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Pure Phenol, Calvert's No 1 liquified. (prepared for internal use.)

Take an 8oz bottle. Put in 24 drops of Phenol & ½oz glycerine. Mix well together then fill up the bottle with water & shake well. Dose:

Two tablespoonsful in a wine glass of water every three hours.

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Tuesday January 1

Stafford Terrace. Never remembered the New Year. Sleepless at night. Fine morning & warmer. Out. Rags turned back. Met Slipper. Dear M better. Read Gilbert's speech to her from the Savoy Banquet to him. Wrote many letters etc. Developed 24 films of Holland. Nearly done. Edgar called at 12.30pm. Cold feet. An hours rest in room. Tea. Enlarged 24 films between 6.0 & 8.0pm, Paris. Good night to M. Dined by myself & read The Century afterwards. Bed at 12.0. No snooze after dinner. Slept better. Poured with rain & horrid in afternoon nevertheless dear Mite came in a fly altho' her cold should have kept her at home. (*Red ink: Dear M better.*) (*Cutting glued in: In Memoriam John Marshall. 1907.*)

Wednesday January 2

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am & out. Met S. Smile. After back. Breakfast. In morning developed 30 odd cards Paris etc. Lunch, Mite with me. In afternoon left at 5.50pm for the Punch Dinner. Called Garrick. No letters. To Sands & Hunters. Camera not ready. On to Bouverie Street. O.S, self, R.H, C.G, R.L, P.A, C.V.L, E.T.R. Partridge still at Monte Carlo. Lucy ill. Townsend ill. Got a very stupid cut of C.B & Redmond as Thought Readers. Seaman's mother ill. Left at 11.0 & home by bus. (*Red ink: Dear M better.*)

Thursday January 3

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am & out. Met S. Goes to Strakers. Over Campden Hill. Breakfast. M better. Mite in & to lunch. Sent Upton to Mays & at 12.0 photod Britten for Redmond & C.B. Developed & enlarged upstairs. Also did some Paris films. Work at 6.0pm to 8.30 when dined by myself & bed after reading The

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Century. (*Cuttings glued in: Death of Colonel Leonard Currie. Obituary of Colonel Leonard Currie. F. Jan'y 4.*)

Friday January 4

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am & out. My birthday. Wires from Lennie & Roy. Dear M better. Presents from Mite & Lennie. Met Slipper, asked name. After all day at work on silly subject, C.P & Redwood thought-reading. Finished at 10.15pm & dined by myself. Bed 12.0am. (*Red ink: Dear M better.*)

Saturday January 5

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.15 & out. Met Slipper by church. After back. All morning tidying. Developed some French photos, Paris. Mite round. M not so well. Turned out did not like her night nurse. Settled to motor tomorrow. Dined by self. Weak coffee. Mervyn came in & had a chat. Read & to bed at 12.0am. (*Red ink: Dear M not so well. M took dislike to night nurse.*)

Sunday January 6

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.30 & out. Lovely morning. Sun. At 11.30 Lennie Roy & self motored thro' City to Stratford & on to The Cock at Epping where we lunched. A friend of Lennie's there. Home by Waltham Abbey & Cross, Enfield, Edmonton, Tottenham, Holloway etc. Back 4.15. Tea. Paxton called. Mite sent Nurse Cook away. Dear M better. Saw print at The Cock at Epping not seen since 1855. Done by Mr Huffam. Remembered it. Epping Forest & Woodford delightful. Lennie, Mite, Roy & self dined & had a magnum of Ayala 1884. Very good. They left at 10.20pm. (*Red ink: Lennie Roy & self motored to Epping Forest. Dear M better. Nurse Cook sent away.*)

Monday January 7

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am & out. Children back at Board School. Saw Mascotte, Lady D & Slipper. Over C.H with both dogs & back. Dull morning. Saw Dr H. Fee fifty guineas & five guineas Chloroform. Dear M much better this morning. Drew cheque for fifty seven guineas for Dr W.Haward after doing enlargements. In afternoon left with Mite in her carriage & dined at 104 L.G. After Mite, Lennie, Roy & self went to the Savoy & saw The Yeomen of the Guard. Workman as Jack Poyntz the Jester good. Rest understudies for amateurs. Upton met me in the yard of the Athenaeum & home. Slept in the Drawing Room. (*Red ink: Drew cheque for Dr Haward 57 guineas, £59.17.0. Went to The Yeomen*

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of the Guard, Mite, Lennie, Roy & self.) (*Cutting glued in: Obituary of Sir Henry De Bathe. Mon 7 Jany.*)

Tuesday January 8

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am & out. Met Slipper. Over Campden Hill & back. Breakfast. M better. All day doing last of French Paris photos. Roy left to go to Waterloo to go down to Pyt & Upton missing him he missed his train. Dined by myself, & after reading in Morning Room. To bed in the Drawing Room. (*Red ink: Dear M better. Roy went to Pyt House.*)

Wednesday January 9

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. Met Slipper at church, no, higher up. After back. Dear M better. Getting on. All day last of French & also Ostends Left at 4.30 in carriage & went to call on Tenniel. There 5.0 to 6.20pm. Looking wonderfully well & mind as clear as a bell. Left & drove to the Garrick Club. Sent the carriage home & called at S & H. Still delay. There till 7.15pm when on to the 'Punch' Dinner. O.S, self, R.H, C.L.G, E.V.L, B.P, E.T.R & A.G. Got repeat of my own cartoon of September 1878. Partridge & his wife both lost money at Monte Carlo. H.F.T still away with influenza. Left at 11.0pm & home by bus. Saw Parks walking. (*Red ink: Dear M better. Called on Tenniel.*)

Thursday January 10

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0pm & out over Campden Hill. Met Slipper. Did not see. After schemed subject of Jack in the Box. Not much of a scheme. Photod Britten after as German Chancellor. Enlarged after luncheon up in my room. Frightfully annoyed the light went wrong. Put me in a fluster & I believe hastened on influenza. Put another on & then forgot to put the ground glass on. Got prints. Left at 7.30 to walk to Mite's. Only got as far as Orme Square. Bus to 104 L.G. Met Mr Letts at dinner. Examining silver. Last smoke for ages. Left in my own carriage & home at 11.0pm. Roy at a Ball at Pyt House. Had miserable night. No sleep & cough. In Drawing Room. (*Red ink: Dined at Mite's. Met Letts. Last smoke for months. Cough very troublesome. Saw Slipper last time.*) (*Cutting glued in: Links with the past. January 26.*)

Friday January 11

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.5 & out past Boughton. Sore chest & frightfully heavy & seedy. Had bad night. Dear M better. My cough troublesome. Met Lady D coming over hill. All day at work. Had to

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give in at 8.0pm. Frightfully ill. Could hardly finish. Went down & lay on sofa. Light dinner. No smoke. Up to bed in Roy's room at 10.30pm with fire. (*Red ink*: Sore chest & cough. Taken ill at 8.0pm & had to give up. Influenza.) (*Cuttings glued in: A link with the past. Jany 11. Death of William Haig Brown.*)

Saturday January 12

Stafford Terrace. In Roy's room. Dr Beecham came at 9.30am. Good report. Lay in bed all day. Put cards in Dutch Book. Otherwise quite quiet. Mite came. (*Red ink*: In bed all day. Dr Beecham came.) (*Cutting glued in: Death of Sir James Garrick.*)

Sunday January 13

Stafford Terrace. In Roy's room. Lovely fine morning. In bed all day. Roy came. Saw his mother in afternoon. Spener called. Saw Mervyn in afternoon. Read Sartre's book. Quiet restful day in bed. Lucas was to have dined. Mite put him off. He wired. (*Red ink*: In bed all day. Roy saw his mother 1st time since operation.) (*Cutting glued in: Obituary of Harvey Fellows.*)

Monday January 14

Stafford Terrace. In Roy's room. Normal temperature. Sent Upton to S & H with the extender back. Put cards of Paris in their places, Mite with me. Uneventful day. Awful night tonight. (*Red ink*: Kept awake with cough.)

Tuesday January 15

Stafford Terrace. In Roy's room. Had had awful night. Cough & no sleep. Temp 102 when woke. Doze from 4.0 to 6.0am. All day resting. Dr came. Told story of Andrew Clarke & Prince of Wales. Jubilate don't you let that d-d mountebank come near me again. Got gradually better & had a better night tonight. In bed all day. (*Red ink*: Kept awake by cough but better.) (*Cutting glued in: Obituary of Sir J.F.Garrick. Jany 14.*)

Wednesday January 16

Stafford Terrace. In Roy's room. All day in bed. Dr came. Mite with me. Read Huttons book on Spain. Rested all day. Temperature slightly higher in morning. Barom normal in afternoon. Upton to the Punch Dinner. Back with letter at 10.45pm. (*Red ink*: In bed all day.) (*Cutting glued in: Death of Frederick Muck. Death of Archibald Napier. Death of Alice Newman. Death of Alfred Osmond. Death of Ada Roller.*)

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Thursday January 17

Stafford Terrace. In Roy's room. Fair night. Up 8.20. No hot water. Put on clothes 1st time since last Friday. Dull morning. After in room & looked at materials for subject of Birrell, C.B & King Arthur. Dr Beecham came at 12.30. Slight wheezing of valve in heart. Felt very done up after. Lunch 1.30. Rest till 2.30. Enlarged 9 plates. Upton round. Wrote letters. Worked till 8.30. Dinner kept warm but no one thought of shutting the window. Had a bad night of coughing again & did not get to sleep until 2.0am. After rested fairly well. (*Red ink: Worked in room. Had very bad night with cough.*) (*Cutting glued in: Earthquake and fire destroys Kingston.*)

Friday January 18

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.30am. Breakfast 9.0am. Had bad night up to 1.30am. Slept well after. All day at work on drawing of C.B as Arthur & Birrell as a Knight. Worked from 2.0 to 10.15pm. Terrible strain to get done. Eat some food & to bed at 12.0am. Food taken out by Nurse. (*Red ink: Did my work with great difficulty.*) (*Cuttings glued in: Death of Robina Hepburn. Death of David Hepburn. Obituary of Allan Wood. Obituary of Lady Robertson.*)

Saturday January 19

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.45 & breakfast in Bed Room at 9.30. After Dr Beecham came. Got up at 12.0 & in my room putting things away up to 5.0pm. Mite in. They all went to see Peter's Mother & the Ross's also. Enlarged after the rest of the Ostend photos & began Weymouth. Dinner in Bed Room. Worked in my room after dinner for 2 hrs up to 11.0pm when went to bed. (*Red ink: In Bed Room all day. 8 days this day.*) (*Cuttings glued in: Obituary of David Hepburn. Obituary of Lucas D'Oyly Carte.*)

Sunday January 20

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.45 & had breakfast at 9.15am in my room. After Roy came round & stayed to lunch. Rather depressed at the prosperity of Messels & Stern. Went in & saw dear M for 1st time since the 11th. Mite & Lennie motored to Windsor. All afternoon doing Brighton enlargements. Dined by self. Developed about 30 of enlargements before & after dinner. Bed at 11.30. Sleep 12.30am after reading Mr Hutton's book on The Cities of Spain. (*Red ink: Saw dear M for 1st time since 11th.*) (*Cutting glued in: Death of Agnes Clerke.*)

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Monday January 21

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.45am. Bath & after seeing M went down to breakfast. News of extraordinary conduct of Governor of Jamaica. Dull coldish morning. After enlarging went out for 1st time since the 10th. Walked with Rags up the Park to top of Row. Carriage met me & back to lunch with Mite. Chop. After in afternoon did 2nd edition of yesterday & Saturday's enlargements. Dined by self & after went to bed at 10pm & slept fairly well all night. M much better today. (*Red ink:* Out for 1st time since the 10th. 11 days.)(*Cutting glued in: Obituary of Agnes Clerke.*)

Tuesday January 22

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.45. Bath. Colder & east wind. Did not go out all day. All day enlarging Brighton. Dull grey & dark all day & much colder at night. Dear Mite round in a green blouse. M much better. Mite & self lunched together. Good roast beef. All afternoon up to dinner time at work. Dined by self & went to bed at 10.30pm after sitting with M. (*Red ink:* Dear M much better.)

Wednesday January 23

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.40. Hard frost in night. Down. Letters from Lady Pirrie & O.S. Wrote letters etc. After all afternoon doing 2nd Brighton. Developed after. Letter from O.S to say not to go to the Punch Dinner. Sent Upton to the Table at 9.15. Back 10.45. Easy subject. Dined by self. Mite round to tea in afternoon. Bed 11.30pm. Slept well. A great many of above photos were spoilt by not turning over in the basin for washing, 18 at least. (*Red ink:* Letter from Seaman not to go to the Punch Dinner.)

Thursday January 24

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.45 & breakfast. Intensely cold. Did not go out all day. Looked out phos for subject of Britannia & Mr Punch at Brighton. Mr William Whiteley murdered at 12.45 by a man named Rayner. At work. Enlarged & developed in afternoon. Light again broke down. Worked from 6.0 to 8.30pm. Mite here all day. Roy was to have come to dinner but the night was so bad & the cold so intense he did not come. Bed 11.0 after reading the Whiteley murder. Slept well. Many prints spoilt through not turning them over in the hand basin. Saw Dr Haward in morning. (*Cutting glued in: Death of William Whiteley.*)

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Friday January 25

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.45 & bath. Breakfast. After got to work at 10.15 & worked till 10.40 at night on Britannia at Kingston. Mite in bed with cold, could not come all day. M much better. Got through my work fairly well. My cough dreadfully troublesome at night again. Kept awake till 1.0am. (*Red ink: Cough very troublesome.*) (*Cutting glued in: The murder of Mr Whiteley. Jan 29.*)

Saturday January 26

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.50 & breakfast 9.15. No electrician coming. After put things away & then went for walk up to top of Row. Met Walter Emanuel at Round Pond & he walked up to top of Row with me. Carriage met us at Barracks & drove home to lunch. M much better. After put side supports to extender & a new light on. Doubts as to its working. Enlarged 32 films to dinner time when dined by myself. Bed at 12.0 after snooze. Slept better. Man from Stores about my Photo Book. Dear Ann & Oliver came from 11.0am to 12.0pm. (*Red ink: Out for walk up Row. Met Walter Emanuel.*)

Sunday January 27

Stafford Terrace. Up at 9.0. Bath. Breakfast. Not quite so cold. After wrote letters, Sands & Hunter, Stores etc. M much better & tube taken out. At 12.15 Roy came & we both went for walk with Rags to Round Pond & the Long Water. Went on the ice for 1st time since 1895. Back. Edgar came 1.45pm. Lunch. He went up to see M. All the afternoon enlarging 2 boxes Street Girls up to 7.45. Spencer called. My cough troublesome. After at 8.5 Roy, Edgar & Lennie dined with us. Good dinner. I did not smoke. Lennie a very bad cold. They all left by 11.0pm. Sat till 12.0 in Morning Room, when to bed. Slept well. No cough at night. (*Red ink: Dear M better. Tube taken out. Went for walk with Roy. Ice on Round Pond. Roy, Edgar & Lennie dined.*) (*Cutting glued in: Obituary of Markham Spofforth.*)

Monday January 28

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.45 & down. Breakfast. Quite mild again. Went out for walk up Row. Carriage met me at 1.0 & drove home. Saw Sir Eyre Shaw. Lunch. All afternoon developing nearly 100 cards, mostly successful. Began 4.0pm. Mervyn came. After stayed & had dinner with me. Bed at 11.30pm. (*Red ink: Mervyn dined.*) (*Cutting glued in: Death of Mary Waddy.*)

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Tuesday January 29

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.50am & out before breakfast the 1st time since Thursday, no, Friday 11th inst. Went up Church St. No Slipper. Back. After breakfast man from Stores about pencils & after electrician came about my Electric Light at 11.0am. Wrong pole. Went out & up Row at 12.10am. Met lovely little girl with long legs. Strong wind & bright sun. Lost opportunity, no camera. Back. Lunch. After did re-prints & at work all afternoon. M sat up. Dined by self. Sent Upton & got cameras back without dummy rings. Strap too short. Bed 11.30 after sitting with M. Dear Mite came in the afternoon. (*Red ink*: Never saw Slipper after. Out before breakfast 1st time since Friday 11th.) (*Cutting glued in: Marriage of Harold Ritchie to Ella Priestley.*)

Wednesday January 30

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.50 & out with Rags up Church St & round Notting Hill. Very much better. Walked easier. Fine morning. Strong north wind. Little girl in red must be done. Wrote letters. M much better. Did 2 Plats in red tomorrow Thursday. Went on enlarging in the afternoon & left by carriage at 6.15. Drove to the Garrick Club. Saw Roy. After to Sands & Hunters & by bus to 'Punch' Dinner. Lucas presided. Self, F.H.T, C.G, L.B, H.W.L (out of his place) B.P, E.T.R. Not a bad dinner. Good mullet & W-bait. Left at 10.25 & home by carriage calling at the Athenaeum Club. Bed 11.30pm. (*Red ink*: M much better.)

Thursday January 31

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.50 & over Notting Hill. Cold north wind. Took 1 doz photos of schoolgirls. Little 2 Plats etc. Back. Breakfast. After schemed subject of Kaiser & Bulow on Battleship. At 12.0 photod Britten in uniform. Developed & enlarged by 2.0pm. Up in M's room. Lost 1 hour bothering putting films in Blocknote magazines. Electric Light blew out. Had to send & get it connected at 6.30pm. Dined by self at 8.30pm. Just got it all in outline. Bed 11.30. No fire. (*Red ink*: Electric Light blew out.)

Friday February 1

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0 & out. Walked to Lytham House thro' Kensington Gardens. Saw the Princess. Back for another term. Breakfast 9.15am & after worked from 10.30 to 10.30pm on German Emperor & Prince Bulow. Bothered with Kaiser's hand in morning. Tired. Dined. Bed 11.30 after. Cold at night. (*Red ink*: Saw Princess 1st time 1907.)

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Saturday February 2

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0 & out. Very tired. No Slipper. Muscotte girls. Walk up Church Street & down Argyll Rd. Cold. Back. M better. Put things away & at 12.15 walked up to top of Row with Rags. Most uninteresting people. Saw no one. Back by carriage. Mite to lunch. After enlarged some photos. From 5.30 to 7.30 arranging films in magazines. Failure owing to thick curly films. Very much annoyed. No 3 magazine stuck. Dined by self & snooze after, going to bed at 11.30. Slept well. Mite had a party of 16 for the Pantomime. Ross's there. (*Red ink: Annoyed with thick films.*)

Sunday February 3

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.15. Out 9.0. Dull dark morning & very cold. After at 11.30 Roy came round. Gave him cheque. Lunch by self. All afternoon enlarging etc. At 8.0 Lennie, Mite, Roy & self dined. Good dinner. Lennie a bad cold & a bad eye. They left 10.45. Talk of Spanish trip. Bed 11.30 after reading Dicken's *Drood* & Lang's *Explanation*. (*Cuttings glued in: Death of Sarah Seaman. Death of Florence Hastings. Death of Thomas Threlfall.*)

Monday February 4

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.50 & out round Cromwell Road. No Aphrodite. Left. Back. Breakfast. After at 11.15 went in carriage & took films to Thos.K.Grant at 4 Bloomsbury St W.C & 2 changing boxes to Watsons. Back by 1.5. Mite with her mother & lunched with me. My cough still very troublesome. Mite good bye & left at 5.0pm. Developed about 90 cards between 5.45 & 8.0 when dined by self. In M's room after. Read Edwin Drood *Explanation*. Bed 12.15. Some time getting to sleep. Langley wrote me about Spain in the morning. (*Red ink: Called Lumière about thick film & Watson about magazine.*) (*Cutting glued in: Obituary of Thomas Threlfall.*)

Tuesday February 5

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0 & out over Holland Walk to Notting Hill. Saw 2nd Kitten, Two Plats etc. Back. Breakfast. A miserable morning, cold, raw, sleety & damp. Mite & Lennie went to Bournemouth. The chicks, Ann & Oliver, came to see their grandmother at 11.0am. Put 100 cards to dry. All day enlarging. Did not go out. Wind shifted to the west in the afternoon. After developed about 60 cards. Back printed since Saturday. Dined at

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8.15 by self. M much better. Bed 11.30pm. (*Cutting glued in: Marriage of Willett Ram to Ethel Blackiston.*)

Wednesday February 6

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45 & out over Notting Hill. Breakfast. After went in Park at 12.0 with large camera. Took some photos soldiers marching etc. Found the camera was stopped down. Fear they will all be no good. Missed Imperance. Back. Had hair cut. Lunch. After enlarged last of my 1906 films. Left in carriage at 6.20. Called at Garrick. Letter from E.J. On to Punch Dinner after leaving carriage for Roy. Phil A, B.P, E.T.R, E.V.L(Ed) self, F.H.T, C.G. Cheery dinner & all over by 9.15. Had to wait 10.15 as ordered carriage at 10.30pm. Called Athenaeum & home. Cough troublesome at night. (*Cuttings glued in: Death of Francis Breuke. Death of Henry Breuke. Funeral of the Marchioness of Hastings*)

Thursday February 7

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.45 & out with Rags. Went up Church St. Saw Lady D. Back. Schemed subject of House of Lords Cat & Mice with Bell. Enlarged photos & photod bell at 12.0pm. At 1.15 out with large camera to Notting Hill & took some photos of girls. Sun. Back 2.15pm to lunch. At work after enlarging. All ready & got outline by 8.30. Dined by self & sat with M after. Bed 12.0. Coughed, no, did not cough at night or morning. (*Cutting glued in: Death of Alice Hanslip.*)

Friday February 8

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45 & out over Notting Hill. Saw very few. Walked right down to the school & past it. Back 9.20 & breakfast. After at work all day on drawing of House of Lords Cat & Mice. Finished 10.30. Dined by self. Very tired. Bed at 12.0am. Coughed.

Saturday February 9

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.30. Did not go out. Breakfast. Dull rainy morning. Put all straight etc. Wrote cheques & letters. Lunch. Got off by carriage at 3.20 & down with one other to Bournemouth without a stop. Mite met me at door of Royal Bath Hotel. All over imitation pictures & over decorated. Comfortable room, No 68. Fire. Dressed. Dinner 7.30pm. Fair. A harpist solo. A (*illeg*), King Humbert of Italy etc. Listened to music after. A pretty girl with father & silent mother, Mr, Mrs & Miss Pilkington. In Lennie's sitting room No 105. Mite made honey & got grapes. Cough

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troublesome before sleeping. (*Red ink: Went down to Bournemouth to stay with Mite & Lennie.*)

Sunday February 10

The Royal Bath Hotel, Bournemouth. Up 8.0. Bath. Dressed Admiral's suit & out. Bright sun. No wind. Very good breakfast, sole etc. After we started in motor at 11.30 & went to the Anchorage. Past Junipers H. Went in. Looked thro' the windows & spent 1½ hrs wandering about the sea & river there. Talk to a fisherman. Lennie went up the Bear Pole. Then motored past High Cliff Castle & went on to Milford & the hotel & had excellent lunch. A delightful collie bitch called Lady made friends. Long stroll on sands & aquired stones. After back by Ch Ch. Tea. Mite read about Toledo. Snooze. Dressed at 6.30 & dinner 7.30pm. Fair dinner. Music. Bed 10.30pm. Talk of our trip to Spain. (*Red ink: Fine day. Motored from Bournemouth past Christchurch to the Anchorage & Milford. Back to Bournemouth.*)

Monday February 11

The Royal Bath Hotel, Bournemouth. Up 8.0. Lukewarm bath. Packed. Down 9.30 out ¼ hour. Cold wind. Bright sun. Breakfast 9.45. After saw Lennie off. Went in motor. Stroll on to Cliffs & Pier. Took 1 doz phos & with Mite after along the sands. Lunch. Got off by 2.10 & up to Waterloo. There 4.20pm. Upton there but not Mite's carriage. Lovely sunset. Home at 5.0pm. Tabs there. Dear M better. Wrote diary & many letters. Dined by self & in M's room after. Snooze till 11.30. Bed. Slept well. No cough. (*Red ink: Stroll with Mite along sands at Bournemouth. Home in the afternoon. I subsequently found I had left my cats eye stud bought in 1885 at the hotel. Got it back.*)

Tuesday February 12

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.45. A very rough morning. Gave up notion of going to Calais. Wet also. Out with Rags to H.School Notting Hill. 1 Norland Sq a stationers shop. No 2 Plats. Back Breakfast. A man from the Stores came about my photo case being stamped with two S.S's. The King to open Parliamnt. Bad day. Mite drove up & lunched with me. Stayed with her mother all afternoon. Enlarged 1905 ¼ plates etc. Dear M went down into the Drawing Room for tea at 4.20. I helped her down. Up again at 8.0pm. Developed between 70 & 80 cards. Dined by self at 8.20 & in the Drawing Room after sitting with M. Bed at 11.15pm. (*Red ink: M went down to Drawing Room for 1st time.*) (*Cutting glued in: In*

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memoriam Charles Witherington, Walter Redmond, Elizabeth De Carne, Robson Roose. Feby.)

Wednesday February 13

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.45 & out. Raw & cold. Went to Cromwell Rd. Saw Princess, Scotch, & No 2 Princess. Back. Breakfast. After up with M. X in room. Coloured photo cases again. Upton had put Propert on boots. Put trees up. Enlarged school girls again. After left in carriage at 4.30 & called Miles & then to Athenaeum & to call on Mr Boyd Carpenter at the Junior Carlton. Then to Punch Dinner after writing at the Athenaeum. Came on wet. C.V.L, self, F.H.T, C.G, R.L, P.A, B.P, E.T.R, H.W.L, A.G. Reed made a magistrate. Got Balloon subject & left at 10.20. Home by carriage. (*Cutting glued in: Death of Edward Fahey.*)

Thursday February 14

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.45 & walk to Notting Hill. (*illeg*) (*illeg*). No Double Plat. Back & schemed subject of C.B in Balloon. Britten came at noon. Photod him on table. Developed. Got all ready by 5.30 & worked up to 8.30 when dined by self. Refused invite to Vintners & to Royal College of Surgeons. Bed after Drawing Room.

Friday February 15

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.45 & out past Lytham House. Saw the Princess. Back & all day at work on drawing of C.B in a Balloon. Finished at 10.30pm & dined by self. Bed at 1.0 after snooze. Not tired. (*Cutting glued in: Death of Francis Cosens.*)

Saturday February 16

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am & out up Church St. Just too late. Back. Breakfast & after all morning at letters etc. Books. Lunch by self & left in the carriage at 1.30 & drove to Drury Lane calling at the Claridges Hotel. Saw Pantomime. Nothing to do with Sindbad. Hullo! Hullo! Hullo! Fairly good. Out 5.20. Drove home from the Garrick Club. Tea in the Drawing Room. Mite there. Dined by self & in M's room after. Dear M cried in the morning. Went out with camera into Park at 11.30 to 12.50. Preparing for the King to select a site for statue of William of Orange. Took a few useless photos. Pretty girl & dogs. Miss Phillimore nearly certain. (*Red ink: Went by self to Drury Lane Pantomime. Sindbad.*) (*Cutting glued in: Death of Dr James Huxley. Feb 16th 07.*)

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Sunday February 17

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.15 & out. Too windy to cross Channel. Walked up Church St. Back. All morning & afternoon writing Store & other orders. Roy in. Spencer came & stayed to lunch. After all afternoon writing. Developed some films taken in Novr at Pyt & also at Bournemouth last Monday. Midge & Mrs Evans (Langley's sister) came to lunch. No, to tea. At 8.0 Mite, Roy, Lennie & self dined. Very good oysters. Champagne. They left 10.45. Bed 12.0. (*Red ink*: Mite, Roy, Lennie & self dined.)

Monday February 18

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.45 & out 8.30. Walked along Cromwell Rd & to Lytham House. Met no one in particular. A dull windy morning. M bothered about her hotels. Wrote orders etc. Developed some films. Last of last year, Terregles & Pyt House. Began dating Dutch photos, ready for book. After at 7.40 left in the carriage & dined with Hamilton & Midge & Paul Foley at the Coburg Hotel. Good dinner. Home 10.30 by the carriage. (*Red ink*: Dined with Hamilton Langley & Midge at the Coburg. Slow.)

Tuesday February 19

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.50. Out over Campden Hill. Saw school girls. Got 3 tickets of boy for 3/-. Back. All day dating Dutch photos & developed a few plates or films. At 7.45 left & dined at Lancaster Gate. Lennie's birthday. Mrs Sington & Mr Marriott there. Left at 10.30 & home. Wet & raining. (*Red ink*: Lennie's birthday. Dined at Lancaster Gate.) (*Cutting glued in*: *Death of Henry Jasper*.)

