperor & Tricycle. Good. Home by cab with J.T. Read paper & bed 12.30pm. (*Red ink: Turkish bath at Northumberland Avenue.*) (*Cutting glued in: Marriage of Baron von Eckardstein and Grace Maple.*)

Thursday April 16

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Wet morning & mostly all day. Out & called Watkinson about tricycle. Slight head. Back breakfast. Skemed subject of German Emperor & Tricycle. Had old fashioned tandem tricycle. Tried to get it in house. Could not. Went & photod it in yard. After took 4 of Otley. Enlarged them. Rest in afternoon & got to work tracing outline of drawing at 5.0pm. Roy & his mother went off to Savoy Opera & saw it. Back by carriage. Long rest in chair. Bed at 12.30am. Very much shocked in morning to see announcement of poor Arthur Cecil Blunt's death. (*Red ink: Death of Arthur Cecil Blunt in his 53rd year at Brighton.*) (*Cuttings glued in: Death & Obituary of Arthur Cecil Blunt.* Friday Apl 17th.)

Friday April 17

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45. Out on cycle & went to Ealing or rather Acton. Roads very greasy. Nearly slipped over. Back. Decided to photo Otley again. Sent him to Barker's for shoes & took 2 photos in sunlight. Developed & enlarged by 1.30pm. Rested after & then got to work & worked up to 8.30 on German Emperor & Tricycle. In doubt as to Roy & Maud going to Opera. Wire only came at 8.15. Dined quietly & quiet evening. Bed 12.0 after snooze. Very much shocked at poor Arthur Blunt's death announced in 'Times' this morning, not yesterday. (*Red ink: Arthur Cecil Blunt's death announced in 'Times'.* Met Reynard & after saw Alfred Hunt for last time. He died Sunday May 3.) (*Cutting glued in: Athenaeum election of Mr Edward Linley Sambourne, the eminent artist in black & white. 'Times' Saty April 18th.*)

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Saturday April 18

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Down. Found letter from Canon Ainger & also news that had been elected as member of the Athenaeum Club. Very pleased. After breakfast got to work & quietly finished drawing of the German Emperor & Tricycle. Finished 1.30. Lunch. After rested upstairs. At 4.0 M away in the carriage. Roy & self on cycles to Finchley. Arthur Linley called. M had been with Mite in morning to funeral of poor Lilian Holland at church at Bayswater. Called on Bernard P. Roy's cycle rattled very badly. Rough ride to Finchley, Hendon & home. Went to Watkinson's. Very simple to screw up. Dressed. Dinner. After at 8.30 Roy & self in cab to the Empire Theatre. Sat it out. Poor stalls. On to Garrick. Saw Routledge, Gillie F, Stewart Ogilvie, Charles Russell etc etc. Had plovers eggs & marrow. Left 1.0. Home 1.30. Bed directly. (*Red ink:* Very rough cycle ride to Finchley. Roy & self went to Empire Theatre.)

Sunday April 19

Stafford Terrace. Up at 9.0. x. M down. Lovely morning. M had lost her umbrella. Sent Otley to the church at Paddington. After wrote a few letters. At 11.30 got ready for cycling. Discovered hole in trowsers. Changed. At 12.15 Reed, Roy & self cycled to St Pancras, 25 mins. Hot & not quite comfortable. Found had made mistake about train, 1.9 from Moorgate Street. Had lunch at the restaurant coffee room at the Midland Hotel. Good 3/s per head. Saw Mr Frankfort Moore. Off by 2.30pm, St Albans 3.0. Stone on platform. Went to Cathedral. After started 3.30. Watford 8 miles. Then to London 14. Gin & ginger beer at Watford. Home at 6.45. Young Thomson called. Felt very tired. Dressed. Went down & got a bottle of Lachlan Ross's whiskey. At 8.0 H.Langley, Mr Stone dined. Pleasant dinner. They stayed till 12.15pm after H's long stories. Very tired & done up. Bed 12.30am. Roy solved Partridge's puzzle. (*Red ink:* Roy & self cycled from St Albans home.)

Monday April 20

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.15am. Down. Letters of congratulation for election Athenaeum Club. Wrote letters in the morning. Moth being disturbed by M. Wrote letters all the morning. Also to committee of Athenaeum Club. After photod Maud at 1.15 in dress just after lunch. M, Roy & Mite went to sale of Hamilton's horses. Not a good sale. Rested in chair. Roy back to tea. Read book on Palmer's murder & Captain Gill. After put things straight. Decided not to go to National Sporting Club. Dined at 7.0pm & Roy went off at 8.0 to go with Langley's friend. H.L gave him a sovereign. Read in evening & went to bed at 11.30pm. Roy back 11.45pm. Barometer rising. (*Red ink:* Sale of Hamilton Langley's horses not very successful. Roy went to National Sporting Club.)

Tuesday April 21

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.35am. Out 8.5 on cycle & went to Ealing Common & back 5 minutes under the hour. Bath after breakfast. Looked out accts. Maud to a wedding with Miss Paxton. Windows done. After wrote letters etc to 1.0. Dressed & at 2.25pm went with Roy to poor Arthur Blunt's funeral. Saw Clowes & many others, Lawson etc etc. After back home. Put cardboard under swing book table. Mrs Percy Macquoid called & 2 Stokes's etc. At 4.45

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went cycle ride. Saw where Arthur Blunt was laid. After thro' Richmond Park & home down Putney Hill. Back 6.30. Wrote 3 letters. Posted them. Dressed & dined 7.15. Left 8.10 in cab. Mite & M in carriage for opera, Drury Lane. Saw & heard Lohengrin. Out 11.30pm. Supper at Garrick, Roy & self. Gillie F being chaffed about De Lacca. Joe Carr, Routledge etc. Saw Beerbohm Tree. Left 12.10 & home 12.40. Dropped half sovereign on steps. Got it. Bed at 1.0am exactly. (*Red ink: Went to hear Lohengrin.*) (*Cutting glued in: Funeral of Arthur Cecil. Daily Telegraph April 23.*)

Wednesday April 22

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.30. x. Out 8.30 on cycle went round by Chelsea. Called Wellington Sq 26 & along by Hospital Embankment & home. Back 9.30. Breakfast. After wrote letters etc. Lovely morning. After did some work on the Art Journal drawing. Printed photos. Lunch. Rested in chair & afterwards at 4.0 dressed. Ellie Ritchie did not come. Tea. Left 5.0 for Turkish bath, North'd Avenue. Weight greatest ever scaled, 13.1 without. Hair cut. Out 7.0 & Punch dinner. William Agnew there. P.M, B.P, E.T.R, H.W.L, A.G, F.C.B, J.T, self, A à B, R.L, E.I.M (late). Long talk. Tenniel got cut of the Horse & the Ass, self Shakespeare. Talk of Furniss & Mazawattee. After left with J.T. Put down at Isthmum. Omnibus home 12.30. Bed 1.0am. 'So wag we together brother Bench'. (*Red ink: Shocking weight 13.1. Chairs delivered from Edwards & Roberts.*) (*Cuttings glued in: The wife of Frederick Huth Jackson, of a son. Death of John Bott.*)

Thursday April 23

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.30. Overslept. Did not go out. Breakfast. Pattern from Liberty's. After wrote Langley about bicycles. Mr Clifton called at 11.0 from the Stores. Delayed. M & moth again. Skemed subject at 12.0 noon, Shakespeare & Punch. Photod self as Shakespeare. Lunch. After rested till 4.0pm. Chairs taken away by Edwards & Roberts. Developed 7 plates dry. Mr Bowen called about MS, 4.45. At 5.30 enlarged 3 plates. At 6.15 cycled to Ealing. Saw 19 Hamilton Road. Back 7.20. Dressed. Maud dined at the Enthovens. Quiet evening. Wrote several letters after. Spencer in. Long inane yarns. Left 12.0. Doze to 1.30. Nightmare at night. Dream of staying at Alfred de Rothschild's at Paris. (*Red ink: Sofa & 3 chairs taken away on acct of moth by Edwards & Roberts.*)

Friday April 24

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0. Letter F.C.B about jury summons. Cycled to 27 Boltons. Back. Cold morning. Announcement birth Fritz Jackon's son. Looked over papers. Got to work 10.45 drawing of Punch & Shakespeare. Worked up to 8.30pm when dined or rather at 9.0. Roy went to see Trilby at the Haymarket. M & self sat up for him. Mite at a Ball at Wimbledon, Mrs Schwann's. Worked after dinner from 10 to 11.30. Put in background of Shakespeare drawing. Bed after pipe at 1.30am.

Saturday April 25

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.0 & finished drawing by 8.45. Breakfast. Packed & off by hansom at 10.20 for Victoria. Met F.C.B at station & young Frank. Down Dover & over by boat. Met Rawlingson & Bangs. Calais. Lunch. Pretty

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little woman next table. German do on board after. Got off by fly & train Calais Ville 3.40. On to Boulogne. Wait, & then on to Etaples. Then by the Countess's carriage to the Chateau de Touquet. Got room & after stroll on to the Plage at Paris Plage. Back. Nightingales & bats. Long wait. Whitley back at 7.50 or 8.15. Dined 8.45. Very good dinner. Next a Mr Stoneham. Villiers, Lt Col Giles, Dudley Hardy, Times & many others. After coffee & liqueur off to bed. Room tried at 2.0am, no go. Good rest & sleep. (*Red ink*: Left for Mayville with F.C.B. Dear Mite had fall from dog cart. Cob went down in Fulham Road. Otley hurt.)

Sunday April 26

Chateau de Touquet, Mayville to be. Up at 7.45. Out after coffee 8.30. Got out of window. Dudley Hardy & Villiers had slept on chairs. Into wood by pond. After started off in coaches Col (*blank*) Spencer, self & Mr Goldring in carriage. Mounted sand hills & then on thro' Etaples to Montreuil. Lovely old town. Stayed. Went to monastery after snack. Dull grey day all day & sufficiently cold for coats. After back & delightful lunch. Wired home. Sat next Times & Villiers. Such a dejuener with wine, F2.50. Stroll on to ramparts with Dudley Hardy & Villiers. Back. Called at Etaples & on a Mons Gigant. Newly decorated. Back & on for long stroll on the Plage. Dinner after packing. Speech from F.C.B & also recitation by Villiers. Long reply from Whitley. Off at 10.40 French time by coach with 2 horses. Driven by Stoneham jnr. Caught 11.7 Etaples. Cards & rowdy in train. Calais at 12.45. Got berth. Slept to Dover. Bother with bag on shore. Man in carriage with a cold. Beast. After slept. Victoria 6.0am & home. (*Red ink*: Delightful day at Mayville & Montreuil. Roy cycled with Mr Stone to Cobham & beyond.) (*Cutting glued in: Death of Henry Tottenham.*)

Monday April 27

Stafford Terrace. Out Victoria 6.0am & drove home. No one up. Rang. Bath. Tea & went to bed. Slept from 6.45 to 10.0. Dreams. Down. After rest dressed. Heard dear Mite thrown out of cart on Saty. Left by buss at 11.45 & on to Academy. Poor show. Saw Davis etc. Many others. Solamon, Bone. Lunched at Garrick. Talk to Bacon. Collared by Dobbie. Long talk. Oh! On to Turkish bath from 3.50 to 6.0. Then to Athenaeum for 1st time. Saw young Elliot & after Lang & Lockyer. Tea. Wrote 3 letters. Home by buss. Roy off to N.S Club for Boxing. Dined M, Mite & self. Rest after. Roy back at 12.0. Bed. Very tired. (*Red ink*: Private View, or rather the Varnishing Day at R.A. Turkish bath & 1st visit to Athenaeum Club.)

Tuesday April 28

Stafford Terrace. Out on cycle 8.50. Round Park. Strong wind. Saw Rook. Back 9.35. Breakfast. Printed a good many blue prints. Roy & Mite went into Park. Galbraith called at 12.45. M in bed. Mademoiselle Jackeymot called. After lunch read. Dated all back phos & at 5.30 after tea Roy & self cycled to Richmond. Passed fast carriage against wind. Not one single trap in the Roehampton Lane. Home 7.30. Sent Otley to Pavilion. After dinner Roy, M & self went in cab to the Pavilion. Very slow entertainment & poor songs. Out 11.15 & home. Read Fitzgerald's book & bed at 12.30am. (*Red ink*: Roy & self went to the Pavilion. Also M.)

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Wednesday April 29

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.15. Cycled to Knightsbridge & round Fulham Rd. Met Sir Mortimer Conway. Afterwards breakfast & wrote letters. Got to work on D.C.Thomson's drawing. Worked till 1.15pm. After dressed & lunch. Left at 2.30 & took cab to the Camera Club. Photod A.Green 3 doz plates. Not so shy. Out at 5.30 & went on to the Athenaeum Club. Tea & wrote letters. Took buss to P.D & there at 7.10. Lawrence B gloomy. L.B, P.M, B.P, E.T.R, A.G, F.C.B, J.T, self, A à B, & R.L. Very long time discussing cut. To 10.50 before made up. After in 10 minutes got German Emperor & Milkmaid of Cowes to do. Left with Tenniel in cab. Put down at the Isthmum. Home by buss. Roy had taken Maud to Terry's Theatre to see Jedbury Junr with Farquhar. Back at 12.0am. Bed. (*Red ink:* Photod A.Green at Camera Club. 2nd visit to Athenaeum Club. Quilter's smoking at home. Did not go.)

Thursday April 30

Stafford Terrace. Up in morning 8.0. Slight head. Rode round Park & down Bayswater Road. Roy's last morning at home. After skemed drawing of Geman Emperor & Cowes. Dull & shiney after. Photod Otley, Roy & Maud after. Dressed at 2.30 & went with Roy at 3.0 in hansom cab to Conny Burnand's wedding. Saw many friends. Presents A1. All went off well. Craigies, Albert à Beckett etc etc. Introduced to Bone by Tinsley Lindley. Left with Roy at 5.30 & walked home. Did not cycle. Developed plates & put them to dry. After M went off to dine with the Galbraiths & to go to the Court Theatre to see Mrs Ponderbury. Roy went back to Eton at 10.0pm. Spencer came in after dinner & sat talking. Had had row with Butler. Dozed off to sleep. M back at 11.45. Bed 12.30pm. (*Red ink:* Conny Burnand married to Mr Tinsley Lindley.) (*Red ink across page:* Roy went back to Eton.) (*Cuttings glued in:* Tinsley Lindley to Constance, second daughter of Mr F.C.Burnand.)

Friday May 1

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. Intended to ride mare. Was saddled. Tried pneumatic saddle. No good. Did not ride. After bath. Breakfast. After got on with drawing of German Emperor & Cowes. Re-photod Maud at 12.30. Delayed. Got hard to work in afternoon & on to 8.30pm. Maud & M went off at 3.0 to the Private View of the Royal Academy, coming back at 6.0pm. Otley drove for 1st time since accident. (*Red ink:* Private View of the Royal Academy. Did not go, only Mite & M. Otley drove for 1st time since the accident on the 25th Apl.)

Saturday May 2

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. x. No ride. After got to work & great rush to finish drawing of German Emperor & Cowes Milkmaid. M & Mite went off to lunch with the Lindos. Finished at 2.0. Hurried lunch. After cab to Avenue Theatre 2/s. M, Mite & Miss Lindo in box. Saw The New Barmaid. Lottie Collins good. Put M in carriage. Box broken in front. Wandered to Garrick. Could not find Waterbury watch place. Tea. Walked on to the Athenaeum. Met Ewens. Wrote letters. Saw Martineau. Home by buss. Bought vegetables etc at Butts. After home. Dinner. Cold east wind. Bed at 11.30. Maud Paxton

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came in the afternoon. (*Red ink*: Went to matinée of The New Barmaid at the Avenue Theatre.) Horse accident from Buckles cart in Terrace.

Sunday May 3

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.30. Round to stable about putting cycle on cart. Breakfast. Got off at 9.30 in cart with cycle for Waterloo. Met H.R.Richards on bridge. After got to wrong station. Out at Godalming at 11.35. Wind against us the whole way. Easy ride to Guildford. Ripley 1.15. Lunch. Left 1.50 & on to Cobham & Hampton Court 3.0. Went over H.C. Saw pictures etc. Tea at Mitre. Started home 5.0. Called Reed. Saw him. Home 6.15. Met Blair. Evelyn Coward at S.T. Whiskey & soda. Bath. Washed wrap. Wrote diary. Dinner 8.10. Mr Blair, Mr Schwartze. Miss Paxton, M, self & Mite dined. Up in room 10.30. Bosh talked. (*Red ink*: Rode with Guthrie from Godalming home. Mr Blair, Schwartze & Maud Paxton dined. This young ass said we all went to sleep after dinner. A lie.) (*Cutting glued in: Death of Alfred Hunt.*)

Monday May 4

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. x. x. Did not ride cycle. In morning sorted papers etc. Wrote letters. After at 12.0 thoroughly cleaned photo house. Rested. Tabs came in afternoon. At 5.15 got on cycle from Hall & went over to Clapham & Brixton. Saw Milliken's wee house. Back by 7.10. Found wire from the Secy of the Hotel Cecil. Dressed & off in poor hansom. Saw Bancroft, Voules & also Major Cook. Sat at cross table, met Bancroft & Sir Myles Fenton. Good dinner & wine. Left 10.50. Called Garrick & home by cab. Felt seedy with smoking. Home. Ill in lavatory. In chair dozed till 2.0am when to bed better. (*Red ink*: Dined at the Hotel Cecil. Press banquet. 1st opening night.)

Tuesday May 5

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Down 8.45. Cycled before breakfast to Alexandra Hotel. Left letter for Tabs. Back. Breakfast. Lovely morning. News of Alfred Hunt's death in the papers. Cycle fetched. Tabs called. Lunch. After a very great many callers. Room full. Did little or no work all day. Dressed at 5.30 & left by Met Rly to Savoy Restaurant. Waited for M & Maud Paxton. Dined with Tabs. Good dinner. Bill £3.14.0. Too much. Out & on to St James's Theatre to see Prisoner of Zenda, M, Tabs, self & Maud P. Extraordinary pretty woman in box opposite. Left at 11.15. Girls home in coupé, self by buss. (*Red ink*: Dined with Tabs at the Savoy Restaurant. Went to St James's Theatre. Prisoner of Zenda.) (*Small sketch of Tabs*) (*Cuttings glued in: Death of Colonel J.T.North. Death of Sir Maurice Duff Gordon. Death of Horatio Pym. Obituary of Colonel J.T.North. Times Wed 6 May.*)

Wednesday May 6

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. x. No ride on cycle. Breakfast. After in morning did a few heads for Art Journal drawing. Dora arrived mid day. After lunch rested. Then Mervyn & Ethel H arrived. Dressed & left at 4.0 for Turkish bath. Went by train. Saw portrait of Lucy in The Young Man after. Weight 10.12, 10.10 after bath. Out & on to P.D in buss. William Agnew, Phil A, E.I.M (late) called to Agnew's side. Phil M, B.P, H.W.L, A.G, F.C.B, J.T, self, A à B, R.L.

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Heard of poor Pym's death. Sad. Chaff Lucy. Cut of Athens for J.T, self 'A Mother of Three'. Left 10.30 & on to soirée of the Royal Society. Saw Wallace, Wirgman etc, Prince Teck & others. Out & home by buss. Wonderful colour photos & Rontgen Ray photos. Locked out at home. M, Mite & Maud Paxton had been to the Duke of York's Theatre with Mr Blair. Bed 12.30pm. M applied for £200 in Coupé London st. Sent £50 on application. (*Cuttings glued in: The Lady Teynham, of a son. Obituary Horatio Pym.*)

Thursday May 7

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. Down. No cycle ride. Wrote letter of complaint to H.Lawson about order being stopped. After skemed subject of Balfour as Mother of Three. Photod Otley in M's dress at 11.0. Developed & enlarged by 1.30. Lunch. Mr & Mrs Mervyn H, Dora, Maud & others in dress for the Café Chantant. Girls all went off at 2.15, M after. Rested & got to work 4.0pm. Sent Ethel H to Mrs Cox's to ask for rooms. Success? M back & dined by ourselves tete a tete. M off again at 8.30pm. Cyclists Tourist Club membership sent. Letter from Agnew etc. Vertue's cheque. Answered them. Posted letters 10.30pm & M back with Mite & Maud Paxton & Dora at 12.30am. All had supper & bed. (*Red ink: Café Chantant at Miss Nembhard's. Maud & Tabs, children etc there.*)

Friday May 8

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. After at work all day on drawing of A Mother of 3. Got on all right with it. Mrs Cox called. M out with Dora, Maud Paxton etc etc. Worked quietly all day & up to 1.30pm. Finished shading the picture nearly. Quiet dinner & after music. Bed 12.0 after snooze.

Saturday May 9

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Finished 'A Mother of 3' at 11.30am. After M & Mite went to Hurlingham with the Galbraiths. Miss Paxton, Dora & self went to the Duke of York's Theatre to see 'The Gay Parisienne'. Poor play. Left box to go to the Athenaeum & wrote letters. Spencer & Blair called in box. Back by carriage. Cycled round Richmond Park after 6.30pm & home. Dinner 8.15. Cycle sent back by boy at noon. Photod Otley as Scotchman for drawing for Art Journal. Quiet dinner, Dora, Miss Paxton, M, Mite & self. (*Red ink: Went to matinée of Gay Parisienne.*)

Sunday May 10

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.30am. After breakfast printed photos taken yesterday. Developed them before breakfast. Got to work on drawing for Art Journal. Finished by 1.30pm. After lunch Mr Blair called 2.30 & at 3.0 he & I cycled to Uxbridge 15 miles. Then to Slough, 6 miles. Met Guthrie & Partridge at The Chequers Uxbridge. Blair had a fall near pond, Langley. After home 18 miles thro' Hounslow. Jumping boar hound Prince. Altogether did 40 miles. Home 7.30. Bath & dined 8.30. Guthrie & Blair, Dora & Miss Paxton. 2 bottles of Champagne. (*Red ink: Cycled 40 miles with Blair & Guthrie & Partridge.*) (*Cutting glued in: Death of Beatrix Whistler.*)

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Monday May 11

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Long day's work on drawing for the Art Journal. Worked up to dinner time. M went with Mite & Maud Paxton & Dora to see The Shop Girl after dinner. Mrs Mervyn H dined here. Work after dinner from 9.0 to 11.30pm. Put in architecture etc etc.

Tuesday May 12

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. Long day's work on drawing for the Art Journal. Did not go out. Began to shade at 12 noon & on up to 8.30pm. Wired not to send until tomorrow. Dined at 9.0pm. Mrs Hulton called at dinner time. After dinner music etc. Dora left for Earl's Barton at 2.30pm with Mrs Hornby. Bed at 12.30am. (*Cuttings glued in: Death of Donald Larnach. Will of Donald Larnach.* Tues July 7.)

Wednesday May 13

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am & after breakfast went on & finished drawing by 11.30 for Croal Thomson Art Journal. Tidied up by 12.30. Dressed & left with cycle on cab at 2.0 for G.W.Rly. Saw Tenniel & Phil Agnew at station. Down with Guthrie & Partridge. Out at Taplow. Cycled to Cookham & Marlow. Talk to old man about the Poultons & Mrs Mayne. Called P.Pullens. Tea. Swiss waiter. No eggs in lawn. On to Bourne End & Marlow. Back. Punch dinner at Lehmann's. W.A, E.I.M, P.M, B.Part (no Lucy) E.T.R, A.G, F.C.B, J.T, self, A à B, R.C.L, L.B, Phil A. Good dinner. Cuts made up. All left at 10.15. Saw them off. May & self stayed. Smoke & talk. Bed 11.45. Read Prisoner of Zenda. Electric light. (*Red ink:* Went to Rudolph Lehmann's, Bourne End. Punch dinner there. Poor Phil May had no money to go to Bourne End. Sent out for some with sketch to Tooth.).

Thursday May 14

Field Head, Bourne End. Up at 7.30. Cycled to Cookham. Back. Bath. Breakfast 8.45. After went down to river, talk to gondolier. Up by 10.27 with Phil May. Home with cycle at 11.45. Letter from Mr Ainger about Roy. Had to write letters about Roy, drawing & to Edgcome. M's mistake about the Fancy Dress Ball. In afternoon skemed subject. Afterwards sent Otley to Mays for costume & to Burnets. Wire from Seymour Lucas. Not at home. Rested. Made up mind at the last at 9.30pm to go in blouse etc to Ball. Did so. Costume a great success. Capital Ball. Saw Finlay, Matthews, Mrs Earl, Miss Carellas etc etc. Supper with Mrs Earl. Talk of Roy etc. Left 2.0am. Home. M awake. Bed 3.0am. (*Red ink:* Fancy dress Ball at the De la Rues. Went as Parisian Ouvrier.)

Friday May 15

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. Tired. At 10.30 photod Otley & boy for cut of Bill Holiday Task. Developed etc. Rested & sleep after lunch. Got to work 4.0pm. Worked to 8.15. Dressed. After dinner M, Mite & self to Lockwood's Ball at Princes' Hall. Great reception of 700. Saw Mrs Henderson etc etc. Supper. Lady Mackenzie, Dr Farquharson, Colin Hunter etc etc. Left at 2.0. Home 2.30. Very tired. No, not so tired. Wrote Tenniel 2.30 & posted letter. Strange dream in chair of A in afternoon. (*Red ink:* Lady Lockwood's ball at the Princes' Hall.)

