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July 15. Fine, still warm. Left soon after 5⁰⁰ back to Verona, then to Modena. Expected a dull plain but quite the contrary. Through there to Bologna - kept outside & up on red bus road to Queti Mare for lunch, upstairs, as there were crowds below. No small bar. Lonely dinner - at Helvetia by 3³⁰ & got our old favorite room 44. Tub & change - to Doney, to Luigi A, P. Vech, opp. Pitti - nightgown, near Grand (no lunch) Sign, hat market (1 each) & Emm. for cassate, hotel 7³⁰, Fiesole for dinner on Amara terrace. Lonely out.

16. Fine. Got away by 8³⁰ - via Siena, not center town, then on to Bolsena - lunch in Caffè in Garden. Lonely breeze. Fine dinner, route 2 via Caserta most of

way, etc. one mistake by picture room
 Ep Lrico, then joined 2. In Porto Miler
 etc to Am. Ex to see art tickets for
 Ath-us. Guarded by c. 4.30. Home
 his old woman, warm welcome - cold
 drinks, unpack, tub, decay. Lots of
 people here we know, Shiro, Patsy
 Spelling-boy, B McCarthy, M Taylor.
 Sat around talking in evening -
 17. Fine, greyish at first. Ath came
 for us & we went to Am Ex, Ore Cos,
 Acad. for tesserae. No one in office,
 Lib. sent us to Am Cos, they sent to
 Min Educ. No luck. Meanwhile
 has been all around the town. After
 Acad. called Robinson (out) down to
 St P. to show Ath, & back to Am Lib.

via V Bosphere, at any rate ran all over
 the place. After 12 when Min. closed, to
 P Garib, Marcello, V. del Imp, Col, Court,
 Cine Max, full of exhibition. Ended at
 Barlog. Needed a siesta. Out 4.30 to
 Am Ex & up to tea Robinsons, address in
 a moment. A few encores. Dinner
 early. Took Patsy & Co to concert in
 B Max. Ordinari: Rosini Cener, Unif,
 Bach-Rep. Panicaglia, L'Amor Buio,
 Co Sinf, et al, Wolf F Rustici,
 Lago. Lovely night, big mobs. Back 12.
 L.S. Fine but greyish. Off c. 8³⁰ & V Aff. to
 Alb. then around Car to Marino &
 new Autos. Alb. Lakes a splendid
 new din, Vellutini & down Pont M. etc.
 One stop to fix scrape, then on till got

to Mintermar scars, San Giovanni's
custode, quick but good look-
Very black & threatening, cloudburst
later, ^A helped a carful in trouble.
Terrific rain, local, dry later. A
gauged drive, in by Capodimonte
fine road outside traffic. St L
for lunch. Car in garage, no work
on Sunday, not even Ath. Took a
long rest & read "hard" & six letters.
Out for a walk, crowds on foot
but very windy. Parted with Ath
after dinner, Gaetano to put him on
train for Brind. Sent B a letter
by him. Eve wrote T, diary.
19. Fine, good breeze. To Am Ex about rail-
way tickets, thence to Pal. Ferrovia to

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Car. Amadio who tell Ambr to change
them, back to Ambr. Trip for Peter & David on
way. Forgot to say went Excursion Car. first-
our car jacked up, battery out etc. All seems
safe & reliable. After Ambr to Middel. - had
coffee & shortbread. Had a good rest before
packing. ^{Mon to T.} Off by bus to stat. - then 5^{1/2} to R.
Very crowded but got lots of room forward -
a nice trip, showers in mts, fine sunset,
15 m. late but had dinner & disappeared
early.

20. Fine warmer. Bath to Ruff at 10, then Ambr
money - w-lit, Gargiulo, walk Kodak, taxi back.
Had R Robinson - PS speaking for the Car. etc.
Then R took us drive on via Appia Hill
dinner. Showed Tint. book to Clo-Miss
Sharp after.