Wednesday February 20

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.45 & out with large camera. Gale of wind & bright sun. Took 13 of school girls. Just missed 2 Plats. Back. After finished dating & putting away Dutch photos. Left in carriage at 4.30pm & called at Mite's & then to Junior Carlton Club. Missed Mr Boyd Carpenter. To Athenaeum. Wrote letters & then called Sands & Hunter. Punch Dinner. Owen Seaman back. O.S, self, F.H.T, C.G, R.L, L.B, B.P, H.W.L, EV.L. Got cut of Greyhound & away 10.15 & home by carriage. Cold. Went out a 2nd time & tried the new small camera at 2.0. No school girls. Took 12 at Notting Hill. Strong wind. (*Red ink*: Dr Haward paid his last visit.)

Thursday February 21

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.45 & out over Campden Hill. Met a very pretty shop girl running as far as Norland Sq & back. 2 Plats.

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Breakfast & after schemed subject of Hare & Greyhound. At 12.30 enlarged Muybridge's Animals in Motion. Very cold. Enlarged in afternoon. Worked till 8.30 when dined by self. (*Red ink*: Shop girl Miss Elliott.) (*Cutting glued in: Death of Elizabeth and Mary Barker.*)

Friday February 22

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.45 & out over Campden Hill. No girl as yesterday. Met Mr Turner & children. Back 9.0. Band. Breakfast. Went on with work. At 11.30 dear M went out for a drive. 1st time outside house for 12 weeks. Went in Mite's carriage & Mite with her. They met Dr Orton. Worked all day until 10.30 on Hare & Moderate & Progressive Greyhounds. Dined by self & bed 12.45. Bitterly cold. Evelyn Fisher Rowe lunched with me. (*Red ink*: Dear M out for drive for the 1st time since November.) (*Cutting glued in: Presentations at Court. Mrs Lawrence Fisher Rowe & others. T Feb 25, Court F 22nd.*)

Saturday February 23

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.15 & out. Hard frost in the night. Very cold in morning. Slight headache. Met no one. After in the morning wrote letters etc. M out with Mite in Victoria. After lunch left at 1.50 & drove in carriage to the Lyric Theatre & saw Robin Hood. Dull play. Met a talkative & rather pretty lady. Going out met & talked to two Miss G.G.Ts. Sausages & on to Athenaeum. Tea at the Jun'r Carlton & talk to Mr Boyd Carpenter. Home by bus. Girl like a young Mrs Lucy. In the Drawing Room with M. Dressed & carriage to Mite's. Dined & met a Spanish tourist. Left 11.0pm & home. Bitterly cold weather. (*Red ink*: M out for drive. Went by self to Lyric Theatre. Saw Robin Hood.)

Sunday February 24

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.20. Had broken Electric globe in the night. Out. Sunday School children. Good breakfast. Very cold. After all day at home writing etc. Dating cards & preparing. Roy came in the morning. After Lennie, Roy, Mite & E.V.Lucas dined. They left at 11.0pm. A pleasant dinner & talk of papers etc etc. Rather livery all day & tired. (*Red ink*: Roy, Lennie, Mite & E.V.Lucas dined at Stafford Terrace.)

Monday February 25

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.45 & over past High School. Kindergarten. Back. Breakfast. All day preparing for Spain, writing Boyd

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Carpenter & others. Dating cards & other matters. Dined by self & bed at 11.30pm. Roy sold my £500 worth of George Newnes for £406 only - £406.4.0 only.

Tuesday February 26

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45 & over as far as Norland Sq & back. Spoke to Gipsy. Back. Breakfast. Mostly all day preparing for Spain, dating cards etc etc. In evening dined at Mite's. Roy & Miss Walford only. Oysters. After Mite made pastel of Roy. Home by carriage at 11.0pm. Bed. (*Red ink*: Dined at 104 Lancaster Gate. Asked Elliott for address to sit. No, this was March 9th.)

Wednesday February 27

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.5 & out. Walked to ½ way up Holland Walk & then to Lytham House. Met no one. After all day dating cards etc, up to 5.45. Carriage to Mite's & called Garrick Club, Sands & Hunters. To Punch Dinner. O.S, self, F.H.T, C.G, P.A, E.V.L, H.W.L (distract) A.G. Long weary discussion. Got subject of Pygmalion & left for home in the carriage at 11.0pm.

Thursday February 28

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.45 & out. Dense fog. Missed Gipsy. Walked to Notting Hill & back. After sent Upton to Mays. Dense fog. Schemed subject & with great difficulty got photos from Upton for Haldane Pygmalion. Delayed very much. Did not finish enlarging till 6.15pm. Got outline by 8.30pm. Dined at 8.45 by self. Tired. Bed 11.30pm.

Friday March 1

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.40 & out. Dense fog. Met Gipsy. Said good morning 8.30am. Round by Church Street home. Not so dense. After all day at work. Before signed transfer of George Newnes & many other letters. Finished work at 10.30 & dind by self very tired & exhausted. Bed 12.30pm.

Saturday March 2

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0 & out. Up Church St. After made mistake voting. Forgot names & voted 1 Progressive & 1 Moderate. After breakfast all morning writing letters. Unpacked photographic albums. After lunched, Mite with me. Left 1.50 & drove to His Majesty's Theatre & saw Anthony & Cleopatra. Fine spectacle. Called Athenaeum & got sausages. Home by bus. Girl like G.Taverner in bus. Sat with M & after dressed & dined with

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Mite. Lennie seedy. Mr & Mrs B. Stewart there. Left 11.10 & home by carriage. (*Red ink*: Went to His Majesty's & saw Anthony & Cleopatra. Dined at 104 Lancaster Gate.)

Sunday March 3

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.15 & out. Coloured old trees. Foggy dark morning. Up Church St. Great victory of the Progressives in paper. Joke of Boot Trees packed as choice fruit. All the morning writing letters etc. Roy in. Lunch. After wrote letters & packed bag to go to Sidmouth tomorrow. Dinner. Only Roy, Florence W & Mite came, Lennie being too ill. Champagne. They left at 9.45. Up in M's room & read after W. Irving's Alhambra. Bed 11.30pm. Colder. (*Red ink*: Lennie seedy. Florence W & Mite dined.)

Monday March 4

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.30 & finished packing. Could not find my cats eye stud. Never shall now. After breakfast did not go out. Bus came at 10.0 & dear Mite also. Got off 10.15 with Nurse. Guards outside Buckingham Palace. Invalid chair for M. Most comfortable journey to Sidmouth. Lunch by self after Salisbury. Saw Pyt House. Sunny afternoon. Jolty bus from the station. Arrived at Fortfield Hotel 3.10. Fair rooms. Went out 4.30 to 5.30. Dull wretched place. People like half alive flies. Bought grapes. Back to tea in M's room. Down to Drawing Room, wrote letters. M decided not to dine below. Dressed & dined by self. People talking all round again. Came across Ray Lankester & his niece & also Mr & Mrs Cameron. We went up in Billiard Room after. Talk to R.L & his niece. Bed at 11.0. Slept well. (*Red ink*: Could not find my cats eye stud. Took dear M down to Sidmouth.) (*Cutting glued in: Death of Rolf Peech.*)

Tuesday March 5

Fortfield Hotel, Sidmouth. Up at 8.0. Good bath. Dressed. In M's room. Down & out 8.40. Walk. A dull cold morning. Back. Breakfast at 9.10. Fair. Up after & M went out at 11.10 in a Bath chair for nearly two hours. Dull cold & heavy rain after. R. Lankester & his niece. Bought oranges 3d each. Back. Fair lunch, M & self meal together 1st time since Novr 1906. After went into Billiard Room. Talk to Cameron & someone who had a Fishing in Norway. Wrote 4 or 5 letters. Tea in lounge. Still dull & wet. After went for walk again. Dear M came down to dinner 1st time since her operation. Bore it well. We went up immediately after. In

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her room & bed early. (*Red ink*: Dear M down to dinner 1st time since dining with Stone on the (*blank*) of November.)

Wednesday March 6

Fortfield Hotel, Sidmouth. Up 7.45. Could not get bath till 8.15. Out & tried camera. Breakfast. Talk to Ray Lancaster. Dear M upset at my leaving. Got off by bus at 11.35. Hurry with bill. Took more photos at station. Stock Xchange lady & gentleman who lived at Woodford went up same bus. We lunched together. Lady like Sophy H. London. Carriage met me. Called Sands & Hunter & home. Letters. To Punch Dinner. Too late to call on Miles. Called Sands & Hunter. O.S, self, F.H.T, C.G, R.L, E.V.L, B.P, E.T.R, H.W.L, A.G. Late sitting. Left 11.15 & home by carriage. Slept in Front Bedroom 1st time since Dec 1 1906. (*Red ink*: Slept in Front Bedroom 1st time since Decr 1 1906.) (*Cutting glued in: Death of John Herring. Death of Samuel Joshua.*)

Thursday March 7

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.45 & out over Notting Hill. Back & after schemed drawing of Huis Ten Bosch. Hilton & Britten came at 12.0, Hilton 1st time since December 11 1906. Took phos of French, German, John Bull, Cossack etc. Wet & miserable. Developed & got prints late 6.30pm. Roy came & dined & back in carriage 10.30pm. (*Cutting glued in: Mr Hugh Clifford has arrived in London.*)

Friday March 8

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.45 & out with middle camera. Brilliant sun. Walked over to Notting Hill & took School Girls etc. After back. Many letters. At work all day on drawing Huis Ten Bosch. Finished at 10.30pm. Dined by self tired & bed at 1.0pm.

Saturday March 9

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45 & out. Met G & got address. Man with Bulldog. Back. Breakfast. Saw Sanitary Inspectors from A & N. Got off after looking out drawings at 12.0 by carriage & to Waterloo. Down by 1.0pm to Sidmouth. 2/6 for chop. Changed at S.J. 2 others got in. Dear M looking better. Walk & got grapes etc. Dinner. In M's room. Changed films from 10.30 to 11.45pm. Bed. Slept well. (*Red ink*: Went down to Sidmouth 2nd time.) (*Cutting glued in: Death of Frances Peachey.*)

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Fortfield Hotel, Sidmouth. Up 7.40. Good bath. Down 8.30 after seeing M. Dull morning. Wrote 4 or 5 letters before breakfast & after. At 11.0 went with M in Bath chair for 2 hours. Dull & rain. Back 1.0 & 1.30 very good lunch. Wrote from 2.30pm to 4.30pm continuously. Tea. At 5.0 took M again for an hour in Bath chair. Dull & colder. Back 6.0pm. In M's room. At 7.0 dressed. Dinner. Very good & fruit. Went up after coffee & bed 10.30. Put films in magazine D. Slept fairly well. (*Red ink*: At Sidmouth.)

Monday March 11

Fortfield Hotel, Sidmouth. Up 7.40. No hot water. Packed & shaved. Bath. Out on Parade. No one about. Took a few photos before & after breakfast. Good bye to dear M. Bore of a man Robertson. Had talked at breakfast to young man who knew Lord Mount Edgcombe. Saw going after to station. No restaurant car. 2 ladies jumbled into our carriage. Red moustached man & self. Carriage met me Waterloo. Drove to Reeds & then home. Tidied up etc. Put films in the small magazine. Dined by self at home. Went after to Mite's. Mrs de la Penha & the Gibbs there. Lennie very seedy. Back by the carriage at 11.15pm. Most bitterly cold. (*Red ink*: Lennie seedy. Came up from Sidmouth. Dined Lancaster Gate.)

Tuesday March 12

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45 & out. Hard frost & bitterly cold in the night & morning. Up Church Street with Rags, no Holland Walk. Missed G. Through back of Upper Phil Gds. Saw Princess & Brown Stockings. Back. Breakfast. Dirty parquet. Wrote cheque etc. Man could not do the drains yesterday. All day packing, preparing etc. In evening dined with Maud & Lennie. Met Mrs Sington, E.V.Lucas & wife. Good dinner. Left 11.0pm & home by carriage. (*Red ink*: Dined at Lancaster Gate.)

Wednesday March 13

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.45am & out over Campden Hill. Lovely bright morning. Took School Girl with large camera which broke down at the numbers. After went out at 12.20 with new camera & tried it in High St. Better results. Saw Woodruff. All day packing etc. Left & drove to Athenaeum at 6.15pm. On to Punch Dinner. Owen S distraight. Self, H.F.T, C.G, R.H, R.C.L, P.A, E.V.L, B.P, E.T.R, H.W.L, A.G. Good dinner. Left at 11.0 & home by the carriage. R.H brandy & garrulous.

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Thursday March 14

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.45am & out. Went round Cromwell Road. Lovely girl & 3 little boys. No A. Back. After schemed & made study from Hilton & Britten for Old Yokel & Asquith. Enlarged downstars. Finished by 11.30pm. Lennie & Mite started by the 11.0am Victoria for Paris. Wrote till 8.45. Roy dined with me & left 10.30. Had to go out to post a letter. Terrible day in the American Market in the City. (*Red ink*: Roy dined with me.)

Friday March 15

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45am & out by High School, 2 dogs. After had hair cut. Back. Letters. All day till 10.45pm on drawing of Asquith & Old Yokel. Dined by myself. Letter from Mrs Elliott. Fire. Bed 12.30am. The Langleys arrived at Seville. How did they get there in the time?

Saturday March 16

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45. Not very tired. Out up Holland Walk. Met Mr Turner. Breakfast. All day writing cheques etc. Lunch. Roy never came for Boat Race. Left at 2.35pm in cart & drove down. Cambridge won. Saw Wirgman & a Frenchman. Drove back by the Goldhawk Road & Shepherds Bush. Tea. Wrote till dinner. Roy dined with me. Bottle 1898 Champagne. Had to knock Upton up to take Roy back. Mrs P going to bed at 9.30. In Morning Room. Bed 12.0am after snooze. (*Red ink*: Oxford & Cambridge Boat Race. Cambridge won. Roy dined with me. Last time waited on by Pointer.)

Sunday March 17

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.15 & in room. Letters. Tidying. Bath after. Got off at 10.0 in cart for Victoria. A great crowd. Little man of 'The People'. Curious boy & young fellow in carriage. Dirty valet. Saw Capn Dixon & after Sir F & Lady Dixon-Hartland. Introduced to Mrs Stern at Victoria & saw Bertie Stern. Lovely crossing. Took 6 photos & 6 on platform. Stockbroker in carriage to Paris. Comfortable journey. Good porter. To Continental. Saw Lennie. Room 273. Dressed & went to dine, Mite, Mrs Gibson, Lennie & self. Saw Sir Alfred Dent. Very good fiddler. Back. Bed 11.30pm after changing 1 doz plates. (*Red ink*: Dined in café at Paris with Lennie, Mite & Mrs Gibson. The little man of 'The People' is 'Madge'.)

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Monday March 18

Hotel Continental, Paris. Woke 4.0 & up 7.15. Good bath, oeufs etc. A dull rainy morning. Pottered in room without going out. After down to Bureau to get my films. Bill 14F. In Lennie's room at 10.30am. Mrs Gibson. Took 1 photo in the yard & one of porter. Got off comfortably for Biarritz. Most luxurious carriage & good lunch & dinner. Past Blois & Tours, Beaugency, Angouleme, Bordeaux et etc. Arrived Biarritz at 10.20pm. Bother to get on omnibus. At Grand Hotel. Same as dear M & self were at in 1896. No 22 Upp Phillimore Gardens. Cornered one in hall. Delightful suite of rooms No 100-102 St Galmier. Bed at 12.30. Still grey & misty. Warm. Curious Mulatto family on train & very neat lady & children. (*Red ink:* Journeyed from Paris to Biarritz.)

Tuesday March 19

Grand Hotel Biarritz. Up at 7.15. Bath in room. Still grey & sea fog. Could not get breakfast until 9.15 or 9.30. After Lennie & self went out to Bank. Got £10 in Spanish money. Then to wire. Then L had his hair cut. After L, M & self walked down to the Virgin Rock. Met Sir Ernest Cassell & daughter. Back. Lunch. After cornered by 22 P.G. Then L, M & self & Curtain went to be photographed. Jovial photographer. Then we went by train to Bayonne. Saw Cathedral. Chocolate in same shop but re-built. Lennie bought cup. Back to Biarritz. Up in room. Wrote letters & diary. Clearing up. 2 English girls on the train. Bad brown boots. Took 2 doz & 8 photos. Magazine B broke down in morning. Tired after. L went for walk. Rested & dressed for dinner. Room too much lighted. So so dinner. Corridor. Up in room 9.30. Talk of my family. Bed. (*Red ink:* Photographed & all went to Bayonne.)

Wednesday March 20

Grand Hotel Biarritz. Up at 8.0. Breakfast brought in. Out 9.20 & to villa to let. Virgin Rock. Fishing. Took 12 photos, backgrounds, steps etc. After at 11.0am started for Hendaye & Fuenterrabia. Sun shone at 12.0 to 2.0pm. Thro' St Jean de Luz. Same chateau & front door. Same Hotel d'Angleterre & 2 sisters. Good lunch. To Fuenterrabia. L delighted. Up on castle roof & church vestments. Boy & little sparrow. Little dog. Started home 4.50. Rain. Back 7.15. Lopez awaiting Lennie. Dinner 8.15. Woman & rings. Uncomfortable corridor. In room at 9.45. Mite had a fire. Room 10.30. 1 hr changing plates. Bed 11.35. The name of the village with church door is 'Elrugne'. Curious galleries all round the

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Basque churches. Hamilton, Midge & Dora at Granada as per book Apl 8th. (*Red ink*: Photod Biarritz in morning. After all went to Hendaye & Fuenterrabia.) (*Cutting glued in: W.L. Wyllie elected RA.*)

Thursday March 21

Grand Hotel Biarritz. Up at 7.30. Breakfast 8.0. Packed in room. Diary etc. After went into Market Place & took 3 photos. After L, M & self all called on Dutchman & went after past the Palace Hotel & L went down to sea shore by Links. Lovely hot sun. Back. Lunch. Had taken snap shot of French actress La Valliere. Luncheon. Sat out in sun. After fiacre to Links. Band. Back. L & self went to antique shop. Good prints. Empire commode £44. Back. Finished packing. Lennie & bill. They wanted to charge 2 extra days. Other people moving in. Dinner. The pretty little married woman like a clown. Got off at 9.45 all amicably. Little Basque valet 5F. Not much bother at station. (*Red ink*: Lovely day. Went up to Links at Biarritz & Band.)

Friday March 22

On board train, Biarritz to Madrid. More or less uncomfortable night. Lennie & self in sleeping berth. L did not sleep. Draught on me. Woke up. Watch stopped at 4.30am. Got to station at 7.0am. Bright sun. Up & had coffee & eggs. Good. Past Valladolid. Dreadful fat Englishwoman & Southern American companion. Stony desert looking country. Curious pine trees & dwarf oaks, evergreen. Most curious & delightful old walled town. Wall & towers 1090, 'Avilia'. On. The Escorial. Mountains round Madrid. Lopez met us. No trouble. Arrived Hotel de Paris 2.30pm. Good rooms. Wrote Elliott. L & self went to Cook office. Took phos, priest etc. Back. Took Mite to have chocolate. After delightful drive to new Park. Good carriages. Statue of Alfonso 3rd. Back. Dressed after a good bath. Dinner. Good. M & self frightfully tired. Changed films & bed at 11.0pm. Slept well. Shut window. The old town above was Avila. (*Red ink*: Travelled from Biarritz to Hotel de Paris Madrid.)

Saturday March 23

Hotel de Paris, Madrid. Up 7.30. Shave & coffee in Salon at 8.45am. Out with large C. To Royal Palace & took horse sentries. Back & we all went by fiacre to see the Guard changed. Splendid. Jolly trouper. To the Armoury. Armour of Charles 5 & dog armour. Turkish weapons from Lepanto. Out. Lunch. After at 2.0 went to

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the Prado & saw pictures. Magnificent Velasquez, Don Balthasar. Pair portraits. The Surrender of Breda. Many of Goya's. Portraits King Charles 4 etc. An Albert Durer of himself. Moro portrait of Queen Mary. Portrait of Charles 5th by Titian. Death of the Virgin by Mantegna. Out into the blazing sun. L went into old shops. Missed a pretty but impudent fair Spanish girl. One of 3. Pity. Chocolate shops. Tired. Up in Mite's room. 2 Regiments passed. Wrote diary & M. 2 magnificent Velasquez's, husband & wife Antonia de Spenarriela y Galdos left to the nation by the Duquesa de Villahermosa 1905. Refused £80 for them.

Sunday March 24

Hotel de Paris, Madrid. Up 7.45 or earlier & after coffee out & took 1 doz L.C lions etc. Gendarmes & people in the Puerta del Sol. Back & after went with Mite to Fan shop. Spanish ladies in the shop. L bought 2 fans, one 40L. On to the Prado Museum when Lo! came across McAndrew, his wife & Mary Bond. Talk & back to hotel for lunch. After went at 3.30 to bull fight. Felt seedy in the bright glare & cold wind trying. Saw 4 bulls killed & several horses. One game bull broke its legs. The whole arena yelled & shouted. Left after 4 bulls & back to hotel. Went & had chocolate. Lunch & rested. Put things up & dressed for dinner. Bed at 10.30. Changed plates & packed. Irritation in nostril better. Bed 11.45pm. (*Red ink:* Went to 1st bull fight at Madrid.) (*Cutting glued in: Trial of Horace Rayner. S. March 23.*)

Monday March 25

Hotel de Paris, Madrid. Up 6.45 & bath. Coffee. Out on the Puerta del Sol. Took 6 photos. Got off from hotel at 9.0 & to a good railway station. Met No 22 en route to Seville. Good journey lunch & dinner. Took 3 or 4 photos at Aranjuz, of Cantino etc. Past beautiful scenery, Cordoba etc. 22 in & out of carriage. Arrived Seville 9.45pm. Luggage examined for Octroi. Bother. To hotel. Lennie had dispute with manager about the rooms. 180ps a day. At last got to bed. Suspicion of mosquitos. Curtains. Nevertheless slept well. (*Red ink:* From Madrid to Seville. Bother about price of rooms.) (*Cutting glued in: Death of James Anderson. Obituary James Anderson.*)

Tuesday March 26

Hotel de Madrid, Seville. Woke at 7.30. Up 7.45. Bath. Breakfast. Out. Intended to keep room. 22 pays 50ps or 150ps a day for 3 without salon. Saw 22. After breakfast went with Lennie & Mite to

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the Court of Oranges & the Cathedral. Magnificent. Felt it really cold inside the Cathedral. Lunch. Mr & Mrs Malcomb (Mrs Langtry's daughter) there. Fat old horror at table d'hote. After walked to the Guadalquiver. Someone arriving. Queen of Portugal. Many people. Fat little girl. After had chocolate in delightful garden. Waiter like Lord Ritchie. Organ, 'Lum tum de ditty ti'. After we drove with a lame horse back. Changed & dinner. A very dark English lady like Sibyl Coke opposite. Donkey of a husband. The Doctor & a friend who came up into Lennie's room. Proved to be a Mr Williams who had 500 sq miles of shooting & wild camels. They stayed up till nearly 12.0am. To bed & changed films 1 hr. (*Red ink: Seville. Delighted with it.*) (*Cutting glued in: Obituary of Professor von Bergmann.*)

Wednesday March 27

Hotel de Madrid, Seville. Up at 7.45. Could get no bath until 8.25. Out & to breakfast. After went to get letter, paid 1½ps for nothing. Back. Took 2 photos, 1 a sailor boy. Missed little girl. Back & traipsed thro' the town with Lopez & Lennie. Changed £10 at McAndrews Bank. Then to the Credit Lyonnais. Lunch. After with L & Mite to a Mrs Crawf'd. Felt dreadfully drowsy & sleepy. Little dachshund dog. L bought a silk shawl £14. Out & chocolate. Back & at 5.0pm to see the procession. There 1½ hrs. Painted & draped trophies of the Madonna & Our Lord. Hooded Misericordia. Band of music. Back & came across another procession near our annexe. Dressed. Dinner. The Doctor dined with us. Felt so tired I went to bed at 9.45pm. Bitten in the night. Got up at 3.30am & changed 1 magazine. Slept somehow. No letters. Took a little Moorish girl at the fountain. (*Red ink: 1st view of Procession Seville.*) (*Cutting glued in: Death of Sir Augustus Hemming.*)

Thursday March 28

Hotel de Madrid, Seville. Up 7.30am. Bath. Out & breakfast. Went to the Court of Oranges & took Priest, 12 altogether. After back. Lennie & self out. Lopez ill. Saw McAndrew & his wife Jeanetta. Walked to the Alcazar. Lovely. A smart little woman with a camera. Took her photo in the garden. Back to Mite & lunch. Manager said that the Times Correspondent had called upon me. Ha! The Langleys had been there the 15th & left the 19th. Went with No 22 to shop opposite. Lennie bought fan & old tiaras. Back into room. Rested while Lennie & Mite went out. Disturbed by Lopez at 4.15pm. After wrote diary & letters. At 5.0 went to our seats to see the Procession. Better than yesterday. Sat next Sir Herbert

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Jerringham. Pleasant talk. The Queen of Portugal there & 2 sons. Left at 7.0pm. Crowd. Did not dress. Left after dinner at 9.0 to hear the Miserere at the Cathedral. Got in a crowd. Back. Lennie went with Mr Butler & McAndrew. At hotel talk to Mrs McA & Miss Bond, also to Times man. To hotel annexe. Changed films. Lennie back 11.40. Bed 12.0am. Slept well. Bitten on nose by mosquitos. (*Red ink across page: 2nd view of Procession, Alcazar. Met Sir Herbert Jerringham.*) (*Cutting glued in: Obituary of Sir Augustus Hemming.*)

Friday March 29

Hotel de Madrid, Seville. Up 7.30. Processions passing. Took 3 photos. Coffee & eggs. After out & took 12 photos. Pillars of church etc. Family & little Moorish girl Maria Ramirez. Family man Ramon Monsalve Seville Spain. Back. After we went with the McAndrews & Mr Butler to look at vestments in Cathedral etc. Concierge like Napoleon. Heavy silver crucifixes & candles. The cross that Columbus took to America. Jewels etc. L, Mite etc went up the Giralda Tower. Missed them & came back with Butler. Luncheon. Rest after. Went in afternoon again to see the Procession. Next Sir H. Jerringham. There from 5.0 to 7.0. Lennie joined us after. Processions about & traffic stopped the whole day. Bad dinner. The McAndrews & Mr Butler came to our room & saw Procession at 10.30pm. Princess next balcony. Changed films & bed 11.30pm. (*Red ink: 3rd view of Procession.*)

Saturday March 30

Hotel de Madrid, Seville. Up 7.30. Lovely morning. Breakfast & went to Giralda Tower. Clanging bells. Took 12 photos some top of steps. Back. After we drove to the Caridad. Same little girl like Dora. Beautiful chapel. 2 angels. Old men in dormitory. Sword etc of the founder, 'Here lies the worst man in the world'. Mite would see it. Back. Lunch. 2nd bottle whiskey. After bought a shawl for M from man at door. Half the price of Lennie's. Then at 3.40 drove to Pillars of Hercules. Went into 3 churches & also the Jesuit nuns home. 1000 little girls singing & making lace etc. There 1 hr. Beautiful marble floors. Out & to Roman wall & to broad slums. A beautiful labouring girl. Back at 6.0pm. Rest. L & Mite went to buy toys & cards. Dinner. Much better. After the McAndrews & Butler in our room. Changed films. Bother with A box, the films too long. Bed 11.50pm. (*Red ink: Went to the Caridad & various churches, Seville.*)

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Sunday March 31

Hotel de Madrid, Seville. Up 7.30. Tired. Dull & after rained. Breakfast. After wrote 6 or 7 letters. Lennie & M went to Mass 9.45am. After went out 11.15 & to the church. Took 5 photos of people on the steps & in wet. Met L & Mite, Sir H.J also, in Court of Oranges. Came on to rain. Carriage to picture gallery. A number of Murillos & fine rooms. Square. Statue to Murillo. To hotel. Lunch. After talk to Mr Butler. Turned out he went to Burmah with Sir F. Treves & Edgar. In our room & at 3.15 drove to see bull fight. No trouble. Trod on an old woman's toe. The Queen of Portugal came at 4.0 & after 6 bulls killed & several horses. 1st 2 black bulls, after 3 black & white ones. All good. One matador nearly killed. Stayed till 5.20pm. Great rush of crowd into the ring cheering the matador. Talk to Sir Herbert & M Robinson. After a drive in Park. Queen of Portugal driving. Many ladies in white mantillas. Back to hotel at 7.0pm. (*Red ink:* Went to splendid bull fight.)