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Saturday May 16

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. After breakfast at 9.30 got to work & finished drawing of Bill by 1.45am. Lunch. After at 3.0 went in carriage down to Eton. Saw Mr Ainger. Long talk about Roy. Settled he should stay. Back & only just caught train. Met Lucas, son of Sir Thomas. After got home. Ordered fruit & asparagass at Butts. Dressed & off in carriage to dine at the Cameron Corbetts. Met Lord Coleridge. Also Mrs Yeo who I took in to dinner. Pleasant evening. Very tired. Left 11.0 & home. M, Mite & self. Maud Paxton left thank goodness at noon today. (*Red ink:* Went down to Eton to see Mr Ainger about Roy. Dined Cameron Corbetts in evening.)

Sunday May 17

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.30. Sent wire to Guthrie. Back in bed. Wrote letters in morning. Lunch. Ethel Herapath there. After at 2.30 Guthrie came. Started 2.50 on cycles. Thro' Richmond Pk, Ham, along river Hampton Court, Hampton (met Lefevre) on to Staines. Road very bad with thick dust & drought. Tea at Staines, the Pack Horse. Lost glove. Guthrie had it. After left 6.15 & home thro' Hounslow by 7.50. Cycled altogether 38½ miles. Bath. Midge at Stafford Terrace. Dinner Ethel H, Midge, Mite, M & self. Very tired after. Slept till 12.0. Bed.

7 miles to Star & Garter,

7 miles to Ham Common corner,

13 miles to Hampton Court Palace,

14½ miles to Hampton,

23½ miles to Staines,

15 from Staines home. 10 miles an hour inclusive.

(*Red ink:* Cycled 39 miles with Guthrie.)

Monday May 18

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.20. No ride. After breakfast sent off Mr Bower's MSs. Herbert M Bower, Elinicrofts, Ripon. Bought brown paper etc. Great morning at tidying up etc. After put all my clothes in brown paper for moths etc. Lunch. Rest. After finished clothes. By then it was 5.15. Cold tea. At 6.0pm cycled from hall to Battersea, Clapham, Wandsworth. Through Burntash Lane, Leather Botel & on to Wimbledon. Met Mr & Mrs Mortimer near Barker's house. Home at 8.0. Hat blew off in Earls Court Rd. Mite very funny at dinner. She went after to Mrs Leach's dance. M & self to bed at 11.15. Lay awake a good deal. Mite back at 12.30am.

Tuesday May 19

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.30. M in bed. After wrote Roy. Developed 18 photos taken Mrs King March 23rd. Fine & hot again. Lunch. At 2.0pm went with M in carriage. Called in Bond St at Agnews, on to Lambs. Paid £15.0.0. After M went in carriage to call on Midge. Bought 2 prs stockings Shetland Warehouse. After called Athenaeum. On to Turkish bath. Had hair cut. Weight 12.9, 12.10½. Out. Walked up to Grants & got spats. After to Athenaeum. Saw Orchardson, Calderon etc. Pepys Cockerell playing billiards. Out & home by buss. Dressed & dined quietly. Bed early.

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Wednesday May 20

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Went round & tried Burgess saddle. No good. Back. Ordered mare. Rode down to Trooping of Colour. Saw H.R.H in Hon Artillery Co's uniform. Lord Wolseley with order of St Patrick & baton. Japanese officer. Indian Prince between two Generals etc. Rode mare home. Rain came on. After finished printing photos. Lunch. Rest with M after. Mite went with Cohens & to lunch with Miss Wallace. Dressed & left at 6.45 for Punch dinner. To Blackfriars. Wm A, P.M, B.P, E.T.R, H.W.L, A.G, F.C.B, J.T, self, A à B, R.L, & E.I.M late. Agnew slept. Long time settling cut. Tenniel got Tzar, self nothing. Left 9.45. Changed coat & got in carriage at end of Bouverie St. To Foreign Office Reception at 10.20. Bowed to Lady Salisbury with Mite. Got on wrong side of staircase, all amongst the Duchesses & Ambassadors. Saw the Duke & D of Marlboro'. Diamond tiara & pearls. Duchess of Cleveland & many others. The Haitian minister, black as a coal. Prince of Wales stopped & talked to the Duke of M. Long time getting out. Saw Sir Euan Smith, Ritchies, Lady Romer, Finlay & many others. John Penn & daughter. Got to the carriage easily at 12.40 & home. Bed 1.45am. M just awake. (*Red ink*: Foreign Office Reception:) (*Red ink across page*: Mite & self went to the Foreign Office Reception.)

Saturday May 29, 1886. Lord Rosebery. Went by self.

Wdy May 21, 1890. Lord Salisbury. Went with M. (saw Balfour).

Saty May 30, 1891. ditto. Went with M. (saw Duke of Clarence on stairs.)

Wedy May 25, 1892. ditto. M & self went. Very wet.

Saty June 3, 1893. Lord Rosebery. Mite & self went after Eton.

Saty May 26, 1894. ditto. Mite & self went. Very wet.

Saty May 25, 1895. No reception. Lady Kimberley died.

Wedy May 20, 1896. Lord Salisbury. Mite & self went.

Thursday May 21

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.15am. Out on cycle & to F.C.B's. Left letter. Lovely morning. Colder. After back & waited about, wrote letters etc. Read. Midge in to lunch. Looked out Foreign Office Receptions. Rested in chair. M back 5.30. Cycled to Balham. Saw Reed's old house. Back at 7.45, 18 miles. Dressed. Dined. M gave us 20 quails. Sleep for 1 hour & then with Mite to Mrs Alexander's at home. Crowds of people. Macmillans, many others. Supper with Lucys. Mite & Mr Goetz. Mrs Clifford etc. Mite & Coupé. Left 1.15. Home 1.30. Read Menzel. Bed 2.0am. Talk to M & sleep. (*Red ink*: Cycled to Balham. Went to Alexanders' at home.)

Friday May 22

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.30. Breakfast by self. After sent P.O.O. for watches etc, badges. Got to work 11.30 on cartoon Kruger as Cat. No letter up to then from F.C.B. Dark dull day. At 11.30 photod Emma's Tom Cat & after lunch enlarged it. Rested in chair & got to work at 4.30. Went on to 8.30pm. Got it all right. After M, Mite & self dined quietly by ourselves. Rest after & bed. (*Red ink*: Photod Emma's Tom Cat.) (*Cuttings glued in: Death and Obituary of Benjamin Terry.*)

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Saturday May 23

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. After breakfast finished by 12.0 drawing of Kruger Cat & Mouse. Sent it off. Packed bags & left Stafford Terrace at 1.45 in cart for Euston. Ticket for Wolverton. Got out at Bletchley & after at Wolverton. Rode thro' Stony Stratford, Pullersbury, Rothersthorpe, Northampton & on to Earls Barton, 30 miles. Got out of my way on to the Coventry road. Fine place of Sir Thomas Hesketh at Towcester. Arrived The Grange at 7.50 or 8.5. Dressed & dined. 8.20. Not very tired. Bottle of champagne. After played H one game of billiards. Beat him. M & Mite went down by the 4.30 from Euston. (*Red ink:* Cycled through Stony Stratford, Towcester etc on to Earls Barton.)

Sunday May 24

The Grange, Earls Barton. Up 8.0. Found cycle all limp. Pumped up & rode to Ecton down hill. Lovely morning. Back. After breakfast looked at horses. Tinkered at cycle. In summer house & after tea rode with Dora to Wellingboro' & Great Harrowden, Harwicke, Mears Ashby & home. Had to pump up 3 times. Home with limp tire. H & self looked at valve. After dressed & dinner. Whiskey & soda in Drawing Room after. Bed at 11.0. Good night's rest. Wrote many letters, to Roy etc. (*Red ink:* Cycle ride with Dora, Mears Ashby.) (*Cutting glued in: Death and Will of Edward Armitage.*)

Monday May 25

The Grange, Earls Barton. Up at 8.0. Went for ride on cycle after pumping to Mears Ashby. Back. After in morning read Knave of Diamonds & looked at News etc. Lunch. After H & self tested cycle. Found leak in horse trough. After walked with M. Young horse being put in harness. Very troublesome. Tea. After decided to ride cycle at 7.0. Went to Wellingboro' & back. Went up & down outside waiting for H. Had arrived with the Kermiss's at 8.5pm. My things changed out of room. Trouble to dress. After dined. Champagne. Sleepy after dinner. Beat Hamilton one game of billiards. Bed at 11.30pm. M asleep. (*Cuttings glued in: Obituary Lady Watkin. Death of Marmaduke Wyvill.* Thursday May 28 '96.)

Tuesday May 26

The Grange, Earls Barton. Up at 8.0. No water in bath. Out on cycle to Mears Ashby. Coming back went putt. Had to walk 1½ miles back. Breakfast by self & after sleepy on deck chair. Looked at News. Wrote diary & letters. After Hamilton & self talked. Lunch at 2.30. Went into Wellingboro' in break with Mr & Mrs Kermiss taking cycle. Went to Frank Taylor's Market Square & left cycle. After posted letter for M. Bought fish. Got cigarettes. Break went away without me. Took a walk. Saw Praeds Brewery. Sports going on. Walked down avenue for ½ mile. Saw Hogarth looking little girl not bad looking. Back & on to Taylors. Saw cycle taken to pieces. Learnt a lot. Tea at the Hind Inn. Books of houses in Great Britain, D'Arcy Wyvill's amongst them. Back & got cycle 6.0pm. Chain on the wrong way. Back & had it altered. Started at 7.0pm & back at 7.30. Dressed & dined at 7.45. Hamilton had gone to Liverpool. Quiet evening. Bed at 11.0. (*Red ink:* Cycle mended at Wallingboro'.) (*Cutting glued in: Death of Ann Watkin.*)

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Wednesday May 27

The Grange, Earls Barton. Up at 8.0. Went to Mears Ashby & thro' past church back. After breakfast (good) found the Queen was at Biarritz in April 1889. Decided to cycle to Bletchley. Packed & left with M 11.45. Parted at top of hill 11.50. Off & thro' Castle Ashby, Yardley Hastings, Olney (Owney) Newport Pagnell & Fenny Stratford. Races at N.P. Good lunch & talk to farmers. Left 2.0 & on to B by 3.0. Got red ink on lip & got black on knickerbockers. To Euston by 3.45. Rode home. Man in Euston Road ran into dog. Home 5.40. Wired M. Changed & then by cart to Punch dinner, calling at Lambs to be tried on with new clothes. Wm A, E.I.M (late) Phil M, B.P, E.T.R, F.C.B, J.T, self, A à B, R.L. Derby sweep drawn. Chaff about dinner. R.L tried to get my name drawn to stand a dinner. No go. F.C.B had to after. Left with Tenniel at 11.20. Home by cart from top of Park by 12.20am. (*Red ink: Rode up from Earls Barton on cycle.*)

On Castle Tower x-ways Emberton:

'Time's on the wing, how swift he speeds his way
Hast'ning to sink in one continuous day -
Pause, passing Trav'ler, what thy destiny
When Death unveils a vast Eternity?'
Live then in Christ, in Christ eternal gain,
No Christ, no Hope, but everlasting pain.

Thursday May 28

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.50. Out on cycle. Called Burnand's. Back & wrote letters. After skemed subject of Grace & Sun. Sent Otley to Barkers & got cricket things. Photod him in sun at 11.30. Very hot fine day not a cloud in the sky. Developed & rested after lunch. M back in 4 wheeler & a runner after at 3.30. Rested after. Got to work & drew figure of Grace in at 7.30. Went in the carriage to dine at Orchardsons. Left Mite at the Galbraiths. Met Hacker a Glasgow man & his wife, Colin Hunter & wife & others. Pleasant dinner. Cards after. Stayed till 11.45. Left Orchardson photos of tennis court taken in 1884. Home. Mite up. Bed at 1.30 after reading paper. x. M. (*Red ink: Dined at Mrs Orchardson's.*) (*Cutting glued in: Death of Bertrand Roose.*)

Friday May 29

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0. Out on cycle. Called F.C.B's. Hurt my ankle, ran into curbstone. Back & work all day on drawing of Sun & Grace the Cricketer. M out at Lady Hardman's at home in afternoon. In evening they, M & Mite, went to the MacQueens. Sat up for them. Nightmare in chair about black wooden poodle. Bed 2.0am.

Saturday May 30

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. After breakfast got to work & finished cartoon of Sun & Grace 11.45. After did Eton boy in love. Lunch 2.15 after finishing. Rest after. M left for Ranelagh Club with Mite in carriage at 4.0pm. Wrote diary & generally tidied up all round. Dressed in frock coat & carriage called at 6.30pm. Called Butts & bought vegetables & on to Ranelagh. Met Carlisle & his brother & wife. Good dinner. Col Routledge there dining & Dr Hastings. Very cold sitting out after dinner. Must have caught a cold. Left 9.45 & home

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by carriage. Lovely night. Quiet evening & bed quietly 11.30am. (*Red ink:* Dined at Ranelagh Club, Barn Elms, with Mr Carlisle.)

Sunday May 31

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.0am. Off & caught the 9.0am train from Victoria. Men in carriage. Jew & sister. Looking out for having caught cold yesterday. Lovely day. Left 11.0 & over 12.20. Walk thro' Calais & on to Casino. Waited till 1.30. Joined by Jacobi & son. Dejeuner. Attack of P & very hot walking. Back to boat. Ran to save swing bridge. Train from Paris 1 hr late. Saw Rose (Spencer's friend) Sir Philip Currie, Mocattas, Sir Henry Hawkins etc. After F.C.B & Frank. All up to town together. Late. Cab home. Arrived 8.35. Dressed & dined. Home dinner. Very good. They did not stay so late as usual. Took some carbonate of soda at 12.15 when going to bed. All went off well. (*Plan of seating:* Home dinner after trip to Calais. Home late. Miss Wilson, self, Miss Rose Innes, Bret Harte, M, Mr H Routh, Mite, Mr Carlisle.)

Monday June 1

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.30. No head. Did not ride. In morning wrote cards letters etc. Busy all morning. Dressed at 12.45. Lunch & left at 2.15 for New Bond St. Called Needs, Beale & Furnon, & various shops. After had clothes tried on at Lambs. After a Turkish bath at Jermyn St. Weight before bath 13.1. Why can't tell. In bath 3 hours. Read Master of Ballantrae. Out & home by buss. Quiet dinner & evening. Mite very funny at dinner. Bed 11.15. (*Red ink:* Clothes tried on. Turkish bath.)

Tuesday June 2

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.15. Strange dream of M.R & child destitute. Down. After breakfast windows cleaned. Printed many blue photos of Mrs King. M & Mite out. Took photo of Mite in carriage. Very hot. Glass going down. Rested. After in afternoon got to work on drawing of Lockwood, L.C. Justice etc. Dolly Storey called & came up & saw me. Quiet dinner, M, Mite & self & bed early afterwards.

Wednesday June 3

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. No cycle ride. Derby Day. Dull & threatened rain. Did rain in morning. Worked all day on drawing of Lockwood, Hare & Irving etc. After rest left for P.D. Took cab to Bouverie St calling St James's Theatre with note for Bancroft. Heavy rain. Punch dinner. W.A, Phil May (excited & had won sweep £50 N.S.C.) B.P, H.W.L, F.C.B, J.T, self, A à B, E.I.M (late). Got cut of Dufferin. Heard about Furniss letter to Agnew. Chaff about post cards. Left with Tenniel at 11.10 & on home by buss. People talking about Magda. Derby Day. Prince's horse 'Persimmon' won. M & Mite went to Mrs Lindo's at home, Grafton Gallery.

Thursday June 4

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. No cycle. Wrote letters. Got off at 10.35 for G.W.R in carriage. Saw Mrs Fildes. After the De la Rues etc. Down to Windsor. Boys not up yet. On to launch. Very hot. Saw Capt'n Uniacke & Miss Schuster. Party on launch. Mr & Mrs De la Rue, Mrs De la Rue, Mr & Mrs Speed, young Leyland, another young Etonian. Mr & Mrs Martin & sons & a

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youth. Mr & Mrs Ffrench, Mrs Campbell, L.S, wife, Roy, Maud. A stockbroker. Mrs Ffrench very loud & objectionable & a dog named Perkins. Lovely long day out at the Riverside Club. Up to Boulders Lock. Back. Lunch & after up to Datchet, or rather the lock. Procession of boats. Mrs De la Rue's son rowing. Actor & Banbury also. Dinner. Home by 8.40. Nearly lost train. Gave Roy 10/s. Changed at Slough & back. Hospital students singing beautifully on station. Home in heavy wet. Soup etc. Bed at 11.0 & long night's rest. All went off well. (*Red ink*: Went to Eton for 4th June. Pleasant day on De la Rue's launch.)

Friday June 5

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.45. Overslept. Lovely morning. Got to work 10.30 on finishing drawing of Lockwood & L.C.J. Finished them at 1.0. After lunch & a rest at 4.0pm began cartoon of Marquis of Dufferin & worked up to 8.30 when dined. Did not dress. M, Mite & self. Read Forbes's Commune afterwards. Bed after rest at 11.30pm.

Saturday June 6

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. After got to work at 9.30 on cartoon of Marquis of Dufferin. Finished at 1.0. After lunch dressed. M, Mite & self drove in carriage as far as Hanover Square & took cab to Agricultural Hall. Saw the Military Tournament. Mr Goschen in box. Good show. Very hot in hall. Saw Lockwood opposite. After cab to Athenaeum. There 5.30pm, M & Mite back by carriage. In Club. Smoked. Looked at announcement of marriage in Times. Back by buss. Dressed & at 7.55 left in carriage for Mrs Tate's dinner. Took Mrs T in. Very pleasant evening. Left 11.0 & home. Mite had been at the Cowards. Fildes 2, McKennas 2, De la Rues 2, Mexicans 2, Tates 2, Sambournes 2, Dicksee, Mrs Macmillan, a doctor. (*Red ink*: Dined at the Tates. Took Mrs Tate in.)

Sunday June 7

Stafford Terrace. Wet morning & up at 9.0. Breakfast. No cycle ride. After lovely rain set in. Wrote letters. Sorted papers etc in morning. Spencer & Will Oakes came in. Lunch. Rested in bedroom till 4.50. Room for tea. Mrs Field, Miss R.I. & many others called. Went for lovely cycle ride calling Fildes. Found him out. 14 miles. Richmond etc etc home past Pomona House. Dressed at 7.30 & M, Mite & self went to delightful dinner at the Percy Macquoids. Met Hopkins, Forbes Robertson, Knowles's daughter & husband etc. Left at 11.45. Heavy rain. Home. A pipe & bed 1.0am. (*Red ink*: Dined at the Percy Macquoids. Delightful dinner.)

Monday June 8

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45. Out on cycle 8.15. Round Park & Park Lane, Bayswater. Home 9.0am. Heavy wet at night. M & Mite to dentist. Mite's drawing very good. Filled in Income Tax paper for £785.0.0 less insurance. Man from Post Office called. After putting things in order & rest after lunch at 4.30pm cycled to Uxbridge or Hillingdon & back, 26 miles. Got home in 1 hr 5 minutes from Hillingdon. Lovely ride. Saw my Aunt's grave very much neglected & grown over with mimosa. Also long talk with Mr Weedon. Dined quietly 8.15pm & rest & bed after. (*Red ink*: Aunt's grave) (*sketch plan*)

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Position of grave of Jane Anne Barr, Hillingdon Cemey. Top left hand side main path up cemetery. (*Red ink*: Cycled to Hillingdon & back.)

Tuesday June 9

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Out on cycle round by Brompton & Fulham Road. Threatened rain. Back. After in morning enlarged photos for Mite of carriage & Mrs King after lunch & in afternoon. Many callers. Skemed subject of Preface & looked out material. Mrs Speed, Lady Romer & others called. Quiet dinner, M, Mite & self & bed early after. M trimming lamp shades to no purpose.

Wednesday June 10

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.30. After breakfast & writing 2 letters went to call on Mr Herbert at 10.0 for tooth. Sent away. Saw man sent to fetch bicycle at stable. Wet day all day. After got to work & began Preface, Goddess's cycling. M doing covers for furniture. After lunch rested & worked to 6.0pm when dressed. Mite went to Ball at Wimbledon. M to dine at the Godefroi's. Self by train to P.D. Phil A, E.I.M (late) B.P, E.T.R, F.C.B, J.T, self, A à B, Found out goblet was broken. Ominous. Chaff about B.P being engaged. Tenniel got Kite subject, self Rosebery as Bull Fighter. Left at 9.55 & on by cab in rain to the Royal Socy. Met M at 10.15. After saw lots of people. Thomsons, Wallaces etc. Left 11.0 & on to the F.O Reception. There 11.30. Saw Hickmans, Quilters etc etc. Glass of wine & out at 12.25. Walk to carriage in wet & home by 12.45. In chair till 2.0am. Mite back 2.45am. (*Red ink*: Soirée Royal Society. Reception (2nd) at the Foreign Office to meet the Duke & Duchess of York.)

Thursday June 11

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.50. x. Breakfast. Finer morning. Wrote many letters. M going at 11.0 in carriage for dinner. Spencer called & got bone for Press Box Agricultural Hall. At 1.0 Otley photod self on mat. Also took Tip & Otley for Preface. Camera must have shifted. After rested in afternoon. Worked from 4.0. Skemed subject for Rosebery & Bull. At 7.0 got ready for dinner. Looked to wine. Made cup. At 8.0 home dinner. All away by 12.0 & bed after. Very good evening. (*Seating plan*; Home dinner of 8. Mrs Fagan, Charles Burnand, Mrs Geiger, Louis Fagan, Mrs Sambourne, Mr Galbraith, Mrs C.B, self.) Mite dined at the Roger Wallace's. Home 11.30.

Friday June 12

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. Walk round Campden Hill. Dogs yelping in Holland Park. Back. Sent Otley in cart for Spanish Bull Fighter dress. Back 12.0. Photod Otley in it at 12.45 & enlarged afterwards. Over exposed the enlargements. Bosh reflector. After in afternoon got to work & drew figure in. Dressed at 7.0 & went with M in carriage to dine at the Enthovens. Took Mrs E in. A Florentine Count there. Good dinner. East India brown sherry. Looked at sketches. After left with M at 11.0 & home by carriage. (*Red ink*: Dined at the Enthovens.)

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Saturday June 13

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.30. Breakfast. After finished cartoon by 2.0pm. Lunch & rested after. Did not have Turkish bath. Otley took photos of self for Preface again at 2.0pm & one by Emma. Developed them & had them ready. At 6.0 dressed to dine at Bristol with Miss Rose Innes's party. Mite had been to Hurlingham with the Williamsons. Got back just in time to dress. Got to Bristol at 7.15. Norman Forbes Robertson, Stone, Chilean minister & daughter & one other & selves. Good dinner. Row after because Box H had been let twice over. Miss R.I in temper. All came right. Saw The Geisha. Very poor piece. Strange party in box. Left at end & home in carriage with Mite. Miss R.I & M came in & had supper. Short of Apollinaris. Bed at 1.0am. (*Red ink:* Dined with Miss Rose Innes. Went to see The Geisha. Row about Box H.)

Sunday June 14

Stafford Terrace. Up at 6.45. Breakfast 7.45 & off in dog cart & cycle for Victoria. Scotch misty morning. Reed at door. Got off by the 9.0 train. Carriage to selves. Cycle put out at Dover harbour. Walk back. Hot walk up the Castle Hill. Off at 11.45 for Walmer & Deal. At Walmer 12.45. On thro' Sandwich & to Sportsman. Man in cart with sailor boy 13 children if all afloat. Reed done up. Passed Westwood looking unkempt. After on to Cliftonville. Changed shirt etc. Ringing wet. Saw Hamp. Had very good lunch lobster & beef. Rested on lawn. Walk round jetty. Sent wire & back. Tea. Found tyre had been punctured. Blew it out. Left 5.50 & to Margate. More ginger beer. Saw Terriss at station. Up to town to minute at 8.0. Red headed man like a Scotchman in train. Rode home. There 8.20. Just got there. Awfully hot. Thought I would never get cool. Rested after & bed at 12.30 after snooze. (*Red ink:* Cycled from Dover thro' Walmer to Margate past Westwood.)

Monday June 15

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.30am. In morning printed blue photos of plates taken Friday Saty & Thursday. Got to work on drawing of Preface. Put Punch in. Rested after lunch. Mervyn in to lunch. At 4.30 again went on to work till 7.0. Letter from Lady Helen More Ferguson (daughter of Lord Dufferin). Answered it. Dressed & left at 7.45 in cab to dine at Hartree's. Good dinner. Moccata, 2 Ansdells & others. Remarkably good dinner. Talked a lot. Left & home by cart at 12.15. Slept in chair till 2.30 & to bed. Frightfully hot. Took carbonate of soda. (*Red ink:* Dined with Charley Hartree. Very good dinner.)

Tuesday June 16

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.30. No head. Down breakfast. After wrote letters & diary. M off to shop in carriage at 11.30am. Letter from Sir George Lewis. Frightfully hot day 82° in shade. Worked all day on Preface. 1 hrs rest after lunch & at it again 3.30 to 8.0. Midge came 6.30pm. After quiet dinner. Rested & read. Went up to bed 11.30pm. Hamilton Langleys came at 12.0. Very hot night. Something upset me at dinner. Woke with colley wobbles. (*Red ink:* Eat something at dinner which upset me for the whole week.)