21. Fine, still warm but a breeze. Mrs R
came c. 9.30 & we & Patsy went to Subia-
co. Splendid drive. Stopped Tirrolle - to
cath. to see fine Crucif. carved wooden figs.
12-13, very restrained & classical. Also Mrs.
Chr. on imp. throne, how much restor: St.
dec. for patron saint; gay pictures. Dumb
sleep ways, last part on foot. Last car
but got it later. At Sub. drive goes
much faster, but still a hot pull up
on foot. Arr c. 12.00 sat in shade of
bosco & read guides till 12.45 - when it
opened again. Masons making on re-
pairs in loggia, grand view. Nice
work to do church pretty thoroughly.
Lunch Balidree c. 2, on terrace w. fine
view & good lunch. Rome c. 5 - & got

7
mixed in n. prep. for Marconi's funeral, so
went all over town trying to get through,
pennies in Trevi. Finally to P. Garib, huge
mobs, but got CS back & had an ice at Bar E.
Did not go to concert as we had to pack early.
22. Fine, warm. Up early & got packed c. 9.30
to move next room for the day. Am Ex
for Fr visas, Gang, P di S for stay books, Ols
etc. Tirrolle, taxi back. Packing again after
lunch & read papers. Back about 5³⁰ &
cangya to B. of Carac. & road above it.
Started dinner early, house full. Facchino
8³⁰, big food, crowded streets. Forgot to
say ended drive at Esedra for rem. &
back on foot. Grand work station, but all
ok & registered 3 pieces. Patsy saw us off.
Had 6.7 in W.L., very small quarters.

23. Fine. Wake at Anigo & Firenze, as keep
at Pisa - Gen. v. interval between. Tori-
no 8.30, left some things, put others
in Asta train - I dashed for tickets & L
for coffee. Got 1/2 price, I, plenty of time
for light breakfast. Left 9.15 am 12.05
nice ride up, but warm with wind
behind us. Asta grown a lot, big
smoking works, but on edge of town so
no bother. Hotel boy met us for lug-
gage, walked to Corona. All newly
modernized, fine big room n. ¹⁸ baets, on
Square. Good lunch, head waiter
friend for life. Ordered dinner for 5
to celebrate T's birthday, then got
all unpacked, tubbed, nice long
rest, went to sleep. Out for tea & a

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few flowers for others, basket, etc. Their
beds due 7.30, sat on balcony watching till
dark. Rather hurried. Arr. before 9, all 3 in
great form, nice rooms for them. Had a
most festive dinner & drank T's health,
had Asti. White coffee gave them the
gifts we had collected, grand success.

Read some in Shell of Death, began on train

24. Fine, some haze. Breakfast in relay,
w. much talk, a few errands. Off c 11 in
7 pass. Fiat of hotel to Cat St B. Splendid
dine, etc. chauffeur. Ventria Etroubles,
St Remy. Dazzles & fountain - passports
no real trouble. First to Naples &
own dogs, now included in wire fence,
lots of tourists. Began to rain, took
cab back to St Stabia for lunch.

Had our own but got warm, coffee etc.
 Rain stopped & even out, brilliant
 & a magnificent place, very barren.
 Some men on snow run. Stat. St B. &
 big cross on old altar 30 m. Got a
 sheltered place, talked, began. They
 found him dead, nice little tracks
 patting around. Left c. 3.30 & stopped
 on way for flowers, gentians etc. &
 had rock plants for T. Gorgeous
 brilliant down down, saw valley
 under 2 diff. cond. Back c. 5.15 &
 had tea - a rest upon dinner.
 Had coffee - Dioli cherry brandy
 in 18. Square quite gay until
 rain, thunder shower. All got to
 bed early. Jopolaro dance app.

25. Fine & fresh after rain. Talked about
 other trips after breakfast. Then out to see
 town. First to Post. Gate, splendid, took
 pictures there & at Arch. Bridge. Lovely
 morning. Before that, went to see theatre, now
 working on it, scaffolding on big back
 part, restoring seats, stage etc. After Arch
 to the new Arch. There w. many int. things,
 incl. big br. Imp. head from Little St B.,
 hands & feet from theatre, big banner staff
 w. 3 fold point, inc, small obj. etc. Nice
 coll. in old house & garden, close by St B's
 cloisters to which we went next, but
 sat under big tree till end of service.
 Most amusing caps. in cloisters, had a
 lovely time there, then crypt, then
 around to big tower & back study via Roma

to cafe under arcade for remnants. Wrote up diary before lunch. Wrote 1. Sista w. Heyer. Out 5/2 for tea at Nat. Then to Cath, Forum, towers & walls & good walk till 7.45. All up here after dinner.