Monday April 1

Hotel de Madrid, Seville. Up at 7.30am. Bath. Dull morning. Did not go to Cathedral. Before breakfast walked to find church in side street. After went with Lennie to the Credit Lyonnais. Took a few photos. After with Mite to lovely old palace with wonderful Moorish tiles of Charles 5th time. Photod little Spanish girl with legs like sticks. Then to the Rock Scorpion. Lunch. Mr Butler tried to persuade me not to go to the Roman amphitheatre. Left in closed wagonette at 3.45. Photod oxen & gipsies etc. Dear Mite afraid of brigands. Dusty road. Ruins worth seeing. Lovely afternoon. Friendly little dog. In book signed 'Lord' Northcliffe. Colonies of emmets. Photod castle, views etc. Back 5.0pm. Running boys. Heavy rain came on. Hotel. Packed bags. Did not dress. Dr Gazebrook & Mr Butler dined at our table. In room after. Lennie bought 2 fans & old bottles. Had changed films before dinner. Bed 11.0pm. (*Red ink:* Went to Roman amphitheatre. Mite nervous of brigands.)

Tuesday April 2

Hotel de Madrid, Seville. Up at 7.15am. Bath. Finished packing & breakfast. Next Butler. After we got away 9.30am & to station. Lennie & train gendarmes. Lovely country. Old castle. Arrived Cordova at 1.0. Beautiful day. Lennie upset on arriving at hotel. Fair rooms. After went out & drove to the Court of Oranges & the Mosque. Wonderful. A forest of columns. Beautiful Mihrab top of

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alabaster like shell & marvellous mosaics. Back. Chocolate & after took a drive. Horse went at a walk. A band playing. No one to listen to it. Soldiers drilling. Marvellous old bridge. Back & good dinner. Old Lady Moray about. Very sleepy after dinner. Changed films. Pills. Bed 11.30pm. A painful gum boil. (*Red ink: Left Seville for Cordova.*) (*Cutting glued in: Death of Abigail Samuda.*)

Wednesday April 3

Grand Hotel Suisse, Cordova. Up 7.30am. Dull & rainy. Out at 8.45 & to Court of Oranges. Took 1 doz & in church. Understopped. Back & out again with Mite & Lennie. Court of Oranges. Took Roman, girls etc. In mosque & church. Lennie a piece of old silver. Back. Lunch. Mr Butler turned up with letters. After all went out again. L met his Oxford tutor. Went over a bridge & back slums & into the garden of the Alcazar. Both film magazines broken down. Films not tumbling down. Why? Back & had rest. Good dinner. No 22 turned up. Changed films before & after dinner reversed films to try. Bed at 11.0. Slept well. Old man whacking a donkey turning a pumping wheel. Morento. Ahh! A painful gum boil. (*Red ink: Cordova. In mosque etc.*) (*Cutting glued in: Obituary of Abigail Samuda.*)

Thursday April 4

Grand Hotel Suisse, Cordova. Up 7.30. Packed. Gale & heavy wet. Took no photographs all this day. To station. Good coupé. We had lunch with us. Mr Butler came in too. Heavy wet at Bobadilla. Saw Sir Hubert Jerningham. On through lovely scenery. Orange & lemon trees to Malaga. Got there 5.30. To Hotel de Roma. Splendid salon. Good Bed Room. L, M & self went for walk on the quay & through the town home. Dear flowers. Good dinner in a stuffy room. 2 Butlers came up in room after. A painful gumboil. (*Red ink: Wet morning. Left, Mite, Lennie & self & Mr Butler for Malaga.*) (*Cutting glued in: Death of Thomas Wakley.*)

Friday April 5

Hotel Roma, Malaga. Up 7.30 & out. Went to a market & also photod 2 Moors. Back. Coffee. After L, M & self went for walk. L bought a quantity of pottery. After to the church. Strong wind. Lunch. After a delightful drive to the Casa Loring. Greek temple etc. Lovely trees. India rubber tree. Bamboos etc etc. Back & drive along suburbs. Dinner. After the 2 Mr Butlers came up & talked about Winchester. Changed all my films before dinner easily. Bed at 11.0. Slept well. A painful gumboil. (*Red ink: Drove to lovely*

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garden, the Casa Loring Malaga.) (*Cuttings glued in: death of Canon MacColl. Saty April 6th. Obituary of Mrs Ismay.*)

Saturday April 6

Hotel Roma, Malaga. Up 7.30am x & out. Took 1 doz little girls dancing etc. After Lennie got his photographic prints. L. M & self went for march walk. Bought toys & castanets etc. Begging gypsies. Mr Butler left in the morning. After lunch went for uncomfortable dusty drive along sea shore. Lennie upset & Mite frightened about brigands. Watched fishing nets hauled in. Back at 6.0. Dined 7.30pm. Had to change plates after. Young Butler up in the room & talked about Winchester. No, this was last night. Woke up vigorous x. (*Red ink: Drove along sea shore. Very hot. Malaga.*) (*Cuttings glued in: Death of Sir Frederick Wigan. Death of Simon Van den Burgh. Death of Elizabeth Van den Burgh.*)

Sunday April 7

Hotel Roma, Malaga. Up at 6.30. Bath. Finished packing etc. Coffee. Went out. No one worth taking. Round market etc. After we got off & to the station at 9.15am. Took gendarmes. All day travelling to Granada. Good lunch at Bobadilla. Beggars. Got to Granada at 4.30pm. Going up hill old Lady Moray again. Young Butler, L & I went out to a garden. Charles 5th Palace etc. Back. Dressed. Fair dinner. Band. Sleepy after. Changed my films. Bed 11.45. Doubt about the sheets being damp. A wretched poky room. (*Red ink: Left Malaga for Granada.*) (*Cutting glued in: Obituary of Sir Frederick Wigan.*)

Monday April 8

Hotel Washington Irving, Granada. Up at 7.30. Keyhole. After breakfast wrote M & then with Mite & L into the Alhambra. Court of Lions & the Myrtle Court. All like a fairy dream. Took 20 films. Lunch. After took the tall lovely girl & then into the town & shops. Chocolate at an hotel. Hard walk back. Good dinner. Decided not to change my room to Mr Butlers. At 7.0 all the Electric lights went out. Had to substitute gas & candles. Good dinner without Mr Butler. In Reception Room & after in Lennie's salon. 2 Mr Howes came in. Bed at 11.50 after changing films. Most lovely cloudless day. (*Red ink: Also Hotel Siete Suetos. Saw girl dressing thro' keyhole. 1st saw lovely Miss Vandeleur. Also 1st view of the Alhambra.*)

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Tuesday April 9

Hotel Washington Irving, Granada. Up 7.30. Through keyhole. Pink T. Down at 9.0am. Breakfast. After at 10.15 letters from M & report of Stafford Terrace. L, M & self went to most beautiful Moorish garden. Perfectly lovely tall elegant girl. Took 12 photos after lunch. Miss Heathfield not gone but out. Tall girl like goddess a Miss Vandeleur with an elderly mother. At 2.30 we went into the town. Bought small tube of silver. Lennie to a private house & bought a mother of pearl fan, 250ps. Carriage back to hotel. L & M went to tea with Mr Butler. Had taken gypsy children dancing & a beautiful Moorish woman. Most lovely cloudless day. Took Times over to Miss Heathfield. (*Red ink: Went to the Generalife Gardens.*) (*Cutting glued in: Death of Margaret Ismay. Obituary of James Davis, known as Owen Hall. Thurs 11 April. Photograph of Owen Hall.*)

Wednesday April 10

Hotel Washington Irving, Granada. Up 7.30. Private view. Complete. Down. Coffee. Went & was at garden exactly at 9.0am. Took 17 photos. Back & L, Mite & self went to the Alhambra & Charles 5th Palace. After to see several towers & a pensione. Took 2 or 3 of Keyhole. Lunch. Sat out after. At 2.20 went for a drive. Called at Lennie's shop. After in brilliant sun to a monastery. Cross painted on wall. Pictures of torture. An American like Paul Foley with a charming wife. Back & through the Gypsy quarters & then to a plateau. Lovely view of the Fortress. Back. L & Mite went to the garden again. Wrote 3 letters. 5 minutes rest. Dressed. Mr Butler & Mr Hill dined with us. Left immediately after. Mite reading. Bed 11.45 after changing films. No more Keyhole. (*Red ink: Drive round Granada. Gipsies.*)

Thursday April 11

Hotel Washington Irving, Granada. Woke 6.0am. Next room clearing out. Lazy finishing. Down 8.30 & coffee. Old Col lost his ticket. Like Tenniel. After L, Mite & self went to the Alhambra again. Schoolgirls playing a sort of Kiss in the Ring. 2 Mr Howes with us. Went up into the Harreem Quarters under repair & also Charles 5th Palace. After to Alameda & up tower. Mr & Mrs Williams. All up on top of tower some time. Photod a fair German girl. Down & to hotel for lunch. Sat out. Humorous boot black. Mite & self went to rest. Lennie went down to the town. After chocolate. We all went to the Generalife again. Mite made drawing. Dear little

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girl fetched chairs. There till sunset. Back. Dressed. Dinner. After the dealer like Bonvoisin came with trinkets. Bought 2 earrings for M & L gave me a chain for her. Last look of Miss Heathfield. Bed at 11.0. Finished packing & changed films. Augustias Ivanez Lopez Signorita Generalife Granada. (*Red ink: 2nd Alhambra & Generalife Gardens.*) (*Cuttings glued in: Death of Frederic Manuelle. Obituary of Lady Cox.*)

Friday April 12

Hotel Washington Irving, Granada. Up 5.30am & got off after breakfast at 7.30am in carriage. Lennie worried could not shave. Lopez lost his coat. Americans & 2 old Colonels on platform. Last look at Granada. Passed the 2 hills where Bobadil looked back from. Loja again where inhabitants old & young combine to annoy the travellers. Bobadilla. After on the Algeciras Railway. A square carriage. So on past Ronda & to Algeciras. Only took 5 photos all day. Mite & Lennie in carriage. Gendarmes. Got to above hotel all right & found it delightful. A good dinner. Very tired after. Bed 10.30. Changed films. 1st view of Gib. Huge long rock. (*Red ink: Arrived at Algeciras. Hotel Reina Christina.*)

Saturday April 13

Hotel Reina Cristina, Algeciras. Andalucia. Up 7.30. Strong wind & after heavy rain. Coffee. After L & self went to see Mr Morrison to settle about our return journey. Mackintosh at last. Back. Lunch. Had got £10.0.0 changed. After we caught the 3.0pm boat & went over in a strong wind to Gib. Moors about. Small vehicle took us to the Alameda. Saw the Americans again. Moors, Tommies, & all sorts of people mixed up together. Lennie bought cigars. Jumping cat. Chocolate. Frightfully strong wind. Back by 6.40 boat. Mite nervous in crossing. Back to hotel & very good dinner. Tired after very. Sat up in Mite's room. Bed 10.30. For 1st time did not change films. (*Red ink: Got into frightfully heavy rain going to Mr Morrison's office. L, M & self went to Gib.*)

Sunday April 14

Hotel Reina Cristina, Algeciras. Up 8.15am. Glorious morning again. Drying clothes. My trowsers & brown shoes completely spoilt. After down breakfast & wrote letters. Then a long lazy morning. At 11.0 went out into town of Algeciras with L & Mite & into church. Took 1 doz small photos. Small child howled at Lennie. Very good lunch & hotel full of people from Gib. 'Do you know Lords Prayer'. After threatened rain again which did come on

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at 7.0pm. Good dinner. Music. After changed all 3 small boxes & got A to work. Bed 12.0. Read Washington Irving's Tales of the Alhambra. A large stork in the gardens in the morning. Photod it & well. (*Red ink*: Lovely day at Algeciras.)

Monday April 15

Hotel Reina Cristina, Algeciras. Up at 8.0am. Dull. Heavy rain in night. Stronger wind than ever. Glad I am not going by sea. It kept on to blow all the morning. After breakfast cut from the 'Times' & wrote letters. Decided as to my return journey & lunch at 12.30. We all caught the 2.0pm boat for Gib & x'd in the rough sea. Walk to curiosity shop. Got very hot. Met Mr & Mrs Hayes-Sadler. Mite bought 2 brooches. Photod Moors etc. Chocolate. Last look of Paul Foley & his wife. Back. Saw the coast of Africa. Walk to hotel. Ruined tower. Little kid. Goat tender would take no money. Back to hotel having taken 24 photos. No letter from the Governor. Mrs Thompson came up with her book to sign. Good dinner. Prince Valdemar son of Prince Henry of Prussia. After Lennie spoke to Mrs Williams who came up to L's room & looked at & talked about fans. Bed after changing films. Continued bad weather. (*Red ink*: Mite, Lennie & self went over to Gibraltar.)

Tuesday April 16

Hotel Reina Cristina, Algeciras. Up 7.30am. Still unsettled weather & strong wind. Left at 9.30. Expensive bills. Chinaman belongs to a German or Austrian family. On to Ronda. Indifferent lunch there at station. Fondu. After we tried to see Ronda. Beaten back by wind & rain. A hurrican almost. Nothing in curiosity shop. Back & spent a dreadful afternoon & evening. Poor dinner & wretchedly cold. A young American there who knew R.W.Chambers. Slept fairly well after changing films. Primitive room. (*Red ink*: Left Algeciras for Ronda. Frightfully wet day there.)

Wednesday April 17

Station Hotel Ronda. Up at 8.0. Still grey & heavy cloud. Breakfast. Herr M & wife & young American. Got off in train for Cordova at 9.30. Little Chinese woman. On to Bobadilla. Germans got in our carriage. Lunch. On to Cordova. Arrived 3.0pm. Mrs & Miss Vandeleur there at Hotel Suisse. Out & to mosque again & to old bridge. Little girls a bother. Back to hotel. Dinner. Had taken photo of donkey. Left Cordova at 11.30pm for Madrid. Difficulty about sleeping carriage at 1st but all right after. Row in the night. People wanting to come in. Slept fairly well, Lennie fairly, no very

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well. (*Red ink: Left Ronda for Cordova and Cordova for Madrid.*)
(*Cutting glued in: Death of William Grain.*)

Thursday April 18

On board train between Cordova & Madrid. Had slept very comfortably indeed. L, Mite & self arrived Madrid 10.30. Difficulty. Lennie could not take rooms at H de Paris. Too extortionate. Went to H de Roma. Had to go back with Lopez to open my bags. They were in the road. Ruffians. Back. Lennie hair cut. Poor room at 1st, better after for self. Luncheon. Armoury closed. Went after to the Prado. Saw the pictures again. After bought a sword & piece of Empire crockery. Long time in curiosity shop. Walked back to hotel with Mite. Grand Bain. Hair cut. Shave. Dinner. Changed films. Doubtful light. Bed 11.30pm. (*Red ink: At Madrid. Curiosity shop.*)
(*Cuttings glued in: Death of Arthur Llewelyn Davies. Death of Bessie Dickens. Death of Rev Stephen Ram.*)

Friday April 19

Grand Hotel de Roma, Madrid. Up at 6.0am & we all got off with Lopez for Toledo. Threatened rain. Nice people in carriage name of Maud. Father, mother & son. At Toledo 10.0am. Quantities of Vultures & Hares. No sandy desert. Took photos. Magnificent glass in cathedral & wrought iron work. Fair hotel but smelly. Came across Mrs & Miss Vandeleur again. Very pretty brown lady also. Priest exactly like the Beetle. Castanets & jewels. All the Archbishops of Toledo in room from 500AD. Out for drive to river. Coat of arms of Charles 5th. Back hotel. Talk to the Mauds. Left Toledo 6.0pm. Arrived Madrid at 8.0pm. Dinner 8.45. Met Admiral Freemantle. Mrs Heathcote also dining. Changed films (44) & bed at 12.10 after reading Washington Irving. Cough came on at 12.0am. (*Red ink: Went to Toledo. Madrid catarrh came on at night.*) (*Cuttings glued in: Obituary of Viscount Middleton. Obituary of Arthur Llewellyn Davies.*)

Saturday April 20

Grand Hotel de Roma, Madrid. Up 8.45. Very comfortable bath & down at 9.0am. Admiral Freemantle at breakfast. My cough troublesome again. After Lennie, Mite, Admiral & self went to Cook's office. Got my tickets. Then to the Palace Parade & after to the Armoury where I took several photos. Then back with Mite. Lunch. The Admiral talkative. Good bye to Mark Tapley KC. Packed bags. Felt very seedy with Madrid catarrh. Lennie tired & headache. Went out after getting news of poor Conrad's death.

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Went to several curiosity shops. Rested an hour. Lennie came back with a ring for M. Left Hotel de Roma by bus at 7.0. L & Mite came with me. Shook my fist at Hotel de Paris. Came across a Mr Alfred E. Burns. Mite asked him to look after me. Left at 8.0. Cold on chest very bad. Dinner on the train. Turned in at 10.30. Burns in same carriage. Another man got in in the night. Slept off & on. Madrid catarrh came on all day. Very seedy in afternoon. (*Red ink: Left Madrid for Paris with a Mr Burns.*) (*Cutting glued in: Mr Chamberlain's health improved. Mr Linley Sambourne has returned from Spain. Mr Haldane M.P will preside at meeting.*)

Sunday April 21

On board train from Madrid to Paris. Woke several times. At 7.30 had coffee & eggs. Got to Hendaye at 10.0. No bother at all, opened one bag. Long tiring journey in crowded train. French girl like Dora in train at dinner. Past Bordeaux, Angouleme, Poitiers, Orleans etc. At Paris 9.30. Went to the Hotel Palais d'Orsay. Good night to Mr Burns. Good room 177. Changed films. Wrote diary. Cold bad. Madrid catarrh bad all day. (*Red ink: Arrived Paris 9.30.*) (*Cutting glued in: Obituary of Sir George Armstrong.*)

Monday April 22

Hotel Palais D'Orsay, Paris. Up at 7.0. Wash in an antechamber. Put things up. Coffee 8.0. Good bye to Mr Burns. Out 9.25 in Tuilleries Gardens & took old bull & his birds. Statues. After to Nord. Bill 22F. Rue de Peletier for snakes. 1st person came across Coggeshall No 22. Pretty little woman in carriage. Turned out to be Mrs Romer. Lunch with the Coggeshalls. To Calais. A good cabin. Saw Rose, wife & son. Oh! Crowded boat & cold. Difficulty as to carriage reserved. At last got one to self. To Victoria. 1st talk to Miss Moon. Upton met me & home by by 8.15. Roy there. Mrs Pointer left. We had poor dinner. Roy left at 10.30. Heaps of letters, nothing in them. Bed 11.30pm. Madrid catarrh still bad. Felt very seedy in the Gardens. (*Red ink: Arrived home 8.15pm.*) (*Cutting glued in: Death of John Addison.*)

Tuesday April 23

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45 & out across to Notting Hill. Met man with bull dogs. Dull morning. Breakfast. Looked over letters & left to lunch with Miss M at Ladies A & N Club. Met a man who knew me at Colin Hunter's. Out 3.0. By carriage to Miles's then to Athenaeum. Wrote long letter to M. Back home. Changed my films. Dinner 8.30. Rest & bed early. Tired & weak from the Madrid

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catarrh. Madrid catarrh still bad. (*Red ink*: Lunched with Miss Moon at the A & N Ladies Club.) (*Cutting glued in*: Obituary of Judge Addison QC.)

Wednesday April 24

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am & out with middle C. Cloudy & sun. Met Mr Richardson. To the Lytham H School. Saw Princess looking prettier than ever & others. Met Sir H. Bergne & son. Going to be married today. In morning interview with Nash himself about drains. Lunch. Developed Bull Fight at Madrid. Many unexposed. Fair result. Films taken in morning a failure. Wrote Miss M. Rest & left by bus to Punch Dinner at 6.10. Saw O.S. Signed book for Spielmann. P.A, self, F.H.W, C.G, B.P, E.T.R, H.W.L, A.G. Long sitting. All as usual. Left 11.40 & home by the carriage calling at Athenaeum. Bed 1.15am. Madrid catarrh still bad. (*Red ink*: Young Bergne married.)

Thursday April 25

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45 & did not go out. A dull grey wretched morning. At 10.15 left in cart for the Zoo, very different to 1901. Photod elephant & keeper & back by 12.10. Developed 8 ¼ plates. At 1.0 took 3 from Britten. Lunch. Worked up to 4.0pm. Sent cheque for the Taxes to Wimpey £51.18.9. Worked from 5.45 to 8.30. Spencer came in. After Roy & self dined & Spencer came in after. They left at 11.0pm by the carriage. Bed 11.30pm. (*Red ink*: Went to Zoo. Photod elephant.) Madrid catarrh still bad.

Friday April 26

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45 & out in wet & gloom down Earls Court. No one No 90. No 173 C.R being done up. Back. All day hard at work on drawing of Elephant & C.B. As dark as midnight. Worked all day by the Electric Light & lunched also. Much pushed for time. Finished by 11.35 when dined by myself. Suspicion of cold on the top of a cold. Hope not. Bed 1.0am after snooze in Morning Room.

Saturday April 27

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0. Tired. Dull coldish morning. Out up Church Street. Little girl like D.M family. Back. Breakfast. After at 11.0am an interview with Nash about the drains. Tidied up. Small books. After lunch at 2.40 left in carriage for Waterloo & down in very cold weather to Tisbury. Motor met me. Dear M looking well. H & Tabs in London. Mervyn very much improved. Good dinner.

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Bed 10.30pm. Slept well. A very pretty French governess. (*Red ink*: Went down to Pyt House. Saw dear M 1st time since 11th March.)

Sunday April 28

Pyt House, Tisbury. Up at 8.30. Good breakfast. Cloudy & half rainy day. Mervyn very much improved. Wrote letters. Took M for walk at 12.0. Lunch. Rest. Again out with M. After tea, & walk with Gwen. Cut Times out. Dinner & bed at 11.0. Sat up by self.

Monday April 29

Pyt House, Tisbury. Up at 7.0am & got off by 9.20 for Semley. Met Sir James Kitson, also Sir Walter Grove & Jack Bennett. Up to town with J.B who stuck his knife in the railway cushion & told story of Lord Northcliffe. Upton at Waterloo. Drove to Athenaeum. Just missed Lord Roberts. After to R.A. Saw Stone, Davis, Woods & many others. Back to lunch at the Athenaeum. Next to Elliott. Spoke to Sir Henry Craik. To Lincoln & Bennetts & Academy. Again a long talk with Abbey, Yeames & Storey. Frank Craig's a striking picture. Also musicians & a stained glass window. No Abbey. To 15 C.S. Waited an hour to no good. Never again. To Athenaeum. Home by carriage at 7.0. Dined by self at 8.15pm & rested after. Snooze. Ellen waited for the last time. (*Red ink*: Came up from Pyt House for Varnishing Day R.A.) (*Cutting glued in: Death of Fanny Fitz Wygram.*)

Tuesday April 30

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0 & out. Met Coward & daughter. Up Church St. No one. Raining & dull wretched weather. Sent cheque to Warrington Haward £133.7.0. After developed Madrid bull fight & part of Toledo. Very good. Put Dutch photos in book. Roy dined with me & we went to the Empire. A very fast horse. Good conjurors. To the Garrick after for supper. Saw Arthur Gill, a Mr Pallett, Gareth's schoolmaster, A.Aynesworth, Mason etc. Left at 12.20 & home by the carriage leaving Roy at Lancaster Gate. Very much annoyed at Ellen leaving in the afternoon. (*Red ink*: Roy & self went to the Empire. Ellen left & a good job too.) (*Cutting glued in: Marriage of Allan Grigg to Beatrix May.*)

Wednesday May 1

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.50 & out. A wretchedly cold & miserable day. Raining. Walked to Lytham House. Saw the Princess, prettier than ever. Back. Wrote letters. Cheques etc. Lord Roberts. After

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developed the Madrid bull fight etc. Toledo. Went in the afternoon to look at new W.C's etc at Chelsea. Put down at the Athenaeum. Wrote letters & by bus to the Punch Dinner. O.S, self, F.H.T, R.H, R.L, L.B, E.V.L, B.P, E.T.R, H.W.L, A.G. They all drank my health having contributed to Punch for 40 years. Made a little speech & also suggested my own cartoon. Left at 11.0 after talk with Partridge & home by bus. Bed at 12.15am. (*Red ink*: The Princess is a daughter of Sir Arthur Collins, an Indian judge. Health drunk as a 40 year contributor to Punch.)

Thursday May 2

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45 & out to Lytham House. Took 6 photos of schoolgirls. 2 went into milliners shop. Back. Wired for M.W who came at 12.30. Grown a beautiful girl. Designed drawing for Peace & German Eagle. Worked hard all day to 8.30pm when dined by myself & rested after. Bed at 1.0pm. (*Red ink*: Photod M.W for Peace.)

Friday May 3

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.45 & out into Notting Hill. Took 8 photos. No Double Plat. Back. Looked out pictures for Paris Exhibition. Delayed. Did not begin work until 11.15am. Hard at it all day. (*illeg*) but much bothered over head of Peace. Took it out & out. Finished 10.45 & dined by myself very tired. Bed 12.30am.

Saturday May 4

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am & down. No walk. Got ready to go across Channel. Blowing hard. Saw Nash & got off at 10.0 to catch 11.0am train. Saw Sir Thomas Sutherland & for a moment Rose, Oh! Rough x'ing. Came across Kidson again. Took 20 photos, people blown about etc. Had to wait 40 minutes for the King coming out of Calais. Photod the Invicta with the King on board. Got to buffet for lunch at 2.45. Back on board & met Mite & Lennie & Kirton from Paris train. Many Indians also. Took Mrs George Keppel. Back to Dover & up to London. Arrived 8.0pm. Drove home in Mite's carriage & dressed. Dined at Lancaster Gate, Lennie, Mite, Roy & self. Champagne. Left at 11.30 & home by Upton. Roughish crossing both ways. Mite not ill. (*Red ink*: Went to Calais to meet Mite & Lennie from Paris.)

Sunday May 5

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am & out 9.0 up Church Street. After got off by self to Victoria by carriage at 11.30. Called Athenaeum.