Wednesday June 17

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.30am. Colley wobbles. Could not ride cycle. Answered letters & after did some work on Preface. Breakfast. After worked

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all day. Finished preface at 1.0pm. After rested. Began tail piece of Preface at 4.0pm. Tea. After worked till 6.20. Galbraith called in mail phaeton. Left with him, cart following. Drive after in cart from Princes Gate to Bouverie St P.D. Very full dinner, all there except the 2 young proprietors. Sir W.A, E.I.M, Phil M, B.P, E.T.R, H.W.L, A.G, F.C.B, J.T, L.S, A à B, R.C.L, D.M. Long talk. Tenniel's cab never came. Phil May's yarns about going home at 7.0am & kicking chairs about & also of his winning the Derby Sweep & not getting it after all. Left 11.20 with J.T. Took cab from Piccadilly Circus home. Letter from Lady Helen Monro Ferguson. (*Red ink*: Colley wobbles came on.)

Thursday June 18

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.30. x. x. Still colley wobbles. Cycled to Derwent Lodge, Addison Lodge. Back. Breakfast. Hamilton Langley & Mite off to Ascot. Spencer came & put on a Pierrot's dress. Photod him at 10.30. Finished tail piece for Preface at 1.0pm. Photod M in sun in domino. Lunch. Rested. M out at lunch at Miss Neave's. Midge out & back at 3.0. Got to work on Index at 4.0pm. Went on & drew Index & almost finished it. Langley & Mite back at 8.0pm. Gave Alice my gold key to open cellar. She lost it somehow & most unaccountably. Has not been found up to Sunday. (Never will be found now. June 14.1897.) 2 bottles of Champagne at dinner. Long talk & smoke. Still upset in stomach. (*Red ink*: Colley wobbles. Alice Turner mysteriously lost my gold key.)

Friday June 19

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Got to work & finished Index before breakfast. Sent it off. After developed the plates taken yesterday. Put to dry. Did tail piece of Index (Frog & Flute) at 11.0 to 1.0pm. Sent it off. Printed photos & after rested. Enlarged the plates & got to work 5.15 on cartoon. Worked up to 8.30pm. Changed & dressed. M, Midge & self dined together & Mite. Gave up going to last night of Magda. Bed early. Still seedy & upset also tooth gum boil. Langley left 10.15am. (*Red ink*: Colley wobbles. Hamilton Langley left 10.15am)

Saturday June 20

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. After at 9.15 got to work & finished cartoon of Chamberlain & Free Trade by 1.0pm. Dressed & left at 2.0pm in cab for Westminster Pier. Met a most extraordinary set of people on steamer. Went down to Charlton & on board the 'Foudroyant' Nelson's old flagship. Saw a Mr Cobb. No one else I knew. Seedy more or less all day. Landed at 5.15 at riverside & hot walk to Charlton station.. Caught the 5.31 train to Charing X & home by Met. Changed & dined at 7.15. Went with Mite to Lyceum Theatre & saw School for Scandal. Mrs Pat Campbell, Lady Teazel. Sir Peter T, William Farrer. Charles S, Fred Terry. Joseph S, Forbes Robertson. Sir Oliver, W.Righton. Moses, Fred Thorne. Sir B Barkwith, Cyril Maude. After at 11.0 drove to Dowdeswell's Gallery & to an at home of W.L.Wyllie. Grossmith sang. Saw Mrs G & after Walter Buckler, Lethbridge, David Murray etc etc. Back by carriage at 12.0. Seedy at home. Bed 1.0am. Took dose of Stomatic. (*Red ink*: Went on board the 'Foudroyant'. In evening to Lyceum & Wyllie's at home.)

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Sunday June 21

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.15. Round stable. Breakfast 8.30. At 9.25 M & Midge off by carriage to Margate. Mite to church. Still seedy & felt tired & unfit in morning. Mervyn & Ethel H came in. Took Mite to Park. Packed bag. Lunch. Tilda in also. After rested & slept till 4.15. Changed. Mr (*blank*) in in afternoon & Miss Parr. Cab to Sir Alfred Hickman's, 22 K.P.G. Played 4 sets of tennis. Won 3. Lilian H there. Crow & black retriever. Very poor dinner. Hardly anything to eat. Only ducks. Maud called in hansom at 10.30pm & home. Midge & M back from Margate. Had had good day. Bed at 11.30pm. (*Red ink:* Lawn tennis at Sir Alfred Hickman's. Dined there afterwards. M & Midge went down to Thanet for the day.)

Monday June 22

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.15am. Lovely morning. Still key not found. Letter from Roy etc. Stamps. Man called abt linoleum. Sorted Sketches, St Paul's etc till lunch. Changed & rested. Midge went to sleep over lunch time & only came in at 3.0pm long after. Tea. Started & cycled 27 miles to Hampton Court. Punctured tyre. Found it out in Twickenham. All I could do to get home. Called Watkinsons. Home 8.15. Dinner 8.30. (*Plan of table seating*) Small home dinner. Dull. Self, Miss Nemhard, Mervyn, M, Midge, Mite, Mrs Mervyn. All left by 11.15. Read & smoked.

Tuesday June 23

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. No ride. After went on to scheme subject of Vol CXI & also squared up a lot of prints etc. Many callers in afternoon. In evening M & self dined at Mrs Roger Wallace's. Took in Mrs (*blank*). Corner of Arlington St Piccadilly. Lord Kelvin & Sir Fred Bramwell there. Bramwell very so so. Left & home by carriage at 11.15pm. (*Red ink:* Dined at Roger Wallace's.) (*Cutting glued in: Obituary Sir Augustus Harris. Times, Tuesday June 23.*)

Wednesday June 24

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. No ride. At work all day on drawing of Heading for Volume CXI. Photod Otley as Time Lighting Pipe & self with Lantern. Developed them. After worked on Heading until 6.15pm. Dressed & went by Met Rly to Bouverie St, getting out at the Temple. Punch dinner. W.A (sleepy) E.I.M late, B.P, E.T.R, A.G, F.C.B, J.T, self, A à B, R.L. Cut for J.T of Drummond Castle & Britons. Self a rowing cut. Left with J.T. Changed coat & up to Sir Richard Webster's dance. Took Mrs Sutton in to supper. Delightful dance. Left at 1.30pm. McLean MP & Mrs M. Bed 2.30am. (*Red ink:* Stafford House Reception. Sir Richard Webster's Dance.)

Thursday June 25

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. Went cycle ride down by Earls Court, also along by World's End. 2 rude little girls. Gunter's Grove & home. Langley had left. Quiet morning. Skemed subject of Rowing & photod Otley in boating get up. Developed etc. After at 4.0 went on with drawing for Heading of Volume CXI. Midge left. Wired or rather sent note by Mite for box at Royalty. Dined 7.30 & left in cab. Saw capital play with Bouchier & wife, 'The Queen's Proctor'. Back home by carriage & cob. Very crowded. Galbraith called at about 6.0pm.

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Long talk about cycle. Mite & M went to George Allen's. Photod self clapping hands after Otley. (*Red ink: Went to Royalty Theatre.*)

Friday June 26

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. No ride. After finished New Vol Headpiece by 1.0pm. Rest after lunch. Began cartoon at 4.15pm only. Worked on till 8.30pm. Dined M, Mite & self. After by carriage at 10.25 to Quilters' at home. Little mite of Ernest Hart. Only weighed 7.8. Most lovely girl & mother there. Talk to Ferguson MP & also Wilfred Lawson. Left 11.30 in carriage & home. (*Red ink: Quilters' at home.*)

Saturday June 27

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.30am. After breakfast at work 9.10am on drawing of Balfour & Chamberlain rowing. Finished 2.0pm. Lunch. Rested in room till 4.0pm (bed room). Dressed for cycling. M & Mite off to Garden Party at Schwanns' Wimbledon & after to Lady Romer's. Left 4.40 & on to Paddington. Trained with cycle to Slough. There 5.35. Off thro' Farnham Royal, Burnham Beeches, Fulmer & Stoke Common on to Uxbridge. There 7.3pm. On home. Ginger beer at Hillingdon. Cycled 29 miles Burnham Beeches. (*Cutting glued in: Obituary Hamilton Macallum. T, Saty 27 June.*)

Sunday June 28

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.15am. Breakfast & caught the 9.0am train from Victoria for Dover. Drove in cart. Saw Beetle. After à Beckett. A Mr Harrison & Beetle & self went down. Not a soul I knew on boat. Slight rain. At Calais 12.25. Bought cigars. Hair cut. At restaurant 1.30. Good dejeuner. Heavy rain. Back by omnibus. Saw Gage & little lawyer. Long talk to British Slave. Victoria 7.40. Home 8.0pm. M & self only to dinner, Mite gone to dine at Oakes's. At 11.0 Mite back with Spencer. He stayed ½ an hour. Bed 12.0am. (*Red ink: Long day at Calais.*)

Monday June 29

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.45. Lovely morning. x. o. Letter from Lord Dufferin from Paris. After squared up a good many prints etc. Looked over newspapers. Lunch. Rested. Left on cycle at 5.0pm & rode to Brixton. Down Coldharbour Lane. Saw Woodcote 83 opposite grass plot. Up Streatham Hill & across to Balham & on down Burntash Lane to Wimbledon Park & home fast. There 7.50. After Galbraith & Will Oakes came to dinner. Very good. No champagne drunk. Smoke. They left 11.0 & bed after. Last went to Brixton Monday May 4th. (*Cutting glued in: Death of Francis Fitzhardinge.*)

Tuesday June 30

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.15am. Out on cycle & round Park & home. In morning wrote letters. After decided to go to the British Museum with M & Mite. Did so in carriage. Mite drawing Demeter, Ceres. M & mummies. Out 1.0. M & chocolate. M bought some. Met Mr Park. On & to Garrick. Beetle had bought a piece of land. Saw Evans & afterwards Campbell Praed & Col Jones. Up in Reading Room. Sleepy. After to Turkish bath. Met Arthur Stirling. Bath 12.11½ before, 12.10 exactly after. Tiresome little Jew talkative. After to Athenaeum. Wrote letters. Down in Smoking Room saw Lockyer, Lord

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Shand, Dr Playfair, Aitcheson etc. Looked out Times for 1844. No births deaths or marriages. Jan'y 4th a Thursday. Cart at Club 7.10. Drove home. Found Miss Rose Innes there who dined. Left 11.15. Very sleepy & tired at night. (*Red ink*: Turkish bath. Last bath June 1.)

Wednesday July 1

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.30am. No ride. Breakfast. After wrote many letters & sent invites for a dinner on Monday July 20th. Lunch. Rest. After did Mite's Coupé drawing. Dressed at 6.0pm & left for P.D by Metro Rly getting out & walking from the Temple. Sir W.A (sleepy) Phil A (booze) E.I.M (late) E.T.R, H.W.L, A.G, F.C.B, J.T, self, A à B, R.L. Long discussion. Self got cut of American Oarsmen & Thames. J.T Coster's Stall. Left at 10.40 & M met me bottom of Bouverie St & on to Mrs Pickering's at home. Saw lovely Mrs Andrew Best. Left at 12.0 & home by carriage. Cob shied. M & Mite at Duchess of Buccleugh's Garden Party in afternoon & Mrs Macmillan's at home. Mite at dance at Sir Robert Finlay's in evening. Phil May upset & owes large sums of money. (*Red ink*: Duchess of Buccleugh's Garden Party. Mrs Pickering's at home.)

Thursday July 2

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.15. Breakfast. No ride. Sent Otley to Reed's. Came back with St Pauls. After skemed subject for Father Thames & American Crews. Photod Otley with oar at 12.30. M & Mite went to Lords. Lunch by self. Blessed rest after & went on to finish Mite's drawing of Coupé. Also began cartoon. Wrote March of Henley. Dressed at 7.15 & took cab to dine with Livesey & Galbraith at 108 Gloucester Place, Porman Square. Curious claret. Went nowhere. Played poker & lost £1.1.0 at 3d counters. Left at 1.10am & Galbraith drove me home in hansom. Bed 1.30am. Mite dined at Cameron Corbetts' & went to the Caledonian Ball. M restless & hot at night. Mary Nicol came. M & she went to the School for Scandal. (*Red ink*: Dined with Livesey & Galbraith. 1st day Oxford & Cambridge.)

Friday July 3

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Cycled round to F.C.B's & left note. Back & to work. Letters from F.C.B about 2nd subject. Could not do it. Worked all day up to 7.15 when dressed & took cab & dined with Campbell Praed. Met many I did not know. Sat next to an old friend of Charley Barker's. Those there I did know, Lord Glenesk, Joe Knight, Col Jones, Percy Reeve. Large room upstairs surrounded by the Times filed. Smoked till 12.0 when left & home at 12.30. Wrote 2 letters to V & C & Brightmore & posted them. Bed 1.15am. (*Red ink*: Dined with Campbell Praed at the Junior Carlton Club. Good dinner very.)

Saturday July 4

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. x. After finished drawing of Father Thames & Yale crew by 2.0pm. Great push to get done. Got off doing 2nd cut. After lunched having dressed to go to Lords. Took cab. Saw Mary Nicol & Mite outside going to Hurlingham. Inside. Found carriage. Sir John Tenniel there & Lady Lawrence etc. First rate cricket match. A1. Oxford pulled up wonderfully. Innings of 320 to win & won. Left with M at 6.20 & cab home. Wrote 2 letters

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& dressed & took cab to the Union Club & met Sir John Thursby at dinner with Harry Routh. Fair dinner. Talk of Lady Warwick. Curious old man Sir John. Sat talking with Routh the whole time after till 12.0am when home by cab. Bed 1.0am exactly. M slept well. (*Red ink*: Dined with Harry Routh at the Union Club to meet Sir John Thursby.)

Sunday July 5

Stafford Terrace. Up at 9.15am. Mite gone to church. Lovely morning. Mary Nicol at breakfast. In morning wrote letters & after printed from 12.15 to 1.30 a number of photos & bathed them. After lunch rested in room & slept heavily. Down at 4.45. Mary Nicol had left. Many callers. Routh, Edgar, Col Welby, Captain Macintyre & Miss Rose Innes, Miss Harcourt etc. Out on Roy's new cycle at 5.20. Adjusted it. Rode to Mortlake & thro' Putney & along past Wandsworth & Battersea. Home at 7.0. Dressed & after left & went by buss to the Hyde Park Club & dined with Will Oakes at round table, M, Mite & self. W.O & Mrs Grant, Percy's sister in law. Pleasant dinner. Saw Hamilton Aidé, Johnny Mathews, Duston etc etc. Good band. Out & home at 11.0 by carriage. Sat & read The Century. Bed 12.0 x.x. M obstinate. (*Red ink*: Tried Roy's new cycle. Dined with Will Oakes at the Hyde Park Club. Good dinner.)

Monday July 6

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.30. Breakfast. Very hot weather. Wrote letters etc. Squared prints dated all photos to date. Afterwards lunch. Rested. Dressed at 3.40 & went 4.20 with M in carriage to Turkish bath, N.A. Weight 12.11½, 12.8½. Lost 3¼ lbs. Very hot. Went to Athenaeum. Wrote Harrison, Scotter etc & Fk Barr. Saw Dr Playfair. After strolled to Bancroft's & dined. Frightfully hot. Heard of Maclean being made Chief Justice of Calcutta. Gilbert funny. All left by 12.0. Home. Sat up till Mite came at 1.15am. Bed. M awake. Very hot at night. Mite had been to dine at Bristol with Miss Rose Innes & to supper after at the Hyde Park Club. Met Mr Stone & others. (*Seating plan*: S.B.Bancroft's dinner. W.S.Gilbert, Sir Ed Clarke, Baron de Worms, Bancroft, Sir W. Broadbent, Sir George Lewis, Harry Dickens, L.S, A.W.Pinero, General (*blank*), Val Princep, Anthony Hope Hawkins.)

Tuesday July 7

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.50. Very hot morning. Mite in bed. M & self at breakfast. Blues. After put things away & squared up etc. Tabs came in afternoon & her maid Tyler in morning. Great many callers in afternoon. Tabs to dinner. Went in hansom M & self, Tabs & Mite in carriage to Vaudeville Theatre. Could not get in to see 'A Night Out'. Had to drive back. Went in buss home by self. Slightly wet. All to bed. (*Red ink*: Tabs came for the night. Greatly disappointd about the Vaudeville Theatre in evening, driving there & had to return.)

Wednesday July 8

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. Did not go out. In morning finished squaring up photos etc & put all away. Rested after lunch. Put drawings on Mrs Parr's fan. Dressed & took cab up to Bouverie St. Dined. Could get no subject for self. Very annoyed. Turned out after that I had to waste Thursday & do a subject on Friday which could have been done very well on Thursday. Left 10.45.

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W.A, (E.I.M late) B.P, E.T.R, H.W.L, A.G, F.C.B, J.T. self, A à B. Guthrie taken ill & turned faint. Had to leave. At 11.0 got in carriage at Embankment. Drove to the Steinkopff's at home. Dull. Saw Crackenthorpe etc. Great reception at Devonshire House. Home at 12.15am. (*Red ink*: Tabs left in the morning. The Steinkopff's at home. Very unpleasant Punch dinner.)

Thursday July 9

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Round on cycle to F.C.B's & left note never answered. Gunter Grove. Home. In morning brilliant sun entire day. Printed great number of photos of Vernon W & Wycliff Taylor taken Feby 1885. Rested after. At 4.30 went on cycle thro' Toleworth to Hampton Court & Hampton. Saw W.Benn. Paid 2/6 for beer etc. Reminiscences. Back for home 6.45 from Hampton. Fast down Kingston Hill. Found had got puncture. Had most uncomfortable ride. Pouring with perspiration. Home 8.15. Bath & dinner. Tired. (*Red ink*: Long cycle ride to Hampton. Punctured tyre. Long day doing nothing. Annoyed with F.C.B.) Getting so hot brought on a catarrh of the right ear which was most painful & has lasted off & on till October.

Friday July 10

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Did not go out. Letter from F.C.B at 9.30 to do subject of American Volunteers or else go to Lords. Sent Otley to Carmichael Thomas & got to work. M & Mite went to Lords at 1.0pm in carriage. Ear swollen & most uncomfortable all day. Passage blocked up. Worked till 8.0. Roy back from Lords & M & Mite went to Mr George Allen's. Dined 8.10pm. Could not go to play of School for Scandal. Roy & Mite went to the Temples, dance, back at 12.0. Roy very tired. M put some eau de cologne in ear. A most unhappy uncomfortable day. Very annoyed with F.C.B about work & ear bad. (*Red ink*: Ear bad. Most uncomfortable day. 1st Eton & Harrow Cricket Match.)

Saturday July 11

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.0am & down & finished drawing for J.B & Yankee Volunteer at 9.45am. Letter from F.C.B. Answered it. Put all things away. Roy got off at 10.15am. After dressed. Posted letters. My ear exceedingly painful all day & made me feel silly. Walked over Campden Hill. On to Lords. Spoke to the Fowlers. Met Col Wymss. Lunch next Miss Lawrence. Mite with Mr Howe & Fergusson. After back to break with Lady Lawrence. Walked round. Saw the Kermis's, Mrs Maclean, à Beckett Tyrrel & others. After with Mite to drag of Williamson's. Match over at 7.5. Stumps drawn. Eton 38 the 1st innings Harrow (*blank*) & (*blank*) & 2 wickets to go down. M & Mite & Miss Pitt off by carriage. Waited about to see Roy till 7.35 when walked most uncomfortably nearly the whole way home. Got cab in the Bayswater Road by Rose's house. Hurried dinner. Ear bad. Roy caught the 9.30 train. Gave him £1.0.0 & 2/6. Went to bed at 11.0am. Ear exceedingly painful. (*Red ink*: Ear very painful all day.) (*Red ink across page*: Eton & Harrow Cricket match.) .

Sunday July 12

Stafford Terrace. Up at 9.15am. Had passed a most uncomfortable night with swollen ear. Very painful. Could hardly eat. M upset about spilled ink. Lovely morning. Wrote long letters. Evelyn Coward in. Lunch. A rest. After went to

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play lawn tennis at Sir Alfred Hickmans at 4.30 on bicycle. Played 7 sets won 3, lost 4. Home 7.10. Dressed & at the Fagans at 8 precisely by carriage. (*Plan of seating*: Fagan's dinner. Mrs Fagan, L.S, Mrs Medley, Louis Fagan, Mrs Parkinson, Mr Medley, Mrs L.S.) Very good dinner. Ear bad. Good lemon squash. Left & had good cab home at 11.15. (*Red ink*: See previous dinner at Fagans'. July 14, 1891, Tuesday May 21, 1894.)

Monday July 13

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.30. Blues all day. Gloomy outlook on most things & little or no money comparatively. Wrote letters etc. Rest after lunch & began the Andersen again at 4.30pm. M out in carriage in morning afterwards. Miss Wallace came & went with Mite in omnibus to dance at the Schwanns'. The Queens's Garden Party at Buckingham House. Why were we not asked? No one knows. At 7.0 dressed & went in carriage to dine at Frederick Macmillan's. Pleasant dinner. Took Mrs Lockett Agnew in & after talk to L.A. Met General Morris in command at Woolwich. Also others. Left 11.0 & home. Ear had troubled me from deafness all day but getting better. Smoke & bed 12.0. Mite home about 2.30am. (*Red ink*: Queen's Garden Party. Dined at Frederick Macmillan's.)

Tuesday July 14

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Great bother after breakfast in putting up pictures in Drawing Room again. Man had altered rings. After lunch rested & then did drawing of Rat for Hans Andersen. Dressed at 7.0 & M & self drove to York Terrace & dined with the Edward Pollocks. A charming dinner. Met the Threlfalls. Took Mrs T in. M an Egyptian Judge also and a little scared niece of Mrs Threlfalls. Left at 11.20 & home by carriage. The Egyptian Judge was a Mr Halls who is Charley Welman's best man. (*Red ink*: Delightful dinner at the Edward Pollocks.)

Wednesday July 15

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. In morning wrote letters etc etc. Put pictures up. Very tired & decided not to go to Mrs Oakes' Garden Party. M went in the afternoon. Wrote orders for wine etc. Caught the 6.40 Metn Rly for Blackfriars & to P.D. Phil Agnew, P.M, E.T.R, A.G, F.C.B, J.T, self, A à B, & E.I.M late. Got better subject this week & things smoother. Left with Tenniel & cab to Isthmum. Home by cab. Felt cold. A change in the weather from intense heat for the 1st time. Also felt slightly bilious after but it passed off. (*Red ink*: Cooler in evening. Phil Agnew objected to D.M's tall women. My drawing of American liked.)

Thursday July 16

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.45. No cycle. After breakfast skemed subject for drawing Balfour & Harcourt as Giant & Strong Man. Put up pictures. Mistake with acid in developing pictures. Very much annoyed. M out all morning. Spencer called. Had flask of Chianti for lunch. Rested after lunch. At 4.0 got to work & went on with drawing of above till 8.35 when went up to dress. The Langleys came at 8 & stayed to dinner. Langley had been introduced to H.R.H. Gave 1000 gns for bull. They left at 11.30. Drank Chianti. Bed 12.0. Wrote George Allen. Very dull & wet all day. M went to the Fowlers at home.

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Friday July 17

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. No cycle ride. Got to work after breakfast & worked all day till 8.45 on drawing of Balfour & Harcourt. M & self dined together quietly. Mite still at the Cohens.

Saturday July 18

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.15. x. After breakfast finished an excellent drawing of Balfour as Giant & Harcourt Strong Man by 11.0am. Sent it off. After tidied up & pottered about. Read & rested in M's room. At 6.20 M & Mite went in the carriage to Ranelagh. Saw polo & cycling. Self went for poor cycle ride over Putney Bridge by Redcliffe Gardens. Along to Mortlake. Saw poor Arthur Blunt's grave. Back home by 7.0. Dressed & off 7.35 by cab to dine at the Temples, 74 Portland Place. Met the Ritchies, Mrs Mr & Ellie, & after Livesey. Many others. Good dinner. Mrs Temple junior fast woman. Left 11.0 & on to Empire. Saw Archie Stuart Wortley. To the Garrick. Saw Routledge, Beetle, Charles Russell etc. Lucas asked me to shoot in October. Left at 1.20. Home by cab. Took a liqueur of whisky in lemon squash. (*Red ink*: Dined at Mr Temple's.)

Sunday July 19

Stafford Terrace. Up at 9.0am. Very tired. Dull morning. Mite at church. Evelyn Coward in. M doing her plants etc. Wrote letters etc all morning. Lunch. Edgar & Sophy came, also Midge. After went up to room & rested till 4.10pm. Mrs Percy Oakes called & after a curious barrister named (*blank*) Went on cycle to Sir Alfred Hickman's. Not comfortable. Played 8 sets of lawn tennis. Partner a Captain (*blank*). Sir A as usual. Very warm. Back on cycle. Miss Rose Innes had been. Quiet dinner, M, Mite & self. Mite had complained of a pain. Bed at 11.30 after snooze. Delightful rest. (*Red ink*: Played 8 sets tennis at Sir Alfred Hickman's.)