26. Fine. Wrote B. Off for Cogne c/10 1/2. Lovely drive, valley, hills, castles, gorge, R. bridge & aqued. Givosa, about an hour. Left car & walked, stopped Belvedere at start of walk, big green valley, woods, part Gran Paradiso white w. snow. Lovely walk by stream, picnic lunch in delightful spot, long sista, sun & ha-cing all. Animals going & coming, ilse & buck, dots, baby. Back to Belv. for tea fine drive down. In about 7. Party

in 18 after dinner. Reading Skull of Death. 27. Another perfect day. Market in square, so went. Got spotted scarf. Off c/10 for Courmayeur another magn. drive n. Mt Pelance at end. Drove high C. village, left car & took lunch & up path in woods. Good spot to stop, later on much higher to Ermitage for cool drinks, coffee, rest & a magnificent view. Walk back to village, mostly hotels & lots of people. Tea in garden of cafe, then to arts exhibit. but lists to buy. Back to see Condrucci's bust. Left c/6 & grand drive back, splendid day. Coffee & all pt by 10. Finished book.

28. Fine. Started packing, all out for Cath. to see mosaic but found a padre who chummed us everything in the

way of treasures, incl. ivory diptych from
Mader to archdeacon. Crypt too. Back for
beer, walk in streets, lunch, pack, to
Torino 16.16, Got well sold on train which
was a 2^a Diesel smelly crowded one.
Finally arr. 6.18 and to Ligure, opp. stat
having retrieved some luggage, all
rooms in a row. Tub, dined in hotel
very quiet. Afterwards in cafe, huge
crowd, noisy band, many spectators.
Cherry upstairs.

29. Fine, warmish. L-D breakfast up-
stairs. H long session in station. L-D
and 2 lugg. to Viet + took out the D
box. Finally all off for Mrs. Carlo
Filice nice park, rooms on it, via Ro-
ma torn up, finally to Acad Sci + saw

Egypt. pub, Gt Rom collection, (see Cat.)
Closed 12, to P. Madonna + walk around by
Royal P, Cath, Rom Theatre - P. Barb. very
fine, crowd around it, Jul C - Aug. On
to Cambio for good lunch. Off. Pal Carig-
nano (which we had walked this court of).
Back for ciasta. Signora G + Elena to tea.
Back fine. Letter shopping, Ginori, etc. Then
2 carry. for dish around - to P Valent.
Dinner Genio, opp. Stat. Finish Gun Boots.
30. Fine - All breakfast in Stat. Taxi to Acad
picture gallery, then to Borgo Med, vill.
+ castle, lunch SI Oro. on river. Pack.
Sun others off at 4.40. Back to finish
packing. Out c 6⁰⁰ very black + threaten-
ing, carrozza to cool off, around P Val - to
Stat. just as downpour began. A deluge.

Dinner in Stat. Rest. Tea at cafe on other side square. L got bags. Hotel left c 8.45 - long wait for train. Had cleared off. On Board. ¹¹⁻¹² coach, all customs things done early. Read Man in Duke & slept most of night.

31. Fair. Good progress till c 7. Breakfast car on. Expected to get off at G & L, but 2 hrs late, week last night, & lost conn. so by Gaint - and - w. special to Calais, lunch on way. Arr c 3, but big mobs on boat made everything very late. Met Mr Keene. Boat away till 5, tea on boat. Good porters, nothing opened, comp. seats but train slow & not in vict. till 9. Luggage in basement, quick ^{No. 1.} porter, no trouble, Kingally after 9.30.

Got luggage up, big mail, sandwiches & tea. Very grimy. Tubs & bed.

Aug 1. Only damp, clear fine & sunny. Took it easy, unpacked, saw papers. Taxi N. E. for lunch & saw some of new part. So fine out that we went on bus ^{150 bus} top to H. Court - & ⁷³ back. Got cig. & chocolate in G. St, finished letters before late tea. Change & dine in G. M. also the Colton. Fine to all her. JACK & Mary. off to Switz. Til Trot after return. Tea & biscuits, finished book.

2. Fine. Bank H. up late, L working on Mrs. Stems. Wrote up diary. Wrote H. Lunch at Berkeley Buttery. To BM to meet G. M. & afterwards bright see here - Early tea. L & I to Poly. & saw magnif. picture of Coronation, + Elephant Boy - Dinner time

Write B eve. Some crossroads.

3. Fine but sticky. Sent off wash, pressing etc. Took 19 to P. Cicer on to Cunard but couldn't change sailing. To Bambery's where L ordered dress & coat. Errands at Boots, Amb Th, Midland, Hotel. Got clean & went Edle for lunch & about 1 hour trip. To Amb "Bats in Belfry" very amusing. Tea BSM ret. garden. Write Mrs West, Stewart. Dfrase Grill, bus ride.