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Caught 12.30 Waterloo to Tisbury. Cork came out of bottle of Apollinaris & made a mess in my bag etc. No change. On to Pyt House. All well. Almost immediately went by motor to Rushmore & played a round of Golf with Hamilton. 11 holes. Won 2, halved 2. Back just in time for dinner. Quiet evening & bed 11.30. (*Red ink:* Went down to Pyt House. Cork out of Apollinaris bottle. Played Golf at Rushmore.) (*Cuttings glued in: Death of J. Cumming Macdona. Death of Constance Haythornthwaite. Obituary of John Cumming Macdona. T, May 9.*)

Monday May 6

Pyt House, Tisbury. Up at 8.50. Down. Hamilton proposed going over to Leweston. At 10.30am Gwen, he & I went in the large motor. Curious close hot morning. Went through a delightful town, Sturminster Newton. Market day. Bulls etc. On. Car had a puncture. Took 4 photos. On for 1st view of Leweston. Much building. Beautiful trees. Long wall with stone reproductions from the antique. Curiously slack & tired. Got pictures from Punch & looked it over. Mooned about for hours, 2 to 6pm. Little church. Tomb stone of the Gordons. Started in car again at 6.30pm. Immediately another puncture & heavy rain came on. Gwen & H walked forward. The car mended in ½ an hour. Caught up Gwen & H by Sherborne. Home at 8.15. Lady Wharncliffe there. Dinner & bed 11.30pm. (*Red ink:* Motored with Gwen & Hamilton to Leweston, 1st view. Met Carter.) (*Cuttings glued in: The Lady Hermione Cameron, of a daughter. Death of Elizabeth Thornton.*)

Tuesday May 7

Pyt House, Tisbury. Up 8.15. x. Throwing ball against wall. Lady Wharncliffe down early. After wrote many letters. Tabs & Lady W motored to Leweston. Lunch. Hamilton & self went up to Warminster Downs at 2.30 & played 2 rounds of Golf, he giving me 2 strokes each hole. Story of little girls asking to have it done & also the sale of a bicycle. Threatened rain. Back by 6.0pm. Dinner & bed at 11.0pm. After settled to go on the 9.40 train tomorrow. (*Red ink:* Played Golf with Hamilton on Warminster Downs.) (*Cutting glued in: Obituary of Dr John Watson ('Ian Maclaren') May 7.*)

Wednesday May 8

Pyt House, Tisbury. Up at 7.0am & got off by 9.40am train. Cab home from Waterloo. After went at 3.0 in wet to Priscilla McLaren's wedding to Sir Henry Norman. Saw Mite & many people. Back &

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developed 20 films. On by bus to the Punch Dinner. P.A, E.V.L, B.P, E.T.R, H.W.L, A.G, O.S, self, F.H.T, C.G, R.L. Got Terrier cut. Townsend said 'I didn't' Oh! Guthrie off as usual for indefinite weeks. Spoke to Mrs Reed outside. Cab to Royal Socy, Upton waiting in Sackville St. Also a reception at the Royal Academy. Why not asked? Wonderful gyroscope mono railway. Home by carriage from Sackville Street. Bed 12.0am. (*Red ink: Miss McLaren's wedding. Very wet.*)

Thursday May 9

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.45. Dull morning. Walked down Earls Court Road. After schemed subject of Irish Terrier & Mr Birrell. Dear Mite brought me a 3 candle Empire reading lamp. Delightful. Mite had a cold. After had old Pat the Irish terrier in & photod him & also Britten. Got to work at 5.0 & worked till 8.50. Dined by self & had the reading lamp after. Bed 11.30pm. (*Red ink: Mite gave me a 3 candle Empire lamp.*) (*Cutting glued in: Death of Robert Jalland.*)

Friday May 10

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.45 & out. Photod Lytham House girls on 1 doz new plates. Back & all day at work on drawing of Irish terrier & Birrell. Did not finish until 10.40 when dined by myself & bed 1.0am. Utterly tired. (*Red ink: 1st saw R.H & took most successful snap. Led to a good model.*)

Saturday May 11

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0 & out up Church St. Took 1 photo. Back. Very hot day all day. Developed some Cordova & Madrid photos in morning. Mite & Lennie went to Pyt House in afternoon. Left at 2.30 in carriage. Called at the Athenaeum & after to the Garrick. On to 15 C.S. Photod at 3.30 Miss M.W. No good. Very hot. Out & thro Rag lane to Garrick. Saw a balloon & also Norman Forbes Robertson. Ordered dinner. Whitebait, Oh! No collar to dress with. Dined by self at the Garrick & went to Duke of York's Theatre & saw A Royal Family by Robert Marshall. Pretty woman in stalls. To Garrick. Had Apollinaris. Saw Roy & also Col Lucas. Home by carriage. Saw Capt'n Marshall & Brandon Thomas before. (*Red ink: Photod M.W. Went to the Duke of York's Theatre & saw A Royal Family.*) (*Cutting glued in: Photograph of 'Ian Maclaren' Dr John Watson.*)

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Sunday May 12

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.30. A blazing hot day. Developed 1 doz streets. Roy round. At 1.30 went in carriage to lunch at Lady Pirie's. Dr & Mrs Farquharson, Joe F, Miss Farquharson of Invercauld, Mr & Mrs Edwin Tate, Miss Thompson & others. Lord & Lady Denman. Good lunch. Out in hot sun & strolled to Bath Club, then to 14 C.S. Took 6 of R.M. Utter failure. To Bath C. Wrote letters. Home by bus & after dined by self & went to bed at 10.15pm. Cramp in the night. (*Red ink:* Lunched at Lord Pirie's. Photod R.M.) (*Cuttings glued in: Death of Robert Barnes. The wife of Gerald du Maurier, of a daughter.*)

Monday May 13

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45. A dull rainy morning. Cooler. Out with Rags. Called Earls Ct Rd. Gone to China. Pretty little girl at Stafford Terrace. Put paper in slides. Developed some Gibraltar photos. All day at work with photos etc. Left at 6.20 & drove in the carriage to opposite the Athenaeum. Bus from Charing X to the Punch Dinner. O.S, self, Townsend, C.G, L.B, E.V.L, B.P, E.T.R, H.W.L. Gave Townsend the Leda & the Swan thing. Got cut of Cannon & Lords. Left 11.15 & home by the carriage. Began to be cooler. (*Red ink:* Called 90 Earls Court Road.) (*Cutting glued in: Obituary of Dr Robert Barnes.*)

Tuesday May 14

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Dull rainy morning. Schemed subject of Lords & Cannon. Britten could not come. Took phos from Hilton & Upton. Got all ready by 4.0pm. Mite came in to see me. Work from 5.0pm to 8.30 when Roy dined with me & left at 10.40pm.

Wednesday May 15

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am & out Cromwell Road. Took the pretty governess & boys, No 7 Collingham Road, & one or two others. Back & worked all day on the drawing of Cannon & Lords. Finished at 10.30. Dinner. Snooze after. Letter from Macmillans. Deferred it to after Whitsuntide. (*Red ink:* Photod Cromwell Road Governess & boys.)

Thursday May 16

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45 & out. Lytham House. Took the Princess & Gretchen. Back & after breakfast developed them. All

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morning tidying writing etc. Lunch. Got off in cart at 2.40 & to Waterloo. Got off in train with old man with a brief bag & who only paid his fare as the train was moving. To Salisbury. Saw Gerald Ansdell station before Tisbury. To Pyt House. Dear M well. Tea. Lawrence Fisher-Rowe & Evelyn arrived at about 6.30 in motor. Dinner. Bridge. Bed at 11.0pm after talk. (*Red ink*: Went down to Pyt House for Whitsuntide.)

Friday May 17

Pyt House, Tisbury. Up 8.0. Bath. After squared up prints & wrote letters. Took M for walk from 11.30 to 1.0. After lunch Lawrence Fisher-Rowe & self went up to Warminster Downs & played 2 rounds of Golf. I won the last round at a stroke a hole after 2 up. Lady & young man also playing. Did last hole but one in 4, a record. Back 6.45pm & dinner. Had bath for dust in hair. Roy in at 9.30. They played bridge after. Bed at 11.0pm after smoke & talk. (*Red ink*: Played Golf with Lawrence Fisher-Rowe.)

Saturday May 18

Pyt House, Tisbury. Up at 8.0. Roy in bath. Breakfast. At 9.45 Gwen, Evelyn, Roy & self all went in motor to the Rushmore Down & saw Yeomanry exercising. Took 9 photos. Saw Col like Sir Elliott Lees & it was him. Back 12.0. Walked with M from the Lodge. Cold. After ground down my pipe have had for 30 years. Lunch. At 2.40 Lawrence F-R, Roy & self went to play Golf on the Warminster Downs. Played 2 rounds. Indifferent success for self. Back 6.45. H & Tabs back. Dinner. Very tired after. Finished cigar in H's room. Bed at 11.0pm. (*Red ink*: Went by motor with Roy Gwen & Evelyn to Yeomanry on Rushmore Downs. Fisher-Rowe, Roy & self played Golf.) (*Cutting glued in: Death of Sir Benjamin Baker.*)

Sunday May 19

Pyt House, Tisbury. Up 7.45. Bath. After down. Wrote diary. Took M for walk & squared up prints etc. Lunch. Lawrence Fisher-Rowe left in afternoon. His car broke down. H, Roy & self motored in the Mercedes car to Rushmore & played round of Golf. Roy lost 2 balls. Back at 7.0pm. A cold grey day all day. No sun. Dinner & quiet evening. Tired. (*Red ink*: Hamilton, Roy & self played on Rushmoor Links. Golf.) (*Cutting glued in: Obituary of Benjamin Baker.*)

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Monday May 20

Pyt House, Tisbury. Up at 8.0. Another cold grey day. All morning finishing Times etc. My diary packed up to go to Leweston. Took M out. Began to write in books & put 2nd Dutch volume right. Lunch. At 3.15 Roy, H & self went in motor to Wyndham's Links & played 2 rounds. A plover's nest on the Downs. All even. Back. Dinner. They played Bridge. Rested in the Library. Bed 11.15pm. (*Red ink:* Roy, Hamilton & self played Golf on Warminster Downs, Wyndham's.)

Tuesday May 21

Pyt House, Tisbury. Up 8.10am. Roy in bath first & left for London in the pony cart by the 9.40 Semley train. Breakfast. Went on with Dutch books. After out with M in garden. Distressed & shocked to hear of Sir Benjamin Baker's death on Sunday. Lunch. After writing letters H & self motored at 3.30 to Wyndham's Links. Played 1½ rounds 14 holes. H 4 up. Back. A young man at dinner. Champagne. Tabs & Gwen went to a Ball given by the Pitt-Rivers's for coming out of Sir Walter Groves 2nd daughter. H, M & self in the Library. The last night at Pyt House. (*Red ink:* Hamilton & self played Golf on Warminster Downs.)

Wednesday May 22

Pyt House, Tisbury. Up 8.0. Bath. Discovered another W.C. Another dull grey cold day. After young Hibbert at breakfast. Finished writing in 2nd Dutch volume. Out with M in garden & Tabs too. News of Gareth having chicken pox or measles. Jack Bennett with a wolf hound. Up to town by 1.0 train. Lunch. Maurice Hewlett in train. Home by cab. Disappointed as to G.T. Put things all away & straight. After left by carriage & drove to Athenaeum. To the 'Punch' Dinner. O.S, self, F.H.T, R.H, P.A, E.V.L, B.P, E.T.R. Very late sitting, did not get away till 11.30. Called Athenaeum & wrote letters. Very heavy rain. Home 12.15am. Got Uncrowned King of Ireland & Birrell to do. (*Red ink:* Came up from Pyt House for last time for ever.)

Thursday May 23

Stafford Terrace. Up & out. To Lytham House. Dull grey morning. Saw Princess & shop girls etc. Back. Schemed subject of Uncrowned King of Ireland & Birrell Jester. Photod Britten at 12.0 & Upton & got all developed & ready by 4.0pm. Worked to 6.15. Dressed & by cab to the Berkeley & dined with Miss Rose Innes.

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Met Sir James Dewar, Stone, Miss Garnier etc. Went to see The Liars afterwards. Enjoyed it very much. Left with Roy & to Garrick Club & home by the carriage at 11.30pm. Dear M came from Pyt House to Lancaster Gate. (*Red ink*: Dined with Miss Rose Innes. Went to The Liars.)

Friday May 24

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am or earlier. Wrote letters. Out & along Cromwell Road. Wet grey dull morning & so all day. Hard at work on drawing of Redmond as Uncrowned King of Ireland & Birrell Jester. Finished 10.40 & dined alone. Rest & bed after tired out 11.30pm. (*Cutting glued in: Death of General Julius Dennys.*)

Saturday May 25

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0 & out with large camera. Took 8 plates in misty sun. All failures. Back. Developed them. After went over by cab to lunch at Lancaster Gate. Saw dear M. Sat till 4.30. Mrs Harold's carriage at the door. At 14 C.S at 5.0 to 6.0pm. Home by cab & dressed. Roy dined with me. After we went by the carriage to Comedy Theatre & saw a play by Clyde Fitch called The Truth. Bored by it & very tired. Felt ill going back to the Garrick. Had supper there. Saw Galloway & also Col Lucas. Home 12.15 with Roy & to bed very tired. (*Red ink*: Went to Lancaster Gate to see M. Roy & I went to see a play called 'The Truth'.) (*Cutting glued in: Obituary of General Dennys.*)

Sunday May 26

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0. Felt very tired & seedy. Short walk up Holland Walk & after developed a few of Biarritz & Fontarrabia. Left & by cab to Lancaster Gate. At 12.0 to 1.0 took M for walk in Gardens. Mite & Linley after. Met Bolding & after Miss Siemens that was. Home. Lunch by self & 2 hours rest. Went at 4.30 to Sir Alfred Hickman's & played 5 sets Lawn Tennis. Col Trench & grandson, a young man, Sir A & self. Left off 6.15 & strolled in white shoes to Lancaster Gate. Bath. Handle came off. Dinner. Hot room. M, Mite, Lennie, Roy & self. Spanish treasures after. Left at 11.0 & home very tired by carriage. Brought sword & (*illeg*) home. Bed at 11.0pm. Curious grey stuffy day. No sun. (*Red ink*: Went to Lancaster Gate. 1st time at Sir A.H's. No Roy. Dined Lancaster Gate.)

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Monday May 27

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am & out up Church St. Met no one. Dull grey morning, miserable. Opened Macmillan's package. Wrote diary, letters etc. After all day developing Spanish films etc etc. Wrote Macmillan etc etc. In evening went over & dined at Mite's. Family. Left at 11.0pm. Looked at Spanish things etc. Brought 2 match boxes home. Dull grey morning. (*Red ink:* Letter from Macmillan. Dined at Lancaster Gate.)

Tuesday May 28

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. A little brighter. To Cromwell Road. Took 4 photos, 1 of back view of pretty governess. Back & all day at Spanish photos etc. In evening dined at Lancaster Gate. The Messels & also Mrs Gillgood (*sic*) & young Gillgood, Roy etc. Pleasant evening. Home in carriage & bed at 12.0pm. (*Red ink:* Dined at Lancaster Gate.)

Wednesday May 29

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am & walked over to Notting Hill. Dull grey morning & day. After lunch Mite came with Linley & we went to the Tournament at Olympia. Captain Briarley civil. Out at 5.0 & home. Mite went on. To Punch Dinner by the carriage as far as the Athenaeum. O.S, self, F.H.T, R.H, C.G, R.C.L, L.B, E.V.L, B.P, H.W.L. Cuts over by 9.30. Got the Secretary Bird to do. Left at 10.30 & home by carriage. Drawings from Mr Clayton. Left them for Townsend to look at. (*Red ink:* Mite, Linley & self went to Olympia Tournament.)

Thursday May 30

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.50 & out with large camera. Saw Spanish Elliott. Into Notting Hill & took 11 photos. 2 Plats etc etc. Back. Breakfast. Letters. Drove in cart to Zoo. No Secretary Bird. Took 8 photos & forgot to focus them. All no good & bad developer. Called 104 Lancaster Gate. Enlarged photo of small photo of Secretary Bird given me by Keeper of Bears. All afternoon at it. At 7.30 left in carriage & called & saw M. Then to a dull dinner at Lord Winterstoke's. Took a plain lady in & sat between her & Mrs Lucy. Sir James & Miss Blyth, Sir John & Miss Barron & others. Boiled beef & ducks, Oh! Left & home at 10.30 by carriage. Rest & to bed tired. (*Red ink:* Dined at Lord Winterstoke's.)

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Friday May 31

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45. Out. Met Mr Richardson. Up Church St & back. Met no one. Dull grey day again. Letters & all day at work on drawing of Secretary (for India) Bird. Much bothered with Morley's head. Took it out 4 or 5 times. In despair almost. Finished at 10.20 & dined tired by myself. Bed 2.0am after rest in chair.

Saturday June 1

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Good bath. Out. Just missed Terrier. Up Church St & back. Still grey & dull. Dividend from Leopoldina Rly. All morning putting tidy. Went over to M at Lancaster Gate & drove in Mite's carriage to meet of the Coaching Club. Fine morning. Saw the Tates, Dr Farquharson etc. Carriage put me down at home. All afternoon at work. Roy dined with me at 7.20pm & after we went to the Haymarket Theatre & saw a play called 'My Wife'. Grace Lowe, Lillie Legarde etc. So so. Frightfully wet evening coming out. Walked to Garrick. Decided not to go to the Matthews dinner tomorrow. Poorly placed at table. No one I knew at supper table. Left & home in rain by carriage at 12.15am. (*Red ink:* Went to Lancaster Gate. Drove with M in Park. Roy dined & we went to the Haymarket Theatre, 'My Wife'.)

Sunday June 2

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.15 & out up Church Street. A dull rainy threatening day. No Lawn Tennis at Sir Alfred's. Went over to Lancaster Gate & took M for walk at 12.0 noon. Then back to lunch at home. Developed some photos. In all afternoon & after dined at Lancaster Gate & home by carriage. Dinner at the Garrick Club to Sir Charles Matthews. Got no seat allotted. Annoyed. After a wire came yesterday decided not to go. (*Red ink:* Dined at Lancaster Gate.)

Monday June 3

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.50 & over Notting Hill. Rags ran back. Took no photos. Saw lovely little long legged girl in Holland Walk. Grey dull morning. The girl was probably coming from Aubrey House where a fête was to be held during the week. All day putting things straight. Went over & dined with Mite, Lennie & M at Lancaster Gate. No, only Mite, M & self. Quiet & peaceful. Lennie came back at 10.0pm from Drill at Haywards Heath. Home by carriage. (*Red ink:* Dined at Lancaster Gate.) (*Cutting glued in:* 70th wedding anniversary, John Brinsmead to Susan Brown.)

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Tuesday June 4

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45 & out early with L.C. Got No 26 & others. Fair light. Notting Hill. After all day dating & putting away. Went over at 7.15pm & saw M. Dined at Lancaster Gate. Mr Hohler there. Left at 11.0 & home by carriage. Champagne at dinner. Went out at 12.0 & saw Little Auburn. Got 1st one from her. (*Red ink*: Dined at Lancaster Gate.)

Wednesday June 5

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.40. Cold bath. Walked in dull rain or rather heavy rain to school at Notting Hill. Rags refused to follow. Saw the usual girls. Back. Put things away. Went out at 12.10 & got Little Auburn, 6 or 7. Bright sun & school girls. Back & rested after lunch. Ann & Oliver came in motor. Heavy rain. An hour's rest & did me good. Left for Punch Dinner in the carriage at 5.45. Called & saw M. Then to the Langham Hotel. Bus to Chancery Lane. Walk to the Punch Dinner. O.S, self, F.H.T, .C.L, E.V.L, B.P, E.T.R only. Longest sitting. Not done till 12.0am. Refused to do Carthorses being Driven. Got a better cut. Home by carriage tired. (*Red ink*: Derby Day.) Also went over to Notting Hill at 1.15 to 1.45. Not much good. Got Pensioner etc & bought a stick for 6d. Derby Day. Orby won. I won nothing. Townsend won sweep.

Thursday June 6

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.45. Out & took no camera. Unfortunate. Bright sun in Cromwell Road. (*illeg*). Saw Terrier & another. 'That's naughty'. Back & schemed subject after breakfast. Could not get Britten. Nash sent another man. As good as Britten. Photod him at 12.0 & got all ready by 3.30pm. Worked till 7.30 when dressed & left in carriage at 8.0. Found I had mistaken the day of Thompson dinner - next week. Drove to the Athenaeum & had a solitary dinner & in Smoking Room after. Bill Weigall a member for 3 years. Left at 11.0 & home by carriage. Drawing Room or a Court at Buckingham Palace. Bed at 12.0. (*Red ink*: Dined at the Athenaeum Club by self. Mistook Thompson dinner.)

Friday June 7

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.40 & out. Took Lytham House School, 6. Went on all day with drawing of Carthorse & C.B. After slipped out at 12.10 & wasted 20 minutes. Talk to Pearks. A despairing bother with C.B's head. Got it somehow & finished at 10.45pm. Frightfully tired. Dined by self & bed.

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Saturday June 8

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.40 & out. Took 2. 1 Little Terrier & girl & big also. A finer morning. Sun at intervals. Breakfast. After put room tidy. Printed blues of Granada, Generalife Gardens. Threw half away. Defective films. After developed Malaga, very good. Lunch. Cigar. Dressed & went up to Aubrey House. Took Morris girls & dance. Accident with small camera. Only 2 spoilt. Saw Mrs Boughton. Oh! Such a carriage. After developed many plates & films. Left in carriage at 7.15pm & dined with Mite & M. Quiet evening. (*Red ink:* Took Terrier. Got scratched. Went to fête at Aubrey House. Dined Lancaster Gate.)

Sunday June 9

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.15 & out. Took 2 useless photos of children. Went out at 11.40 & to M at Lancaster Gate. Took her for walk & back to lunch. Rest after. Dull & dreary. Rain came on. Sent Upton to Sir A.H's. Came back & said they would play. Went up at 5.0pm & played 6 sets, did not win one. Carriage on to Lancaster Gate. Bath & changed. Mite, M & self dined. Quiet evening. Roy at Arundel with Lennie. M did not sleep well. (*Red ink:* Played Tennis at Sir A.H's. Dined Lancaster Gate.)

Monday June 10

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45 & out Lytham House. 1st really fine morning. Princess dropped her books. Got 3 photos of her. Back. All day doing Granada photos etc. Went at 11.30 in the Press box at Olympia & saw the Horse Show. Also Tresham Gilbey & also Arthur Severn. Took 20 photos of Hall & walking home. Lunch. After a short rest left in carriage 6.45 & had ½ hour with dear M. Then on to dine at Jules Restaurant in St James's St or Jermyn St with Mr, Mrs & 2 Miss Moons & an American Judge or Consul. Pleasant dinner & home by carriage at 11.0pm. (*Red ink:* Went to Olympia in the morning. Horse Show. Dined with the Moons at Jules Restaurant.)

Tuesday June 11

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.30 & out to Lytham House. Took Princess, Fatty etc. Back & in morning did rest of photos of Tuesday, no, Wednesday 9 Apl. Lunch. Up in room. Tilda at Stafford Terrace. Putting away things. Rest after lunch. Printed Malaga blues. Dressed & left in carriage at 7.15 & to Lancaster Gate. Mite, Maud Paxton, dear M, Roy & self dined. Felt very tired

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after. Went to Mocatta's at home. Saw many old friends, Miss Young, Hepworth Dixons etc etc. Crompton, Col Lucas, Percy Oakes, Dunlop. Left at 12.0am & home by the carriage. (*Red ink:* Dined at Lancaster Gate & to Mocatta's at home.)

Wednesday June 12

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45. Wired Stores. Wrote Gabell. Out over Notting Hill. Magazine broke down. Missed 2 Plats running. Rags refused to go along Holland Walk. After developing Spanish films went over to see M. At 6.0 to Punch Dinner by Tube. Met Douglas Gordon in train. P.D. O.S, self, H.F.T, C.G, P.A, C.V.L, B.P, E.T.R. Got cut of C.B as Bottom, Midsummer Day Dream. Home by carriage after talk with Partridge & the others.

Thursday June 13

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45 & up Church St. Saw Terrier & friend at corner of Barker's. Met no one. Back & schemed subject of Bottom etc. Sent Upton to Mays & at 12.0 Britten & Nash man came. Photod them. At work up to 7.30. Dressed & left by carriage & dined with Miss Thompson & Coupé. Between Lady Seaton & Mary Beaton, no, Lady Spielmann. Owen offended with Mite the others with Royle. Good dinner. Home by carriage. (*Red ink:* Dined with Miss Thompson & Coupé London.)

Friday June 14

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45 & out Lytham House. Took photos of girls. Princess, Fatty etc. Indignant shop girls. Upton came & said he was ill. Not able to drive. At work all day on drawing C.B as Bottom. Finished at 10.30. Dined by self & bed tired.

Saturday June 15

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.50 & out. Saw Terrier in Walk, Cromwell Road. Also 2 girls going into passage. Dull rainy morning. Developed some plates. Schemed Vol 132 Title Page & went over & lunched with M at L.G. Mite & Lennie away. Gave Linley pencil case. Went to 15 C.S & at 4.30 photod C.L. Married since a year. Tea at Bath Club. Home at 7.30. Roy & self dined. Went by cab after to New Theatre & saw The Scarlet Pimpernel. Garrick after & home 12.5 by carriage. (*Red ink:* Lunched with M at Lancaster Gate. Roy & self went to see 'The Scarlet Pimpernel'. Nurse Davis left.)

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Sunday June 16

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.45. Out. Took camera & no photo. Saw Mrs Spofforth. After back & left to meet M at 11.50 in Gardens. 1st saw new maid Vince. Took dear M for walk. After had lunch at home. Developed some plates. Rest & to Sir A.H's with Roy in cab. Played 6 sets. Young Trench there. Good games. After by carriage to L.G. Bath & dress. Good dinner & rare old brandy. Sleepy after very & tired. Home by carriage at 11.0pm. (*Red ink:* M with new maid Vince. Roy & self played Tennis at Sir A.H's. Dined at Lancaster Gate.)

Monday June 17

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.30 & out Cromwell Road. Got 2 Church St, shop girl with bows. No Terrier. 1st sunny morning. Old Rick went. To scheme drawing for Vol 132. M & Mite called in motor car. M had not slept well. Much upset with interview in the street. Went on to work. Hopeless. Left by carriage & dined with M alone at L.G. Lennie & Mite out, Roy also. Back by carriage at 11.0pm. Sir Benjamin Baker's will £180,000. (*Red ink:* Dear M called in motor. Not well & much upset. Dined at Lancaster Gate.)

Tuesday June 18

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.40 & out. Greyish morning half sun. Turned back & got camera. Went with Rick & Rags & over to Notting Hill. Got 7 photos 2 Plats etc. Back. M's boxes went over by cart. All day at work on Vol 132 Title Page. Dined with M & Roy at 104 L.G at 8.0. Went over at 7. Lennie & Mite out. Home by the carriage. Mr John Collier called & looked at lavatories & said they would in no wise be cast out. Tilda came. (*Red ink:* Inspector looked at lavatories. Dined with M at Lancaster Gate, Roy also.)

Wednesday June 19

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.45 & to Lytham House. Took 7 photos. Met Terrier who said Good Morn. Bright sun. Back at 9.20. Met Keith. After all day at work on Title Page for Vol 132. Finished at 5.30pm & left in the carriage & called 104 L.G. Saw dear M. On by tube to Chancery Lane. Bus to P.D. O.S, self, F.H.T, C.G, R.L, P.A, E.V.L, B.P, E.T.R, H.W.L. Long discussion. Got cut of Bacchus. O.S cavilled at my Title Page. Left 11.30 & home by carriage. Very tired. (*Red ink:* Terrier spoke. Good morning.)

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Thursday June 20

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.40 & out. Walked over to Lancaster Gate, there by 8.50, to see dear M. Dull morning. Cloudy. Back by bus. Met no one. Dear M left for Buxton at 12.10pm, Euston. Made study from Hilton & Upton at 12.20 for Bacchus & Clemenceau. Finished by 5.0pm & worked till 8.30. Dined 9.0pm by self. (*Red ink: M left for Buxton with Vince.*) (*Cutting glued in: Obituary of Robert Pritchett. Thursday 20 June.*)

Friday June 21

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.45 & out over Notting Hill. Took 10 of girl & 2 of van in Essex Villas. At work all day on drawing of Bacchus & Clemenceau. Got head perfect & made a muddle of it after & delayed me. Did not finish until 10.45. Ought to have dined at Lady Spielmann's. Dined by myself at 11.0pm & bed at 2.0 utterly tired.

Saturday June 22

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.40 & out, Cromwell Road, Rick & Rags. Met T & sister. Hornsby 22 St Albans Road. Hair cut. Breakfast. Case of Brandy came from Lennie. Felt very tired & done up all morning. Rested & printed blues. Lunched at home. Quiet afternoon. Left at 7.50 in carriage & dined at a Mr Reeves's 30 Chapel Street Belgrave Square. Met Miss Moon, Mr & Mrs R, a Mr Bertie Hall, friend of Roy's, came in after. Played & lost a game of Billiards. Left at 11.0 & drove to the Athenaeum & the Garrick. Slight supper at home at 12.0. Saw Lord Cook of Galloway. A Yorkshireman who talked about horses etc. Bed 1.30pm. The King's great Garden Party at Windsor. Lennie sent me an Empire inkstand. (*Red ink: Spoke Terrier. Dined at Mr Reeves. Met Miss Moon.*)

Sunday June 23

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.45 & out. Grey gloomy morning & day. Met Mr Turner. Back. Printed blues. After lunch rested 2 hours then went with Roy in a cab to Sir A.H's. Played several (8) sets. Col Trench & John there. Left off & home by bus. Dressed. No carriage. Blew Upton up. Cab to Lancaster Gate. Dined. Poet & a Scotsman there. Good dinner. Home 11.0 & to bed 1.15 after snooze. The Lord Justice Clark called. A gloomy dull cold day. (*Red ink: Roy & self played Tennis at Sir A.H's. Dined Lancaster Gate. Found out Princess was a Miss Collins, daughter of a Sir*

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Arthur John Collins K.C.) (*Cutting glued in: Death of Joseph Knight. Photograph of the late Mr Knight.*)

Monday June 24

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45 & out. Drizzle of rain. Met Terrier & also Princess. Followed maid & made out address to be Collins 18 Ashburn Place S.W. Distress. Walked back. Met Captain Matthews. Breakfast at 9.45. After at 10.15 Mr Carter came about the drains & reversed everything. At 11.30 Owen Seaman called & settled Opening Page of Volume 133. At 12.45 dressed & went to lunch at Sir Norman Lockyers to meet Mark Twain. 'Windsor Grounds' peacefully reposing in other grounds. Story of the bugle notes & buglers objection, all public ignorant. I told of Two to Lou Pip Pip. Strolled back at 3.30. Rest till 4.45. Wrote diary & letters. After schemed subject for opening Vol 133. Roy & self dined at 7.30pm & left after in carriage to go to the St James's Theatre. Saw a play called John Glayde's Honour. Thought it poor stuff. Eva Moore good. Walked to the Athenaeum. Roy & self home by carriage. Streets extraordinarily empty. (*Red ink: Roy & self saw 'John Glayde's Honour'.*) (*Red ink across page: Lunched with Norman Lockyer to meet Mark Twain. Mr Carter & Owen S called.*) (*Cutting glued in: Obituary Joseph Knight. M 24 June.*)

Tuesday June 25

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.50 & out up to Notting Hill. Took a few. Plate broke in magazine. Dull day. At 11.30 photod Upton for German Emperor in Stalls & enlarged other photos. Worked all day up to 9.0pm on drawing for Opening Vol 133. Dined by self & bed at 12.0.