Monday July 20

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45. M up & off to stores for food etc dinner tonight. Went on cycle to World's End. Home 8.55. Breakfast. Put up several picture frames. Spencer called. Grumbled. After M back at 12.15. Midge in a coupé. Lunch. A long rest. Prepared for dinner. M tired. Put wine in ice. After at 8.0pm men's dinner of 9. All went off well. Good dinner & wine. Put out 11 bottles wine, 6 Ayala '80. 5 '74 Pol Roger. All good except 2 corked. 1 bottle of Sauterne. (*Plan of seating*: Home dinner. H.W.Lucy, Roger Wallace, S.B.Bancroft, Sir Frank Lockwood, self, Sir William Agnew, F.Ayala, Arthur à Beckett, Fletcher Moulton.) (*Red ink*: 9 bottles of wine. Hors D'oeuvres, Caviar, Clear Soup, Sole Vin Blanc, Creme de Volaille (cold), (*illeg*) & Mushrooms, Roast Lamb, Peas & Potatoes, French Beans, Roast Chicken, Salad, Fruit Jelly, Finnan Haddock) Sayer waited. After at 12.0 drove to Sir E.Lawson's at home D.T.Office with à Beckett & Wallace. (*Red ink*: Introduced to Prince George of Denmark. H.B.Irving married to Dorothea Baird.)

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Tuesday July 21

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.15. Felt fairly well. Another squelching hot day. M off at 9.20 to stores. Read of Dorothy Baird's wedding. In morning wrote many letters etc. Lunch & long rest after. M back in carriage at 12.0am. Very hot all day. Did not go out. At 8.0 dinner at home to 10 people. Moody & another waited. Drank only 3 bottles Champagne, 1 Burgundy, ½ Chateau Y'Quem. 4 of Zeltinger in cup. Dinner went off well and thank goodness it is all over. (*Plan of seating:* Self, Mrs Jackson, Vernon Watney, Mrs D.M, Sir William Flower, M, D.M, Lady Flower, Fritz Jackson, Lady Margaret Watney.) (*Red ink:* Hors d'oeuvres, Caviar, Consommé, Filet de Soles a la Reine, Noisette de Langue aux Champignons, Gigot d'Agneau aux Epinards, Haricots Verts, Poulet et Salade, Gelée de Fruits Macedoine, Bouchees de Marlache, Glace d'ananas.) All left by 11.15pm. Pipe by self & snooze till 2am when to bed. (*Red ink:* Miss Stanley married to Mr Allhusen.)

Wednesday July 22

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.25. After breakfast read papers etc. General tidy up after dinner. Death of Charles Dickens in papers. After wrote letters etc. Dressed 12.10am & off with Mite in carriage to lunch at 11 Berkeley Square. After all went to Hotel Avondale & saw the Royal Wedding coming back. All closed carriages. Many women fainting. Mrs Watney particularly gracious. Left at 4.5 & on to New Gallery. Met M at 4.15. She went on in carriage to Mudies etc. After Mite was driven home by Mrs Watney. Self walked & called on Mr Dillon, 9 Weymouth St. Very much altered. Left. Saw Scotch girl at Langham Place. Walked on to call at George Allen's. Could not find it. Met H Weld Blundell in hansom. After called Garrick & to Punch dinner. Sir W.A, P.M, B.P, E.T.R, H.W.L, A.G, F.C.B, J.T, self, A à B, R.L, & E.I.M late. Tenniel got waning of Honeymoon, self Bismarck. With J.T by cab to Isthmum. After by buss home. Fearfully rowdy party in buss, 3 girls, 3 boys & their mother all drunk & shouting. Bed at 12.45am after reading evening paper. All well. (*Red ink:* Royal Wedding. Princess Maud & Prince Karl of Denmark.)

Thursday July 23

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.15am. Cycled to Stace. Left a message. Also at F.C.B's. M out in carriage 9.30am. Wrote letters & posted them. Met Mr Rev Smale. Skemed subject of Bismarck & Doctor. At 11.45 Stace came. Took 4 photos of him. Developed them after lunch 2.0. Took 2 of Tip. Rested. Stone sent me drawing or photo of Coronation. Worked on Bismarck from 4.0 to 8.0pm when M, self & Mite dined. At 10.30 we all went in carriage to Knowles's at home. Very good party, H.R.H Duke of Cambridge there. Met the Flowers, Fagans & many others. Much colder. Out in garden. Fritz Jackson & his wife. Left at 12.20. Home by carriage. x. Bed 1.30am. (*Red ink:* Went to at home at the Knowles's. Charming party. Miss Fay Davis recited.) (*Cutting glued in:* Death of Mary (Mamie) Dickens.)

Friday July 24

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Did not cycle. In morning got on with drawing of Dr Bismarck up to lunch. Mite followed in Kensington. After in afternoon rested. Mite went to tea at Lady Audrey Buller's, after to dinner at the Mabel

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Wallace's. Worked till 8.30pm. Dressed. M & self dined quietly. Spencer came in at 9.15 & stayed till 11.30pm. Mite back in carriage. Went to bed at 12.0am. Letter from Camera Club.

Saturday July 25

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.30am. Work before breakfast. After worked from 9.30 to 11.30 & finished drawing of Dr Bismarck. Put things away. Strong wind from the south. Lunch. Rested in Dining Room. Not very comfortable. At 4.30 tea. Wire from Weld Blundell. After at 5.0 went for cycle ride to Sheen & by Putney home. Saw H.R.H & Princess & suite coming from Ranelagh. Home 7.0. Dressed. Dined 7.20. At 8.0 went in carriage M, Mite & self, to Prince of Wales's Theatre & saw 'On the March'. An American name of Murray & Miss Atherton A1. Blair in box. Home by carriage & bed at 1.0am. x. (*Red ink:* Went to see 'On the march' at Prince of Wales's Theatre. Mr Blair in box.) (*Photograph & cutting glued in:* Rutland Barrington's Recollections, Vague & Otherwise. Black & White, Sepr 22 1906.)

Sunday July 26

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.20 & dressed in blue suit. Breakfast, & after at 10.15 cart round. Drove to Victoria. Met Spencer & Ada going to river. Down with one other to Dover & to Calais. Saw Green at Victoria. Duke of Marlboro', father of Duncombe etc. Rain. Good lunch. Met a Mr Mackenzie & wife. Bought box of Londres Superieurs 8/s. On return steamer saw Beetle, Jacoby, Hollingshead etc. 3 gents playing cards. Home by 7.45 exact. Bath & dress. Miss Rose Innes & Blair dined. Wrote letters & diary after. Could not find Weld Blundell's wire. Great hunt for it after. Alice found the wire in the tub outside. Blair posted letter to Brooks's Club. Read in chair till 1.0am when to bed tired. (*Red ink:* Crossed to Calais & back. Delightful day. Miss Rose Innes & Blair dined with us.)

Monday July 27

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.15 & out on cycle round World's End & back. Met three dissipated girl in Oakley St. Back & breakfast at 9.20. After enlarged plate (old willow pattern) & got to work. Rest till 4.0 after lunch. Spencer in in the morning. After at 4.0 went on to work until 7.0 when dressed & went in cab to Savoy Restaurant calling at the Camera Club, 28 Charing Cross Road. Met Herbert Weld Blundell & Charley Welman & had delightful dinner & talk over old times. Sat until 11.30 when left. Girl smoking cigarettes. Called & wrote letter at the Athenaeum Club & home by buss. M & Mite had been to the Indian Exhibition with Mr Blair & Spencer & Ada. Both up. Went to bed at 1.0am. x.x. (*Red ink:* Dined with Herbert Weld Blundell at the Savoy Restaurant.)

Tuesday July 28

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.20 & out on cycle to end of Radcliffe Gardens. Back. Breakfast. Jewellery came from Levy's. M out in carriage with Mite at 10.30am. Wrote many letters. Worked all day on Willow Pattern Plate. Got on with it. Mite getting her dresses ready etc for Thursday. Worked all afternoon after rest. Quiet dinner at home & bed after.

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Wednesday July 29

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. Cycled round by Worlds End & home. Warm morning. Got on with drawing of Willow Pattern Plate. Worked up to 6.0pm. Could not quite finish, sent boy back. After went by Met'n Rly to the Punch dinner walking from the Temple. Phil Agnew, P.M, B.P, E.T.R, A.G, F.C.B, J.T, self, A à B, D.M, & E.I.M (late). Good dinner & talk. Fortunately got 2nd subject to do for following week. Left with J.T at 11.0 & home by Isthmian. D.M said I had built to myself a house. (*Red ink:* This is the last time I ever saw Du Maurier alive & also the last time he dined at the Punch Table. Oct 8 1896.)

Thursday July 30

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.10am. Out on cycle & called on F.C.B. Met young Tinsley Lindley. Breakfast & finished drawing of China Willow Pattern Plate by 12.30. After skemed Lord Salisbury as Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports & photod Stace one fifteen pm. M had gone off with dear Mite to Buscot by G.W.R at 1.5pm in carriage. Developed plates of Stace & self & lunched at 2.15pm. Rested after. M back. After rest Roy's Eton bills for term came in, £115. Terribly annoyed & angry. Went on to work. Had wired to Court Theatre. Could not get in. M & self dined quietly & to bed. Very angry & upset. Wrote letters after dinner. (*Red ink:* Roy back from Eton Friday morn. Heaviest bills yet there.)

Friday July 31

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.15am. x. Wet. Did not ride cycle. Report on Roy from Eton very poor & bad. Roy back at 9.55. Went on to work on Lord Salisbury. Very angry with Roy. M went out in carriage. Roy tried new cycle. Worked up to 7.15. Dressed. Dined at 7.30. After M, Roy & self went to the Vaudeville Theatre & saw 'A Night Out'. Not so good as made out. Saw a Mr Risqué the manager. Six Chinamen in stalls. Home, M, Roy & self in very good four wheel cab. (*Red ink:* Roy back from Eton in morning. Went to 'A Night Out' at the Vaudeville Theatre.)

Saturday August 1

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.30am. Down & after breakfast finished drawing by 11.30 of Lord Salisbury as Warden of the Cinq Ports. After packed things by 12.45. Lunch. Buss at door 1.5pm. All aboard & off by 1.20pm. Roy rode his new cycle to Waterloo. Mine on top of buss. Paid books & wages etc. Knocked Alice off 10/s. Got to Waterloo 1.40 & met Guthrie. Got off comfortably by 2.15pm train & down to Christ Ch stopping at Hook & Southampton. Very hot. Ch Ch 5.0. Met Tabs & Miss Wallace. Got luggage. M off in carriage to Anchorage. Cycled to A. Tea etc. Found several packages missing including my travelling bag. Roy & self went back on cycles. All right. Back to A by 7.20. Went & had a delightful bathe. Back & dressed for 8.30pm dinner. H back in cart 8.30. After dinner no billiards. Bed 11.30pm. Good lemon squash with whiskey. (*Red ink:* Went down with Guthrie to Ch Ch, M, Roy & self.)

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Sunday August 2

Elm Hurst, Anchorage, Ch Ch. Up 8.30. Roy & self went & had delightful swim. Back & breakfast after in morning. Miss Wallace, Guthrie & Roy all practised for the bending in the Gymkhana. Sat in summer house after lunch with M, Miss W etc. Taggs very conspicuous. After M went to visit the Sermons & Mrs Gibbs. At 4.15 seven of us started cycling & went to the Victoria Hotel, 19 miles altogether. Had tea there. Back 7.30pm. Dinner 8.0. No billiards after. Bed 11.30pm. (*Red ink*: 1st day's cycling at Anchorage. Tea at Victoria Hotel.)

Monday August 3

Elm Hurst, Anchorage, Ch Ch. Up at 8.0am. Roy & self bathe. Very good. Back. Dullish morning. After reading men all ashore to take packages & stores on board yacht Xantho which lay in the offing. At noon M, self, Guthrie & H went off to her for an hour. Very lugubrious captain. Prognosticating evil. Left & back. Lunch. After at 3.30 many people came for the Gymkhana. Very pretty sight. Miss Wallace won 4 prizes, Roy one for mathematical prize. Many young men & maidens. 3 Miss Maynes, Miss Grahams etc, Gillsons. After tea good Meistersingers band. All away by 7.45. Did not get dinner until 9.0pm or 9.15. All right then. Very tired & sleepy after dinner. Bed 11.30. (*Red ink*: Gymkhana at Anchorage. Capital day all round.)

Tuesday August 4

Elm Hurst, Anchorage, Ch Ch. Up at 8.0. Most lovely still calm morning. Beautiful bathe with Roy. After back & up & after breakfast packed bags to get away to the Xantho. Talk under verandah. Finished letter to Maud. At 11.45 went on board. H, Tabs, Guthrie & self with Taylor. Good bye to M on shore. Under weigh & steamed to Cowes & through & to see the Fleet anchored. H.M.S 'Terrible' with 4 funnels. Back at 5.45 went on shore calling on Mr Green in his yacht. Called shops etc. Saw Grant & his wife, also Forbes Robertson. Back at 7.0. Dined 7.40. Good dinner. After went on board Captain Wiggins's yacht. Saw his brother in law Leslie. Sea rough. Back & turned in at 11.0. Slept well. (*Red ink*: Went on board the 'Xantho' for Cowes.)

Wednesday August 5

S.S 'Xantho', Cowes. Up at 8.0am. Bath in berth. After breakfast read in the upper berth. At 11.0 went ashore. Tabs went with Mr Wiggins. Went & had hair cut at Mr Moon's. Curious little boy talking a great deal in the shop. Out & walk. Met Mrs W & Tabs. Guthrie, they & self went to bun shop for lemonade. Li Hung Chan came up in Osborne. Went at 1.15 back on board. At 2.0 went to lunch on Wiggins's yacht. Very good lunch, Champagne. H & Tabs went off back at 3.30. We stayed on board & steamed round the Fleet. Saw H.M.S Majestic, Royal Sovereign, Resolution etc etc. Coming back the Osborne passed us & after the Victoria & Albert. Said there would be sure to be firing. Mrs Wiggins turned back. Saw the Fleet splendidly. Battleships saluted. Went right down the Line. Back & at moorings again by 7.0pm. Put on board Xantho by launch. Quiet dinner. H, Tabs, Guthrie & self. The Greens came in afterwards. Sleepy. Turned in 11.0pm. Woke up in the night with port hole open to great draught. Did not know. Slept with it open. Hope have not caught

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cold. Strange dream of Taff Reed reduced to poverty. (*Red ink*: Went down the Line of Fleet in Capt'n Wiggins's yacht.)

Thursday August 6

S.S 'Xantho', Cowes. Up 8.0am. Tub on deck. Duller morning. Wrote diary. After breakfast went ashore. Felt dull heavy & livery. Went down town with Tabs, G & H. In hardware shop met Charley Courteney. Lost H. Wrote post cards. Waited for boat. Back on yacht & good lunch. Lobster, prawns etc. After men came on board to adjust compasses. Pottered about. Back to fresh anchorage. Mr Leslie, Capn & Mrs Wiggins & a Mr (*blank*) came on board. Had met last at Biarritz. Dinner 8.15pm. Steward on shore. Read 'Esther Waters'. After H & G went ashore in the cutter. Tabs to bed. Not sleepy. Took 5 Carter's L.L.P. Turned in 11.0pm. Last bottle of Apollinaris. Wind freshened up. G & H saw nothing on shore. Shaved off Imperial in morning. (*Red ink*: Compasses adjusted on board S.S 'Xantho'.) (*Cutting glued in: Death & Obituary of Major General Henry Tucker.*)

Friday August 7

S.S 'Xantho', Cowes. Slept well. Turned out at 6.15am. Tub on deck. Dressed & wrote diary. Wrote letters to M, Galbraith etc. Breakfast. Under weigh & started 7.0am, off Needles 9.0am. After boiler tube defected. Sailed slowly past Ch Ch, Swanage etc. Large globe on hillside. Lunch of liver & bacon in deck house. Got to Portland Island & Weymouth 4.0pm. On there after tea. Lovers on seat on Castle Hill side. Curious old town. Statue to Sir Henry Edwards. Posted letters. Saw girl like Mrs Millet. Went to cycle shop & to look at statue in garden of house. Back to yacht. Dined 7.30. After at 8.30 on shore. Listened to Niggers & band. Back 10.0. Ginger beer & gin. Took 6 C.L.L.P. Turned in 11pm. Slept well. (*Red ink*: Left Cowes for Weymouth.)

Saturday August 8

S.S 'Xantho', Cowes. Up at 7.30am. Went with H for bathe in bathing machine. Water very cold. Soon out. To cycle shop. Ordered cycle. Back in 'Xo'. Breakfast effective & C.L.L.P. Read Bull's book on Mars. Sleepy. At 11.30 H & G & Tabs went on shore. Wrote diary & letters. They came back to lunch & said H had to go to Anchorage. H got off at 1.50 & went, said after thunderstorm at Bournemouth. Tabs, Guthrie & self after went ashore 2.15pm & went to cycle shop. Got on & went to Dorchester. Passed young Long. Frightful hill & heavy going. Vicious cow. Put Tabs behind Telegraph post. Got to Dorchester 4.30. Had tea. Looked over church. Rain. No curiosity shop. Saw old Roman amphitheatre & after a youth passed with a smashed bicycle. Delightful run home. Very hard to hold back coming down hill. Back to yacht. Had glass of ginger beer & gin. Decided not to go ashore. Had bottle of Champagne for dinner. Gin & ginger after. Took 6 C.L.L.P. Bed at 11.0pm. Lay awake did not sleep well. Ear troublesome, the left one. (*Red ink*: Cycled to Dorchester & back to Weymouth. H went home.)

Sunday August 9

S.S 'Xantho', Cowes. Up at 8.0. Blowing hard. Breakfast. Captain wanted to know if he should move out in the Bay. Tabs & Taylor went ashore with bags packed. We walked about. Met H coming along with straw hat in hand. Pooh

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pooh'd Tabs going by rail. All aboard again & off by 11.15. Man's hat blew into the water. Letters from M & Mite. Delightful run across Lyme Bay to Dartmouth, keeping Stack to left. Got there five pm. Ship behaved well. Rain came on. Read 'Corruption' during day. Much troubled with swelling in left ear. Dinner 7.30. Went ashore after. Old houses. Band playing. French man o'war training ship in the river. Coming in steerage wheel came off. Near nasty accident. Carried away our flag spar also. Smoke. Took 4 C.L.L.P. Bed 10.30. Dream of Midge before Guthrie. (*Red ink*: Blowing. H back at 11.0 am. Left for Dartmouth. Delightful sail there.) (*Cutting glued in: Death of Chritiani Moody.*)

Monday August 10

S.S 'Xantho', Cowes. Up 8.0am. Tub on deck. Dull morning. Went ashore 11.0am after reading on deck & feeling sleepy. Guthrie & self walked to the church at end of river. Saw old brasses etc. Coming back saw very pretty servant girl. Cycle shop etc. Had bought small china pig. On board again 1.0pm. Small yacht 'Xanthe' at side, 28 tons. Lunch. At 3.0 had steam launch & went up the Dart to Totness. Delightful run. Herons about. A Kingfisher. Rude people in boats. At Totness had walk to church. Delightful screen in carved stone. Tabs bought small china figure. Gin & water at my instigation. Tea at inn. Saw Guthrie's old rooms. Left 5.45. Stopped for steam. Back to yacht 8.5pm. H's hat blew off into water. Rude people at picnic. Good dinner 8.30pm. Turned in 11.0pm. Forgot to wind gold watch. Good night. W.D, the first for many years. Took 4 C.L.L.P. (*Red ink*: Went up to Totness. Up the Dart in launch. Delightful day.) (*Cutting glued in: Death of Emily Lady Tennyson.*)

Tuesday August 11

S.S 'Xantho', Cowes. Up at 7.50. Watch not wound up. 7 buckets on deck. Wrote letters. Breakfast. Wasps. Something wrong with tiller wire ropes. After writing many letters went ashore with H & G & posted letters. Wired to Vernon Watney. Looked over church. Curious old door with long iron heraldic lions. Rowed to Castle. The 'Lethe' with Mrs Watson & monkey on board being towed out. Intensely hot. Back. Lunch & started for east at 2.0pm. Lovely sea, fishing boats etc. Tabs not well. Went to lay down. At 5.0pm breeze sprung up. Sea rougher. Saw Portland Island. Had marked 7 linen bags for H. Dinner 7.30. Inside Portland Roads at 8.15pm. H.M.S 'Minotaur' or something like her in Portland Roads. French man o'war etc. Apollinaris & gin. 3 C.L.L.P. The last I had & bed at 11.0pm. Slept well. (*Red ink*: Left Dartmouth for home. Not 'Northumberland', the 'Minataur'.)

Wednesday August 12

S.S 'Xantho', Cowes. Up at 7.45am. 8 tubs on deck. Dull morning. Up anchor at 8.30 & off home by coast. Lovely morning. Got to Ch Ch Bay 1.0pm & ashore by gig. All together & luggage. Very hot. Miss Wallace, M, Roy & chicks, Taggs to meet us. Lunch. After rest in chair by sea. Got off 5.30 for lovely cycle ride to New Forest past Sir Thos Meyrick's. Back at 7.30. Put cycles up & dressed. Dined 8.0. Songs after. No billiards. Bed 11.30. Tabs, Evelyn, Guthrie & self cycled. Roy & Mabel Wallace went a water picnic. (*Red*

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ink: Left Portland Roads. Arrived Anchorage for lunch. All well. Good cycle ride in afternoon. H.M.S 'Minataur' in Portland Roads.)

Thursday August 13

The Anchorage, Christchurch. Up at 8.0am. Delightful bathe with Roy. After breakfast fresh wind. M, Guthrie & self went in dinghey to Christ Church, Roy & Mabel W in Dutch punt. Hard pull up. M & G looked over church. Old curiosity shop. Back easier by 1.45. Lunch. Rest & snooze by sea after. At 5.0 all went for cycle ride. Guthrie, Tabs, self, Roy & Gwenn. Went to Milton & round home. Met H & Miss Wallace & Evelyn. 8 cycles home. After dressed. Dinner. Talk & songs after. Lovely night. No billiards. Bed 11.45pm. (*Red ink*: Good cycle ride in afternoon. Death of Sir John Millais.) (*Cutting glued in: Will of Sir John Millais.* Friday Oct 30.)

Friday August 14

The Anchorage, Christchurch. Up at 8.15. Went for bathe with Roy. Not long in water. Back. Breakfast. Up to town by 9.20. Talk to station master. American in carriage for rear. Cab home from Vauxhall. Called on Arthur. Not at home. Letters. Went & paid £20 to Whitlock. Wrote George Lewis. Back, sent Otley to Arthur à Beckett could not change subject. Got to work on cartoon 3.30pm & worked up to 9.30pm when dined by self. Bottle of Burgundy. Bed 12.0pm. Sent Otley to stores. Hamilton F & Gwenn & Evelyn left for yacht. (*Red ink*: Up to town, Stafford Terrace.)

Saturday August 15

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.15am. Lay in bed. Down & did one hour's work on Cricketer drawing. After breakfast worked till 12.15pm when finished it. Lunch & off by 1.25 by cab to Waterloo. Caught 2.15. Ugly old woman in carriage. Slight trouble with P. Ch Ch 4.10. Pony trap. Roy at cricket Mudeford. Out for nothing. Home tea. Tabs & G long cycle ride from Winchester. Started 12.30, not home till 10.0. Roy & self bathed. Delightful. Dinner 8.15. Good bisque soup. After smoked cigar. Played Roy 100 up. Roy won by 10. After Mite & Miss Wallace played. Guthrie back in room 11.15. Bed 12.0. Got Bank book. Not made up since Feby. All right. More in credit than I thought.

Sunday August 16

The Anchorage, Christchurch. Up at 8.25. x. Roy & self delightful swim. Picked up glass. Back & breakfast. After wrote for railway journey to Scotland & many letters. News that Lord Masham had sent cheque for £63.3.0. Paid Parish taxes £21.8.9. Got up with my left ear very troublesome. Yes & it continued torture all day. After lunch rested till 3.0 only. Then went with Roy & Miss Wallace & Guthrie for cycle ride to Ringwood. Had tea. Not comfortable behind. Guthrie & self went on to the Rufus Stone in New Forest. Machine broke down. 18 miles from home. Mended valve thought it would be all right. Deflated. Most awful ride home. Tired & stiff. Had gin & G at Ringwood. Home. Policeman at Ch Ch. Got home 9.10pm. Bath & dined. Terrible attack of P & ear bad. Mr Saunders in after. Girls playing billiards. Bed tired at 11.30. Stained pyjamas. (*Red ink*: Terrible cycle ride to Ringwood & towards Rufus Stone. Machine broke down in tyres.)

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Monday August 17

The Anchorage, Christchurch. Up at 8.0. Uncomfortable night. Worst attack of P ever had & ear bad. Gave up idea of going to Salisbury. Tabs, Roy & Guthrie off by 9.15am. M & Mite went with them. Rested in deck chair at end of garden mostly all day. Vernon sent box of grouse. M came & sat with me. Had P all day 24 hrs. Wrote letters. Ear very bad. Mr Bellairs & Mr Saunders called, Miss Saunders also. Wrote letter & sent cheque to Humber, Smith etc. Rested in chair all afternoon with M. Mite practising on cycle. Miss Saunders with M. Nice girl. Mite went to lunch. Enjoyed ½ a grouse at lunch. In evening bathed by self. Rude girls & children & bathing house. M, Mite & self dined at 8.0. Rested on sofa. At 10.30pm Tabs, Guthrie & Roy back from Salisbury. Had gone round by the Rufus Stone. All none the worse for 50 miles & more. Bed 12.15am. Guthrie's last evening. (*Red ink: Ill all day.*)

Tuesday August 18

The Anchorage, Christchurch. Up at 8.0am. Down & read paper by sea. A day of misery. Ear most painful & terrible attack of P all day. Wrote letters in morning & lay on sofa all day mostly. Wet in morning. Guthrie left in pony cart with a packet of sandwiches at 1.15, saying goodbye. Lunch. After again rested all afternoon. Tabs, M & Mite went to Garden party at the Ricardos. Roy & self had swim at 6.15 to 7.15. After dressed & dined. Grouse. Played Roy 2 100 games up. Each won one. Bed 11.30. Bled very much. Sat in bath. Eased P. Good night. Tried Homocæer. (*Red ink: Guthrie left Ch Ch. Ill all day.*)

Wednesday August 19

The Anchorage, Christchurch. Up at 8.15. Slightly better but not well by a long way. Roy's birthday. Tabs gave him £2.0.0 & a glass. Good breakfast. Cheque for £60 sent from Lewis & Lewis. Wrote letters etc. Drew paper up for M for investment of £845.16.8. Spent miserable day in pain more or less. On sofa. Looked at 1874's Ill.L.N. At 6.45 went with Roy to bathe. Met Col Sermon. Painful bathe. Dined. After played Roy 3 100 games. Won 2, Roy 1, but Roy was 45 ahead. Bed 12.5am. (*Red ink: Ill all day.*)

Thursday August 20

The Anchorage, Christchurch. Up at 8.30am. x. The funeral of Sir John Millais at St Paul's Cathedral at noon. Had invite from Royal Academy. Cycled to Ch Ch & past Genl Ward's to where Guthrie turned on Sunday. After breakfast talk to vet, Mr Goodall, nephew of Goodall Queen's Huntsman. M practising cycling & Mite also. They went blackberrying. After wrote many letters for Theatres etc. After went in carriage with Tabs, M, Gareth & nurse to Genl Ward's. Cricket match. Roy 0. Walked back with Tabs. Still attack of P very bad. Bathed by self. Heard that the Blair Leightons were at Muddiford. After dinner played pool. Mr & Mrs Saunders at dinner & after Mrs Wiggins, her sister & Mrs Sermon & Mrs Johnson came in. Played pool. Roy & Miss Saunders won. Bed at 12.15. Terrible pain all night with P after W.C. (*Red ink: Roy at Genl Ward's playing cricket. Made a duck's egg.*) (*Red ink across page: Funeral of Sir John Millais, P.R.A.*)

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Friday August 21

The Anchorage, Christchurch. Up at 7.0. Packed bags. Roy rode my cycle to Ch Ch. Still attack of P. Up to town by 9.27 & at Stafford Terrace with cycle 1.0pm. Called on Arthur à B. All well. Got to subject of G.O.M as Chinaman. Worked till 9.30pm when dined & had ½ bottle Burgundy. Bed 12.0 after snooze. (*Red ink:* Up to town from Ch Ch.)

Saturday August 22

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.0am. Worked on Gladstone's head from 7.30 to 9.0. Breakfast. After worked till 11.45 when finished & packed. Wrote cheques etc. Off by 1.30 & on with slow horse to Ch Ch via Waterloo. Few porters. 2 others in carriage. Ch Ch 4.50. Home by cart. The Blair Leightons & Miss Johnson at tea. Played 3 sets lawn tennis. Lost all. Young Ward & Saunders against Ward & self. After bathed. Dinner. Played Roy 3 100's up at billiards. Lost 2, won 1. Bed 12.15pm. (*Red ink:* Back to Ch Ch. Played tennis.)

Sunday August 23

The Anchorage, Christchurch. Up at 9.0am. Good breakfast. After a tussle Roy went to church with his aunt. Self wrote many letters, F.C.B etc. The entire morning still attack of P. Wrote many letters. In afternoon looking for yacht. Row boat stuck on sands. Good telescope. Mrs Nugent called & chaffed Tabs. At 5.0 Roy & self cycled to Cat & Fiddle. Missed way. Broke cyclometer. After back 6.30. Took Mite out, caught her up in lane. Roy & self bathed 7.0. Dinner. Sat out in front. Looked at moon with telescope. Roy & self played 2 100 up. Roy won one by 50 points, other self won by 10. Bed 12.0am.

Monday August 24

The Anchorage, Christchurch. Up at 8.15. No bathe. No yacht. Cycled to Christ Church. Cheeky boy at P.O. Back. Passed a travelling menagerie. Tabs wired at 12.0 to Consulate. Looked at 1867 in front. Wrote letters. Lunch. H expected home 3.30pm. At 2.15 cycled to Lyndhurst, Rufus Stone & back by Ringwood 40 miles. Wet after passing Stone. X (*illeg*) Grind against wind. 3G. B & G. Home 7.15pm exactly. Dressed. Bath. Dinner. No billiards. Through Minstead. All very tired. H & self sleepy. Went up to bed at 11.15pm. (*Red ink:* H back from yacht.)(*Red ink across page:* cycled 40 miles to the Rufus Stone.)

Inscription on the Rufus Stone:

"Here stood the oak tree on which an arrow shot by Sir Walter Tyrrel at a stag glanced & struck King William the Second surnamed Rufus on the breast of which he instantly died on the 2nd day of August anno 1100. King William the Second surnamed Rufus being slain as before related was hid in a cart belonging to one Purkiss and drawn from hence to Winchester and buried in the Cathedral Church of that city".

The enclosed stone set up by Lord Delaware who had seen the tree growing in this place. Enclosed by iron 1841 by William Sturge Bourne, Warden.

Tuesday August 25

The Anchorage, Christchurch. Up at 8.20. Went with Roy for last bathe. After breakfast packed & got off by 11.17 from Ch Ch. Mite came in carriage. Up to

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town. Difficulty with permit & collectors. Roy cycled from Vauxhall. Waterloo 2.15. Back by 1 horse buss. Home 3.0. Lunch. After went to look at Roy's cycle at Watkinsons. Hair cut. Heavy rain. Wrote letters & after dressed at 7.0 & Roy & self went in cab to Duke of York's Theatre & after to dine with Ayala at the Savoy Restaurant. Dinner of 8. Ayala, self, Lockett, Roy, nephew, young Lockett, Harry North, Lockett's brother. Not so good a dinner as usual. Roy left for theatre at 9.0. North's yarns. The donkey & love stuck in grating. Left 10.30. At theatre & after to Garrick. Saw Comyn Carr, Johnny Toole, Routledge etc. Heard of Poynter's probable election. Bet Carr £1.0.0 he would not be elected. Left Club 11.45 & home 12.15am. bed. Claret no 52 on list. (*Red ink*: Dined with Ayala at Savoy with Roy.)

Wednesday August 26

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.30am. x. Out on cycle 8.50. Went thro High St. Saw crowd & after 9th Lancers going to Woolwich for South Africa. Went down Earl's Court & along to Hyde Park Corner. At St George's Place counted 420 all told band & all. Back. Breakfast 10.0am. Roy went to Lord's. M shopping. Put things straight etc. After tea in afternoon went in brown suit in cab to Garrick. Called on Welbys. Paid £12.0.0 & selected jewel for Mite. On to Punch dinner. There at 7.5. Only Sir J.T & Arthur, E.I.M (late). Smallest Punch dinner ever at. No Champagne drunk. Talk of F.C.B & left at 9.45. Went to Prince of Wales's theatre. Saw 'On the Move' for 2nd time. Very deaf. Home by hansom. No evening paper. Bed 12.15am. (*Red ink*: Smallest Punch dinner ever at.) (*Cutting glued in*: *The 9th Lancers landed Durban*. D.T. Sep 23.) Saw these lancers go thro Kensington this morning. Arrived Durban at Sepr 23rd.

Thursday August 27

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. Out on cycle down by Worlds End etc. Back & skemed subject of Sultan & also Ranjitsinghi. Photod Roy & Otley. Developed them. Lunch. M out in morning. Rest & after work from 4.30 to 7.0. Dined & after went in hansom to Gaiety Theatre. Saw 'My Girl'. Changed box. Poor play. Coming home hansom cab horse ran into another in the Strand. M frightened. Back. Jewels for Mite had been sent. Read paper. Bed 12.30am. (*Red ink*: Went with M & Roy to see 'My Girl' at the Gaiety Theatre.)

Friday August 28

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.30. x. No ride. Saw papers. Wrote letters & diary. Gave M £2 for 50 francs. After got to work on drawing of Sultan as self pledging goods. Worked all day up to 6.45 when dressed. Mite back from Ch Ch at 3.0 with a bad cold. After dinner went with Roy to see the 'Mikado'. Empty house. Saw Mrs Fowler. Tried to get at Mrs Fowler in dress circle. Could not. After walked with Roy to Garrick. Saw Cooke, Lord Euston etc, Col Jones. Left at 12.0 & home. Bed 12.45am. (*Red ink*: Went with Roy to see the 'Mikado'.)

Saturday August 29

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.30am. Finished drawing of Sultan at 11.30. After left in cab 12.15 for Camera Club. Changed plates. After lunch on venison at the Garrick. Saw Straight, Seton, Hare, Jones, Kendal etc. After at 2.0 photod

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Mademoiselle Dozas. Pretty head. After out at 4.45 & tea at Club. Home by buss at 6.0. Tried cycle. After dressed & dined 7.0. Little dressmaker & Duke of Cambridge. At 8.0 Roy, M & self went in 4 wheeler to see The Geisha, 3rd time. Edgar & Sophy in stalls. Had very luxurious box. Out & home by 11.45. Bed at once. (*Red ink*: Photod Mademoiselle Dozas. Went with M, Roy & self to 'The Geisha' at Daly's Theatre.)

Sunday August 30

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.0 & after breakfast went with Roy & caught the 8.0am train High St, & to Victoria. Good crossing. Saw Pat & Giggles at Dover. Met the Beetle & a young lady. After a Mr Saunders & a Mr Rose Innes. On shore at Calais. Lunched with Roy at Café de Casino. Good. Met an artist & his wife. After thro' the town. Bought cigars at the Buffet & chocolate in the town. Back by (*illeg*). Long talk with Rose Innes etc. Same little solicitor with sprained legs. Also saw Sir Wemyss Reid. Mr Cass reserved a carriage for us. Home 7.50. Dined & to bed early. (*Red ink*: Delightful trip to Calais & back with Roy.) Dec'd Charles Stanley Reinhart. Born May 16 1844. Abstracted from Lippencott, Sunday 20 April 1902. The little solicitor above was Henry Sylvester Lewis. Oh!

Monday August 31

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. x. No cycle. Packing all morning. Gentleman from Stores called. Dull wretched morning. Mite a new box. Dated photos & got artist's bag packed. After packing & lunch began & did very good portrait of Ranjitsinghi. Finished by 6.30pm. Paid books etc etc. Dined 8.30. Bus round at 10.30. Felt unaccountably tired after dinner. Got off. Euston 11.15. Annoyed at price of buss, 15/s, 3/s for man. Good sleeping berths. Turned in at 12.0 & slept. Roy cold in night. Shut window.

Tuesday September 1

On board L & N.W Rly train for Edinboro'. Night mail. Woke up by Guard like Coquelin at 7.0am. Wash & dress. At Edinboro' by 8.20. Rode cycles to the Waverley stationmaster's Office. M & Mite to Royal Hotel. Porter & luggage 3/6. Back & walk to Central Hotel. Back & put luggage with Mr Paton. Breakfast. After had fly & M, Mite, Roy & self went round Edinboro'. Carlton Hill, Holyrood & Auld Reekie etc. After to Castle. M in carriage. Back to lunch. Bad fowl. Dull after. Roy, Mite & self walked round Arcade & went into shops etc. Rain came on. Left in fly for Waverley Station & left by 4.45 for Ayton. Got there six thirty five. Pouring with rain. Galbraith met us. Also a Mr Hudson as guest. To Castle. Left cycles at Station. Tea. Dressed. Dinner & all after sleepy. Bed at 11.30pm. Talk of electricity etc.

Wednesday September 2

Ayton Castle, Berwick. Up 8.0am. Went before breakfast & fetched my bicycle from Station. After spent all the morning tinkering my bicycle. Lunch. Wrote letters. Very wet all day. In afternoon played Roy long sets of putting. After dressed & dinner. Claret. Mite & Roy danced. Read etc. After Flip game. Played till 12.0am. Mite's last evening at Ayton before going to Banchory.

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Thursday September 3

Ayton Castle, Berwick. Up 8.15. Out & read Answers. Bosh. Breakfast. After saw Mite to Edinboro'. Off to Berwick by 10.20. Saw Mr Aitkin. Found had forgotten Mite's permit. Annoyed. Very civil Dis't superintendant, Mr Hardwick, at Edinboro'. Mite off by 1.35. After had good lunch at restaurant, cold beef & Burgundy. Wash. Heavy rain. Out & to Central Hotel & after by tram to Waverley Station. Caught the 2.30. 3rd class carriage to self all the way to Reston. Galbraith met me in break. Home. Tea. Wrote letter to Edinboro'. Afterwards cycled with Roy, Mr Galbraith & Hudson nearly to Berwick & back. Hot. Dressed. Dinner & after played Flip game. Bed at 11.45. Tired. (*Red ink:* Went with Mite to Edinboro'.)

Friday September 4

Ayton Castle, Berwick. Up 8.40. Not out before breakfast. After played many ups & downs putting. Mr Hudson, Roy & self. Roy won. Wrote Hamillton & cheque to bank for notes after. Finer morning. After played many up & down putting & mended cycles. Went at 3.0 for drive in 4 in hand. Walk to bridge, testing weight of stones. Back 5.45. 2 sets of lawn tennis at 6 to 7.0pm. Roy & self won one, Mr Hudson & Mr Anderson one. Dinner. Dominoes & Flip game. Proposed to cycle to Berwick, no go. Bed 12.0am.

Saturday September 5

Ayton Castle, Berwick. Up at 8.35. Walk round the mile walk in the wet. Heavy rain. After breakfast got letters from town & parcel. Settled to work in Boudoir. Galbraith came in & asked me to cycle. He, Roy & Mr Hudson went to Dunbar & came back by road. Lunch. After played Mr Anderson set of golf. Left on cycle to meet others at 5.30. Called at P.O. Met them all. Back. Tea. Played 2 sets lawn tennis, Roy & self v. Mr A & Mr H. Lost both sets. 6.4, 6.4. Dinner. Dominoes & Flip game. Bed at 11.15. (*Red ink:* Roy went for cycle ride to Dunbar. Worked in morning.)

Sunday September 6

Ayton Castle, Berwick. Up at 8.40. Walked round the mile. After Roy, M & all went to church. Worked in morning. Changed. After lunch went over stables & kennels. Played 2 rounds golf. Mr Anderson & Mr Hudson versus Roy & self. We won. Dressed & dinner. Dominoes after.

Monday September 7

Ayton Castle, Berwick. Up at 8.15am. Put on shooting gaberdine suit. Fine morning. Hurry after breakfast. Off by 10.0am. Mr Mitchell Innes at bottom of drive. Roy, Galbraith, self & M.I shot for partridges. Very hot. Walked all day. Got 16 brace & 4 hares, 1 rabbit. Roy's 1st shoot. Back 6.0pm. Long drinks. After Miss Aitkin & Mr & Miss Mitchell Innes dined. Miss M.I nice girl. Bed 11.15. Mr Anderson left in morning. (*Red ink:* 1st day's partridge shoot at Ayton. Very wet in turnips.)

Tuesday September 8

Ayton Castle, Berwick. Up 8.40. Paced the terrace. Mr & Mrs Hudson left. Got to work. Played Roy 2 rounds golf. Settled with Galbraith to go Monday. Lunch. Wrote letters. Worked in morning in Boudoir. Lunch. After read etc. At

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5.30pm went for good cycle spin, Galbraith, Roy & self. Got nearly to Berwick. Met Mr Aitkin coming back. Did 13 miles under the hour. After dressed & dined. Small dinner, only 5. Played Matador after. Bed 11.30pm. Roy stayed up playing with Galbraith.

Wednesday September 9

Ayton Castle, Berwick. Up at 8.40. Breakfast. Slight rain. After played Roy 1 round. Roy 1 up. At 11.0 got to work on drawing in Dressing Room. Cold & damp. Lunch 12.45 & left in break at 1.5pm to shoot, Roy, self & Galbraith. Heavy rain came on. Out till 5.5. Roy shot 2 brace, self 1 bird, 1 hare, Galbraith 1 bird. Hot bath. Wrote many letters. 10 wires came for Galbraith. Mr Hudson back for a patient. Mr Aitkin & his sister came to dinner. Good smoke & Flip game after. Bed at 12.0am. (*Red ink*: 2nd day's partridge shoot at Ayton.)

Thursday September 10

Ayton Castle, Berwick. Up at 8.35. Paced terrace. Bright sun. Galbraith up at 10.20 for Glasgow to look at a house near Stirling. Got to work & finished drawing by 3.15pm. Packed it & wrote Brightmore etc. Bother about table with Mrs G. Slight attack of P. Went on cycle with Roy to Ayton & after to Berwick. Met Mr Hudson turning back. Dense damp sea fog. Got to Berwick 5.40. Bad ginger beer. Started back 5.55pm. Home 6.45. Sea fog cleared. Dinner. Game Flip after. Bed at 11.15. x. (*Red ink*: Rode to Berwick & back in sea fog.)

Friday September 11

Ayton Castle, Berwick. Up at 8.30. Dull sea foggy morning. No walk. Little Ian to have operation by Dr Hudson. After letter from Mite. Spent morning writing letters. Sent Roy with wire etc. Talk to Hudson of Roy. After lunch went in break with Mr Aitkin to play golf at Eyemouth. Mr H & Roy v. Mr A & self. Won 2 rounds by 2 holes up. Curious longshoremen. Bull lost down cliffs. Played till 5.30 when walked home to the castle. Very hot. Drink milk & soda. Galbraith back to dinner. Unsuccessful in search of house. After played Flip game. Bed at 11.40. Late. (*Red ink*: Played golf at Eyemouth.)

Saturday September 12

Ayton Castle, Berwick. Up 8.45. After breakfast got off by 10.0am. Took cycle to station. Galbraith, Mr Hudson, Roy & self trained to Berwick & after to Kelso to cycle home. Roy met someone he knew at Berwick. Rain came down just as we got out at Kelso Station. On to Inn at town. Old ruin & very good lunch. Man like General Booth came in. Remarkable whiskey. Left 1.50. On to Coldstream. G skidded. Across to Swinton. Drink. Mr H's tyre deflated. Across to bridge over the Whiteadder. Skidded in gutter & broke my bell. Rain came on heavily. Got to Chirnside & on home by 6.30. About 34 miles. Long drink. Mite & Mrs Sterman not there. Dressed & bath. Dinner, '74 Champagne. Flip game after. All to bed at 11.10pm. Restless at night. (*Red ink*: Long cycle ride from Kelso. Roads very muddy.)

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Sunday September 13

Ayton Castle, Berwick. Up at 8.35. Dull morning. After breakfast wrote many letters. All went to church except self. Walk with M to Post Office. Very hot. Lunch. After rested. Bicycle cleaning. Mr Hudson's tyre off. Tea. Went into Dairy. Huge antlers. Went into Kitchen garden with Roy 1st time this year. Heavy rain. Back. Wrote Mr Anderson & M.G. After rain Roy & self walked into the Kitchen garden. Back. Dressed. Dinner. Last evening at Ayton. No games of any sort. Quiet evening. Galbraith chaffed Roy about hair. Bed at 11.30pm.

Monday September 14

Ayton Castle, Berwick. Up at 8.15. Out & took cycle to Station. Much finer morning. After breakfast packed. Roy took his cycle. Hudson cleaning his. Got off 12.30. Goodbye to Galbraith etc. At Station all right. Weary journey to Edinboro'. Rain came on. Met Mite at Waverly Station. Went on to the Royal Hotel. After gave Mite tea & saw her off at Waverley for Ayton. Heavy rain. Saw Mr & Mrs Asquith in train. Old gent smoking in 1st class carriage. Back to Hotel. Rain. Roy & self had hair cut. Game of billiards. Self made 24. Beat Roy by 100. After dinner. Drank Burgundy. Very so so dinner. After Roy & self went to the Empire & Palace Music Hall. Manager George Cruickshank. Civil. Not a bad entertainment. Man monkey etc. Out 10.30. Back to Hotel. Played 100 up. Roy won by 1. Bed. Roy had broken a bottle of hair wash into his bag & scented the room. (*Red ink:* M, self & Roy left Ayton Castle for Edinburgh.)

Tuesday September 15

Royal Hotel, Edinburgh. Up at 6.45am. Out at 7.0. Intensely annoyed to find cycle tyre punctured. Walked with Roy to the Caledonian Station. Back & indifferent breakfast. M & self got off comfortably by the 9.40 for Perth. Left Roy en route for south by 10.15. Met Mr Carlisle at Perth. On to Inverness. Slow journey. Got to Inverness $\frac{3}{4}$ hour late. Straight on by Highland Railway to Rogart. Saw Capn & Mrs Daynell at Dingwall. At Rogart punctually & on to Tressady. M & self had little dinner in the Library. Bed after, self at 11.30pm. Moon, Mr & Mrs Pember, Miss Russell & ourselves. Moon is a Captain. (*Red ink:* M & self went north, Roy south. Arrived Tressady Lodge.)

Wednesday September 16

Tressady, Rogart. Up 7.30. Dressed. Breakfast. Wrote 4 letters before B. After 9.30 off in break with Moon to shoot over dogs. Strong wind. Went to the Langwell. Delightful day. Heavy showers. Cloak useful. Talk of McKenzie etc. Shot 9 brace, 4 snipe. Left at 5.40 & home. Tea. Letters & Punch. Comfortable fire. Wrote to (*illeg*). Dressed. Dinner. Game of cards after. Walking out, Courting, Engaged, Banns, Marriage. After whist. Lost 2 rubbers 5/6. Bed 11.55pm. (*Red ink:* 1st day's shoot at Tressady. Capt Moon & self over dogs.)

Thursday September 17

Tressady, Rogart. Up 7.30am. After breakfast got off at 9.30 & walked along burn by Murray's cottage. Drove the woods for black game. Hot walking. After long walk after lunch across to beyond Langwell. Rain came on & kept on till finish. Many drives. Shot 1 blackcock, 1 hawk, 1 rabbit all day. Left off at 4.30

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& drove home in cart at 5.0. Letter from Stone. Lovely hot bath & rest. Left letters in my bag open & money. Quiet dinner. No games. Looked over Miss Russell's book. Whist after, lost 2 rubbers, 7/6. (*Red ink*: 2nd day's shoot. Drive for black game.)

Friday September 18

Tressady, Rogart. Up at 7.30. No shoot. Lovely morning & high wind. Pember & Moon went off to Lairg to shoot. Wrote letters all the morning. V.W & Miss Russell went to Lairg & cycled back by 2.0pm with the wind. Intended to cycle to Dornoch. Slight attack of P. Put it off. Then it came on to rain. Read Poe's William Wilson. Had re-read Keillands stories in the morning & delighted with them. Letter from Agnew & a registered one from Heaton Butler & B. A very wet afternoon. Wasted day & no exercise. Smoked late. Dinner. Took Lady M in. Felt deaf. After had game. Won one round. Game of whist. Won 1/6. Bed 12.15. (*Red ink*: Stayed in all day. Very wet.)

Saturday September 19

Tressady, Rogart. Up at 7.30. After breakfast Vernon & Pember went off to Lairg to fish. Ladies were to have gone but heavy rain came on. Decided not to go. Capt'n Moon left by the 11.0 train, maids waving adieu to the black servant. Read most interesting book on Lies of Civilization & also copied out from game book all the shoots since '83. Lunch at home. After waited for letters. At 4.0 got on Vernon's cycle. Rain came on. Went to Lairg. Passed Lady M & M in pony cart with Rosalind, also 3 ladies. Long pull to Lairg. Funny pig. Heavy rain. Stopped at Hotel. Whisky & soda. Wired F.C.B. Started back at 5.45. Got home 6.45. Bath. Wrote F.C.B. Dressed. Dinner. No whist. Bed 11.30. Gave Vernon 6 Carter's L.L.P. Mr Pember 3, self 3. (*Red ink*: Cycled to Lairg & back, 18 miles. Rough road.)

Sunday September 20

Tressady, Rogart. Up at 8.45am. Finer morning. After breakfast read book on Mars & at 12.0 played Mr Pember a round of golf. Won every hole. Lunch 1.45. Vernon not very well. After all went for walk on the hills. Self by burn, rural etc. Back & wrote letters till dinner time. Post late. After dinner looked at moon & northern lights. Bed at 11.30pm. A dull day very. Oh! In evening after dinner saw the moon through telescope. Also the northern lights were very beautiful. Difficult to get M out.

Monday September 21

Tressady, Rogart. Up 7.40. Hot bath. Sent E.I.M paper on Edgar Poe. Mr & Mrs Pember went to shoot or rather fish. Vernon & self shot the home beat over dogs. A most delightful day. Hot very after lunch. Found an apple most delightful. Shot 16 brace of grouse between us. Self shot 11 grouse. Also missed a teal badly. Back after long day at 6.45. Blazed at rabbit. Others not in. M, Lady M & Miss Russell had been over to Lairg by train & saw the fishings coming back by break. Had long soda & milk. Dinner. Telegrams after. Tired. Dropped pipe in smoking room at 12.15am & to bed. Had attack of P all day. Why? (*Red ink*: Delightful day's shoot over dogs with V.W. Lovely evening.)