Wednesday June 26

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.50 & out up Church Street with Rags. After all day at work up to 6.0pm on drawing Opening Volume 133. Drove at 6.40 all the way to the Punch office. O.S, self, F.H.T, C.G, R.L, P.A, E.V.L, B.P, E.T.R, H.W.L, A.G. Late sitting. Got cartoon of C.B as Surgeon, Peer & Epsom Salts. Left Partridge there & by cab to the R.A. Missed Mite. Saw Roy & Stern. Mrs Partridge waiting for B.P. Home by carriage from Sackville St at 12.0am. Bed 1.30am. Law Lady D with her skirt lengthened & spoilt her. (*Cutting glued in: Reminiscences of Joseph Knight. 1 July.*)

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Thursday June 27

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45 & walk up Church St with Rags. Met no one. Another dull morning. Sent Upton to Mays. Schemed subject of C.B & Peer, Epsom Salts. At 12.0 photod Hilton & Britten. Got all ready by 3.30pm. Worked from 4.30 to 9.0pm when dined by self. Bed after snooze.

Friday June 28

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45. Over Campden, no, Holland Walk to Notting Hill. Took several photos of schoolgirls, 2 Plats etc. After back & at work all day on drawing of Peer, Epsom Salts & C.B. Finished at 9.30 & dined 10.0pm. Left in carriage for the Foreign Office Reception at 10.45. There 11.15. Saw many actors etc. Wyndham, Tree, Burchier, Mary Moore. Also Reed, Moscheles & others. Left 12.10 & home by the carriage. Bed 2.0 after snooze. (*Red ink*: Went to the Foreign Office Reception.) (*Cutting glued in*: *Birthday Honours*. June 28.)

Saturday June 29

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.45 & out with Rags & camera. Met Terrier & gave photographs. Back. Breakfast. Interview with Nash. After put things away & also photo things up. Dear Mite called 12.30. Lunch & got off by cart to St Pancras at 3.30. Dull cold threatened rain. Heavy thunderstorm at starting. No change. Great crowds at Leicester, Derby, Matlock etc. Pretty girl of 15 had her skirts turned up by another at Matlock. Got to funny hotel. Dear M in her room & Alice. Had Apollinaris. Bed 10.45 tired. A good little dressing room. Very cold weather. (*Red ink*: Gave Terrier photographs. Left in afternoon for Buxton.)

Sunday June 30

Grosvenor Hotel Buxton. Up 8.30. x. Dressed & odd breakfast & people. A Mr Gorst etc. After wrote letter to Mr Johnson. Went with M in a Bath chair to the Empire Hotel & had an excellent lunch with Arthur Linley. Mrs Davidson there, Alice, M & self. Back at 3.30 to the Grosvenor Hotel. Came on heavy rain. Rested from 4.0 to 5.30pm. Dressed & dined at 6.0pm. A very curious dinner. After from 8.15 to 9.15 walked. Crowds of young girls 15 to 20 & louts also. Back. Read & to bed 10.30. Slept well. Weather cold & rain & very disagreeable. (*Red ink*: M & self lunched with Arthur Linley at the Empire Hotel, Buxton.)

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Monday July 1

Grosvenor Hotel Buxton. Up 8.25. Bath. Bad breakfast. Talk to Mr Gorst. After wrote letters of congratulation. to Gilbert, Scotter, Herkomer, Orchardson. Arthur came in & subsequently Arthur & Edwin Barker. Decided to go to Bakewell in the afternoon. After took M to have her Electric Course & back. A little sun came out. Went past Pump & took 6 or 7 films. Back. Lunch. At 2.15 drove in landau with Edwin Barker, Mrs Davison & Arthur & Alice to Bakewell, 12 miles. Lovely drive. Cleared up. Tea at Bakewell. Took 4 or 5 films one of which broke down. Took it out. 13 altogether. Started back. Violent rain came on. Pretty girls everywhere. Back 6.15. Gave up idea of dining at the Old Hall Hotel. Good grayling for dinner. Talk to newly married couple on bull fight & up in M's room 9.0. Bed 10.30pm. M slept well. (*Red ink: Was taken a drive to Bakewell. Violent rain.*)

Tuesday July 2

Grosvenor Hotel Buxton. Up 8.20 & out 8.45. Walked to station & bought papers & then to breakfast at the Old Hall Hotel. Good. Back. Wrote diary & letters. After took M for walk to Pump. Sat on hill & strolled after lunch. Arthur came at 3.30 & at 4.0 we went for a walk & also to a curious museum & stalactite cave. Man called (*illeg*) lions tooth a rhinoscerous horn. Funny Derbyshire family going round. Little girl, good legs. Muddy in cave. Back 5.15. Rest. Dressed & went at 7.0 with Alice to dine at The Hydro. Very pleasant dinner. Edwin Barker, Arthur, Mrs Davidson, Alice & self. Good champagne & cigars. Extraordinarily pretty chamber maid. Also very good gramophone. Heard Caruso & Melba. Back 10.15pm. Bed 11.30. M slept well. (*Red ink: Dined with Edwin Barker at The Hydro, Buxton.*) (*Cutting glued in: In memoriam: David Christie, Colonel Charles Barchard, George Pritchard-Rayner, Sir William Flower.*)

Wednesday July 3

Grosvenor Hotel Buxton. Up 8.20. Letters from Herkomer, Gilbert etc, also Johnson about Stafford Terrace. Out. Got Times. Breakfast at the Old Hall Hotel. Arthur Linley left by 9.40am. Back. Up in M's room. Wrote letters. Paid bill. Another dull wretched rainy morning. After packing lunch 12.50 & off 1.35. Caught 1.40. Still raining & rained all way up to town. Upton met me & drove to Russell Sq. After walked to Garrick, on to the P.D. Met Tree in bus. O.S, self, F.H.T, R.H, P.A, E.V.L, B.P, E.T.R, H.W.L, A.G.

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Got a Britannia cut & home by carriage in wet. (*Red ink*: Came up from Buxton.)

Thursday July 4

Stafford Terrace. Dull morning. Walked to Cromwell Road. No Terrier. After schemed subject of Britannia & Lord Cromer. Miss Huxley came at 11.45. Photod her & after Britten & Pat the terrier. Developed & worked until 9.0 when dined by self. Bed at 12.30 after snooze.

Friday July 5

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.45 & out. Spoke Terrier. After took 1 doz plates Lytham House. 1st sunny morning for weeks & weeks. Worked all day on drawing of Britannia & Lord Cromer. Finished at 10.30pm when dined by myself. Bed very tired 1.30am.

Saturday July 6

Stafford Terrace. Out & to Cromwell Road. Took Terrier. Arranged. Sunny morning. Back & all morning developing plates etc. After all morning developing Granada etc. Rest in afternoon. Saw Nash in morning. Left at 4.45 in carriage & drove to Conduit St. Waited an hour for nothing. E.J never came. Back. Dressed & drove to dine at Lancaster Gate. Edgar & Sophia Herapath there. Left 11.0 & home by carriage. Finer day. (*Red ink*: Took T & sister in Cromwell Rd. Dined with Lennie & Mite at Lancaster Gate. Edgar & Sophia there.) (*Cutting glued in: The wife of Harold Messel, of a daughter.*)

Sunday July 7

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.15. Out for walk up Church St. Brighter. Developed some Granada photos after & rest after lunch. Mr Johnson called at 2.40 & we arranged about No 8 Stafford Terrace. After to Sir A.Hickman's at 4.30. Roy there & we played many sets. Young Trench & Col Trench. Dined at Sir A.H after. Napoleon Brandy. Granddaughter from Wolverhampton. (*Red ink*: Settled with Mr Johnson about No 8 Stafford Terrace. Roy & self after playing dined at Sir A.Hickman's.)

Monday July 8

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.45 & out to Cromwell Road. Dull & no sun. Spoke & arranged with Terrier. Back. Breakfast. All day developing Seville & Malaga. After rested & Roy & self dined at 7.0pm & drove in carriage to the Duke of York's Theatre & saw Diversions. Very

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well acted. To the Garrick. Saw Col Lucas. Eckardstein there. Left at 12.0 & home by carriage very tired. (*Red ink*: Arranged for sitting with Terrier. Roy & self went to the Duke of York's Theatre & saw Diversions.)

Tuesday July 9

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.50. Dull grey morning. Out 8.30 with Rags & walked up Church St. Schoolboys. Met Mr Turner. Breakfast. Emma took all stair carpets & curtains down & up. Letters about house. All day developing etc etc. Left at 7.10 by carriage & drove to the Punch office. Dinner to Mark Twain. Great success. Phil A's daughter presented a picture by Partridge. Mark Twain, Walter Agnew, F.C.Burnand, Phil A, Lawrence B, O.S, self, A.G, R.L, H.W.L, E.V.L, B.P, E.T.R, L.R.H, F.H.T. All there except Graves & William Agnew. I made a successful speech & left at 11.45 & on to Mite's dance. Great success. Home by carriage. (*Red ink*: Punch Dinner to Mark Twain. Made speech.) (*Cutting glued in: Obituary of Harry Quilter.*)

Wednesday July 10

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45 & out over Campden Hill by Holland Walk to Notting Hill. Took 1 doz plates. Dullish light. Cannot get a good one of 2 Plats. Back & breakfast. All day developing etc. Left in afternoon & by carriage to Embankment & Punch Dinner. O.S, self, F.H.T, R.L, E.V.L, B.P, E.T.R, H.W.L. Got Roosevelt & Sun. Suggested by self. Long time looking for cut of Charles Keene, found cut 1866. Home at 10.45 by carriage. Bed 12.30am. Took 4 C.L.L.P. Mite called when I was resting in afternoon in Morning Room. (*Cutting glued in: Marriage of Commander Richmond and Miss Elsa Bell.*)

Thursday July 11

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.40 & out Notting Hill. Took 10 plates Sticks & others, 2 Plats turning round. Cook at No 14 Phillimore Gardens shouted at Rags & myself. A finer day at last. Sun. Schemed subject & photod Hilton & self. Till 4.0pm enlarging. Dear Chicks sent me 3 crabs. Worked till 7.0am when dressed & left 7.45 by carriage to North End entrance of the Earls Court Exhibition. Very uncivil man. Had to take cab to North entrance. Saw small boy & walked to dine with Sir Henry Bergne. Sat next Miss Schuster. Young Bergne's wife a lively party. Left 10.45 & home by carriage. Tired. Bed 11.30. Took 3 C.L.L.P. (*Red ink*: Dined with Lady Bergne at the Exhibition. Wretched evening.)

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Friday July 12

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45 & out Lytham House. Bright sun. Took 13 films, girls etc. Argyll Road, Sticks. Home & worked all day. Finished drawing of Roosevelt & Japanese sun at 8.30pm. Put plates in magazine & dined by self at 9.0pm. Roy came in a hansom at 10.0pm. Bed 12.0am. Took 3 C.L.L.P. (*Cuttings glued in: Death of Walter Lethbridge. Death of Thomas Mitchell Innes. Death of David Farquharson. Death of Georgie Gooch. Death of George Grimes. Death of Herbert Hole. Death of Cathrine Lloyd. Death of John Lyell. Death of Hamilton Osgood. Death of Georgiana Peel. Death of Harry Quilter.*)

Saturday July 13

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45 & out. Met Terrier. Walking up & down. Back 9.20. Beautiful morning. Took a few plates. After wrote letters etc & left at 12.40 for Lords in the carriage. Went round. Saw Sir C. McLaren, Asquith, Lyttelton, Winslow etc etc. Lunch with Roy. Read came up. Tried small camera. Match went against Eton. Bird made 100 & 187 in 2nd innings for Harrow. Left tired at 5.30pm & home by Metro. Saw Gwen & Dora. Also the 2 Butlers. Developed plates 6.20 to 8.0pm & dined by self. Snooze after. (*Red ink: Went to Lords for the Eton & Harrow Cricket Match. Lunch with Roy.*)

Sunday July 14

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.15. Bath. Dull grey morning. Breakfast. Took things out of bath developed yesterday, Lords etc. Sent things round to No 8. Lunch at home & rest to 3.30. Everything came over as dark as pitch & it was the same M wrote at Buxton. Roy called in a flannel get up at 4.10 & we went & played many sets until 7.0pm. The young secretary & self v Sir A & Roy. Home by carriage & Roy & self dined. Bottle of Geisler. Roy left at 11.15 without his gloves. Bed 12.0am. (*Red ink: Roy & self played last sets of the season at Sir Alfred Hickmans. Dined at home. No, next Sunday was the last.*) (*Cuttings glued in: Obituary of the Rev Lord Arundell of Wardour. Obituary of David Farquharson.*)

Monday July 15

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.45 & out to Notting Hill. Took 8 photos. Back. Men began to work at Stafford Terrace. Dixon on the job. Brilliantly hot day. Went round to No 8. Left at 11.50 for Euston by cab & lunched. Caught the 1.35 for St Albans. Man with long hair

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in train. Bus to Pageant. Most delightful show altogether took 60 films of performers in many costumes. Battle of St Albans very good. Left 5.30 & to train. Back with one other man who lost his train to Brighton. Took 1½ hrs to get to Euston. Cab to No 8 calling at 104 L.G. Dressed & carriage. Good dinner. Reed & wife & Harold & Mrs Gibson at 104. Left at 11.15 & to No 8. Bed 12.0. Slept all right. (*Red ink*: Work commenced on the new drainage at Stafford Terrace. Went for 1st time to St Albans Pageant. Dined at Lancaster Gate.) (*Cutting glued in: Death of Francis Popham.*)

Tuesday July 16

8 Stafford Terrace. Up 7.45. Good bath. Lovely morning. Out. Called 18, could not get camera. Marie got it. Tried for Lady D. Never appeared. Saw Miss Phillimore. Took 4 photos. Groom, girl in church, street common & girl running. 1st breakfast in No 8. All comfortable. After moved & put things straight. Lunch. Rested an hour. Round at house. Dressed & left in carriage & dined at 19 Portman Square with the Yates Thompsons. Met 4 Americans, did not like artists. Mary Millais. Back at 10.45 by carriage. Y-T made remark about it. Boor. Changed films & put things right after. Bed at 1.0am. Another lovely day. (*Red ink*: Dined at the Yates Thompsons.) (*Cutting glued in: St Albans Pageant.*)

Wednesday July 17

8 Stafford Terrace. Up 7.45 & out. Dull grey morning. Met Mr Justice Buckley who was very cordial. Back. Breakfast. After letters decided to go again to St Albans. Started at 12.0 & went to St Pancras this time. Good chop. Fine young aristocratic girl at station. 4 awful men in carriage. One began about Punch. Stopped him. Just caught bus & to Pageant. Saw Walter Crane. Took 60 photos. Brilliant sun. Many good looking girls. Left at 4.45 & walked in heat to M.R. Had tea, 7d. Up to town 6.12, arrived 7.10. Drove to Punch office. There 7.30. Called Garrick. O.S, self, F.H.T, R.H, R.C.L, P.A, B.P, E.T.R, A.G. Got fairly easy subject. Raised voice against attacking Birthday Honours. Left at 11.15 taking Townsend as far as Temple in carriage. Back 12.0. Changed films till 1.0am. Bed very tired. Very hot day. (*Red ink*: Went for 2nd time to St Albans Pageant.)

Thursday July 18

8 Stafford Terrace. Up 7.45am. Walk up Campden Hill. No photos. Grey morning. Arranged with Upton to get a boy & sent him to Mays. Hilton came 12.15 & photod him & boy for Yankee &

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Venezuela Monkey. Worked up to 7.15. 1st photo & work at No 8. Got on all right. Left in carriage & dined with Fletcher Moulton at the Garrick Club. Met his father in law Dicey. Sir George Lewis. Next a very interesting man. Talk about Greece & Spain. Left at 11.0pm & home by carriage tired. (*Red ink*: Dined with Sir Fletcher Moulton at the Garrick.) (*Cuttings glued in: Deaths from heat in Scotland. T July 18. Obituary of Lord Peczy St Maur. 17 July.*)

Friday July 19

8 Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45 & round by Lytham House. Took last photos of the season at Lytham House. Back & at work all day on drawing of Belgium, Yankee & Venezuelan Monkey. Finished at 9.0pm. Dined by self quietly & bed 11.30pm after.

Saturday July 20

8 Stafford Terrace. Up 7.45am & walked to Cromwell Road. Met Terrier & sister. Gave her 10/s. After breakfast Upton & self went by 4 wheeler to Euston & down to St Albans. All day at Pageant. Took 120 films & plates. Warwick a Mr Tarte. Dullish day. Back by 7.45pm & dined by self at home & bed at 12.0 after snooze. (*Red ink*: Arranged with Terrier to sit. Went for 3rd time to St Albans Pageant. Took 120 films.) (*Cutting glued in: The wife of G.H.Chirgwin, of a daughter.*)

Sunday July 21

8 Stafford Terrace. Up 8.30pm. Out for walk up Holland Walk. All day putting things straight, printing etc, & developed some films & plates taken yesterday. In afternoon a rest & Roy came & we went & played 8 sets of Lawn Tennis at Sir A Hickman's. The end of the season 1907. Roy & Sir A.H v Secy & self. Each won 4. Drove Roy to Lancaster Gate & then home. Dined by self. Roy entertained Geoff at the Garrick & left for Terregles by the night mail. Went up to 15 C.S. at 11.30 & photod G.T. Back to lunch. (*Red ink*: Last Lawn Tennis at Sir A.Hickman's, Roy & self. Roy left for Terregles.)

Monday July 22

8 Stafford Terrace. Up 7.45. A dull grey morning. No photos. After developed a good many plates & films taken on Saturday. All day at it. Also fitted a new Electric Light in the enlarger & enlarged 2 or 3. Developed them on Thursday. At 6.45 dressed & left in the carriage for the Savoy & dined with Sir Isidore Spielmann. Met Poynter, Parsons. Gregory & Solomons etc. Next a Mr Atkin &

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also a Mr Percy French who drew things on a board & also smoked pipes. Saw Bertie Stern & also the Mocattas. (*Red ink: Dined with Sir Isidore Spielmann at the Savoy. Slow.*)

Tuesday July 23

8 Stafford Terrace. Up 7.45. Walk. No phos. All day developing. Notice of Punch Dinner next Monday arrived. Plans for Buxton upset. Dined at 7.15pm. Left in carriage & went to see an American play called Mrs Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch. Poor stuff. Mrs Madge Carr Cook. Walked to Athenaeum after. Very tired. Home by carriage. Bed 12.30. (*Red ink: Went to see Mrs Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch.*)

Wednesday July 24

8 Stafford Terrace. Up 7.45am & out over Campden Hill to Notting Hill. Took last photos of the season of girls. Good one of 2 Plats. Back. Breakfast. After printed blues all morning at Stafford Terrace. In afternoon drove all the way to the Punch Dinner at 6.30. O.S, self, F.H.T, R.H, R.L, E.V.L, B.P, E.T.R, H.W.L, A.G. A pleasant dinner. Got subject of C.B & A.B & Socialist Bogey. Left at 10.45 after a chat & home by carriage. Bed 12.30am. Drove up to top of Phillimore Gardens to look at moonlight. No good. (*Red ink: A poor subject & a poor cartoon.*) (*Cutting glued in: Death of Joseph Hume-Williams.*)

Thursday July 25

8 Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45. Dull grey morning. Bright intervals. Went to Holland Walk & took 3 for background of Bogey. After to Cromwell Road. Took 3. Met Terrier who parted from her sister. Arranged for Saturday. Upton got 2 boys & photod them at 12.15. Got enlargements & at it till 8.45 when dined by self. Bed at 12.0am. Took schoolgirls in Cromwell Road. (*Cutting glued in: Death of Robert Hammond-Chambers.*)

Friday July 26

8 Stafford Terrace. Up 7.45 & out with camera up Church Street. Took 1 photo only of a vagrant loafer. Waited for Miss Phillimore. Never came. Back. Lunch at Stafford Terrace. At work all day on drawing of C.B & A.B & Bogey Socialism. Finished 9.30pm. Telephoned V & C. Dined by self & bed very tired. (*Cutting glued in: Obituary of Robert Hammond-Chambers KC.*)

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Saturday July 27

8 Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45. Very tired. Out & met Terrier, decided to come today. Back. All morning putting straight. Letters etc & to No 18. After back at 3.15. Drove to No 15 C.S. Waited an hour & Terrier & friend came. Took a dozen Dutch costume. Out at 5.45 & to Athenaeum. Wrote letters. Dined by self at 7.45. Very poor dinner. Cab to the Playhouse. Saw a silly play - Lord Plantucket. Frightfully tired & sleepy after. Home by carriage from Athenaeum at 11.45. Man from Maples called at 2.0pm. (*Red ink:* 1st photod R.H. Dutch clothes. Went to see Cyril Maude at the Playhouse.)

Sunday July 28

8 Stafford Terrace. Up 6.30 & decided to go to Calais. Off by cart at 9.15. Rags ran to Charing X. Dull grey day nearly all day. Collector took my bag & walked to Market Place. Took 1st magazine without hitch. The 2nd a film stuck. Took nearly all the 3. Lunch at Plage. Dull day. Little girl & Guardsman father. Saw Joe Parkinson going & Bill Ransford coming back. Horrid German with a cold. At Victoria 7.20. Carriage met me & drove home by 7.40. Wrote M. After dined by self. Snooze & bed 11.30pm. (*Red ink:* Went over to Calais by the 9.0 from Charing X.) (*Cutting glued in:* *The affairs of Sir Humphrey de Trafford.* S 27 July.)

Monday July 29

8 Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45. Out with large camera. Broke down by 2 plates breaking inside, why or wherefor who knows. Back. Breakfast. After letters etc all day printing blues. In afternoon went by Met Rly to Gower St. Called Maples & selected wash basin & bath. By bus to the Punch Dinner. O.S, self, F.H.T, R.C.L, P.A, E.V.L, B.P, E.T.R, A.G. Good dinner & subject. Home by carriage at 10.50. Bed 12.0am. (*Red ink:* Called at Maples. Punch Dinner for Bank Holiday.)

Tuesday July 30

8 Stafford Terrace. Up 7.45 & out. Cloudy. No photos. Met Lord Justice Buckley. Back. Called Stafford Terrace (18) before breakfast. After schemed subject of C.B & Bathing Machine. Photod at 12.0 Nash's man. Got all ready by 5.0pm. Worked till 8.40 when dined by self. Bed 12.30pm. (*Red ink:* Took no photos for work.)

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Wednesday July 31

8 Stafford Terrace. Up 7.20. Shave. Put things in order. Lovely bright sun. Out with camera. Took cart & 2 horses. Met Terrier & had walk. Arranged for next Wednesday. Back & worked all day on Campbell Bannerman as Bathing Man & Machine & Bills. Finished at 9.45. Dined by self very tired & bed 1.0am after snooze. Very tired. (*Cutting glued in: Obituary of Joseph Hatton. T 1 Aug.*)

Thursday August 1

8 Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45. Out & to Cromwell Road. Took bicycle. Large. Spoke to Terrier after. Also took shop girl holding up dress. Back. Breakfast. Printed blues all morning. Rest after lunch. At 5.0 drove in carriage, called Daly's, Gaumonts & also went to Blenheim Club. Saw Secy. Looked over new Studio. Home. Wrote many letters. Dinner 8.15. Rest. Changed old magazines etc. Bed 12.30am. Tired. (*Red ink: Saw Studio in Pall Mall for 1st time.*) (*Cutting glued in: Photograph of the late Mr Joseph Hatton.*)

Friday August 2

8 Stafford Terrace. Up 8.20. Overslept. Dressed hurriedly. To Cromwell Rd. Took bicycle. No Terrier. Also took girl at top of Earls Court Rd. Breakfast 9.20. Letters. Wired M. Packed. 18 Stafford Terrace at 11.45, saw Nash. Lunch 12.5. Left in cart 12.35. To Euston. Long journey to Hopton Heath. No other in carriage. Arrived 7.0. Fitzroy at station. Dear M better. Had left my dress coat. Dinner 8.0pm. Bed 11.30. Slept well. Had bought 3 Weeks & read it coming down, 4/6. (*Red ink: Went down to Bedstone via Hopton Heath.*)

Saturday August 3

Bedstone Court, Bucknell. Up 8.30. Breakfast 9.0am. Lovely morning. Wrote letters till 12.30. Sat out. Read papers. Lunch 1.30. After M resting. Went for a walk to Bucknell village. Brilliant hot sun. Took girl in road. Children, houses, & after girl at shop in village & a very pretty country girl with cows. Got frightfully hot. Changed everything & went after tea with H in motor to the ancestral home of the Hurleys. 4 1756 cannon taken by Admiral Rodney from the Spaniards on the lawn & a ruined old castle. From there to a lovely house with Watts pictures & one by name of Julian Storey. The owner a Mr Rogers. Lovely evening. Back with Midge & the boys & H. Dinner & bed after a game of Billiards with

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H. He beat me by 35 points. Slept well & dear M also. (*Red ink:* Very hot day. Walked to Bucknell. Photod girls.)

Sunday August 4

Bedstone Court, Bucknell. Up 8.30. Bath. Down. Grey morning. Breakfast 9.30. Wrote letters all morning. Miss Harleys to lunch. Playing with Fitzroy. At 3.0 left with Midge in motor for Stoke Edith. Stampede of shire horses. Got out of the way. There 4.50pm. Saw Dora & Paul, Mr & Mrs Fox-Pitt & others. Gramophone. Peter. Left at 5.50. Long run home. There 7.50pm. Dressed. Dinner. Tired. Bed after changing plates. Wrote Col Davidson. (*Red ink:* Motored to Stoke Edith.) (*Cutting glued in: The wife of William Hartree, of a son.*)

Monday August 5

Bedstone Court, Bucknell. Up 7.45am. Breakfast 8.30am & off 9.10 by motor for Ludlow. There 10.0am. Horse Show etc. Saw Punch Kennedy, Kevil Davis etc etc. Took 2 doz horses galloping. Lunch at an old house belonging to a gentleman named Wood & girl about 14. Weary look at house, buildings & yearlings. Back at 4.0pm to show. Left 5.0pm & nearly ran over a girl cyclist. Home 5.30. Tea. Walk with dear M in garden. Tommy & Duster. Dinner. Tired after. Bed at 11.0am after changing plates. (*Red ink:* Ludlow Agricultural Show. Went in motor.)

Tuesday August 6

Bedstone Court, Bucknell. x. Up at 8.15am. Bath. Packed. Breakfast. Goodbye to M & off in motor at 10.10. Fitzroy went with me. 35 min to wait Craven Arms. Gave F 10/s. To London with one other. Station master at Stafford made mistake. Restaurant car full. Had to wait till Rugby 2.20 before lunch. Uncomfortable journey. Rain at Euston. Home by cart at 4.0. Tea & wrote letters. Close & thundery. Found train did not go to Newton Stewart on Sundays. Dined by self & left in cab for the Prince of Wales Theatre. Saw Miss Hook of Holland. Mina good. Left at 10.50 & home by bus. Bed 11.30pm. Miss Gracie Leigh as Mina. (*Red ink:* Came up from Bedstone Court. Went to see Miss Hook of Holland.)