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Tuesday September 22

Tressady, Rogart. Up at 7.40. Breakfast by self & away. Mr & Mrs Pember (née Miss Horace Davy) left. Also Miss Russell. Dull wretched wet morning. Vernon & self went with Short Angus in trap to fish Loch Craggie. Got there at 10.50 & rain set in. Very hot walking there. Rain. So bad left at 2.0 after lunch & walked back getting home 3.30pm. V got one trout. Also he made a small harbour of stones. Took a book but could not read it. Hot bath. Whiskey & milk & put on dressing jacket. Wrote Roy & Mite. Rosalind & her Pill Puzzles. Dined quietly, partie carré. Good dinner. Spellicans after. Smoke with Vernon & bed at 11.30. Still raining. (*Red ink:* Dreadfully wet day. V & self drove & fished Loch Craggie. Walk back.)

Wednesday September 23

Tressady, Rogart. Up at 7.35. Breakfast by self at 8.30. A dull windy day. Went up on the hill with Vernon & shot all day at rabbits, 39. Ferret a long time in hole. Burnt him out. Lunch in house. Out again after. An evil looking piper playing up & down on our return. Tea. Bath & wrote letters. Read Sayer's 'The Egypt of the Hewbrews', Rivington Percival. Dressed & last dinner at Tressady. Partie carré. Spellicans after. Very sleepy. Took one Carters L.L.P. Bed 11.30. Talk with Vernon of Littlecote at dinner. To go there.

Thursday September 24

Tressady, Rogart. Up at 7.30. Packed. Breakfast. Lady M down first. Good bye to Vernon 9.45. Valet 10/s Macken £1 Angus 7/6. Wrote diary & ready to be off 10.0am. Left 10.30. Lady M would open gate. Lady M went to Lairg to fish. Left us. Saw Lord Loch. On to Perth by 7.20. Soup & nothing else. Saw Mr Blair at Inverness. Looked wretched. Left Perth 8.0pm. Went to sleep at 8.30 & woke 7.30am, 11 hours rest. Very comfortable carriage.

Friday September 25

On board train going south. Euston. Up 7.30. Man no good with tickets. Arrived Euston at 8.15. Bother with luggage. Got buss & off by 8.45. Home by a roundabout way by Athenaeum Club. Arrived 9.15. Breakfast. No letters of importance. Letter from F.C.B to say 'No subject'. Just like him. All day unpacking. Men doing the Electric Light from Maples. Developed at 2.0pm to 3.45 plates taken of Miss G, April 29th & some of Mlle D taken Saty Aug 29th. Long afternoon tidying up & doing nothing. Worried about work. Wrote letters. M & self dined quietly after by ourselves. Had grouse. Quiet evening after & bed. (*Red ink:* 1st day back at Stafford Terr. Very disappointed at not getting subject from F.C.B.) (*Cutting glued in: Death of Miss Bessie Bellwood. W, Sep 25.*)

Saturday September 26

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. 1st cycle ride. Called Burnands & round by World's End. Home Redcliffe Gardens. Strong wind & rough weather. After breakfast developed a good many plates taken Apl 29th last. Left to go to Garrick. Called Verity's about Electric Light & after lunched at Garrick. Saw Sir Wm Howard Russell, Stone & Cyril Maude. Talk to Jones. After called at Camera & changed plates. On to Athenaeum Club & home after by buss.

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Quiet dinner with M & evening after. Bed 11.30. (*Red ink*: Went to Garrick & Athenaeum Club. Gumboil in jaw.)

Sunday September 27

Stafford Terrace. Up at 9.0. Breakfast 9.30. Strong gale & heavy clouds. In morning put things away. Developed plates etc & after lunch at 2.10 started for long cycle ride. Went to Clapham, Tulse Hill, Dulwich, Forest Hill (St Columbs) Crystal Palace, Thornton Heath & round by Mitcham & Wimbledon home. 34 miles. Got frightfully wet at Mitcham Common. Poor man could not get beer. Ginger & gin at Morton. Difficulty to light cycle lamp. Home from Wimbledon in the dark. Got home 7.15. Wet thro'. Bath & dinner. Tired. Bottle of Burgundy. Fire in Drawing Room. Bed 11.30. Slept well. (*Red ink*: 34 mile cycle ride in gale & wet. Crystal Palace etc. Fred Barnard burnt to death. Gumboil in jaw.) (*Cutting glued in: Inquest on Frederick Barnard. Obituary Fred Barnard. Times Oct 1.*)

Monday September 28

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. Out & round Park on cycle. Lovely morning. Did plates. Letters etc & left at 11.45 to walk thro' Park. Called Butts, got pears etc, on up Park. Very few there. Buss to top of Piccadilly. Called Camera. Lunch at Garrick. Saw Wicks & Evans. At 2.0 to Camera. New model, Miss E.L. Very small, not much good. Out after tea. Home by buss. Dressed. Dined 6.45pm & went with M to Lyceum by hansom cab. Saw Cymbeline. Percy & Will Oakes & Mrs Percy there in same row of stalls. Good play. Home by cab 11.45. M's birthday at 12.0am. Wrote two letters & posted them. Smoked & read Punch till 12.45 when to bed. (*Red ink*: Lovely day. Lunched Garrick. Went to see 'Cymbeline' at the Lyceum. Gum boil in jaw.)

Tuesday September 29

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. Out on cycle round Park. Death of Fred Barnard in papers. After in morning developed a great many plates. Lunch. At 3.0pm cycled to Wimbledon & Richmond. Lovely ride. Saddle broken of cycle. Back 5.45pm. Tea a long time after wrote diary & letters. Quiet dinner & evening after. (*Red ink*: M's birthday. Quiet day. Cycled to Wimbledon. Gum boil in jaw.)

Wednesday September 30

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. Lovely morning. Roy's saddle on cycle. Round Park. Called 17 Oxford Square. Home. After did drawing of Austin Poet Laureate on Turkey. Finished at 1.15. Dressed & left at 2.0. Cab to Camera Club. Saw Bergheim 3.0pm. Took a few photos Miss L for studies Xmas No. After tea Garrick Club. Saw Lawrence Bradbury & legal bore, Whittle, Stone's friend. At 6.40 buss on to P.D. Slight attack of P. There up in room. Dinner. F.C.B, J.T, self, Arthur à B, R.L, L.B, E.I.M (late) B.P, E.T.R. Chaff. 'Shot at his house'. Talk of Xmas No after. Left with J.T, Isthmium. Home by buss. Bed 1.0am. 1st since Wedy July 29th. (*Red ink*: 1st Punch dinner since back. Photod E.L for 2nd time. No good. Gum boil in jaw.)

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Thursday October 1

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.10am. Very foggy. Out on bicycle. Went round Park & past D.M's. Saw Mrs D.M. Home. Breakfast. Skemed subject of Harcourt & Rosebery. At 11.45 photod Otley, Stace & self, 5 photos. Developed them & put to dry. Got prints by 4.30pm & on to work until 8.15 when dined (M & self) quietly. Good dinner. Read finish of History of Napoleon in The Century after & bed at 12.0am. More or less seedy all day after the Punch dinner. (*Red ink*: Gum boil in jaw.)

Friday October 2

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Out 8.25 on cycle & round Park. Called to enquire how poor D.M was. Home & got to work all day & up to 9.0pm on drawing of Harcourt & Rosebery. Strangely tired in afternoon. Sleep from 2.30 to 4.0pm. After dinner (M & self) dozed in chair. Woke up at 1.0am in curious cold sweat. Had to rub dry before going to bed. Never had such a thing before. (*Red ink*: Gum boil in jaw.) (*Cutting glued in: Will of William Morris*. Thursday Dec 17, 96.)

Saturday October 3

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. x. Down at 9.20 got to work & finished drawing of Harcourt & Rosebery by 11.15. After put all things away & at 12.30 dressed. Did lunch at 1.0 & left in carriage with cob at 1.30 for Drury Lane, Difficulty about stalls. After had small stage box. Changed to Box AA. Saw The Duchess of Coolgardie (M & self) a poor wretched concoction. Miss Spong fine girl. Out 5.0. Walked thro' Covent Garden. Bought nuts & pears. Put M in cab. Called at Garrick. Letter from E.L. After to Athenaeum. Met Honest John Hollingshead. After saw Calderon at Athenaeum. Home by buss. Curious bursting of a cycle tyre opposite Hyde Park Club. Had called for seats at Empire. M would not go. Dressed. Evelyn Coward dined with us. Dozed after whilst she sang. Read Max Nordau's Degeneration. (*Red ink*: Went to see matinée of 'The Duchess of Coolgardie'. Gum boil in jaw.)

Sunday October 4

Stafford Terrace. Up at 9.0am. x. Intended to have cycled & to have crossed to Calais. Did neither. Very strong wind from the SSW & threat of rain. M to church. Sorted Sketch's & St Paul's. Got ready to cycle to Vauxhall to go to Guildford. Spencer & Daggles in at 12.30. Gave Daggles 5/s. Lunch by self 12.50 & started 1.0pm. Orton on steps. Found slight P & heavy rain came on. Got as far as Kensington Palace Gardens when turned & came home completely wet. Wrote letters & diary. M had her lunch by herself. Went up into bedroom, sorted Gentlewoman. After at 3.20 cycled 17 miles thro' Richmond, Roehampton & home. Found Percy & wife, Evelyn Coward there & afterwards that ass Paxton who stayed till 7.20. Wrote letters & sent spats. Dined 8.0 M & self. Bottle of burgundy. (*Red ink*: Much wind & rain. Could not cross Channel or go to Guildford. Cycled 17 miles. Gum boil in jaw.)

Monday October 5

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. Cycled round. Called to enquire how Du Maurier was. Lovely sunny morning but windy. Breakfast. In morning printed all back prints of studies for work & after lunch at 3.0 cycled 19 ¼ miles through

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Chiswick over Kew Bridge, Richmond & thro' Park, Roehampton & home. M back at tea time 5.15. Dressed & at 5.30 got to work seriously on Calendar. Worked till 8.10 when M & self dined quietly. Dixon put in tap in lower W.C. A very great success. Why has it not been done 15 years ago? Bed at 12.0 after snooze.

Tuesday October 6

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0. x. Out on cycle. Drizzley rain. Round by Park Lane & millionaires' houses. Breakfast. Letters from Mite & Vernon. 1st use of water tap. Great success. After got to work & went on with Calendar. Heavy rain & gale. The Emperor of Russia in Paris. Great fêtes. M had several girls called who made a great noise. Worked up to 8.0pm when dined with M quietly. Bed 12.0 after snooze.

Wednesday October 7

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. Out on cycle & went round Park. Called to enquire about D.M. Back. Breakfast & after got on with drawing of Calendar. Worked up to 5.15 when dressed & left for Punch dinner. Went by buss & put down at Athenaeum. Wrote 3 letters & on to Garrick & after again by buss to P.D. Phil Agnew, Phil May, Bernard Partridge, Henry W Lucy, Anstey Guthrie, Francis Cowley Burnand, John Tenniel, Linley Sambourne, Arthur William à Beckett, Rudolph Lehmann there. No Milliken. Reed seedy. F.C.B said D.M was down about himself. No wonder! Got subject of German Emperor as actor, Tenniel subject of Arena. Also 4 sketch books with rings. Left with Tenniel at 11.10 & home by buss after Isthmium.

Thursday October 8

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.10am. Cycled 8.30 to St James's Theatre. Photod it. Milkmaid with yoke. Back round Bayswater. Breakfast 9.30. Letter from Mite. After saw in papers Lord Rosebery's resignation of leadership of the Liberal Party. Sent note to F.C.B. Got answer. After skemed German Emperor as actor. At 12.0 photod Otley 3 positions. Developed. Lunch. Went on to enlarge after from 2.0pm till 4.30. Very tired. M went out at 3.30pm. Came back at 5.0 with news of poor D.M's death at 2.0am this morning. Got to work after writing diary etc. Drew in picture of German Emperor in outline. Dined 8.0pm & quiet evening afterwards. Bed 11.30. (*Red ink: News of death of poor Du Maurier.*) (*Cuttings glued in: Death of George Du Maurier. Will of George Du Maurier. Nov 14.*)

Friday October 9

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. Bicycled round Park & home. News of Lord Rosebery's resignation of the leadership. Wrote Burnand & sent Otley with it. Went on with drawing of German Emperor & worked hard all day & finished it at 9.15pm. Sent it off. Dined with M after quietly. Had eels for dinner. Eat too much. Rest after & bed at 12.0pm after snooze. Not very tired. The above sending Otley to F.C.B refers to yesterday. See overleaf.

Saturday October 10

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. After writing letters got to work & did 2nd cut of Lord Rosebery as Dr Primrose in the Vicar of Wakefield to F.C.B's

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instructions. Did a careful drawing & finished it by 1.15pm & sent it off. After dressed & lunched & left by 2.0pm in carriage with cob for Avenue Theatre. Called Lincoln & Bennett & after could not get hat on to Theatre. Saw a most stupid piece 'Monte Carlo'. Aida Janvure & others. Kate Cutler, the sisters Belfry. Out at 5.15. Put M in a buss for home & went to the Athenaeum & wrote 3 or 4 letters, one to Mrs D.M, & had tea. Saw Dr Playfair who said with great bad taste to me that D.M was not well off. Also saw Calderon. Left at 7.10 & home by buss. Quiet dinner with M. After read stupid book, the Island of Dr Morreau. Bed 12.0 after snooze. (*Red ink*: M & self went to Avenue Theatre.)

Sunday October 11

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.15 & breakfast 8.55. After got off easily by cart with cycle & drove to Waterloo. Met Guthrie & caught the 10.5am train for Guildford by Leatherhead. Man in 3rd class carriage most intelligent who said he was 72 years old. Got to Guildford at 11.30 & started. Rode thro' Albury, Shere, Gomshall, Abinger, Abinger Hatch & on to Dorking. There to lunch at the Burford Arms Hotel & after on through Leatherhead & Leatherhead Common to Surbiton & thro' Ham Gate to Star & Garter at Richmond. Had good tea & left at 4.30pm. Home by Putney. Guthrie left at Tattersall's house. Home 5.55. Had bath etc. Evelyn Coward there. Mr Sterne had called. After wrote letters etc & this till 7.30pm. Cycled 42 miles & not in the least tired. Mabel Wallace came in as writing this. After Jacomb Hood dined. Partie carré, Mabel W, J.H, M & self. Good dinner. M tried to make Hood admire Mabel. No good. H stayed till 12.0am. M telling story of striking 12. Bed after. Read Island of Dr Moreau book. Jacomb Hood & Miss Wallace dined. (*Red ink across page*: Guthrie & self cycled from Guildford 43 miles.)

Monday October 12

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. x. No cycle ride. After got to work all day on Calendar. Lunch, M & self. Rest after. Sent Otley to Mudie's to change books. Heard of young Sington's death. After quiet dinner at 8.15 & read Pepys Diary, the last volume afterwards. Bed at 12.0. A horrid wet day all day. Men from the Stores came to do the Virginia Creeper & went away on account of the wet. (*Cuttings glued in: Death of Ernest Sington. Death of Lady Malcolm of Poltalloch.*)

Tuesday October 13

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.10am. Cycled round Park. Saw wreaths going in to 17 Oxford Square. Home 9.35. Breakfast. Bright cold morning. Men doing creeper. Worked on Calendar. Discovered had done it on rotten paper. Lunch 1.30pm. After put on black dress & walked at 2.15 over Campden Hill. Saw Brenda & Mrs Coward & met Violet Hunt. Cab to Gloucester Square. Met at Phil Agnews, F.C.B, J.T, P.A, L.B, self, A à B, H.W.L, B.P, A.G, P.M, E.I.M. Went in mourning coach with Lucy & à Beckett. At church saw Sir Ed Reed, Poynter, Bancroft, Warren, Arthur Lewis, Heseltine, Storey, Monckton, Henry James, Swain, Ray Lancaster, Gilbert & many others. Also D.M family. Service at 3.30 & the small casket lowered into open grave. Many people. Left in carriage with F.C.B, J.T, E.I.M, & self. F.C.B got out at Swiss Cottage. Self & E.I.M walked across Park & then went home. Lady Margaret Watney &

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Rosalind there. Evelyn Coward & Mabel Wallace had called. Changed. Tea. Wrote letters & diary & after got to work. Heavy rain at 5.30 came on. Worked up to 8.15 when dined M & self by ourselves. Read Pepys Diary after. (*Red ink*: What I took for Sir E. Reed was Mr Steincopff. Went to Interment of Remains by Cremation of poor Du Maurier. Caught a bad cold. (*Cutting glued in*: Funeral of Mr Du Maurier. Times Wedy Oct 14 '96.)

Wednesday October 14

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Out on cycle & round by Knightsbridge & Redcliffe Gardens. Saw Marsden. Back & to work on drawing of Calendar. Worked all day up to 6.15pm when M not having used the carriage drove with cob in dog cart to the P.D. There 7.10pm. F.C.B, J.T, self, A à B, E.I.M (not very late) L.B out of his place, P.M, H.W.L & Anstey G. After Guthrie felt faint & left the Punch table. Got some sort of subjects for Xmas N^o & good cartoon of Gladstone as Cincinnatus. Left with J.T at 11.0. Talk of Sir Henry Thomson. Home by buss. There 11.45. Read papers & bed.

Thursday October 15

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Out & round by Redcliffe Gardens & along Lillie Road. Back & after breakfast skemed drawing of Gladstonius Cincinnatus. Photod Otley at 11.30. Developed. Dull wretched day. Rest after lunch. Jackymot here with a cold. M went in carriage to see Tabs at 3.45. Back 6.0pm. Worked on to 8.30pm. Got on with cartoon very well. Dined & after with great amusement read Pepys last volume & his amour wirh Deborah Willett, Deb. Bed at 11.45. Tabs up at Alexandra Hotel. (*Red ink*: Slight snuffly cold came on in throat at first.)

Friday October 16

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. x. Wet but out on cycle, 3 times up & down Redcliffe Gardens. Tried Jaeger saddle. Fraud. Completed 1000 miles at 9.20am Stafford Terrace. M wrote to Tabs to say would not dine at Savoy tonight. Worked all day & finished cartoon of Gladstone as Coriolanus(*sic*) at 8.15pm. Dressed. Tabs dined with us & left at 10.30pm, the maid Taylor coming for her. Cold heavy at night. Had quinine. (*Red ink*: Cold developed into head. Bad. Tabs came & dined with us. Completed 1000 miles on cycle.)

Saturday October 17

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Out at 8.40 & cycled round & called F.C.B. Went down Gloucester Rd & saw Madame Louise's husband on a cycle. Back & in the morning at 11.0 got to work & shaded calendar. No box for the Shaftesbury Theatre. After lunch my cold feeling bad sat in the Morning Room & read Pepys Diary. Very much amused acct of Deborah Willett. Spencer called. M back to tea. Poor books from Library. Up at 5.15 in room again & worked till 8.0 when dined quietly with M. Had chest rubbed & hot whiskey. Went to bed at 11.30pm & slept well. (*Red ink*: In all day. Worked on Calendar. Marie Buhler left at 7.0pm and new French Swiss maid came, Emilie Jotterend. M.B came Monday Oct 22, '94.)

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Sunday October 18

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.15am & at 8.45 went on cycle to Garrick Club along wood. Wet with heavy rain but bright sun, N.W. wind. Letter from E.L. at Club. Back along Oxford St & home 9.40. M gone to church. Cold very heavy & bad. Got to work 11.15 to finish Calendar. Spencer called in morning. After lunch, Evelyn Coward lunched. Rested & smoked in M's room. Read Harper's & Century. Mr Bethell called. Down 5.30 & wrote legend on 6 drawings for the Fine Art Society. At 7.15 dressed & M & self went in carriage to dine at the Heilbut's. Took Mrs Heilbut in. Met Weedon & Mrs G, Marshall Hall, Orwin, Douglas Straight, the Walks's, Mrs Mathews & others. 20 in all. Left 11.0 & home by carriage. Cold better. (*Red ink: Dined at the Heilbut's.*)

Monday October 19

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.10am. Wet, no ride. In all day & finished at 6.0pm the calendar. Carefully finished it. Had to use white. M went out in carriage in the afternoon & went in wet to Mudie's & got 3 new books & the Pepys I sent back on Saty. Rest in afternoon. M & self dined quietly. Bed at 12.30 after snooze. Cold still on all day but mending I hope. After dinner wrote an application for 400 £1 Preference Shares to Messrs Harmsworth Limited. (*Cutting glued in: Death of John Edensor.*)

Tuesday October 20

Stafford Terrace. Our Wedding day. M remembered it. Had to stay in bed (M). Up at 8.0 & on cycle along to end of Redcliffe Gardens. Men in Stafford Terrace putting the Electric Light on to our house. Saw the Foreman at 11.0. They laid the pipe & all covered over by noon. Otley in & wanted tools. Began to work on 2nd page of Almanack. Got on in afternoon very well. Put Punch in. Evelyn Coward with M. Quiet dinner & bed after reading. Sent Otley to Mudie's in afternoon & to Stores for tools & sponges. See above. (Electric light attached to the main across the road. Begun today & put on tomorrow, over leaf.)

Wednesday October 21

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Did not cycle. Dull wet morning. Cold. Got on all day with drawing of the 1st Foot for Xmas No. Rested after lunch & left for Punch dinner at 6.10pm. Went by buss to Piccadilly Circus. Walked thro' Trafalgar Square & saw the Nelson Column with a wreath round it. Decorated. Buss to Bouverie St. At P.D. William Agnew, E.I.M (late) E.T.R, A.G, F.C.B, J.T, self, A à B, R.L. Agnew called me Kiki! An omen? Lehmann overbearing & rude in chaff. Long talk with Tenniel & E.I.M after. Left 11.5 & home with J.T & by Isthmum. Buss home. No evening paper. Bed at 12.45qm. The Electric Light put on this day by the Notting Hill Company. (*Cutting glued in: Death of Charles Colnaghi.*)

Thursday October 22

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Wet cold morning, did not ride. Walked round Campden Hill. After breakfast skemed subject of Rosebery as Fat Boy. Photod Stace at 11.45. Gentleman from Verity's called. Had sent Otley for the mare. Tried Electric Light in Dining Room for 1st time. Rest after lunch. Lovely sunny afternoon. Got prints & to work 5.0pm. M had lunched with the Mabel

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Wallaces & met a lady of title. Who? Got on with work up to 8.0pm when dined with M. Very cold in the evening. Lady Maitland. Oct 21 1897.

Friday October 23

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.5. Out in gale round Park. Road round Serpentine blocked. Home 9.5. Breakfast. After wrote many cards & letters. Printed phos. M still in bed. Got to work & worked all day on drawing of Lord Rosebery as Fat Boy. (Last drew one of him Friday June 20th 1884. What has happened between?) Worked up to 8.45 when sent boy back & dined at 9.0, M & self. After read. Snooze & to bed 12.0am.

Saturday October 24

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. No cycle ride. Went on after breakfast & finished drawing of Rosebery as Fat Boy. Not till 12.45. After dressed & went after lunch with M to look over goods for sale at No 10 Phillimore Gardens. Nothing much. After by carriage to Daly's Theatre. Saw the Nelson Column decorated & The Geisha for the 3rd time. Very good. Barrington in it. Saw Sir Thomas Lucas. Out & on in splashing mud to 148 New Bond St, Private View of English Humourists. Drawings looked well. After back. Left M at Midge's. After bought pears & nuts. Home. Wrote cards & letters. Dinner. M read 'Without Sin' by Mrs Augustus Moore under a nom de plume. Self Paradoxes by Nordau. Snooze till 12.30am. Bed. Did not sleep well, awake for hours. Woke with a nightmare of 2 men coming to assault me on way from a sort of Fair. Had a paper cap on. (*Red ink:* M & self went to hear 'The Geisha' for 3rd time.) (*Cutting glued in: Death of Maria Ansdell.*)

Sunday October 25

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.30. Out on cycle to end of Radcliffe Gds. Saw Coward going to Golf. M out to church. Had good breakfast & after sorted letters etc. Red ink & knife put right. Thunderstorm at noon. Sun after. Wrote cards & letters. Put summer trowsers away. Moth in ditto coat. Conrad called. Lunch. Dora, Miss Mackenzie, Mabel Wallace, Edgar & Sophia Herepath in to lunch. Great crowd. Smoke after with Edgar. Spencer & Will Oakes in after. Left at 3.20 & went to Tattersalls. Saw Langley's horses. Also Ethel English, Percy Holland etc etc. Left & on by buss to the Athenaeum Club. Wrote a great many letters. Sent cheque £100 to Coutts for Harmsworth's. Saw Orchardson. Tea. Left 7.0. Posted letters. Home by buss. Young Buckmaster & Effie Harrison to dinner. Smoke after. (*Red ink:* Went to Tattersalls & to Athenaeum Club to write letters all afternoon.)

Monday October 26

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. Out 8.30. Bright sun. Fine morning. Met Col Giles & a lady cycling. Went to end of Redcliffe Gardens & back. Great cab strike in London. Got to work on 2nd Almanack drawing. Letters from Mite. Worked on on drawing up to dinner time from 5.0 to 8.0pm. At 2.0pm cycled from house to Richmond Park & back 4.30pm. M out in carriage. Langley's horses sold at Tattersalls, average bill 55 guineas. Quiet dinner at home. Man from Maples doing Electric Light all day. Left them not finished. (*Red ink:* Sale of Langley's horses.)

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Tuesday October 27

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. x. Out on cycle. Cold. Went to Knightsbridge & thro' Park, Park Lane & past D.M's late house & home. A young man from Wing's had called & was at house. Annoyed. Why did M let him in. After breakfast went on with work for Almanack. Man from Maples finished the Electric Lights. In afternoon read Max Nordau's Paradoxes to M. No one called but Evelyn Coward. At 8.0 Hamilton, Midge & Conrad dined. Quiet dinner. Whiskey & soda, no Champagne. M had gone to Stores. Sent Otley to Mudie's to change books. They left at 11.30pm. Something I took, probably 2 glasses of Kummel & the ½ glass of whiskey after, disagreed with me & gave me a sick headache all day tomorrow. (*Red ink:* Langleys & Conrad dined with us.) (*Cutting glued in: Obituary Dr George Harley.*)

Wednesday October 28

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. x. No cycle ride cold foggy morning. Spencer & Evelyn Coward in. Miss Rawlinson married. M & Evelyn out in Regent St. Got on with drawing for Xmas N^o. After lunch rested. Felt unaccountably bilious & sick headache all day probably from taking Kummel. Could not work. After tea did an hour's work & then dressed & by two busses to the Punch dinner. Wm Agnew, P.M, E.I.M (late) E.T.R, A.G, F.C.B, J.T, self, A à B, R.C.L. Agnew dull & heavy. Don't like the look of him. Discussion about Jessie Monckton that was. Told Lehmann 'They are Jews'. Got good cut of Bismarck, Tenniel the American Presidency. Left at 11.0 after talk with Tenniel & Milliken. Home by buss after being put down Isthmium. 1st night in room Electric lamps. Success. (*Red ink:* Very seedy. Sick headache all day.)

Thursday October 29

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. Dull cold raw foggy morning. No ride or walk. Sent Otley up for waterproof oilskins to Cordings. Wrote diary & letters. Skemed cartoon of Bismarck blowing up 'Triple Alliance' ironclad at 11.45. Photod Otley as Pilot in oilskins. Foggy but came out all right. Developed & put to dry. After a rest went on to finish shading of 'The First Foot'. Worked up to 8.30pm. Boy came for it but had to go back. M & self dined quietly. Snooze & bed after.

Friday October 30

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Cycled round Park past D.M's house & out at Pembridge Gardens. Home. Breakfast. Finished drawing of the First Foot at 12.0. Letter from F.C.B. Sent it off. Got to work on cartoon after rest after lunch & got it mostly outlined by 9.0pm when dined, M & self by ourselves. Snooze in chair afterwards & up to bed at 12.30pm. (*Red ink:* Sent off second page of Xmas N^o. Lucky as F.C.B wrote to do without it. Went at 12.0.)

Saturday October 31

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Not out. At 9.45 got to work & finished drawing of Bismarck blowing up the Triple Alliance with a torpedo. Finished 12.30. Had wired F.C.B. Lunch after putting things away & at 2.30 pm cycled thro' Brentford, Hampton, Kingston & Putney. Stopped at King's Head Roehampton. Home by 5.10, 27 miles. Called Burnands. M in shortly after. Went into Kensington to get hair cut. Could not. Not a shop open. Bought

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lobster. Home. Room being done up to 7.30pm. After M & self dined quietly & read after. Bed at 12.0 after rest. Last night of the 'Mikado', had run 1035 nights.

Sunday November 1

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.30am. Did not cycle before breakfast. In morning M to church. After began Mars page in earnest & skemed it out. Spencer came in & Evelyn Coward stayed to lunch. After went by buss to Athenaeum Club & wrote many letters, amongst them one to Robert Willis junior. Saw Orchardson who said probably Rivière would be elected P.R.A. Had tea & went home by buss. Mabel Wallace dined with us. Quiet evening & bed at 12.0 after reading. (*Red ink:* Began last page of Xmas N^o.)

Monday November 2

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am & cycled to F.C.B's. Saw Rosie. Sent letter off to Ramsgate. Back & got on with drawing all day for Xmas page on 'Mars'. In afternoon my light (incandescent) went wrong completely. Sent Alice & fortunately man came up at once to put it right. Cost me 6/s. M out in carriage. Worked till 8.45. Dined at 9.0pm. Mervyn & Ethel H came in unexpectedly. Had a poor dinner. Turbot poor & Marmite also. They left 11.0pm. Read & bed after snooze. Mabel Wallace out with M in carriage all afternoon. Spoilt my rest in chair after lunch. (*Red ink:* Worked hard all day on Xmas N^o, last page.)

Tuesday November 3

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Very foggy morning. Got on early to finish last drawing of Almanack, Mars. Worked all day until 9.45 when finished. Dined at 10.0pm, very late. Sent Otley at 5.30 to meet Mite & change books. Mite home safely at 7.45pm. Had a little dinner in Drawing Room. Snooze after dinner & to bed at 12.30. 1st Electric Light 16 candles. Man from Maples came & fixed plugs to burners etc. (*Red ink:* Finished Xmas Number at 9.45pm. Mite returned from Scotland at 7.45pm.)

Wednesday November 4

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0. Very tired. Did not go out. Tidied up in morning. Put away phos & altered handle on chest of drawers etc etc. M & Maud went to Prince of Wales's Theatre to see Westland Marston's play of Donna Diana. Bouchier's Farewell to America. Very poor. Rested in afternoon. After at 4.20 went in carriage to Theatre, met M & Maud & sent them home. Called at 90 Shaftesbury Avenue for cycle saddle & after to Verity's. At Garrick saw Toole etc. Wrote letters & on to Punch dinner. Had hair cut at Henry 8th. On to P.D. Phil Agnew, Phil M, E.T.R. H.W.L, A.G, F.C.B, J.T, self, A à B, E.I.M (late) & B.P (late 10.20.) Election at the R.A. Great excitement & terrible disappointment at Poynter's election. Left with J.T in cab. Home. Met Alice at door. Bed 12.30. Nothing of Poynter in Westminster. (*Red ink:* E.J.Poynter elected President of the R.A. D- him.)

Thursday November 5

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. x. Hesitated whether to ride on cycle & take the R.A. Did not. Trouble to find Israel in Egypt. After bother by man putting

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down linoleum floor cloth from Treloars. Moved clock. M pottering about. Wrote letters all morning. Wrote diary. No wire from Agnew's. Waiting about all morning. After rest after lunch. Got to work at 4.0 on drawing of Poynter from his own picture. Got it from small reproduction from St Paul's. Worked till 8.0 when dined, M, Maud & self. Maud danced afterwards. Bed at 12.0 after snooze. (*Red ink*: Floor cloth put down on landing by Treloar's man.) (*Cutting glued in*: *Death of the Rev W. Makellar.*)

Friday November 6

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. Tried new saddle for cycle. Would not stop on spindle. Went up & looked at R.A & home down Bond St & by Notting Hill. Frost & cold but lovely morning. Back & on with work very hard all day on drawing of Poynter being dragged into the R.A. M & Mite dined at 6.30 & went with Mr Carlisle to the Haymarket Theatre to see 'Under the Red Robe'. Self worked on till 9.45 when dined. They were back at 11.30pm. Had been resting with electric light out. Bed 12.0am. Tired. (*Cutting glued in*: *Death of Hubert Crackenthorpe. Obituary Hubert Crackenthorpe. Times 25 Dec.*)

Saturday November 7

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.45 & down. Got on with drawing of Poynter. Letter from F.C.B. Roy back from Eton at 10.0am. Finished at 12.30pm. After dressed & lunched. Left at 2.0 with Roy & took a poor cab to Haymarket Theatre. Changed cheque at station. Had Box No 1. Sir J. Tenniel, Midge & Dora, Spencer & Adah & Ethel Mervyn in box, Roy & self, 8 of us. Saw 'Under the Red Robe'. Very good. Partridge better. Herbert Waring A1. Out at 5.20 & home on outside buss. Came on to rain. Bought fruit & also brawn at Hudsons. Confusion at dinner & late. Left, M & Mite in carriage & Roy & self in hansom, at 7.45 for Haymarket Theatre. Saw Cymbeline for 2nd time. Pouring with rain. Saw Binns Smith, Mrs Tadema, Henschel, Arthur à B at theatre. Sent M back by carriage. Roy & self to Club. Saw Joe Carr Jones, young Bancroft etc. Had 4 marrow bones. Sent 2 away & could not get them after. Paid Joe Carr £1 lost to him on Tuesday August 25. Had 4 wheeler, home at 12.45. Passed by buss. Bed 1.40. Electric light. (*Red ink*: Roy back from Eton for Exeat.) (*Red ink across page*: Went to matinée of Under the Red Robe and to play of Cymbeline in the evening. Very wet.)

Sunday November 8

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.55. Tired & slight head. Good breakfast. Horrid morning, wet & raw. After put Drawing Room right. Evelyn Coward in at 11.30am. Maud stamping paper. After Roy & self went by omnibus to Park Lane & called on Sir William Agnew. Saw him looking very seedy. Walked home thro' Park, a N.E gale o'wind blowing heavily. Lunch. Good. After arranged the Electric light. Up in M's room for snooze. Cold. Young Buckmaster, Banbury & Moley called, also a Miss Dunn. Long afternoon. After wrote letters etc. Dinner at 8.0pm. Mr Carlyle & Ethel Mervyn there to dinner. C a hass I fear. Stayed till 11.15. Ghost stories. Roy at home to dinner. (*Red ink*: Roy at home. Called on Sir Wm Agnew. Great gale.)

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Monday November 9

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.20. Bath. Fine morning. After breakfast squared prints etc. Maud a cold. M & Roy & self by buss to Queens Gate & afterwards walked up Row. Left M. Took hansom Roy & self to bottom of Bouverie St. Walked to Punch Issuing Office. There 12.40. Lord Mayor's Procession came past 12.55 & past by 1.30. Motor car. Pleasant lunch, Mr & Mrs Lucy, A à B, 2 sons, Milliken, Phil A, Lawrence B, 2 Miss Bradburys etc & one or two did not know. Roy kept his hat on. Left 3.5pm. Called at Garrick & on to Athenaeum. Carriage there. Sent Roy back with M & he went back to Eton by 5.5. Stayed at Club from 4.0 to 7.0pm. Read Scribner & book on Devil Tree. Saw Dicksee. Back by buss. Home 7.30. Mite in room with cold. M & self dined together. M sleepy after dinner. Bed at 11.15. M knocked. xx. (*Red ink across page*: Good lunch at Punch Issuing Office. Lovely day for Lord Mayor's Show.)

Tuesday November 10

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.50am. Lovely frosty morning. Out on cycle & tried for 1st time Patisson saddle. Very good. Breakfast. Took Tip round. M to stores at 10.0am. Man at windows. Mite in bed with a cold. After in morning tidied up & squared photos etc. Lunch. Doubtful as to cycle ride. At last at 3.0pm went with Patisson saddle to Richmond Park & out Robin Hood Gate. Saddle hurt me. Not so pleased with it. Had 20th Century lamp. Very good. Home 5.30pm. Tea. Verity's had sent standard lamp. Sat & read. Many girls had been up to see Mite in bed with cold. After M & self dined by ourselves. Read Lord Dundonald & up to bed 11.30pm.

Wednesday November 11

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. No ride. Fine morning. Man came to ease doors & after man from Treloar's to finish landings. In morning toned prints. Orton in to see Mite for cold. After Otley & self cleared Bath Room. Dressed & away at 12.30. Buss to Garrick. Lunched with Frank Lockwood who told me all about American visit. Saw Evans, Arthur Stirling, Craik etc. After out & went to see Mr Smith. Met Hobhouse & Vernon W & Rosalind in room. Told Smith about Willis's insurance. Out 4.30. Called Evereds & after walked on to Maples. Felt seedy. My ear had burst out during lunch with Lockwood worse then ever. After Maples back to Garrick wrote 3 letters. On by buss to Punch dinner. There 1st at table. F.C.B, J.T, self, A à B, Milliken (late) Phil M, E.T.R, H.W.L, A.G. Good dinner, subjects made up without difficulty & after May suggested Songs & Singer. Left with Tenniel at 11.0. Home by buss. A mother & 4 girls all alike. Read Westminster. Bed 1.30pm. (*Red ink*: Interview with Francis Smith about Willis's life policies.)

Thursday November 12

Stafford Terrace. x. Up 8.0am. Out on cycle with old saddle at 8.40. Short round Park & back. Breakfast at 9.15. M had ties. Saw Mite's new book. Good. Wrote Burnand & burnt letter after. Got to work to skeme Kruger & Rhodes. Wrote diary. At 11.40 photod Otley & self for Kruger & Rhodes. Developed them. Mabel Wallace at lunch & went out with M in the carriage. Enlarged photos up to quite dark & got to work after. Orton in to see Mite who has a bad cold. Worked till 8.15. Got on with drawings. Put in leopard skin & basket in ink. Dined with M & bed at 11.30after. (*Red ink*: Called Orton in to

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see Mite.) (*Cutting glued in: The Liverpool Shooting. Death of Francis Sangster.*)

Friday November 13

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Cycle round Park past D.M. Home, breakfast. Worked all day on drawing of Kruger & Rhodes. Mite up in her room with bad cold. Orton in. Gave prescription for Mite & also for my ear. Hope it will do me good. M out in carriage. Mite dined 7.0pm, M & self at 9.0 after work. M annoyed Mite being up in her room. Bed 12.0. Had lotion dropped in ear. M very tired. (*Red ink: Orton prescribed for my ear.*) (*Cuttings glue in: Death of Christine Agnew. Death of Richard Beavis.*)

Saturday November 14

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.5 & after breakfast got on at 10.0am with drawing of Kruger & Rhodes. Did not finish until 1.30pm. Gave up going to the motor cars. Put things away. Changed & left at 2.0 with M in carriage to go to Criterion Theatre. Got there as the curtain rose. Midge & Dora in box. Most charming play, 'Rosemary'. Wyndham & Mary Morris delightful. Saw Lady Monckton, Mrs Moore & Miss Young. Also Mrs Nemhard. Put M & Midge & Dora in carriage & walked to end of Park. Called & got fruit, lobster & cream. Home 6.15. Put Electric lights right. Mite did not go because she had bad cold. Heavy rain at 7.0pm. After M, Mite & self dined quietly together. Very good lobster. Quiet evening afterwards. Woke poor M up to drop in my ear. She went up to look at birds. Mite reading at 1.0am. Went to see matinee of 'Rosemary' Criterion Theatre. Very good.) (*Cuttings glued in: Death of Roger Eykyn. Obituary Roger Eykyn.*)

Sunday November 15

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.30 & down. Went by Met Rly to Victoria. Lovely morning. By 11.0 train to Dover & over to Calais. Met a Mr Adler, very pleasant companion & a Venezuelan. On board came Clement Scott, his wife & a Mr Levilly, of the Prince of Wales's Theatre. Good passage. Lunch at Calais. Met Moulton coming back. Good passage. Mr Cass gave me carriage. Victoria 6.40. No cabs. Home by Met Rly. Mite gone to dinner at the Lindos. M & self dined. Electric light. M very tired. Mite back by carriage at 11.0. Bed 11.30pm. (*Red ink: Delightful run over to Calais. Met Mr Adler. M & self by ourselves to dinner.*) Hamilton, Midge, Dora, Mervyn & Ethel H all detained to lunch. Bret Harte etc called.

Monday November 16

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.15. M in bed. Did not go out. Sent off spats & also shirts. Also Otley to Bank for my tin box. The whole morning writing letters & putting things right & also after lunch. M out in carriage, no not M but Mite. Did not go out the entire day. Sorted papers from tin box & wrote Smith about Willis's Insurance & also Life & Accidental policies etc. Dined, M, Mite & self quietly by candles. Mite dancing in room Highland Fling etc after. Bed 11.30. (*Cuttings glued in: Death of Lady Gilbey. Obituary Lady Gilbey.*)

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Tuesday November 17

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.15. Did not go out. Dark foggy morning. Mite down late. Letter from Mr Blair. After wrote order for Stores. Took me an hour. Man from Shingleton did India Rubber on front door & lavatory. Put up 2 glasses bought at Mrs Brown's, corner of Stafford Terrace & Phillimore Gardens. Altered glass in end of Drawing Room. Broke. Photos etc. Lunch. After at 3.10 M & self went into City with carriage. Called at Evered's, Mudie's, & also to see new cycle at 44 Viaduct. Much pleased with it. Home at 5.30pm. Got lobster. Midge there. Many had called. Wrote cards etc. M better. Quiet dinner after, M, Mite & self. Bed after reading 12.0am. (*Red ink: Went with M to Evered's & to see New Cycle Company.*)

Wednesday November 18

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. Out on cycle & round Park. Home. After squared prints etc etc. All morning putting things straight. Lunch. After left at 6.0pm & walked up to Duke's statue. Took buss to Punch dinner. There 7.15. William Agnew, E.I.M (late) Phil M, E.T.R, H.W.L, A.G, F.C.B, J.T, self, A à B, L.B. Good dinner. Lark & steak pie. After self suggested J.T's cartoon of Sultan Lim Liability Company. Got subject of Bismarck & G.O.M for self. Talk after. Bernard Partridge came in. Left with J.T to Isthmum & home after by omnibus. Read & to bed. Otley aranged about Mite's cycle ride tomorrow. (*Red ink: Sir W Agnew's last Punch dinner before going abroad.*) (*Cutting glued in: Death of Mrs Scott Siddons.*)

Thursday November 19

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am & out 8.35 with Mite for cycling & got to end of Row when Mite's treadle came off. Bother. Could not put it right. Mite had to walk home. Sent Otley back. After breakfast skemed subject Bismarck & G.O.M. Told Otley to come in at 11.15. Waited & finally went round & found that carriage was being got ready. Very much annoyed. Scurry. Sent for Stace at 12.30 & after photod Stace & Otley for drawing. Saw Mrs Walker next door. After lunch enlarged photos & got prints. M & Mite out. Store parcel & bottles came. M & Mite back 6.30pm. Got to work at 5.0 & put in a lot of the cartoon. Dined 8.15pm. Quiet evening & bed after rest 11.30pm. (*Cutting glued in: Funeral of Mr Eykyn. Nov 19.*)

Friday November 20

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. Cycled round Gloster Rd. Called F.C.B. Back & on to work all day on drawing of Bismarck & G.O.M. Got on. Began to shade 5.30pm. M & Mite out in carriage. Quiet dinner at 8.30pm. Rest after & bed. (*Cutting glued in: Death of Katharine Lady Huntingtower.*)

Saturday November 21

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. After breakfast work on cartoon G.O.M & Bismarck. Bothered with Bismarck's head. Only finished it at 1.30. Lunch. Dressed. Ellie Ritchie there. Mite & E.Ritchie went in carriage to Royalty, M & self in hansom after. M nervous. Saw delightful little play 'His Little Dodge'. Maud Jefferies A1. Fred Terry & Weedon Grossmith & Maltby. Out at 5.0. Sent M, Mite & E.R off. On to Garrick. Had tea. Wrote list of books. Home by buss. Bought cream. Dined quietly & bed after reading Harpers 11.30pm.

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(*Red ink:* Went with M, Mite & Ellie Ritchie to see 'His Little Dodge' Royalty Theatre.) (*Cutting glued in:* *Death of Sir Benjamin Richardson*. Cremated. Born 1838.)

Sunday November 22

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.30. Breakfast. 7.45. Off in cart at 8.25. Annoyed with Otley for being late & not putting pouch on cycle. Off with cycle from Victoria 9.0am. 2 very good men in carriage, one going to Cairo. The other a lamp manufacturer. At Canterbury 10.25. Off. Took waistcoat off. Lost lamp glass & wire. Sarre 11.25. F.C.B's 12.45. Saw Mr & Mrs Banks. Ramsgate dull & foggy. Past Westwood & on thro' St Peters (1.15) to Fildes. There 1.35. Natrop & David Murray at lunch. A good welcome & lunch. There till 4.30. Punished by P. Margate Station 4.30. Waited for 5.12 train. Carriage crammed & a brute of a Publican next me. Spoilt journey home. Wooden headed man opposite reading by a candle. Victoria 7.15. Put coat in cloak room. Annoyed by glass of lamp dropping out. Had to walk. Home 8.0pm. Bath & dressed. Had been many callers. Dinner M, Mite & self. Rest & bed after 11.30. (*Red ink:* Went to Canterbury & cycled across Thanet. Lunched with Fildes.)

Monday November 23

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.30. A horrid miserable dark foggy morning. Had breakfast for 1st time by Electric light. After Spencer came in. After that Mervyn & Ethel. Maud having singing lessons. Wrote cheque for washing. Sent shirts etc off to Stores. After in afternoon rested etc. Dined quietly & in evening went to Mr & Mrs Medley's Silver Wedding at home at the Grafton Gallery. Saw Hunter, Dixey, Stern, Salou(?) etc. Slow wretched evening & glad to get away. 4 ugly American glee singers. Saw David Murray. Home on top of carriage box. Smoke & bed at 12.30pm. (*Red ink:* Went in evening to Silver Wedding reception of Mr & Mrs Medley at Grafton Gallery.)

Tuesday November 24

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Foggy morning, did not go out. All morning writing letters & tidying up. M & Mite out. Rested after luncheon in chair, did not go out. M went off to Stores in morning. Took my dressing suit done up. All day writing orders etc clearing up things. Drew cheque for Kennedy & also Knightley. Mite went in carriage to dine at the MacQueens. Back 11.0pm. Bed after. Colder. Pretty Mabel Wallace lunched at 2.0pm & stayed for visitors. (*Cutting glued in:* *Death of Sir C.Staveley*. Nov 24 '96. *Death of Herbert Barraud*.)

Wednesday November 25

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am & cycled round Park & Bayswater home. Breakfast. Wrote letters etc in morning & saw man from Buckeridge about window. After inspected enlarging camera. Disappointed in length of focus. Wrote long letter. Lunch. After rested & M & Mite out 3.30. Fitted & marked spats. Dressed 5.15 & left at 5.50 & went by pirate bus to the Athenaeum. Wrote & sent cheque to Barkers & wrote again to Photography Dept of Stores. By buss to Punch dinner. F.C.B, J.T, self, A à B, E.I.M (late) Phil M, E.T.R, H.W.L, A.G, B.P (at 10.30). Long discussion. Tenniel got Tiger cut.

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Self nothing. Left at 11.0 & home by cab to Isthmum & buss. (*Red ink*: Got no subject for self at Punch dinner.)

Thursday November 26

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am & got cycle for Maud at 8.35. The Box Cycle Co. 1st ride up Campden Hill & round Bayswater side of Park. Back 9.30. Mite thro' traffic. Breakfast. Waited about all morning to hear from F.C.B. Letter came about Jameson at 12.30pm. Man came from Buckeridge about cupboard. Also from Stores about silk tie. M drew cheque for 16/6 for it. Lunch. At 2.0pm went on cycle. Called F.C.B & on reverse way up Putney Hill & thro' Richmond Park & home by Putney over diagonal hill. Something wrong with cyclometer. Stuck at 92. Cycled 19 miles, home at 4.20. Gentleman from the Stores came & admitted enlarging apparatus wrong. Tried to enlarge by Electric light. M & Mite back 6.0pm. (*Red ink*: No subject. Cold east wind. Cycled round Richmond Park.)

Friday November 27

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.5am. x. Fine clear lovely morning. Looked at time. Cycled & left note at F.C.B's. Back. Breakfast. Tried to putty tap up. Could not. No letter from F.C.B up to 11.0am. Long pottering morning waiting. Letters & wires about Jameson subject. Squared prints & put away things. Subject finally decided only at 3.30pm. Rested till after tea when got to work. Mite had her dinner 7.30, M & self 9.0pm. Got on all right. bed at 12.0pm. (*Red ink*: Began Jameson subject at 5.0pm. Great success after.)

Saturday November 28

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am & after hurried breakfast went on with drawing of Jameson & Dr Punch. Finished outline by 11.0 & shaded by 1.45. Sent it off. M & Mite off in carriage at 2.10 for Princess's Theatre. Dressed & followed in hansom. Box 23. Saw '2 Little Vagabonds'. Young Buckmaster in box. Not bad play. Out at 5.25 & walked thro' Soho. Curious fish stalls etc. Garrick Club tea. Wrote letters. Sent list of books. Home by buss. Pretty woman in corner. Young Kindermann told me about Fritz Jackson being ill. Bought fruit, cream etc. Home. Dinner. Punch Almanack arrived. Good work in it. Cold night. Bed at 11.30, M & Mite. M said 'Just had a barth!' (*Red ink*: Went to matinée of 2 Little Vagabonds.)