Wednesday August 7

8 Stafford Terrace. Up 7.40. Roy back at 8.20. Out & met T. Arranged for sitting. Back. Roy self & dogs at breakfast. After letters & printed blues. Round to Stafford Terrace. Lunch. Rest.

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Roy back at 4.0pm. Left at 4.15 & went up by bus with bag to Conduit St. At 5.40 photod Miss H. Friend with her in room. Better legs. Out 6.40 & cab to Bouverie Street. 'Punch' Dinner. O.S, self, F.H.T, C.G, E.V.L, B.P, E.T.R, H.W.L, A.G. No Agnew or Bradbury. Fairly pleasant dinner. Got cut of Sultan of Morocco. Home by carriage. Roy out with key of No 8. Wrote letters to Mabel Woodcock & Marie. Posted it at 11.40pm. (*Red ink: Roy back from Terregles. Photod R.H 2nd time.*)

Thursday August 8

8 Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.30. In Roy's room. Went to No 18 & looked out Townsend's yachting pictures & for Sultan of Morocco. Wire from Woodcock. Decided not to take any photos. Again to No 18. Selected Britannia. Enlarged them. Roy left in cart at 12.15 to Club & to go after to join the Joyeuse at Cowes. Went on to work up to 9.15pm. Very tired all day & livery. Dined by self & bed at 12.30am. (*Red ink: Roy left for the 'Joyeuse'.*) (*Cutting glued in: The wife of Dr Louis Sambon, of a daughter.*)

Friday August 9

8 Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45 & out after without camera. Saw H in distance & settled for Saturday next at 3.15pm. Back & at work all day on drawing of Europa & Sultan of Morocco. Felt very tired all day. Finished at 10.15. The clock had stopped at 9.45am. Had dinner by self & snooze till 1.30am when to bed tired. (*Cutting glued in: Death of Frances Nourse. Death of Samuel Nurse.*)

Saturday August 10

8 Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0 & out. Foolishly did not take camera. Saw Legs & a horse down which would have been useful. After printed blues, cheques etc. Lunch. Carriage at 2.30. Letter about H. Too ill to sit. Back. Telephoned to 15 C.S. No reply. Went out & sent Upton up. After packed bags etc. Left in carriage at 6.15 & drove to the United Service Club & had a very poor dinner. After to the Gaiety Theatre & saw the stupidest musical play ever written called The Girls of Gottenberg. Bus to Club. Apollinaris & home by carriage. Bed at 12.30am. Been at No 8 a month. Sent a cheque from Club to Mr Johnson. In morning put fresh films in ¼ plate Edwardes carrier. Films to be put in with the open ends towards the handles. (*Red ink: R.H. By letter, too ill to sit. Went to the Gaiety Theatre. Letter sent.*)

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Sunday August 11

8 Stafford Terrace. Up 7.45. Out with 2 dogs up Holland Walk. Breakfast at 9.0. Lovely hot summer morning. Out at 9.45 to meet H. Small boy met me. Back & printed blues after. Packed & lunch. Drove up in cart to 15 Conduit St. Waited just 1 hr. H & a friend came at 3.0pm. She looked & was so ill I sent her back again. To Garrick Club. Tea. Letters. Home by bus. Finished packing. Changed. Dined 6.30pm. Left in cart at 7.30 & at St Pancras at 8.15pm. Caught 8.30 train. Most comfortable journey. Slept on & off. Very hot round neck in night. (*Red ink:* Went to 15 C.S. R.H came. Too ill to sit. Back home. Packed & left for Ayrshire at 7.30pm in cart.) (*Cutting glued in: Obituary of Elizabeth Ney. 12 Aug.*)

Monday August 12

On board train. Arrived Newton Stewart at 5.30. Raining. Open trap & good little Galloway mare. Saw grouse. Got to Drumlanford at 7.25. Saw B. Tea. Dressed. Breakfast at 8.15. Sir Walter & Lady Foster, Mr & Mrs Duffield & self. Started up road at 9.15am, 4 guns. Mr D & self shot over black setter, got 7 brace & 1 golden plover. Others 6 brace. Long walk. Very heavy showers. Tired. Left off at 5.45pm. Trap met us. Home. Ginger Beer. Changed. Dinner 7.30. 2 letters from M. Bridge after. Won 1d. Bed 10.30pm. (*Red ink:* Arrived Drumlanford. Shot with Mr Duffin over dogs.) (*Cuttings glued in: The wife of Waldorf Astor, of a son. The wife of Walter Parish, of a daughter.*)

Tuesday August 13

Drumlanford, Barr Hill. Up at 7.20. Rain again. Dull grey morning. Mr Duffield went fishing. Up in upper hall & wrote letters all morning till dinner or lunch time 1.0pm. After a pipe in room & rested an hour. After wrote Index for diary. Down, tea. An ominous wire for Sir Walter Foster. Started to walk to fishing. Gave wire to Sir Walter & walked on & met Mr Duffield who had 2 fish, one the largest 11½ lb. Biggest ever caught. The other 3½ lb. Both good fish. River Crea. Met Robertson's keeper, a fine figure of a man. Walk back. Very close. Got very hot. Went on with writing. Sir W & Lady Foster went to Barr Hill. Not back till 10.15pm. Music after dinner. Bed 11.0pm. No Bridge. (*Red ink:* Wet day. Mr Duffin caught 2 fish.) (*Cutting glued in: Obituary of James Mackenzie. Wed 14 Aug.*)

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Wednesday August 14

Drumlanford, Barr Hill. Up at 7.30. Breakfast 8.15. Letters. After started to shoot moor to the left going towards fishing & down by the Crea. 4 guns, Mr Duffield, Sir W.F, self & Mr B. Bag 15 brace, 4 snipe, 1 partridge. Self got 5 brace, 1 snipe. Left off at 6.0. Little girl niece of coachman came & went back in break. Fair hair. Home 6.20. Bath. Dinner, The Fosters better news of their daughter. Bridge after. I the only one to lose 2 rubbers. 2/8 to Mrs Duffield. Played till 11.30 when to bed. (*Red ink: 2nd day's shoot Drumlanford. Sir W & Lady Foster went to Barr Hill.*) (*Cuttings glued in: Marriage of John Spottiswoode to Sybil Ginsburg. Death of Thomas Wirgman.*)

Thursday August 15

Drumlanford, Barr Hill. Up 7.30. Breakfast 8.30. Homespun suit. A very wet morning. Undecided what to do. Left at 12.0 with Mr & Mrs D & had delightful drive to Ballantrae. 19 miles. Fine house sold for £1500. Place next Drumlanford owned by a Mr Weir. Got to B 2.30. Good inn. Went out with camera & took 23, 1 going home. Women & children. Cottages & tea there. Talk of the Provost. Saw Ailsa Craig. Left at 4.0. Got back view of pretty girl. Home 6.30. Dressed. After dinner Bridge. Lost 4/3 to Sir W.F. Bed 11.0pm. (*Red ink: Drove to Ballantrae. Took 24 photos.*) (*Cutting glued in: Obituary of the Duke of Pless.*)

Friday August 16

Drumlanford, Barr Hill. Up 7.30. Had slept well. Breakfast 8.15. Bright morning, colder. After letters at 10.0 started. 4 guns, Mr Duffield, Sir Walter Foster, self, W.P.B. Shot all round in sight of house & the moor across the road. Got about 14 brace. Self 3½ brace. Lunch 1.0. Good rest. Came on to rain after. 1 bird came down wind. Did not see it in time. 2 hours tramp without a stop after lunch. Sir W.F left at 3.55. Heavy rain. Home 5.0pm. No letter from M. Changed & bath. Tea. Wrote diary up to dressing for dinner. Bridge after. Won two rubbers 4/s. Bed 11.0pm. Curious dream of holding up a small town in sailing man o'war. Obsolete cannon. (*Red ink: 3rd days shoot Drumlanford.*)

Saturday August 17

Drumlanford, Barr Hill. Up & breakfast 8.30. Very wet. All the morning writing etc. Lunch in the house. After all left in the break & went down to the Crea to fish. Mr Duffin & self sat on the bank. After fished in farm pool. Saw 5 fish jump out. Left at 5.45 &

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walked home leaving Stewart to come on with Mr Duffin & Mr Beale. Changed. Bath. Dinner. After Bridge. Lost 10d. (*Red ink*: Fishing day. Walked home.) (*Cutting glued in: Obituary of Joseph Joachim. Friday 66th.*)

Sunday August 18

Drumlanford, Barr Hill. Up & breakfast at 8.45. Wet again. Break went to church at 11.0am. Took 2 photos. After all the morning sticking things in diaries. Brought them up to date. Break back at 2.0pm. Lunch. Rest. Talk & smoke. Mr Robertson & Mr Nivven came to lunch, no, tea. After went as far as Loch Drumlanford with Mr Duffin. Supper 7.45. Burgundy. Very sleepy after. Bed 10.30pm. Mrs B playing Patience. (*Red ink*: Dull damp day at Drumlanford.)

Monday August 19

Drumlanford, Barr Hill. Up 7.30. Breakfast 8.30. Much wind. Finer. Started to shoot 9.45. 3 guns, Sir W.F, Mr Duffin & self. Towards the Ruin. A fine day. Self got 3½ brace including 1 grey hen, 4 snipe, 1 green plover. Lunch at the Ruin. Mr Beale joined us at 1.15. Home at 4.0. Changed. Mr & Mrs D left at 5.0pm. Talk to Sir W.F after. Recommended Insurance Compy. Bath. Dinner. Pianola & bed at 10.30pm. (*Red ink*: 4th day's shoot Drumlanford. Mr Duffin & wife left.)

Tuesday August 20

Drumlanford, Barr Hill. Up 7.30am. Breakfast. After got off at 10.15 in break to fish Loch Martel. Long walk. Sir W.F, W.P.B, & self. Very strong wind. Hard rowing of boat. Sir W.F caught 10, self 2. Lunch 1.30. Again fished loch. Left off 3.45. Walked to burn. W.P.B caught 4 in 6 minutes. Long long walk. Took Ruin etc, fishing. Again long tramp. Did not get back to house till 7.15pm. Very tired. Could get no bath. Dinner. A Miss Orme arrived at 8.0. Pianola. Bed 10.30. Beale tired also. (*Red ink*: Fished Loch Martel, Drumlanford. Long weary tramp. Took photos.) (*Cutting glued in: To Lord & Lady Denman, a daughter.*)

Wednesday August 21

Drumlanford, Barr Hill. Up at 7.30. Breakfast 8.30. After all morning writing letters. Lunch. At 2.15 started by self with camera to walk to the Ruin. Only my thin brown shoes on. Got wrong by following wall. Into a rabbit warren. Back. Smoked cigar. Photod 6 sheep, sheep pen & 2 landscapes. Back at 5.0pm. Tea.

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Underlined 1906 in red after. Dinner. After played 3 Bridge. I won 2/5d. Bed. Changed plates in one box. (*Red ink*: Walked towards the Ruin. Missed way. Took photos.)

Thursday August 22

Drumlanford, Barr Hill. Up 7.35. After breakfast wrote many letters. Rain came on 10.30am. Were to have gone out shooting. Long talk to Sir W.F. All day writing & also putting red ink on days in diary for 2 years. At 5.30 went for a walk. Met the 2 Miss Robertsons. Back. Dinner. Bridge & bed. (*Red ink*: Wet day all day. Walk in evening.)

Friday August 23

Drumlanford, Barr Hill. Up 7.15. Breakfast 8.30. After went out 3 guns at 11.0. Ladies in break & shot the Park & moor near the fishing. Lovely day. Colder. Self got 4 brace & 2 snipe. Got into a bog. Walked home. Bath. Dinner. Bridge. (*Red ink*: 5th days shoot at Drumlanford. Fine day.)

Saturday August 24

Drumlanford, Barr Hill. Up 7.0 & 3 guns left at 9.15 to shoot far beat along the road. Began at 9.50. 8 drives. 53 brace of birds. Hawks, curlews, hares etc. Self shot 6 brace, 1 snipe, 1 hawk. Delightful weather & day. Lunch in the open. Went in the Happy Valley after lunch & left off at 6.30pm. 4 farmers shot, one a Mr Bone. Dandy Dinmont. Back by carriage. Bath. Dinner. Champagne. Sir Walter & Lady Foster's wedding day, 43 years married. Bridge. Lost 1/10. Bed 11.0pm. Tired. (*Red ink*: 6th days shoot at Drumlanford. Grouse drive.) 1907 shot grouse 25 brace, 8 snipes, 1 golden plover, 1 green plover, 1 sparrowhawk.

Sunday August 25

Drumlanford, Barr Hill. Up 7.45. Bath. A wet day again. The entire day writing letters & underlined this book in red from 1st May to date. Dull, wretched. Talk to Sir W.F. Lunch 1.30. Letters back after all at 3.45pm. Had stopped them coming. All afternoon up to 5.30pm still writing. Went for round walk with Mrs B. Sir W & Lady F turned back, met us reverse way after. Lovely sunset. Davison singing. (*Red ink*: Wet dull wretched weather. All day writing & packing. Underlined up to date in red.) Supper dinner. Sleepy after. Bed at 11.0pm. Changed plates.

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Monday August 26

Drumlanford, Barr Hill. Up at 7.15. Breakfast 8.30. Finished packing. Tips, Stewart £1.10.0, Under 10/s, Davison 15/s, Coachman 7/6. Good bye to Sir Walter & Lady Foster, Miss Orme. After got away in dog cart driven by a youth. Lovely hot morning. Took 4 photos of old ruined mill at Knowe, 1 scene, 1 girl on wall, 6 at station Newton Stewart. Tripping girls about. On to Dumfries. Lunched at station. To St Pancras. Upton met me. Home by 1 horse bus to No 8 Stafford Terrace. Talk to Mr Johnson & bed at 12.30am.

Tuesday August 27

8 Stafford Terrace. Up 8.45. Fine morning. Out after talk with Mr Johnson. Most lovely bright morning. Took the small camera & snapped girl at No 90. Mrs M still in China. After met R.H. Back. Got greengages. Breakfast. To Stafford Terrace. Work not nearly done. Lunch. Printed blues of girls etc. Went up in afternoon by cab & dined at the Garrick. Saw Cyril Maude. Next Sir W.S.Gilbert. Talk to Chudleigh. After went & saw The Merry Widow altho' only understudy. Very good. Supper at the Garrick. Talk to unknown. Home by cab. Bed 1.0am at No 8.

Wednesday August 28

8 Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.45. Brilliantly fine moning. Out along Cromwell Road. Talk to Mr Johnson before. Met R.H. Walked round by Lytham House. After all morning writing etc. Lunch & left at 2.35 & went by bus to 15 C.S. At 3.45 punctually R.H came alone. Most successful studies. Finished at 5.45pm. Walked for 1st time to the Blenheim Club. Wash. Then to the Athenaeum. Letter from Sir Percy Scott. Also L.D. To the Punch Dinner.O.S, self, F.H.T, R.H, C.G, P.A, E.V.L, B.P, H.W.L. Long discussion. Lucy had been staying at Lord Rosebery's & Maxine Elliot also Dalmeny. Lost £37 Bridge. Left at 11.0pm & home by bus. Bed 12.0am. (*Red ink: Photod R.H.*)

Thursday August 29

8 Stafford Terrace. Up 7.45am. Rather seeedy in head. Down. Roy back from Paris. Talk to Johnson. Went out & took photo booking office at Met Rly. Also Addison Road. Lovely hot sunny morning. Back & schemed subject of Birrell & Irish Pig. Photod Upton & man from Nash's at No 18 & enlarged after luncheon. At work at 6.0pm. Very tired. Johnson dined 7.30, Roy & self at 8.45. Quiet

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evening & bed at 11.0. Johnson left at 9.15pm. (*Red ink: Roy back from Paris.*) (*Cutting glued in: Obituary of Lord Dunmore. Aug 28.*)

Friday August 30

8 Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45. Out up Church St. Children back at school. Little red haired girl. Good legs. Boys with caps off. Band. Roy down at 9.30am. After at work all day on drawing of Birrell & Pig. Roy left for Balcombe in a taximeter motor cab at 12.0pm. Finished work at 10.0pm. Dined by self. Bed after changing small plates at 12.0am. (*Cutting glued in: In memoriam John Wrangham. In loving memory Seymour Vandeleur.*)

Saturday August 31

8 Stafford Terrace. Up 7.40. Tired. Out & in Cromwell Rd in morning. No R.H. Back. Breakfast. Wrote cheque & put things up. To No 18 S.T. Lunch at 12.0pm & off in 4 wheeler. Caught the 1.30 for Hopton Heath. In a coupé with one other like Dietz. Curious silent married couple from Shrewsbury to H.H. Man with big nose. Motor to Bucknell. M in garden looking well. Dressed & dinner, H, Midge, M, self & Fitzroy. Played H 100 up at Billiards. Won by 16 points. Bed 11.0pm. (*Red ink: Went down to Bedstone Ct.*) (*Cutting glued in: Obituary of Richard Mansfield. Aug 31.*)

Sunday September 1

Bedstone Court, Bucknell. Up 8.40. Bath. Grey morning. Wrote letters. Took M for walk up to upper pool. Lunch. After wrote many letters. M in my room. Lady Ripley & Miss Ripley to tea. Walk again. Miss R & Fitzroy funny. Sent letters off. Dinner. Quiet evening. Bed 10.45pm. (*Red ink: Fitzroy & Miss Ripley.*)

Monday September 2

Bedstone Court, Bucknell. Up 8.15. Dull rainy morning. Fitzroy H left. Just got off in motor at 10.0am with H & Fitzroy. Saw him off at Craven Arms. Then motored along a good road to Ludlow. H stayed there from 11.0 till 12.15pm. Went into the Feathers Inn. Wrote Upton. Lady painting. Engraving of Abbey's picture. Prints from Holbein etc. Talk to Landlord who promised to find out about Mr Akers. Back to lunch. Heavy rain all the afternoon. Tried to take M for walk. Had to sit in the Lodge porch. Cut & squared from Times. Dinner 8.0pm. Bed 11.0. Sleepy. M had an earwig in bed. (*Red ink: Rainy day. Motored to Ludlow.*)

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Tuesday September 3

Bedstone Court, Bucknell. Up 8.20. Good bath. Rather finer morning. Breakfast. After wrote letter. Dividend from P & O. Printed blues Madrid, March & April. A 12.0 took M for walk as far as the kennels. Lunch. In Billiard Room printing. At 2.45 to 5.0 shot a dozen bolted rabbits. H came out 4.30. A Mrs Morton called. Finer day. Sun, but clouded over in afternoon. M decided not to go to Edgar's. Quiet dinner, H, Midge, M & self. Bed at 11.0 after. (*Red ink: Shot 1 doz rabbits at Bedstone Court.*) (*Cutting glued in: Death of Emily Tattersall.*)

Wednesday September 4

Bedstone Court, Bucknell. Up at 7.15 & packed & finished letters & printing. Breakfast & off at 10.0 in motor for Craven Ams. Up to town. Bought sandwiches. Upton met me. Annoyed by letter from Firm knocking off a fortnight's pay. Cab home. Wrote Heather & left for the Punch Dinner 5.30. Went to Studio at 58 Pall Mall to look at it. After to United Service Club & Punch Dinner. E.V L, self, R.H, C.G, L.B, E.T.R, F.H.T. Spoke to Lawrence afterwards. Got good subject of Bellona. Home at 10.30 by bus. Lawrence Bradbury at P.D 1st time since Wednesday May 29, 14 weeks. (*Red ink: Came up from Bedstone. Annoyed with letter from the Firm knocking off 2 weeks.*)

Thursday September 5

8 Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45 & out with Rags up Cromwell Rd. After to Stafford Terrace & looked out photos for Bellona. At 12.0 photod Miss Huxley. All ready by 4.30. Tea & work till 9.0 when dressed & dined. Johnson a nuisance talking. Bed tired at 11.0pm. Met R.H & arranged for Saty.

Friday September 6

8 Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45 & out up Church St. Letter from Mr Heather saying cut had been paid to acct £55. At work all day for last time on drawing of Bellona. Finished 10.15. Johnson came down & talked at 4.0. A nuisance. Bed very tired. Wrote Lawence Bradbury at 10.20pm. Met Mr Turner looking well. (*Red ink: Letter saying cut was paid from Heather.*)

Saturday September 7

8 Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45. Walked to Cromwell Road. No R.H. Back. Breakfast. Asked Johnson to go to the play tonight.

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Changing houses. Went over 18 with Nash & foreman. All apparently satisfactory. Roy came in to lunch with me. Stock Exchange holiday. Left at 2.10 & by cab to 15 C.S. R.H to time. Took 24 photos in Turkish dress. Out at 5.30. To the Blenheim & home by bus. Dressed & Johnson & self went to see Miss Hook of Holland. Royal box. To the Garrick after. Snack. Roy there & Lord Cook. Home with J by cab. He went in a dinner jacket & cap. Intensely hot. (*Red ink*: Took Johnson to see Miss Hook of Holland. Garrick after.)

Sunday September 8

8 Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.30. Round to No 18. Breakfast with Johnson at 9.0am. Paid him £10.0.0 & said good bye. To Victoria by bus. Most lovely morning. Down to Dover with Roy & over to Calais. Took 2 magazines. Little girl & a very pretty French girl like Sarah Bernhardt. Excellent lunch. Roy met Duffield. Back to town. Frenchman sick in train. Dined with Roy at the United Universities Club & home 10.30 by cab. Roy rung up for supper. Something I ate disagreed with me. (*Red ink*: Roy & self x'd to Calais in most lovely weather. Dined at United Universities Club. Slept at 18 Stafford Terrace for 1st time since house drainage done.)

Monday September 9

Stafford Terrace. 1st morning since Monday July 15 out with Rags up Campden Hill & Church Street. Little red head. Back. Breakfast. Attack of colly wobbles & indigestion all day. Developed R.H Aug 28 & also last large of Seville, Saty March 30th. Put photos away & dressed. At 6.40 to 25 Princes Gate. Dined with Stern & Roy. After to Merry Widow. Large box. Motor & good wine & dinner, Gabrielle Ray. To Garrick with Roy & home by self in hansom. (*Red ink*: Colly wobbles all day from indigestion. Dined with Stern & Roy & went to The Merry Widow.)

Tuesday September 10

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Still very seedy with colly wobbles. Slight mist. Lovely morning. Out with Rags. Took 3 plates. 1st of Red Head. Back. The whole long sunny morning printing back work plates in blue & also rest of Granada & R.H taken Aug 28. Dixon round to arrange leakage in W.C. Lunch by self. All afternoon dating etc. Roy wired he would dine at 8.0pm. We dined & Roy left in motor at 10.0pm. (*Red ink*: Colly wobbles all day from indigestion.)

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Wednesday September 11

Stafford Terrace. Up at 6.30 & out after in room. At 9.0 met R.H. Arranged. Birthday. All morning printing etc. Poor lunch & off at 1.50. At Conduit St 2.40. Waited. Studio 1 hour only. Annoyed. Walk to Pall Mall & Athenaeum. Wrote M. Walked to Punch Dinner. Arranged Almanack with L.B & Lucas. A most pleasant & cheery dinner of 5 only. E.V.L, self, F.H.T, L.B & H.W.L. Suggested both cuts. F.H.T helped in mine. Got Britannia New Design for Penny. Left at 10.30pm. Home in a Turnham Green bus. Drunken conductor. Bed 12.0am. (*Red ink*: Photod R.H. Difficulty of Studio. Small 'Punch' dinner.)

Thursday September 12

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.30. In room & out after up Church Street. Took 1 photo only, girl at corner. No Red Head. After breakfast schemed Brianna & Design for Penny. Photod Miss Huxley at 11.45. Finished at 4.0pm. Tea & wrote letters till 6.0pm when worked. Worked till 8.50 when dined by self. Bed at 12.0am after snooze. Hilton wrote he was ill.

Friday September 13

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45. Walk up Church Street & took 1 photo of Red Head. Back & at work all day on New Penny. Finished at 10.0pm when dined alone. Rest. Tired & bed after at 12.30.

Saturday September 14

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45. Out. Walk to Kensington Square. Back. Breakfast. Wired. Sent Upton to 15 C.S. Lunch. After printing blues up by bus. Mistake as to sitting. Back. Tea. Dated blues & dined by self. Went by cab to Duke of York's Theatre & saw Gerald D.M in Brewsters Millions. Called Garrick & home by cab. Bed 12.0pm. (*Red ink*: Mistake as to sitting. Dined by self & went to the Duke of York's Theatre.) Damocles.

Sunday September 15

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.0 & got off in 4 wheeler at 9.0 down to Bedstone. A long journey. German without lunch in train at Rugby. 1½ at Shrewsbury. Brilliant afternoon. Saw the name of Mat Paul at Theatre. Got to Bedstone by motor from Craven Arms at 6.30pm. Dear M well. Miss Walker there. A young man & Mervyn & Ethel. Dinner. Cigar & bed at 11.0pm. Very hot. (*Red ink*: Went to Bedstone Court. 1½ hours at Shrewsbury. Damocles.)

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Monday September 16

Bedstone Court, Bucknell. Up at 8.0. Bath. 4 guns over outlying land, H.L, self, Mervyn & the young man got 16 brace. Very hot all day. Back at 6.0 past Hopton Castle. Miss Walker had left. Motor broke down going to Craven Arms. Dinner. Sleepy after. Bed at 11.0pm. Very hot in the night. (*Red ink*: Delightful day's partridge shoot at Bedstone. Damocles.)

Tuesday September 17

Bedstone Court, Bucknell. Up at 7.15. Packed. Lovely morning. Breakfast & got off by 9.30am. Drove to Hopton Heath. Saw Lady Ripley & a Colonel who was to have shot yesterday. To Craven Arms. Walked to the P.O. Got very hot. To Shrewsbury & Stafford. Train deflected on acct of an accident. At Euston at 3.50. Home after in cab. Wrote letters & dined alone. Very tired. Bed 12.0 after snooze. Saw the Beetle in the train looking so ill. (*Red ink*: Came up by early train from Bucknell. Damocles. The Colonel above was Col Elton. The poor Beetle died 17th Decr.)

Wednesday September 18

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45. Out 8.20 & walked over Notting Hill & back down Argyll Road. Met Miss Hartley. A misty warm day. Developed the last of the Spanish photos Saty March 30 & 3 doz of Pageant. Many spoilt by double exposure. Dixon doing the trellis for vine. Tried to scheme the Almanack calendar. Roy back from Stern at 5.0pm. Depressed market. Left by bus. Called Blenheim & Athenaeum & also on Sands & Hunter. To Punch Dinner. E.V.L, self, C.G, R.L, L.B, B.P, F.H.T, H.W.L. Lawrence B for a wonder congratulated about Penny. Cuts made up quickly. Left 10.30 & home by bus. (*Red ink*: Began to scheme the Almanack. Damocles. Roy back at Stafford Terrace.)