Sunday November 29

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.30am. Good breakfast. After altered camera enlarging apparatus & wrote description. Also letters. Sent off by Otley. Cycle round at 12.30. Lunched at 12.45 & off at 1.5 in snuff suit on cycle. Met Spencer. Went to Uxbridge backed by east winds. Met Guthrie on Hillingdon Hill. Called Railway Inn. Saw 2 Marshalls. Chat of old times & on to Slough. Past Uxbridge Moor. Caught the 4.3pm train. Bitterly cold. Difficulty with ticket & cycles. Paddington 4.45. Lamp blew out twice. Home to tea. Miss Dickens's & Dora there. Fitted spats & after bath. Down & wrote letters etc. Langley called for Dora. Wrote cards & letters etc etc. At 8.0 Mr Howe & Miss Clifford dined. Good dinner. Miss Clifford tremendous talker. They left at 11.0. Read in chair till 1.15am. Bed. (*Red ink*: Bitterly cold. Cycled to Uxbridge & Slough. Mr Howe & Miss Clifford dined with us.)

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Monday November 30

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. Woke with slight head. Down. Very cold. Men at 9.30 bought ladders for window. Mite in bed. Sent off spats. Wrote letters etc. Dressed at 12.0 & left & went up to Garrick Club & lunched. Sir Charles Hall came & at next to me & had lunch. Saw Lawrence Bradbury. After chat to Evans in Smoking Room & Marshall Hall. Walked to New Gallery. Met M. Saw Arts & Crafts Exhibition. After walked to Kensington. Got small lobster & home. Quiet dinner, M, Mite & self. Still very cold & miserable east wind. Quiet evening after & bed. (*Red ink*: Window begun in Drawing Room. Went to Garrick. Had lunch & after went to Arts & Crafts Exhibition with M.) (*Cutting glued in*: *Death of Edmund Spearman*. 10 years old in 1872 when I used to see Spearman.)

Tuesday December 1

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Out on cycle round Earls Court. Very cold. Back & put desk in order, sorting papers etc. Looked thro' letters & drawers etc etc. In afternoon Mite was selling at Bazaar with Mrs Pitt. Carriage went for her. M & self dined at Edgar & Sophie's, Grosvenor Street, at 8.0pm. Left at 7.20 & walked ½ way up Park. There exactly. Hamilton Langley also. Not bad dinner. Talk etc. Whilst in the weather completely changed & came on wet. Wet drive very home. The carriage had fetched Mite from Mrs Pitt's. (*Red ink*: Dined at Edgar & Sophie's at Grosvenor Street. Change in the weather.)

Wednesday December 2

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Not so cold. Wrote letters & put things away in the morning up to lunch time. After lunch M went off with Maud in carriage to leave her at Bazaar, Westminster Town Hall. After met me at St James's Theatre for 1st performance of Alexander's 'As you Like it'. Orlando Alexander, Rosalind Miss Neilson. So so performance. Sat next Joachim, M next Lancasters. Left at 5.0 got carriage in pouring wet. Put down at Athenaeum. Tea. Saw Conrad Cooke. Out & by buss to Punch dinner. Lawrence B, Phil M, E.T.R, B.P (late 10.45) H.W.L, A.G, F.C.B, J.T, self, A à B, E.I.M (late). Tenniel got cut of Caisse in Egypt. Self Curzon as Boy. Salisbury Skipper. Left with Tenniel at 11.0 & home by cab & buss. Read Westminster & to bed 1.0am. (*Red ink*: M & self went to matinée 1st performance of 'As you Like it' St James's Theatre. The weather turned warmer.)

Thursday December 3

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Wet morning but cycled round. Called F.C.B. Out into Fulham Road & round home. Breakfast. After wrote letters & skemed subject of Lord Salisbury & his boy George Curzon. At 12.0 photod Otley & a boy. Developed by lunch & after enlarged them. Rest after. Got to work at 4.30pm after rest & worked on till dinner 8.0pm. Phil May called at 8.50. Had a glass of port wine & we went on by cab together & called for Guthrie. Went on we three to St Martin's Hall & after did a St Swithun's Musical Smoking Soirée. F.C.B in the chair. Sir William Macfarren, Milliken, Arthur à B, Grossmith etc. Grossmith's A1 imitations of Irving & Tree. Also 'How to

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compose an Opera'. Rest rubbish. After all went on to Garrick Club. Supper. George G & son, F.C.B, Frank & Cuthbert B, Phil M, self, Sir W.M, Milliken. Gillie Farquhar called Mr Gilby Forker. Grossmith danced as Scotchman. Phil May gave me cigarette case. Left at 1.0am by cab with May. Bed at 1.45. Sat up. M a cold. Bad cold came on in afternoon & also M after I left at 9.0pm. (*Red ink across page: Phil May called at 9.0. Went to St Swithun's Smoking Concert. F.C.B in chair. Silver cigarette case given by May.*)

Friday December 4

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. Did not go out. Wet morning. Got on all day with drawing of Salisbury & his boy George Curzon. Worked up to 8.30pm. Dined. M had bad cold. Mite dined 7.30. Bed at 12.0 after snooze. Edie Buckmaster to lunch or rather Sismey. Mite went to tea at Willie Buckmaster's rooms. (*Red ink: Great gale at Brighton & south coast. Chain pier swept away & much damage.*) (*Cutting glued in: Death of Jane Brookfield. Obituary Jane Brookfield. Times Dec 3.*)

Saturday December 5

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. Did not go out. Breakfast. At 9.15 got to work to finish drawing of Salisbury & his boy George Curzon. Roy back from Eton for short leave at 10.0. Finished 1.15pm. Lunch. Went up & dressed & off at 2.30. Left cheque & stalls at home. Ordered lobster. Saw Yohé in The Belle of Cairo. Lady with parrot from Biarritz (Mrs Parsons) in stalls. Walked back to end of Sloane St. Buss to Kensington. Bought fruit & cream. Home 6.0pm. Looked at books. Wrote letter & diary. Dinner 7.45pm. Roy left to go back to Eton at 9.0pm. Wrote diary after dinner. (*Red ink: Roy back for short leave. Went to matinée of The Belle of Cairo at Court Theatre.*)

Sunday December 6

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.30am. Down & in morning put many things & also looked over clothes etc. Dressed at 12.0 & left 12.45 for Athenaeum Club. Lovely morning. Quite hot. Saw man feeding sparrows. Curious sight. On to Club 1st. Lunch there, good, 2/3. Matthews there. Smoke & read after. Wrote many letters. Left after looking at index of books - not much. Walked home. There 8.0pm. Dined 8.15, M, Mite & self. Mite dancing after. M had cold, went to bed at 10.0pm. Snooze till 12.15am when to bed. Hamilton Langley & Midge, Mervyn & Ethel Mervyn lunched. Col Welby called. (*Cutting glued in. Obituary Sir Henry Edwards.*)

Monday December 7

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0. x. Out on cycle round Earls Court. Saw Sir Martin Conway, Pepys Cockerell. Letter from Mr Ainger complaining of Roy being late back at Eton. Sent pyjamas back, spats & lens. Wrote letters etc. After skemed Index list on Drummers. Worked after lunch & up to dinner time. (*Cuttings glued in: Death of Louis Falero. Death of Elizabeth Epps. Times Jan 1 '97. Obituary Luis Falero.*)

Tuesday December 8

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. No ride. After breakfast got on with drawing of Index. Lunch at 2.0. Rode cycle thro' Richmond Park right round, ¾ hr

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exactly. Back 4.30pm. many callers. Tea & rest. Work till 8.0pm after. Mite went to dine at the Wallace's & after to dance at Jacomb Hoods. Alice went to fetch her. M & self dined quietly by ourselves. Quiet evening & bed at 12.0 after snooze. (*Cuttings glued in: Death of Sir Edmund Henderson. Obituary Sir Edmund Henderson.*)

Wednesday December 9

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. Did not cycle. Wet morning. After got on with drawing for Index & worked all day. Felt livery & seedy very. Slight head, why or whyfore who knows. Rest after lunch. M out in carriage. Left at 6.15 & went by buss all the way to Bouverie St. Punch dinner. Lawrence B, Phil M (late) E.T.R, H.W.L, A.G, F.C.B, J.T, self, A à B & E.I.M late. Good dinner. Got cut of Neptune & Powers. Long discussion. Very wet night. Tenniel left early on acct of his latch key being left at home. Left at 10.50 with Guthrie to walk. G told me had made from £500 profit to £1200 on Linatype shares. Got in buss. Drunken man with dog running. Most lovely woman got in at Circus & went on past Argyle Rd. Who was she? Home. Mite at Ball at Mrs Suttons. Alice went to fetch her. Bed at 1.0am. Emelie broke my little cigar china stand, been in use 20 years. Also glass of Electric light.

Thursday December 10

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. x. Cycled round & called F.C.B. Met Captain Abney & had chat. Millais' house put up to let. Breakfast. After wrote letters & then skemed subject of Neptune & Powers bidding for Supremacy of Sea. Sent Otley for Stace. He was in country. Used Otley instead. Camera sent home from Stores. Rest after lunch after developing photos. Also took M for hands drumming. Got to work 4.30pm up to 7.30. Drew in France & head. Dressed & off in carriage with M & Mite to dine at the Moultons. Good dinner. Sat next pretty little girl, Miss Seymour. Amusing. Took the painting Miss Thomson in. Left 11.0 & home by carriage. Smoke & snooze till 12.15 or rather 1.0pm when to bed. Strange dream of Terrace burnt down opposite. (*Red ink: Dined with M & Mite at the Fletcher Moultons.*)

Friday December 11

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Wet, did not go out. Wrote a few letters & got to work at 10.15 on drawing of Neptune auctioneer & Nations bidding for Supremacy of the Sea. M not well. Went out in carriage at 1.30. Went on to work directly after lunch without rest & on till 8.30. Mite at the Lockwoods. Back at 6.0. Dined 8.30. Wrote letters after & also diary. Bed 11.30 after rest. (*Cutting glued in: Obituary Louis Charles Tennyson D'Eyncourt. Dec 14.*)

Saturday December 12

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. After breakfast got to work on drawing of Neptune & Naval Powers. Did not finish till 1.45pm when lunched. M seedy & in bed all day, did not get up. Dora in to lunch & she & Maud went to the Comedy Theatre where I also went by cab at 3.0pm & we saw 'The White Elephant' by Carton. Very good. Part played by a caretaker. Out at 5.30. Saw old Phillips & wife with their equipage etc. On to Garrick. Drew cheque for Locker etc & after called at Camera Club. Got letter from Macdonald. Walked to buss & home. M still in bed. Quiet evening. Very good lot of books from

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Library. (*Red ink*: Went to Comedy Theatre to see 'The White Elephant'.)
(*Cutting glued in*: *Death of the Marquis de Montcalm*. Dec 11.)

Sunday December 13

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.30am. Walk round Campden Hill. Headache over eye. In morning got to Index. Decided not to redraw it, altered the old one. Worked on till 1.0pm when dressed. M down to luncheon. After walked on to the Camera Club & put plates right. After to Athenaeum. Wrote letters. Tea. Saw Dr Playfair. Left 7.0 & home by self almost in buss. Dressed & dined. Reed & Mr Howe & Midge had called. Poor M seedy after dinner & had to go up to bed again. Read most interesting book on Egypt in time of the Ptolomys. Cleopatra. Met Sir Frank & Lady Lockwood in the Park. (*Cutting glued in*: *Death of John Boyes*.)

Monday December 14

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.15am. Wet dull morning did not go out. Got the camera enlarging apparatus & looked at it. Found it still was not long enough. Man from Buckeridge doing cupboard. After at 11.0 got to work & went on with Index. Worked on till lunch. Rest after. M down 1.0 very seedy. At work again 3.30pm & finished Index 6.30pm. Effie H came (Mrs Conrad.) Did tail piece after at 7.0 to 8.0pm. Dinner 8.15pm. Quiet evening. Read M 'The Days of William IV'. Bed 11.30pm. Sir Edward Lawson sent us three pheasants. (*Red ink*: Finished Index. Effie Conrad came to stay.)

Tuesday December 15

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. M still in bed. In morning went on to work. Began Preface. Queens Elizabeth & Anne. At 2.0 went for cycle ride round Richmond Park. Turned off by White Lodge & down by 4.30pm. Had hair cut & went on to work. Effie Herapath dined. Quiet evening & bed after.

Wednesday December 16

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Walked round Campden Hill. Breakfast. After to work all day on drawing of Preface. Got on. Outlined Queens etc. Effie left to go home in afternoon. At 6.10 left & up to top of Piccadilly by pirate buss. Walked to Punch dinner from there. Particularly good & cheery dinner. F.C.B, J.T, self, A à B, E.I.M (late) E.T.R, H.W.L, A.G. Long talk. 2 cartoons made up & no trouble. Left with J.T & home by J.T's cab & buss from top of Piccadilly. Dance at Charley Burnand's. Mite went. Back at 1.15am. Had snooze in chair. (*Red ink*: Effie Conrad left for home.)

Thursday December 17

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. Walk round Campden Hill. Very cold day. Bad cold in head & chest. After breakfast went on to finish Preface. Finished by 2.0pm & after rest did tail piece. Worked on to dinner time when finished. M, self & Maud dined together. Quiet evening & bed after. Mervyn in in afternoon. Photod him for drawing of Irish Landlord & Tenant. Very bitterly cold & raw in afternoon. (*Red ink*: Finished Preface & tail piece.)

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Friday December 18

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. Wretchedly cold & miserable day. Dull & dark. Roy back at noon. Photod Otley as Irishman. After used enlarging apparatus. Failure. Allowed $\frac{1}{4}$ hour exposure. Got a proof from direct printing. Letter from Mr Ainger which upset me very much about Roy. Very bad report. Worked on to dinner time. Dined M, self & Roy. Mite went to dine at Roger Wallace's, had delightful evening. Back 11.30pm. (*Red ink:* Roy back from Eton. Very much annoyed by letter from Mr Ainger complaining most seriously of Roy. Upset me. Very dark day. Used enlarging apparatus for $\frac{3}{4}$ hour exposure.)

Saturday December 19

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. After breakfast went on to work on cartoon & finished by 12.30pm. Put things away. After lunch went up to M's room & had rest. Looked over Times etc. M & Mite went to Miss Romer's wedding. Back. Roy about doing nothing as usual. At 6.0pm dressed & after dined at 6.30. Left in carriage with Mite for 1st night of Richard 3rd. Dry evening. Brilliant night, had 9.10 stalls front row. Saw many friends. Sir George Lewis, Dickens's, Lockwood, Millets etc etc. Went behind. Stayed till 1.15am. Back by hansom. Cold & bright. Bed 2.15am. Wonderful reception of Irving & Miss Ward. (*Red ink:* 1st night of revival of Richard 3rd. Took Mite. Behind on stage after & back by cab. Delightful evening. My gum over tooth set in inflamed.)

Sunday December 20

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.30am. x. Down slight headache. Read & after seriously talked to Roy. M & Mite went to church. Evelyn Coward in. Roy & Mite went out for walk after lunch. Walked up to the Camera Club. Put down for Studio. After on to the Athenaeum. Wrote letters. After home by buss. Dressed. Evelyn Coward, Guthrie & Mr Blair dined with us. Delightful evening. They stayed very late, till 12.30am. M talking to Guthrie. Gum boil hurt me. (*Red ink:* Evelyn Coward, Blair & Guthrie dined. Delightful evening. They stayed very late. Gum boil hurt me.)

Monday December 21

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. Did not go out. After got to work & skemed Vol 112. Decided to do Guns & Punch. Went on. Roy out to meet Mr Blair & to lunch with him. Worked till 7.15pm when dressed & went with Mite in carriage to dine at Col Welby's. Met a Captain Dash & two Miss Dash's. Pleasant dinner & talk after. Saw Maspero's Struggle of the Nations. Left in carriage at 11.0 & home. M had dined by herself. Roy had dined with Willie Buckmaster & they went to the Empire Theatre afterwards. Back 12.0. Bed at once. (*Red ink:* Mite & self went in carriage to dine at Colonel Welby's.)

Tuesday December 22

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. Did not go out. After got to work & finished drawing of Opening Vol 112 by 2.0pm after lunch. Then at 4.30 after rest commenced cartoon of Salisbury & Punch as Jester. Worked up till 8.30pm when dined. Callers, Mr Blair, Mrs Phillips & many others. Dined quietly, M, Mite, Roy & self. Quiet evening afterwards. Wrote Milliken after dinner, long letter. Ellie Ritchie to luncheon. Gum boil very painful. (*Red ink:* Gum boil exceedingly painful.)

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Wednesday December 23

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am & after breakfast got to work to finish cartoon of Salisbury & Punch & Jester. Went on to luncheon time & after till 3.0 when sent it off. The boy never coming until that time tho' ordered at 1.0pm. At 4.30 Mr Wallis of Birmingham called on me about drawing & lecturing. Stayed till 5.15pm. After tidied up & put more shading on Curzon & Salisbury drawing. Spoilt it. Had to dress 6.15. Dinner 7.40. Roy & Maud went in cab to meet Mr Blair at the Criterion Theatre to see 'Rosemary' & M & self in carriage to Adelphi for 1st night of 'Black Ey'd Susan'. Clement Scott & wife in box next the Duke of Fife & Princess. Lord Londesborough. Sat next Ledger. He disappeared. Also at end sat Mrs Hastings. Oh! Conny sent note in to M. Saw Phil May after. Left & walked up Bedford St to carriage & home. Mite & Roy back. Bed at 1.0am. (*Red ink:* M & self went to the première of 'Black Ey'd Susan'. Conny came to theatre.)

Thursday December 24

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.30am. White fog. Mite had a little brooch sent from Bill Weigall. Letter from Ainger. After M & Mite sending off letters. Up by self in room & took out & re-put in background of Curzon & Salisbury. Improved it very much. Roy went to meet Mr Blair at Bow Street. Lunch. After went for cycle ride to Richmond Park. The worst I ever rode. Roads awfully heavy & bumpy. Back thro' Putney & put cycle in stable. M still away. M back at 6.0, had been to Sophy's & to Fritz Jackson. Wire from Mr Powell had come in the morning had had it sent on to Edgar. Roy went with Mr Blair to the Pavilion after dining with him. Back early. A long busy day for M. (*Red ink:* Tedious cycle ride round Richmond Park.) (*Cutting glued in: In loving memory Harry van Tromp.*)

Friday December 25

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. A lovely fine morning. Down. M & Mite to church. Wrote a card or so. After at 12.0 M, self, Roy & Mite & Evelyn Coward went for walk up to top of the Row & back. Had only frock coat on. No overcoat. Coldish facing wind. Met Moscheles. Mr Blair met them ½ way. Lunch. Only we four together. After smoked cigar & left at 4.0 for Athenaeum. Spencer Hilda & Daggles in. Went by buss to Club. Looked at map of London. Wrote 3 or 4 letters. After left at 7.0 & home by pirate buss. No other busses. Old gent grumbled at paying 2d. Out at K church. Home. Dressed. Dined 8.0. Mr Blair & Evelyn Coward dined. Crackers etc. My gum hurt me very much. Mr B stayed till 12.50am, had to give him a hint to go. M awake when went to bed. Had very bad night. (*Red ink:* Most lovely Xmas day in weather. Quiet. Blair dined in evening. Stayed late. Gum boil hurt me.)

Saturday December 26

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. Pouring wet morning. Wanted M to walk with me. Could not. Left & went at 11.0 by buss to top of Picadilly. Called Camera C. At Garrick wrote many letters. Saw young Irving. Lunch at 1.45. Photod Miss G for 1 hr only. Talk to man in developing room. After to Garrick & had tea. Wrote list of books. Home by buss. Dressed. Dined 6.10pm & Roy & self went by cab to Drury Lane for 1st night of Pantomime of Aladdin. Long

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performance. Sat next to De Lacca. Same curious dull featured woman saw last year. George Holland. Left at 12.0 before transformation scene. To Garrick. Supper, marrow bones. Saw Toole & Routledge, Cook etc. Left at 1.10am & home by carriage. Bed 1.45am. (*Red ink*: Went with Roy in evening to 1st performance of Aladdin at Drury Lane. Pouring wet day all day.)

Sunday December 27

Stafford Terrace. Up at 9.0am. Decided in bath as lovely bright morning to go over to Calais. M & Mite went to church. Left at 10.5am & by buss to Hyde Park Corner & then on to Victoria. Down to Dover. Lovely morning. Lady de Grey went over. Curious girl with fiddle & wraps etc. Hilda Swan Berne. Delightful lunch. After saw Captain Blomfield. Introduced by young Gage to a Mr Freshfield. On board steamer saw Sir William Dolby & also a friend of his who knew Langham Reed. Back home comfortably. Cold in carriage. Home at 7.50. Dinner 8.4. Miss Rose Innes had called. Read book on Cuba after. Maud amusing. Bed 11.15. x. (*Red ink*: Delightful run across to Calais & back. Brilliantly fine day. Quiet dinner by self. Miss Rose Innes back.) Calais trips for year: Jany 19, 26. Feby 2, 12, 18, 23, 29. March 22. May 21. June 28. July 26. August 30 Roy & self. Nov 15. Dec 27.

Monday December 28

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.30. Heavy wet. Great contrast to yesterday. Invite from Lucas to shoot on the 11th Jany. M with letters etc. Dated photos etc etc all morning. Rest after lunch & looked over diary etc. M & Mite out. Mite at Miss Wallace's. Roy with his mother. Miss Rose Innes came at 7.45 & dined staying till 11.0. Looking well. Read *The Century* & to bed at 1.0am. Letter from Powell about Mrs Powell dying.

Tuesday December 29

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Walk round Campden Hill. In morning being fine tried camera again. Mervyn came in & stayed to lunch. After Miss Rose Innes & Miss MacQueen called. Left at 4.0 & went on to call at Benjamin's by buss. Selected new cloth for shooting suit & great coat. Paid acct £3.14.0. Walked down & called at Pallants & after met Sir Benjamin Baker. On to Athenaeum & wrote for passes to W.Birt & also to Forbes. Returned pass 111. Came back by omnibus & dined quietly at home, M, Mite, Roy & self. Game of Towns & Countries. Bed 11.30 after snooze.

Wednesday December 30

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Out for walk round Campden Hill with Tip. Back. In morning put slips in diary etc. After dressed before lunch & left at 2.30 with Roy & got into buss. Roy out for Jun'r Constitutional Club. Self on & called at Benjamins. Measured again. On to Athenaeum. Saw Stone's brother & Buckle of Times. Wrote letter to the Times on pirate buss. Looked over book on Frederick Walker's life. At 6.45 walked to the Punch dinner. F.C.B, J.T, self, A à B, E.I.M (late) P.M, H.W.L, A.G. No proprietors. Gave Xmas boxes, 10/s waiter, 10/s sergeant, 2/6 cabman. No subject for self. Left with J.T at 11.0 & home to Isthmum. Had to walk back to Circus to get a buss. Met Schmaltz in it. Home 11.45 & to bed 1.0am.

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Thursday December 31

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.15. Down. Did not go out. Letter appeared in The Times about pirate buss. Roy & Maud to go to Englefield Green. Lovely mild morning. Sending pictures for Birmingham. Stuck obituaries etc in diary. Lunch. Roy & Maud went to the Cohens for a dance at the Raphaels. Rested after lunch. M out in carriage at 3.0pm. Read Proctor 'Myths of Astronomy'. Interesting. Religion of the Pyramids. Dated photos etc. Packed bags for Hamiltons. Dined 8.0pm, M & self by ourselves. Wrote letter to F.C.B after dinner & again read Proctor's book. M asleep on deck chair. Both went up to bed as the year 1897 broke. Bells ringing. (*Cuttings glued in: The wife of Hamilton Fletcher, of a son. In loving memory of William Cremer. Letter to The Times, signed Linley Sambourne.*)

Notes on back pages of diary:

The Buenos Aires Great Southern Railway Company, 4% Debenture Stock.

Paid Feby 12th 1896	£111.0.0.
2 nd instalment 25 per cent due 1st July '96	75.0.0.
3 rd 1st Jany '97	75.0.0.
4 th 1st July '97	<u>75.0.0</u>
	£ 336.0.0.

Chinese Imperial Government 5% Gold Loan	£300.0.0.
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I.R Boyes Esq 31 Lombard St London E.C.	15% due 1st May '96 45.0.0.
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Scrip Certificate 40388 to 40395 18 3/4% due 24 June '96	56.5.0.

	101.5.0.

7 th Apl '97	£198.15.0.
	<u>101. 5.0</u>
	£300. 0.0

Recollections of a Military Life. Gen'l Sir John Adye.

Smith Elder & Co '95
Palmyra & Zenobia. W.Wright. J.Nelson & Sons, London, Edin & N.Y.

(*Red ink*: Read at Tressady, Sepr 1896:

Conventional Lies of our Civilisation. Max Nordan. Heinemann '95.
Society of the Elizabethan Age, by Hubert Hall. Swan Sonnenschein,
Paternoster Sq.
Mars, by Percival Lowell. Longmans 1896.)

(*Cutting glued in: The death list of the year is unusually heavy.....*)

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Books read:

Mrs Josephine Butler's Reminiscences of Contagious Diseases Act.

Alfred by Tom Hughes.

Casati's Equatorial Africa.

When William IV was King. Ashton.

Lies & Liars. Lacland.

Studies in Diplomacy. Benedick.

The Egypt of the Ptolomies.

Curious Creatures in Zoology. Ashton.

Dodge's Hunting Grounds.

Duc de Langren. Gaston Maugras 1895.

Malady of the Century. Nordau.

A Cuban Expedition. J.H.Bloomfield. Downey 1896.

Memoirs of the Prince de Joinville. Heinemann '95.