Thursday September 19

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.30 & out. Fine lovely morning but slightly foggy. Went by bus to Addison Road & photod a porter with truck of luggage. Walked back. Breakfast & developed plates & also those taken from Drumlanford to Newton Stewart Aug 26th. At 12.30 photod Britten & developed all ready by 5.30. Tired all afternoon. Worked from 5.45 to 8.30 when Roy & self dined. Champagne & partridge. Bed at 12.0am. (*Red ink*: Roy & self dined at home 1st time for ages. Damocles. Photod railway porter Addison Road.) (*Cutting glued in: Death of Frederick Giesler.*)

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Friday September 20

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.45 & walked over Notting Hill & past Boughtons. Home & at work all day on drawing of Porter & Railway Directors. Finished at 10.0pm. when dined by myself. Bed at 12.0 after rest. Tired all day but better. (*Cuttings glued in: Marriage arranged between Ivor de la Rue and Elsie Rogers. Thurs 19 Sepr. Death of Octavia Winslow.*)

Saturday September 21

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45 & out. Walked through corner of Park & Kensington Square. Breakfast. After put things away etc up to lunch. Rest & schemed at Almanack. Roy & self dined at 7.0pm & after drove in cab to see Henry Arthur Jones play *The Hypocrites*. Good. Marion Terry & Barnes A1. Out & to the Garrick. Talk to Sam Sothern. Had welsh rarebit & home by cab. Roy with Stern at supper. Had the last of rare old Green Chartreuse at dinner out of the liqueur case. (*Red ink: Roy & self went to see H.A.Jones play 'The Hypocrites'. Damocles.*)

Sunday September 22

Stafford Terrace. Up at 6.30 & breakfast at 7.45. Left at 8.15 in 4 wheeler & drove Roy & self to Charing X. Down with a young cub to Dover. X'd Channel & admirable lunch at Calais. Walked to the Plage. Indecent children. Took 45 photos girl with diabolo etc. Back. Saw Captain Bloomfield & Paton. Roy met Pohl his partner. Back up to town. Uncomfortable carriage. Man would have the window up. Home & Roy & self dined. Champagne. Bed at 11.30 after snooze. Read Conrad's new book. (*Red ink: Roy & self went over to Calais by the early boat.*)

Monday September 23

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.45 & out. Sun but chilly & foggy. Over Notting Hill & down Argyll Rd. Man doing mahogany & W.C's. Printed blues. After enlarged some photos of Morris Dancers. Rest. Roy & self left & dined at 7.20 at the Garrick. Saw Joe Carr, Johnny Hare etc. Bottle of Pomery '98. After went to the Drury Lane drama '*Sins of Society*'. Poor trash. Back & had snack at the Garrick. Home by cab after at 12.0am. Bed. (*Red ink: Roy & self went to Drury Lane. Saw The Sins of Society after dining at the Garrick.*)

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Tuesday September 24

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.45 & out on bicycle 1st time for a year. Went down Earls Court & back to breakfast. At work all day scheming subject for Calendar Page. Found it would be better to have a model. Wired Miss Woodcock. Roy & self dined together at 8.0pm. Grouse. Very good. Bed at 11.0 after. Fine lovely weather. (*Red ink*: Beautiful weather.) (*Cuttings glued in: Death of Michael Hawtrey. Death of Maria Snagge. Obituary of Maria Snagge.*)

Wednesday September 25

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.45am. Walk round Notting Hill. After went on scheming the Calendar Page. At 11.15 Miss Mabel Woodcock came. Took 17 photos of her. Developed & enlarged by 5.0pm. Rest & all the way to the Punch Office by bus. Very hot. The hottest day of summer of 1907. O.S, self, H.F.T, C.G, R.L, P.A, E.V.L, B.P, H.W.L, A.G. Got Lion Bear & cat to do. Left at 10.30 & home by bus. Roy back 12.30am. Bed. (*Red ink*: Hottest day of the year. Photod Miss Woodcock.)

Thursday September 26

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.45am & walk round Notting Hill past Boughtons. After home & schemed subject of Lion & Bear & Cat. Made enlargements & also enlarged the greater part of Morris Dance figures again. Very warm. After worked from 4.30 to 7.0. Dressed & dear M back from Bedstone at 7.45. Had a very hot & tiring journey. M, Roy & self dined together at 8.15. Champagne & bed after looking at papers at 11.30pm.

Friday September 27

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45. M in bed tired. Out for walk round Notting Hill. Breakfast. After got on with drawing of Bear Lion & Cat. Developed some small photos after lunch & finished drawing 9.30pm. M sat at table whilst I dined. Roy back at 10.30. Bed at 11.15pm.

Saturday September 28

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am & out up Holland Walk. Warm misty morning. Roy & self at breakfast. M down after. All morning packing & selecting photos for Calendar. Left at 3.45 for Victoria & down to Balcombe, M, Vince & self. 1st view new S.E Station at Victoria. Mite met us. Miss Crozier, Mr Allen & Mervyn & Ethel at Balcombe. Stroll & dressed. Dinner. Charade after. Miss Crozier,

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Mervyn & Lennie. Could not guess Penelope. Bed at 11.40pm.
(*Red ink*: Came down to Balcombe 1st time this year. 1st met Miss Crozier.)

Sunday September 29

Balcombe House. Dear M's birthday. Up at 8.0pm & bath in Lennie's bath. Breakfast. After worked from 10.0 to 1.15pm. Diabolo. Lennie & Mervyn & Mr Allen went to fish. Worked from 3.0pm to 5.0pm on Almanack Calendar, M reading. Went for walk. Dinner. Down 5 minutes late. Pianola & bed 11.0pm. M did not sleep well at night. (*Red ink*: Began Calendar Page. Dear M's birthday. Health drunk at dinner. No Champagne.)

Monday September 30

Balcombe House. Up 7.45. 1st bath in new room. Down. Lennie & Mr Allen off. Breakfast. After filled Income Tax paper at last available moment & posted it. Talk to Miss Crozier. Worked from 11.0 to 1.30 & after Diabolo again from 2.45 to 4.45. Tea. Went in motor to 3 Bridges. Walked part of way back with Mervyn. Very warm. Dull misty weather. Dinner. In Library after. Ladies to bed 10.30pm. Bed 11.10pm. M slept better. (*Red ink*: Filled Income Tax paper up.)

Tuesday October 1

Balcombe House. Up 7.40. New bath. Saw Lennie off & at work at 9.45. Moved up to new Bedroom. Better light. Put all the figures in Almanack drawing for Calendar. Left off at 1.0pm. Lunch. Muriel Messel, Miss de la Penha & Cushla Parker at lunch. Took 15 photos of Diabolo. Worked from 3.0 to 4.45. Tea. Rain came on at 5.0pm. At 5.25 went in motor to Haywards Heath to meet Lennie, leaving Miss Cushla at Cuckfield. Heavy rain. Back 6.40. Dressed & wrote diary.

Wednesday October 2

Balcombe House. Up at 7.45. Missed Lennie. Fine morning. Went on to work. Wire for Ethel Mervyn who went up to town 9.30am. Worked till 1.0. Lunch. Put fish in Miss Crozier's book. Mrs de la Penha called. Left with M in carriage & caught the 4.20pm train. A Lord in the carriage with game. Upton took things home. To P.D. Letters at Athenaeum. Called Sands & Hunters. O.S, self, F.H.T, C.G, R.L, L.B, B.P, E.T.R, A.G. Townsend said 'I don't like it' & was snubbed by R.L. Got Britannia & Keir Hardie. Home by bus. Caught up Hammersmith B by motor. Roy at end of the Argyll Rd.

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Bed 12.30am. (*Red ink*: Dr Parker came to see me. Came up to town.)

Thursday October 3

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.45 & out. Walked by Lytham House. Saw Princess. Went curious back way by Eldon House & found out where South End Gardens is. Back. Breakfast. Schemed subject & photod Miss Huxley at 11.30am for Britannia & Upton for Keir Hardie. All finished by 5.15pm. Worked up to 9.45 when dined by myself Roy being out. Roy in at 1.0am.

Friday October 4

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.45. Went over Notting Hill & down Argyll Road. Breakfast. Roy down at waltz of Band. After at work all day on Britannia & Keir Hardie. Finished at 10.30. Roy & self dined 10.35 & bed at 12.0am.

Saturday October 5

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. Dull misty morning. Went out Earls Court with large opera glass. No Terrier. Back. Hair cut. Put things away. Man from Nash came round. Worked. Put in balustrade of drawing for Calendar. Lunch. Left by 4 wheeler for Victoria. Caught the 4.29 for Balcombe. One other to 3 Bridges. A Montefiore. On to Balcombe. Mr & Mrs de Beaufort down. Tea. Miss Crozier still there & Tilda. Took Miss C in to dinner. After Champagne. Charade. Mr Webber as Captain Brown. Bed at 10.50. Slept well. M better. (*Red ink*: Airship over London & went round St Pauls. The Nulle Secundus. Came down to Balcombe.)

Sunday October 6

Balcombe House. Up 8.35. New bath. Dull grey morning. Breakfast up in room. Letters. At work 11.0 to 1.30 on Calendar Page. Lunch. Fishing rod tried on lawn. Worked from 3.0 to 4.30. Tea. Took M for walk towards Balcombe. Back 5.35. Tried to find Venus of Milo in Encyclopaedia Britannica. No good. Dressed 7.0. Dinner. Champagne. Mervyn, Mr Webber, Miss Crozier, Tilda, M & self, Lennie & Mite. Good dinner. Music after & bed. Mr & Mrs de Beaufort also.

Monday October 7

Balcombe House. Up at 7.50 & saw Lennie & Mr Webber off. Mr & Mrs de Beaufort left after. Worked all day up to dark on Calendar Page. Photod Oliver & Anne at Diabolo. Took M for walk round by

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Balcombe new houses & Mite & Miss Crozier went too. At 5.30 Galebrook arrived. Talk to him. Lennie back & went to Cuckfield, no, to Haywards Heath, in Major's uniform. Spurs. Back. Dinner 8.15. Champagne. Pianola & bed 11.15pm.

Tuesday October 8

Balcombe House. Up at 8.0am. Missed Lennie. After breakfast at work till 1.0 on Calendar. Packed up & after lunch Galebrook, M, Miss Crozier & self went by motor to 3 Bridges. Miss C's knees. Got home by 4.45pm. Worked till 8.30pm & nearly finished shading the Calendar. Roy & self dined & bed early. (*Red ink*: Came up from Balcombe. Motored to 3 Bridges. Mr Galebrook & Miss Crozier in motor.) (*Cutting glued in: Marriage of Thomas Hickman to Elizabeth Smith.*)

Wednesday October 9

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45. Out with large C & snapped Lady D & small child. Back over Notting Hill. After schemed subject of Time & New Year. Photod in wet Pegler a new model. Not bad. Developed them. Left at 5.30 by bus. Called Blenheim & Athenaeum & to the P.D. O.S, self, F.H.T, C.G, R.L, P.A, B.P, R.H, H.W.L, A.G. Suggested & got Lloyd George & his Dragon. Sent in Calendar Page & it had to be altered & made square. (*Red ink*: 1st photod Pegler.)

Thursday October 10

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.45. A brilliantly sunny morning. After snapped successfully Lady D & several Notting Hill children. Back. Schemed subject of Lloyd George & his Dragon. Photod Upton & also Miss Mabel Woodcock for Diabolo. Got done by 5.0pm & worked till 8.45. Roy out. Dined by self & bed.

Friday October 11

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.45 & over Notting Hill. No camera. Saw Curley (Lady Dudley). Back before Band. All day at work on drawing of Lloyd George & Dragon. Bothered over head. Finished 10.30. Roy & self dined. Bed at 12.0am. (*Red ink*: Lawrence Bradbury wrote about Chesterton. L.B taken a house on Campden Hill.)

Saturday October 12

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0 & out Earls Court Road. No R.H. Took glasses. Back & after all morning printing Spanish Seville blues in

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brilliant sun. After rest touched up & widened Calendar. Roy & self dined at 7.0pm. Bottle of Dagonet '98. which I did not like at all. Left & saw The School for Scandal at the St James's Theatre. Very poor. Compton bad & Miss Lilian Braithwaite worse. Roy went to Stern's to supper & I home & read paper. Bed. (*Red ink:* Mite & Lennie went up north for fishing.)

Sunday October 13

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.45 & out up Church St. Cripples. Back. After breakfast rigged up enlarger on landing & enlarged Time. Lunch by self. At 1.30 by bus & took 1st phos at 58 Pall Mall. Out at 2.45 & home by bus. Felt very tired. Went on at 5.30 enlarging. Johnson called. Developed them & at 8.0 Roy & self dined. Bottle of Geisler '98. Bed 12.0 after snooze.

Monday October 14

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45. Slight colly wobble indigestion. Why? Out with Rags & Rick. Saw R.H's sister, after the Princess & a very pretty long legged girl. Back. Touched up Calendar. At 12.0 Mr C.P.Little called. Took up 1½ hrs over cameras. Lunch. Dated the Spanish prints. Sent Upton for camera & to Stores. Letter from Miss Moon. Tea. Rain. (*Red ink:* Rags & Rick killed a cat opposite Lytham House. Told by the commissionare on Friday.)

Tuesday October 15

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.45. Out. Sunny morning. Took little Long Legs & 2 shop girls etc. After printed a good many blues. Got on with 2nd page of Almanack in afternoon. Dined 7.30 & Roy & self went to the Empire Theatre & saw good ballet of all the Opera Comiques. Home by cab direct & bed 12.30am. Sent Upton for seats at the Empire. (*Red ink:* Roy & self went to see the Empire Ballet.)

Wednesday October 16

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.40. Out up over Campden Hill. Back. Breakfast. All day at work on 2nd Almanack Page. Put Time & 1908 in. Left 6.15 & all way in bus to Fleet Street. Punch Dinner. O.S, self, R.H, C.G, R.L, L.B, B.P, F.H.T, H.W.L & A.G. Suggested Nigger cut & also "What Ho! She stoops". Left & home by Turnham Green bus. Very heavy wet.

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Thursday October 17

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45. Looked out things for Nigger Minstrel for Bernard Partridge. Could not find niggers. Dull morning. Walked with Rags to Lytham House. Saw Princess & Long Legs. No photos. Back & after photod Miss Woodcock, Pegler & Upton for drawing of Miss Tory Democracy. All ready by 3.30. Electric enlargements. Dined by self at 8.45. Roy out. Bed 12.0am. (*Red ink*: Dull gloomy day but got very good photos.) (*Cutting glued in: Marriage of Frederick Flood to Ruth Pitkin.*)

Friday October 18

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.45. Got things for Bernard P. Could not find nigger. Out with large C & Rags, Lytham House. 2 of Long Legs. Commissionaire told me Rick & Rags had killed a cat opposite Lytham House. Must have been last Monday. Back 9.10. All day up to 10.45 at work on drawing of Miss Tory Democracy at Covent Garden Ball. Roy & self dined at 10.45. Bed at 12.0am after snooze in chair. Sent denture to Douglas Gabell & for it back at 8.0pm.

Saturday October 19

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0. Tired. Out up Church Street. Roy & self at breakfast. After tidied up. Developed plates taken Thursday & 4 Pageant. Letters etc. Lunch. Left by 4 wheeler, 3.45 Victoria. Civil porter. To Balcombe. A Mr Norfolk 13 Huzzars & a pretty wife in carriage. Dear M met me looking well. Chicks well. Quiet dinner. Hot Drawing Room. Bed 11.0. Thunder in the night. Slept well. (*Red ink*: Came down to Balcombe. M there alone.) (*Cutting glued in: Marriage of Arthur Carr to Cicely Bromage.*)

Sunday October 20

Balcombe House. Up 8.30. A gale nearly all day. Breakfast by self. After put Bedroom in order & worked from 10 to 1.15 on 2nd Calendar Page. Lunch. Read The Secret Agent. Strong. Work from 2.45 to 3.45. Took M for walk with Flora Macdonald & Vic. Tea. Wrote letters. Linley & Pianola. M & self dined quietly together. In Lennie's Library after. Bed at 11.10 after rest. A very strong high wind all day.

Monday October 21

Balcombe House. Up 8.15 & out. Breakfast. After at 10.0 got to work on 2nd Almanack Page till 1.15pm. Lunch. Rest till 3.0pm.

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Work till 4.0. 4.15 M & self went for walk up the Red Road with Dudley McGregor & Vic. Tea. Wrote letters 5.45 to 7.15. Wrote to the Surveyor of Taxes Mr Shephard. M & self dined quietly. In Lennie's room after. Bed at 11.15pm. (*Red ink*: Lovely day & evening. Brilliant sunset. Walked round the Red Road.) (*Cuttings glued in*: *Death of Herbert Goodall. Death of George Bodley RA.*)

Tuesday October 22

Balcombe House. Up at 8.20. Took Frederickshall. To P.O. Sent wire. After worked from 10.0 to 1.15pm & 2.40 to 4.0pm when finished & sent off 2nd page for the Almanack. Edie Furrell left by 4.20pm. M & self went for walk down the lane & over hill. Dudley lost. M read Brushwood Boy. Bed at 11.45. Slept well. Roof of mouth painful. (*Red ink*: Finished Almanack drawing for 1908. Lovely day & evening.)

Wednesday October 23

Balcombe House. Up at 8.15. Frederickshall. Damp & dull. Invite for Springkell came. After squared up prints & wrote letters. Sent cheque for Life Assurance. Left in carriage at 2.30 with M & drove to 3 Bridges. Up to Victoria. Carriage to self. Home 4.40. Tea & to Punch Dinner by bus. Letters at the Athenaeum from Mrs M etc. O.S, self, F.H.T, C.G, P.A, E.T.R, C.L.L, B.P, H.W.L, A.G. Words with O.S over my Almanack drawing & also his inaneness over my cartoon. Got gunpowder subject & left 10.45pm. B.P & O.S played Diabolo. Very foggy going home. (*Red ink*: Saw Sheila Vandeleur & her mother at Eaton Square.)

Thursday October 24

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.45am & out. Past Lytham House. No Long Legs. Saw Princess. Walked right round Cromwell Road & home. Comice pears. After schemed subject of C.B & Gunpowder Procession. Photod Britten & Pegler & Upton. All ready by 5.30. Worked till 8.45. Roy & I dined. Very good dinner. Bottle of Geisler. Fire in Morning Room. Bed at 12.0am after papers. (*Cutting glued in*: *Obituary of Thomas Garth. 23 Oct.*)

Friday October 25

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.45 & out. Up Church St. Back 8.50. Breakfast. Re-enlarged 3 of yesterday's photos. At work all day up to 10.40 on drawing of C.B, Lloyd George & Gunpowder Plot. Invite to shoot at Sir Alfred Hickman's came. Dined by self. Roy out very late. Bed 1.50am. Rags out all night.

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Saturday October 26

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0. Very foggy. Out. Rags out all night. Down Earls Court Road. R.H's sister & Legs turned back. Roy left early. Tidied up etc etc. Left for Victoria at 3.45. Harold M in train. Roy met me. Jubilant about business. Dr Messel went as far as 3 Bridges en route for Rusper. Black fog at Croydon. Linley met me at Balcombe. M well. Quiet dinner. Bed after reading Puck of Pooks Hill. (*Red ink*: Came down to Balcombe with Dr Messel. Roy had had good week.)

Sunday October 27

Balcombe House. Up 8.20am. Good bath. Fine day. Squared papers. Took M for walk to the Kitchen Garden & up a walk by school. Met people coming from church & the Denman motor. Lunch. Another walk to the lake. Lovers about. Back. Wrote letters. Dinner. Read Puck of Pooks Hill after. Bed 12.0am.

Monday October 28

Balcombe House. Up 8.15. Fine morning & brighter. Read Times & M for drive. Fine morning & sun. M went to Haywards Heath. Squared prints. Little Ann helping me all the morning as good as gold. Lunch. After rest took M for walk towards Balcombe Place. Met Denman motor. Wrote letters etc. Dinner. Bed at 11.15pm. Fine day. Should have gone to Brighton. (*Cutting glued in: Photograph, yesterday's wedding. Tuesday Oct 22 07.*)

Tuesday October 29

Balcombe House. Up 8.40. Rainy morning. Could not take Linley to Brighton. News of Russian girl being kidnapped. Heavy rain at 10.45am. Nurse Francis came in & arranged for Linley to go to Brighton with me 10.40am. Drove down with M. Rain & shine. There 12.30. To the Metropole. Lunch. After to Aquarium. Poor seedy bear. Degenerate fish & larkly girls. There 2.0 to 3.0pm. Walked back to hotel & then up hill to station. Back to Balcombe. M met us. Edie Furrell at station. Put photos in book of seaside. M & self dined quietly. M read. Bed at 11.15pm. (*Red ink*: Took dear Linley to Brighton.)

Wednesday October 30

Balcombe House. Up 8.0am & out. After breakfast dated & put in order Vol of photos of seaside studies. Maud & Lennie came home at 12.30pm. Lunch. After M & self drove in carriage to 3 Bridges &

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I went to town. Lennie went to fish on the lake. Home at 4.40. Put things straight & left by bus for Punch Dinner at 5.45. O.S, self, F.H.T, R.H, C.G, L.B, E.V.L, B.P, E.T.R, H.W.L, A.G. Good dinner. Got subject of Royal Children. Wrote Mrs Keith, Carmichael, Thomas, Parker etc. Left at 10.30. Just missed bus. Home 11.45. Slept well. (*Red ink*: Came up from Balcombe. Mite & Lennie came back to Balcombe from Scotland.)

Thursday October 31

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.15 & wrote letters etc. Out 8.40 & photod the statue of the Queen in front of Kensington Palace. Met Mr Freeman KC & Pepys Cockerell. Back. Roy left. Note from Mr Keith. Schemed subject & at 11.45 photod a small boy brought by his nurse. Fine morning so a success. All ready by 5.0. Worked from then to 9.0 when dined by self. Looked over the papers & bed at 12.0am. (*Red ink*: Lovely day in London. Photod Kensington Palace.) (*Cutting glued in: Death of Mary Hornsby.*)

Friday November 1

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.45 & out up Church Street. In as Band played. Roy late in coming down. Worked all day till 9.45 when finished drawing of Prince Olaf & Baby Asturias. Dined at 10.15. Left at 11.5pm & drove in a one horse bus to Euston. Fare 7/6. Too much. Caught the 12.0am to Wolverhampton. Fly to meet me 3/6. Put up at 3.20am at the Victoria Hotel & slept after keeping awake for an hour till 8.0am. Nostril painful in morning on getting up. (*Red ink*: Hard day. Caught the 12.0 train for Wolverhampton & slept at the Victoria Hotel.) (*Cuttings glued in: The wife of Collingwood Ingram, of a son. Death of Annie Beavan. Death of Sarah Beaven.*)

Saturday November 2

Victoria Hotel, Wolverhampton. Waked at 8.0. Chambermaid & Bath Room. Good breakfast. Drank Thermos coffee. Motor came at 9.30 & to Whitewick, no, Wightwick. Sir A & Lady Hickman. Started to shoot 10.30. 5 guns, Mr Victor & another Hickman, Sir A & self & the Secy of the Albrighton Hunt. Dangerous shooting. Self got about 60 pheasants. Total bag 350. Coachman loader. Wonderful lunch. Oysters & '98 Cliquot. Left off after walking a huge field of roots. Back young Trench's. Tea & pipe. After a rest & pipe in room. Woke up with awful cramp. Staggered to hot bath. Dinner. Colonel Tillotson there. Did not know it. Pleasant talk of Naples. May Hickman down from London. Bed 10.30. Slept well.

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(*Red ink*: Shot at Sir Alfred Hickmans. Almost 60 pheasants to self. Wonderful oyster lunch.) (*Cutting glued in*: *Death of Sir William Pearce*.)

Sunday November 3

Wightwick, Wolverhampton. Up 8.0. Down 9.0am. Took 2 photos of house. Breakfast. After wrote Langley. Looked at new Tennis covered court & horses. Left in motor & to Wolverhampton by 11.40 train. Curious people. Pretty dark haired girl at station & La Poupée Company going off. Left 12.15pm & slowly to Euston. 50 mins late. A very larky lot at Northampton. Took a few photos. Euston 5.10. Home by 4 wheeler. Corpulent driver. To Stafford Terrace. Roy & Pollock came. Dined 7.15pm by self. Left 8.25. 4 wheeler took me round about Pimlico to get to Victoria owing to meeting of Railwaymen at the Albert Hall. Caught the 9.10pm Victoria. Change at East Croydon. Down to Haywards Heath. Carriage met me & to Balcombe at 11.10pm. Bed 11.30. Dear M all right. Eric Parker found 'A matter of Fact' in Vol 4 of Kipling. (*Red ink*: Came up from Wolverhampton & went down to Balcombe.) (*Cutting glued in*: *Obituary of Sir William Pearce*.)

Monday November 4

Balcombe House. Up 8.0 & down. Misty morning. Got off at 9.15 in motor to Nymans, Lennie, H.Fletcher, self & Eric Parker. Nymans, Captain Gibbes & Lord Denman. How do you do to Mr Messel. The best day ever had at Nymans. 285 ducks. The last stand worked admirably. Must have shot 40 pheasants & 50 duck, 1 hare. Left off 4.0 & walked slowly to house. Tea. Lady Denman. Lord D talked of George Roller. To Balcombe in motor. Tabs, Mite, dear M there. Changed. Oliver all right again. Dinner 7.45pm. Champagne. Very pleasant evening. Lennie played (*illeg*). Bed 11.15pm. M did not sleep very well. Room hot. (*Red ink*: Best days shoot ever had at Nymans. Shot about 40 pheasants & about 50 duck, 1 hare.)

Tuesday November 5

Balcombe House. Up 8.10. Bath. Lovely morning. Lennie off early. Hamilton F, Eric Parker & Tabs after. Letter from Moon. Wrote ½ doz letters before early post. Also wired Brightmore about my cut, which came out well, being out of the square. In the morning at 11.45 went out & took photos of school children. M & Mite went for a drive. Dated the Paris photo book. Mite left by 4.20 after lunch. M upset. Took M for walk round lake & back thro' village. After

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finished book. Wrote Emma & Stohwasser. (*Red ink*: Most beautiful day at Balcombe.)

Wednesday November 6

Balcombe House. Up at 8.30. Breakfast & after got off by the 10.41am train. Good bye to M. Shooting stick could not be found. Home at 12.45. Lunch. Developed all Hornsby's Turkish studies. Tea in room. Left for Punch Dinner 5.45. Called Clubs & opticians. O.S, self, H.F.T, C.G, P.A, E.V.L, B.P, E.T.R, H.W.L, A.G. Partridge not well & left early. Got Lloyd George subject & left 10.30. Home by Turnham Green bus with bad conductor. Roy in & had come down to bolt door. Same conductor as Sepr 11th.

Thursday November 7

Stafford Terrace. Up 7.50 & out with Rags up Holland Walk into Notting Hill. Met no one. Back. Upton sat for Lloyd George & altho' easy subject later than normal. Began work 5.30 to 9.30pm. Dined by myself. Roy out. Looked over papers & to bed at 12.0am. Tired.

Friday November 8

Stafford Terrace. Up at 7.50 & out with Rags. To Lytham House. Saw Princess. Grown tall slip of a girl, not so pretty as promised. Also Princess Jnr. Back. Met Keith. Missed Band. At work all day on drawing of Lloyd George & Railway Signal. Finished at 10.15. Dined by self. Roy dined at St James's Palace with Fisher Rowe. Back twelve. Rags dirty in room. A filthy dog.

Saturday November 9

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.15 & out. Had hair cut. Back. Breakfast. Roy off to City. Took 2nd days Pageant out of water. Packed up & after lunching at 12.10pm by 4 wheeler to Euston & down to Hopton Heath. A Colonel Craddock in compartment going to Bedstone. Comfortable journey. Hot thermos. Read French book. Interesting. Got there 7.0. Paul & Dora there. Sir Henry & Miss Ripley dined. Hot Billiard Room. Paul beat me by 20 pts at Billiards. Miss Gladys Walker there. (*Red ink*: Went down to Bedstone Court.)

Sunday November 10

Bedstone Court, Bucknell. Up 8.40. Down. Foggy but after brilliant sun. Wrote long letter to M. Also to Miss M & Mrs H. Lunch. After went out for walk with camera to the Castle ruin. Took 8 photos. Very muddy. Curious old man with dog. Familiar yokels. Back

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5.15. Dozed in the Drawing Room. After wrote 4 more letters, Hare, Santley, etc. Dinner. Good wine. Took Dora in. Played Billiard game, Stringing. Bed at 11.0pm. Slept well.

Monday November 11

Bedstone Court, Bucknell. Up 8.15. Dressed in whipcord suit & started to shoot at 10.0am. Guns, Mr Hever Percy, Mr Sitwell, Colonel Craddock, Colonel Kennedy, Hamilton, Paul & self. Long walk & frightful pull uphill to begin with. Got very hot. 1st a walk with the beaters, sun in eyes, then an uncomfortable stand up a steep hillside in the wood. Then again in a wood. Shot a jay. All day only shot 15 pheasants & 1 jay. Did not lunch till 2.20. Ladies there. Gave Gladys W a cigarette & a long walk home with Paul Foley. Why not a motor? Bath & rest after. Dinner. Took Gladys W in. Talk to Midge after. Snooze in chair & bed 12.10am. Fine day all day. Ethel English came. (*Red ink: Hard walk shooting uphill.*)

Tuesday November 12

Bedstone Court, Bucknell. Up at 8.0. Early bath. Fine morning. Letters & Punch. Started 10.0. Drove to the Castle. 6 guns, Mr Hever Percy, Col Craddock, Mr Rogers, Ham, Paul & self. Again frightful long walk to top of hill. Unlucky in stands, only got 12 birds all day. Lunch 1.0. Mrs Hever Percy, Midge, Dora, Ethel English, Gladys Walker there. G.W jumped a ditch & lay down. Got a few good shots. Col Craddock left at 2.45pm. Left off 4.25 & drove home in break. Changed. Tea & wrote letters. Lovely day all day. (*Red ink: Hard walk uphill shooting.*)

Wednesday November 13

Bedstone Court, Bucknell. Up at 7.45 & breakfast 8.45. Got off & caught 9.49. Strong gale. Took few photos. Posted letters. Long wait at C.A. To London in carriage by self. Felt livery & very tired all day. Home by 4 wheeler at 3.50. Dear M home. Talk. Dressed & wrote letters. Left for the Punch Dinner at 6.40 calling Clubs. O.S, self, F.H.T, C.G, L.B, E.V.L, B.P, H.W.L, R.H late. Long discussion. Got cut of 2 Admirals as boys. Left 11.20, T.G bus. Most curious jumpy man got in Piccadilly. Never saw anyone like him. Bed 12.30am. (*Red ink: Came up from Bedstone Court. M home from Balcombe.*)

Thursday November 14

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am & out up Church Street. After schemed subject, the German Emperor, Boys & Britannia. Miss

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Huxley came 12.0 & Upton got 2 boys. Enlarged in open air & all ready 5.0. Worked till 8.0 when dressed. M had dined. Roy & self dined, M sitting down. Papers after. Bed 11.30.

Friday November 15

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0 & out by Lytham House. Saw the Princess etc. Back & at work all day on drawing of Britannia, Boys & German Emperor. At 8.45 my Electric Light suddenly went out. Awful delay & bother. Upton got it put on again. Finished at 10.20. M had dined. Dined by self. Roy out. Bed 12.30. No, went to Lytham House yesterday. Up Church St this morning & back before Band began to play. (*Red ink*: Above drawing bought by Adml Sir Percy Scott.)

Saturday November 16

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am & up Church Street. Wrote cheques & letters. Went out at 11.0 & by bus up to 15 C.S. At 12.15 photod Moonshine. Saw 1st colour photo. Walked to the Garrick. Lunch opposite Foster. By carriage to call on Alfred East & home to tea after. Enlarged some street photos after. Dinner, M & self. Bed 11.30. Mite & Lennie went to Terregles. (*Red ink*: 1st photod Moon.)

Sunday November 17

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.30 & out for walk up Church St. After at 11.15 took M in the carriage to the Zoological Gardens. Dull morning. M & chameleons. Back 1.15. Lunch. Changed. After made enlargements of Diabolo. Roy dined out. Nicola Walker dined with M & self. Dear M tired. Mervyn & Ethel in all the afternoon. Bed at 11.30pm tired. Very good night. (*Red ink*: M & self went to Zoological Gardens. Nicola Walker dined with M & self.) (*Cutting glued in*: *Obituary of Henry Kemble*. Tuesday Nov 19.)

Monday November 18

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0 & out. Fog & rain. Round Lytham House. Back. Wired. A long tiring day tidying room. Enlarged Diabolo photographs. M, Roy & self dined together & most comfortable evening in Drawing Room. Bed 11.30, M at 10.0, & she had a very good night & slept well.

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Tuesday November 19

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0. Finer morning. Round Lytham House. Saw Princess & Princetta. Back. Roy off. Left at 11.0 & by bus to Pall Mall.. At 11.50 took a few Moonlights. Lunch at the Blenheim. After to Athenaeum. Man smoking in Smoking Room. Asquith. Drove to 6 Stanhope Terrace, Miss Kalms, & (*illeg*) (*illeg*). Lady Spielmann had called & Mrs Fagan. Talk to her. Up & wrote diary & letters. M & self dined quietly after. Bed 11.30 after being in the Drawing Room. (*Red ink*: 2nd Moon photo.) (*Cutting glued in: Obituary of Richard Kilkeary. Thurs Nov 21.*)

Wednesday November 20

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am & round by Notting Hill. Home. A black foggy day all day & Electric Light all day. Mite back from Scotland in afternoon. Put drawers tidy & did a few enlargements. At 3.50 went & met R.H. Explanation. Back. Tea & to Punch Dinner all way by bus. O.S, self, F.H.T, C.G, P.A, R.H, B.P, E.V.L, E.T.R, H.W.L & A.G. Cheery evening. Got easy Sir Christopher Wren subject. Took Graves home by the carriage, calling at the Athenaeum to write letters. (*Red ink*: Met R.H.)

Thursday November 21

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am & out. Went round by Cromwell Rd with Rags. Bus to S.K to look at statue of Sir Christopher Wren. Rags ran. After schemed drawing. Sent Upton to Mays for Wren costume. Photod Upton at 12.45. Ready by 4.0pm. Rest. Worked from 5.0 to 8.45, M in room. Dined 8.45, Roy & self. Bed 11.30 after looking at papers.

Friday November 22

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am & walk up Church St. Back 9.0. Band. After all day on drawing Ghost of Wren & Old Lady of Threadneedle Street. Dinner at 10.10pm, Roy & self. Short of food & a caterpillar in my cabbage. Left in cart at 11.0pm. M to bed. Letter from Bernard Partridge about Sir Percy Scott & a wire from Sir Percy also. Got off from Euston comfortably. Carriage close & hot. Slept 3 or 4 hours. Arrived Carlisle 5.30am. (*Red ink*: Left by night mail for Springkell.)

Saturday November 23

On board train, Carlisle. Thermos bottle great comfort. Got to Springkell at 6.50am. Foggy damp morning but not cold. Had to

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dress in a small Bath Room. Breakfast 9.0am. Guests an old Colonel & lady, Lady Roxborough, Mr & Mrs Gully, Mr & Mrs Darcy Wyville, Joe Farquharson, Sir Edward & Lady Donner, Sir Ed J-F, Mr & Mrs Alick & self. Wet morning. Old Johnson loaded for me. Dangerous. Shot all day the (*illeg*) Park stand. Got about 45 P, (*illeg*) rabbit. Mrs Alick. Short skirts & (*illeg*). Over 4.30. Changed. Tea. Rest. Dinner. Took a lady Miss (*blank*) in to dinner. Bridge. Self & Lady Roxborough v Sir Ed J-F & Joe Farquharson. Played till 11.30. Bed 12.15. Very tired. Cough troublesome. Could not remember the name of Antoinette Stirling. Mrs Gully interesting. Acc't of poor Sophy Millais dying of alcoholic poisoning. (*Red ink*: Wet morning. Long day's shoot at Springkell.) (*Cutting glued in: Obituary of Sir Arthur Kekewich.*)

Sunday November 24

Springkell, Ecclefechan. Up at 8.20. Bath. Down 9.0am. After breakfast wrote letters. At 11.45 went for walk to ruined Chapel. Bright sunny morning. Took 1 doz plates. Walked along burn & the other side also till 2.5. Had to go back from 1.25 to 2.0pm owing to gate being locked. Lunch at 2.10pm. Next Lady Roxboro'. Letter from M. Cigar in Smoke Room. Much colder. Bright & fine. After tea changed plates. Took Lady Ellison in. Dull & slow. Silly game of counters after. Pipe & bed. Talk of (*illeg*) (*illeg*) etc. (*Red ink*: Missed bridge along river at Springkell.)

Monday November 25

Springkell, Ecclefechan. Up at 7.45. Most lovely morning, a frost & brilliant sun all day. The Ellisons left. Out 9.50. Mr Heriot came. 8 guns. Rather regret not taking camera. Lovely view at end of the burn. Silly old Johnson no good. Poor sport only shot 18 pheasants & 6 rabbits all day. Long walk thro' wood after lunch & still longer to finish. Right to the end of the line & came up with the beaters. Gave Loudon £1.0.0, Johnson 15/s. Walked 2½ miles home by self. Changed. Tea & rest in Billiard Room. After dressed. Had to change my room to one at the end of the passage. Dinner. Next Mrs Alick & Alick. Slow. Bridge. Won 1/s. Bed at 11.20. Packed till 12.30am. Slept. (*Red ink*: Lovely winter's day. 2nd shoot Springkell.)

Tuesday November 26

Springkell, Ecclefechan. Up 7.30 & breakfast 8.0am. Dull damp cold morning. Got off 9.45 & to Carlisle. Good bye to the Gullys & Darcy Wyvilles. Walked to Rickerbys, St Cuthberts Lane. Got

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stools etc. Talk to Sir E.J-F & up to Euston in carriage by myself. Read *The Wreckers*. Good lunch. Cart met me & home by 7.30. M & Roy all right. We dined. In Drawing Room & bed 11.20pm. (*Red ink*: Left Springkell for London.)

Wednesday November 27

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0 & out with Rags. Saw R.H's sister, the Princess & Princess Junr. Sharp showers & hail. Breakfast. After wrote Brightmore etc. All day tidying etc etc. Mite back from Balcombe. Went out at 5.30 for Punch Dinner. Met R.H. Promises. To Athenaeum. A letter. Bus to P.D. O.S, self, A.G (next me) C.G, L.B, B.P, E.V.L, E.T.R, H.W.L. Long discussion. Left & home by the carriage at 11.15pm. (*Cuttings glued in: Relics of Napoleon*. Thurs Nov 28. *Obituary of Lady Bramwell*. F Nov 29.)

Thursday November 28

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0. Out with Rags. Mised the Princess & Junr. Saw for 1st time R(*illeg*) Scott Russell. After schemed Birrell & John Bull. Photod Britten for Policeman & Upton for Orator. Sent to Barkers. Very tired & cough troublesome. Dined by self, M sitting up. Took 5 C.L.L.P. Bed 12.0.

Friday November 29

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. Went up Church Street & in before band. After worked all day on drawing of Birrell & John Bull. Dined at 10.20pm. Roy out. Took 4 C.L.L.P. Bed at 12.30. Cough very troublesome at night. Sent Upton to Stores in the morning, Bernard Partridge's in the afternoon. (*Cutting glued in: Obituary of Lord Battersea*. Thurs Nov 28.)

Saturday November 30

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Out for walk with Rags, Earls Court & Cromwell Rd. Saw H sister & Cycle Legs. Breakfast. After tidied up etc. Lunch. Dear M & self went to see Mr & Mrs Bouchier in 'Simple Simon'. Very good. 1st time M had been to the play for 14 months. Out. To Athenaeum. Bought brawn & sausages. Home. Tea. Enlarged 1 doz photos, re-done. Dinner M & self. Roy out. Bed at 11.30pm. (*Red ink*: M & self went to matinée of Simple Simon. 1st time for a year.)

Sunday December 1

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.30 & out 9.0. Up Church St. Met Mrs Keith. Great dog fight in the Terrace at 9.0am. Sculpt came out. Old Pat

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& a white dog set upon a Scotch terrier. Developed some bromide pts. At 12.0 the carriage took M & self to Knightsbridge & after listening to the Band we walked home with Rags. Met Mr Huish. Lunch. After wrote letters etc. Enlarged more photos & developed them. Enlarged another doz before dinner. No hot water. M, Roy & self dined at 8.0pm & in Drawing Room after. Bed at 12.0am. Upton undid & took out of packing case music chair, 2 footstools, leg rest, Delft plate & a magnifying glass bought on Tuesday last at Rickerby's, Carlisle. (*Red ink*: Drove in Park for Band in morning.)

Monday December 2

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0 & out. Saw Princess & Princess Junr. Back. Breakfast. Roy a cheque. After wrote letters & put up things. Lunch. Left at 2.0 & to Liverpool St by cart. There at 2.50. Ran against Galloway. 5 minutes talk to E.J. Gone off. To Wickham Mar't. An old gentleman in the carriage & another going to another shoot next Easton Park. Hot coffee. German elderly maid in the fly. To Easton Park. Party Colonel & Mrs Hankey, Mr & Mrs Wanklyn, Sir Edward & Lady Stern, another lady & self. Another man turned up after dinner. Took Lady S in. Clever woman. Bed at 12.0 after talk in the Billiard Room. Mr & Mrs D'Eyncourt. (*Red ink*: Went down to Easton Park to shoot, probably the last time.)

Tuesday December 3

Easton Park, Wickham Market. Woke 6.30. Depressed. Called at 8.0. Up. Scotch suit. Lo! a wet morning. No letters. No shoot. Mackaw at breakfast. After wrote this etc & letter to Moon etc. In room. At 4.15 to 5.30pm a walk with Mr Wanklyn. Dinner. Took Mrs Lucas in by drawn lot. Next Mrs D'Eyncourt. After lost 25/s Roulette. Played D'Eyncourt 100 up at Billiards. Beat him by 5 points. Made a break of 27 or 29. Bed at 12.0am. We might very well have shot as it cleared up sufficiently at noon. D'Eyncourt knew Edgar & Sophy. (*Red ink*: Wet day. No shoot. Walk with Mr Wanklyn.)

Wednesday December 4

Easton Park, Wickham Market. Up 8.0am. Finished packing. Breakfast. All off in motor 10.0am. Sir Edward Stern, self, Col Lucas, Major Hankey, Mr D'Eyncourt, Mr Wanklyn. To old stand about 10 miles off. Self got 25 pheasants, 2 woodcock, 1 rabbit. Heavy wet came on. An old man loader. Lunch in a marquee. Had to wait 40 minutes in discomfort for fly. Just caught the train at

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Wickham Market. Familiar photographer. One other in carriage. Changed in lavatory. Upton met me at Liverpool St. On in wretched 4 wheeler to Garrick. Saw Joe Carr. To the P.D. O.S, self, C.G, P.A, E.V.L, B.P, E.T.R, R.L. Got subject of Roosevelt Rocking Horse. Seaman good night. Left at 10.45 & home by carriage, writing letters at the Athenaeum. Roy in & came down. (*Red ink*: Came up from Wickham Market. Only just caught train.)

Thursday December 5

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am & out. To Lytham House. Saw Princess, no Junr. Back. Breakfast. Sent Upton to Mays & back by Lancaster Gate for Rocking Horse. At 12.0 photod him for Roosevelt as Crusader. Done fairly early. M in my room. Dined at 8.45pm, M, Roy & self. Looked at the papers after. Cold. Bed 11.30pm.

Friday December 6

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0 & out. Walk up Church Street. Saw Lady D with her hair all frizzled. All day at work on drawing of Roosevelt on Rocking Horse. M up in my room. Finished 10.40. Dined by self & bed 1.30pm. Mite came up. M reading 'Ferdie'. Roy dined at Dieudonné with Lady Goring & to a Ball after. Cheque for £15.15.0 sent from Lady Grey for Almanack drawing.

Saturday December 7

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am & out. Got Comice pears & bananas. To Cromwell Road. Met bicycle girl by herself. After R.H's sister. Breakfast. Backed photos. Lunch. After went in carriage to the British Museum. Went to the Mausoleum Room. After to Mansells, 405 Oxford St. Then to Walls & the Athenaeum. 'Nice Naughty Elder'. Home. Effie H came. Enlarged 24 photos of school girls etc. M, Roy & self dined. Bed 11.30 after snooze.

Sunday December 8

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.15 & out. Very wet. Breakfast 9.30. Got off in cart for Euston at 11.15. Caught the noon train for Llandudno Junction. Bottle of Appolinaris cork came out & all the contents ran out through my bag. The Sunday 5 May same thing happened. Down via Rugby, Crewe. 1½ hrs to wait at Chester. At Bodnant at 8.45. Dined 9.15 by self. Causten there & another man. Sir Charles & Lady M excessively kind. Bed 10.30pm. (*Red ink*: Left London & arrived at Tal-y-cafn.)

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Monday December 9

Bodnant, Tal-y-cafn. Called 7.30. Had coughed in the night. Most stormy. Started to shoot round house 9.45. Self got 21 pheasants, 3 duck. 6 guns, Sir C.B.McLaren, Causten, self, young McLaren, Mr Ellis & a long legged Major with a voice like C.Graves. Got a few, each good shots. Remember the Park shoot as it was 3 years ago. Lunch in house. Out again 2.30pm. Heavy rain came on. Left off 4.20. Bath. Changed. Wrote letters & diary. Tea in room. Dinner 7.45. Took Lady McLaren in. After played bridge. Lost 3/6. Bed 11.30pm. The Majors name was Priddle. (*Red ink*: Delightful shoot at Tal-y-cafn.)

Tuesday December 10

Bodnant, Tal-y-cafn. Up 7.30. Bath. Stormy moning. Letters from M. After started 9.30 & drove in the rain to same farm where guns were put up in 1903. Same six guns as yesterday. Not much rain till stand for ducks. Then it did rain & blow all it knew for the rest of the day. Shot less than I ever remember doing at any covert shoot. 3 pheasants only picked up & 2 ducks. Left off at top of hill. Gave Parry the Keeper £1.0.0 & loader £1.0.0. Home by carriage. Tea in house. After a good hot bath & rest. Wrote M & R.H. Guns, Sir C.B McLaren, young McLaren, Rt Hon R.C.Causten, Mr Ellis, self, & Major Priddell. Dinner 8.0pm. After talk to Lady McLaren. Pianola. Went to bed at 11.15. Packed. Cough troublesome. (*Red ink*: Frightfully wet day.)

Wednesday December 11

Bodnant, Tal-y-cafn. Called at 8.25pm. Servants overslept themselves. Rush to get away. Left. Mr Ellis, R.K.Causten & self in carriage at 8.35 & to Llandudno Junction. Up to town. Lunch in train. Arrived 2.15. Cart met me & home. Dear M tired rather. Wrote letters. Left at 5.55. Met R.H & then on to Athenaeum & Blenheim & Punch Dinner. O.S, self, F.H.T, L.R.H, C.G, L.B, E.V.L, B.P, E.T.R, H.W.L, A.G. Guthrie to go to Balcombe House for Xmas. Back by carriage calling at Athenaeum to write to Warne about Lear's book. Suggested cartoon. (*Red ink*: Met R.H. Left for home from Tal-y-cafn with Causten & Mr Ellis.)

Thursday December 12

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. Walk up Church Street with Rags. After schemed subject of Birrell & Cow à la Lear. Warne sent book. Photod Upton & got prints with difficulty. Got it ready for outline. M & self dined quietly.

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Friday December 13

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. Walk past Lytham House. Saw Princess, not so pretty. Worked all day on drawing of Birrell & Cow á la Lear. Finished at 9.0pm. Dined by self, M looking on. Bed 11.30. No smoke. Cough troublesome.

Saturday December 14

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. Walked by Cromwell Road. Spoke Legs. Gave address, 8 Scarsdale Terrace. Back. Tidied up in morning. In the afternoon began Title Page for Vol 133. M & self dined by ourselves. Cough troublesome. Could not get seats for the Apollo Theatre. Upton brought letter & a packet of medicine from the Athenaeum.

Sunday December 15

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.30. Out up Church St. Met cripples. Old paupers. 'What you must do is to get me a stamp'. Back. At 12.0 took M for drive to top of Park & walked home. Lunch. Dear Ann came in afternoon. Sent her home in the carriage. Went on with drawing for Title Page Vol 133. Paxton called. M & self dined by ourselves. No smoke. Bed at 11.30pm. (*Red ink: 1st took the American tonic.*) (*Cutting glued in: Photograph of Emily Dimmock.* Sunday 15 Dec. People.)

Monday December 16

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. Went to Lytham House School. Still going on. Saw Princess. Back & at work all day on drawing for Title Vol 133. Left at 6.0 for the Punch Dinner by bus. Called at the Athenaeum Club. O.S, self, F.H.T, L.R.H, C.G, R.L, B.P, E.T.R, H.W.L, A.G. Got easy cut of John Bull. Left 10.45 by carriage. Caught up by Green & took him home. No smoke, no liqueur. (*Red ink: Punch Dinner for Xmas.*) (*Cuttings glued in: Death of Henry Kemble. Death of Admiral Sir Leopold McClintock. Death of Laura Thursby.*)

Tuesday December 17

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. Walked over Notting Hill & home. After schemed subject, John Bull & American Beef. Britten could not come. Photod from Upton. Got all ready by 4.0pm. 2 hrs rest, when finished Title for Vol 133. Sent it off. M, Roy & self dined at 8.0. In Drawing Room after. Looked over Sketch. Coughed at night

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& M had a bad night. (*Cuttings glued in: Obituary of Sir Leopold McClintock. Obituary of Lord Kelvin. Wedy Dec 18.*)

Wednesday December 18

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am. Went past Lytham House. Saw Princess. Back. Breakfast. After went on & did John Bull & American Beef. Finished by 9.30pm. Dined 9.45, M looking on. Looked over Sketch. Bed 11.30. Slept better. No cough. Verdict Not Guilty in the Wood case.

Thursday December 19

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.5. Walked round by Cromwell Road. No Legs. Bought apples. Hair cut. Sent Upton to Seaman. After when answer came O.S came. Began to scheme Opening Page for Volume 134, Roosevelt & Neptune. Worked at it all afternoon. M & self dined all by ourselves. In the Morning Room & bed 11.30 after. Looked over back numbers of Sketch. (*Cutting glued in: The Campden Town Murder verdict.*)

Friday December 20

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am & round to Lytham House. Some of the school girls only. Others including Princess not. Back & on with drawing for Vol 134. Britten could not come. Photod Upton for Neptune & Roosevelt. Got prints & in afternoon up to dinner drew them in. M & self dined quietly & in the Morning Room after. Bed 11.30pm. Muggy warm weather.

Saturday December 21

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Walk to Cromwell Road. Saw & spoke to Miss P. Back & all the morning getting ready to go to Leweston. Could do no work. Decided to take down bag with drawing for Volume 134. All morning packing. Lunch. Sent Vince on. After M & self went in the carriage to Waterloo & down with one other lady to Sherborne by the 2.30 train. Very late in arrival. Motor to Leweston Manor. Had Thermos bottle. Dorothy Shakespeare & Mervyn & Ethel there. Dinner. Champagne. Sleepy after dinner 11.0pm. (*Red ink: Went down to Leweston, M, self & Vince.*) (*Cutting glued in: Will of Sir William Pearce. Dec 21.*)

Sunday December 22

Leweston Manor. Up at 8.0am. Out for short walk. Round garden. After took 3 hours & worked on drawing for Opening Vol 124. Muggy weather & drizzly. Lunch. Hamilton & self went for walk up

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to top of hill. Fine Park. Tea. Worked with 4 candles from 5.0 to 7.15pm on drawing Opening Vol 124. Dinner. Took Claret. V.sleepy after. Bed 11.0pm.

Monday December 23

Leweston Manor. Up 8.0am & out for short walk. Breakfast. After worked on drawing for Opening Volume 134 from 9.45 to 1.0pm. Packed up & left in motor to catch the 2.55 train. Up to town. Long wait at Templecombe. Thermos coffee. Upton met me at Waterloo. Put me down at Athenaeum. Long letter from Luna. To Punch Dinner. O.S, self, F.H.T, C.G, E.T.R, A.G. Seaman suggested the Suffragette Ski. Left at 10.45 & to the Athenaeum & wrote ½ doz letters, only May's of which was delivered. Home by bus from Piccadilly Circus. Roy came down to Leweston.

Tuesday December 24

Stafford Terrace. Up at 8.0am. Slightly foggy. Sent Upton to Miss Huxley & after to May's. Walk up Church Street. No wire from Woodcock. All came right. Had to send Marie to Barkers. At 12.20 photod Miss Huxley. Got all ready & had the Electric Enlarger in yard. After between 5.0 & 8.30 went on & shaded drawing for Opening Volume 134. Dined at 8.30 by self & bed after snooze 12.30am. Went out at 5.30 but I failed to see R.H. Back by 6.15pm. (*Red ink*: No R.H.)

Wednesday December 25

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am & walk with Rags up Church St. Saw Mr Turner in distance. All day at work by self. Finished Opening Vol 134 drawing at 1.0pm. Put things away & began cartoon at 2.0pm. Worked till 8.45. Dined by self. Henriette waited. Imperfect. Marie out. Bed at 12.30am after snooze.

Thursday December 26

Stafford Terrace. Up 8.0am & walk over Campden Hill. Not a soul about. Bought Daily Mail. Back & worked up to 3.0pm when finished cartoon of Suffragette & Ski. Packed up & left in cart at 4.50pm. Drove to Waterloo. Caught without any trouble the 5.50pm train for Sherborne. Man in train got out Basingstoke like Lord Curzon. Dined in train & arrived Sherborne exactly to time. Court met me & drove to Leweston. All there. Looked at Illustrated News 1873. Bed 11.0pm after Whisky. (*Red ink*: Saw Lord Curzon. Went down to Leweston.)

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Friday December 27

Leweston Manor. Up 8.10. After breakfast. At 10.0am Hamilton, Shakespeare, Gareth & self went shooting round the Park. Got over 40 rabbits & a few pheasants. Saw 2 roe deer. Lunch in house. Most bitterly cold east wind. M & Roy at the kennels. Got a pheasant in farm yard. Left off at 4.0. Back. Changed. Wrote 4 letters of New Year's wishes. After 2 hours rest. Bath before dinner. At dinner Gwen, Roy & Tabs went off to a Dance. After Bristowe away. Fire broke out in Conservatoy. Put out. Very tired after dinner. Bed 11.0. (*Red ink*: Shoot in Leweston Park.)

Saturday December 28

Leweston Manor. Up 8.15. Had slept fairly well. Very cold. No letters. Hamilton, Gwen & Gareth went off a hunting in motor. After took M for walk. Roy also came. Round by farm & Keepers cottage & 'Whisper'. A snow sleet came on & kept on all day. Lunch. Gareth back in the afternoon. Wrote letters. Gave up going to Sherborne. Looked at I.L.N. & found in 1868 John Herapath's will. H & Gwen back & dinner 7.45. Patience after. Bed 11.0. Decided to go to Balcombe on Tuesday.

Sunday December 29

Leweston Manor. Up 8.15. Fair night. Down. Dining Room very stuffy. No breakfast. Out & walked round path 3 times. After letters came. None from C.M. Took M for walk to the church & back. H doing pictures. Not so cold. In afternoon went for 5 mile walk with H & Roy to gravel pits. Dinner. Long rest after. Tried cigar carrier. Bed 11.0pm. Both M & self slept well. Not so cold. (*Red ink*: Very stuffy Dining Room.)

Monday December 30

Leweston Manor. Up 8.15. Bath. Out & walk round path. Glass gone down a little. Breakfast. Talk of Druce grave being opened. At 10.30 Gareth, Mervyn & Gwen all went hunting. Cold & raw. Hamilton putting up coloured glass prints. The Shakepeares leave. Lunch. After at 1.30 the S's left. Motor came back for M & self & we went to Sherborne & over the Abbey. Monuments to the John Horsey family & the Lewstons in wonderful state of preservation. 16th centy. Had got Hamilton pair of knitted gloves. Back at 3.40pm by motor. Wrote diary & letters. Dressed & just before dinner wire came, evidently from Olive Shakespeare. "Fine beard on Skeleton". Quiet dinner. Sleepy after. Bed 11.0. Woke up at 3.0am & missed my way between doors. Got onto landing

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somehow & if Roy had not helped me should have been in a fix. M slept through it all. (*Red ink*: Got out of my bearings in the night.)

Tuesday December 31

Leweston Manor. Up 8.0am. Breakfast. After packed etc. News of finding body of J.C.Druce in the coffin at Highgate Cemetery. M, Roy & self with Vince got off at noon & by motor to Sherborne. Stoppage at Salisbury & train to wrong platform. Great bother with hand bags. Roy & self had luncheon in the train. M had sour meat & bad sandwiches. At Waterloo Upton met us & we drove to Victoria. Caught the 4.30pm train to Balcombe. Met Lennie & Ruth in train. To Balcombe House. M went up to rest. Guthrie there & Miss Ritchie. Harold & his wife. Dressed. Good dinner. M not down. Roy took the Bank at Roulette after. They all played, Fitzroy also. I left table & went to bed 11.45. M & self both slept well. (*Red ink*: Left Leweston Manor & went though down to Balcombe, M, self & Vince. Bother changing at Salisbury. Ellie Ritchie & Guthrie there. Ferdy.)

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C.M. Bryson Tuesday May 15 06

R.Morgan Sunday May 20 06
Sunday May 12 07

McCrae could not come Sunday Nov 4 06

Mabel Woodcock Saturday May 11 07 (*also May 2 07*)

Grace Taverner Saturday May 25 07
Sunday July 21 07
Sunday Oct 13 07

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Clotilda Louis Saturday June 15 07

Elsie Jessop Saturday July 6 07 never came
Monday Apl 29 07 never came

Hornsby Saturday July 27 07
Wednesday Aug 7 07

could not sit, ill Sunday Aug 11 07
1st single Wednesday 28 Aug 07

Turkish Saturday Sep 7 07
Wednesday Sep 11 07.
Wedy Nov 20 (*meetings only, not
photographs.*)

Wedy Nov 27
Wedy Dec 11
Thursday Jan 2 (*this is 08*)
Tuesday Feby 18
Saty Mar 7

Moon Nov 16 07
Nov 19 06 (*should be 07*)