4. Fine, still muggy - dull. L did News & I out to GWR, Dorset, Suf. etc. Back 11.45, out 12 to Edle, early lunch. off 1.30 with party of 25 for Hurl Castle, fine drive, beautiful gardens esp. big formal ones, lake, fountains, pergola, old swags sculpt - arch. etc. Tea chidding. stone in old Castle down garden. Back

via Tombridge & Sevenoaks, am 7.50 & stayed Edle for dinner. Write coach to K, Groom, vaults, early to bed.

5. Grayish, sticky. Not much to record, odd & ends. L writing. Went to Maygrove, lunch Stewart, hair done h.m. Very hot & sticky, back & settled in DR. tried to keep cool - crossroads & shrubs.

6. Still hot. Went to Bank & a lot of errands. It + at 11.30, train Baldock to see K, house for a month. Met us at station. W. out of doors, much better. Sister May there. Old house, steam doors. Had good old gossip & stayed till 5.30. Very hot return. Trip, tubs & dinner in & road GTH's Pond. Sackville, not so good.

7. Still hot & gummy. Suf. took 1.45 to Achille, sent off Rev. to Salcombe. To Soho for Diali - left it at hotel. Met L Preston's, got thread

pull over. Lunch Star, News Tablet, back
to hotel, News items off - on pm - we
dined G.M. who is off tomorrow.

8. Fine, cooler, some life in the air. Begun
O₂. but spent most a.m. on German
report for L. Mrs V¹³ lunched with
us at Edel - we had a good talk. All
marched up to Oxf. St. Back soon after
4 - wrote H before tea. Finished papers
- wrote Mrs Griffiths after. Packed
later.

9. Fine, cooler but hot in train. Did last things
- left a lot at R. Taxi c/10, to typist, Ach, Pad.

11.10 train for King'sbridge, compt. to address.
Roomy but hot, lunch a cold one. Arr 5.55
R met us. Partly unpacked before tea to
cool off. Temp. later, all fine here. Rev. came

Part Prom (Sight.) news etc. Much to talk about.
Reading Black-bird.

10. Misty, small shower. T off for Salcombe. Got
unpackd before break. Spent most a.m. on BT Co
- did making up accounts. Long job. Begun
Dorp. ALTH. - did a lot p.m. Alternated with
old Temp. etc.

11. Greyish. Good birthday. L went to S. but I am
deaf in D. - read it - whenever possible. In garden
p.m. then Desmond & others here for long call. L
- I escaped to boat house, tubs later. Arrived supper
6. cake, to hear Bath Suite, to the D. in STM, Br 7.
Sampled the cherry handy.

12. Grey, clouds, occa. showers etc. Put in a
good a.m. on Dorp. Grand old evening p.m. For,
Sch, May, etc. all splendid. More unusual
before & after tea. - 2 cop. Tid to read - do -

13. Greyish at first. Cleared later, L & J
walked to S - did errands for E, got choo-
lath, stopped Crowder's. Thru Zap in pm -
getting near end. Hal Bush & camel (Solomon)
- VIII Syn eve. Fin D. for 1st reading.

14. Unsettled, in & out, still & very windy. Went
over some D with L. Back to June etc.

Early lunch, E-R off for races. We went
over to Cliff H. Lawn & watched 2.20 - 4

Cleared off very pleasantly windy, cold at
times. Lots of boats, C, N, Y, A etc. Stopped
at stationer's, back by 4.30 - changed.

E-R returned for 5³⁰ tea much disgusted.

Papers, T₂ Crossword, began Hamlet, Revenge.

Rach & (Ponickneff) Bolero eve.

15. Unsettled. Late start. Got cycl. bulbs out of
golf bag, even all night. Unsettled.

Cleared & we all went in Brunette up & down
hater before lunch. Tony. in pm, got it all. Read
papers etc.

16. Greyish. R took us to 11.55, quiet - comfortable
trip, lunch with us. Showers but no rain in
Lond. Hill after we had reached it, after Green's H
- leftists. Here for tea, unpacked, dined in -
settled for pouring eve. Wrote M, N, T, by net.

17. Fine, cleared off nicely. To Act. with more
to be cleared, met b. Burbury's, Davis, CIT, R & C
D-J, PR hunting E's notes, Giro, Fenwick, lunch
^{Dash & Furrier}
Stewart, E's tailor. To Store to bring up morning.
Gut & s, dinner Franc. Grill, walk back. Great B.

18. Fine. Went to Cook's with L's letter & credit,
to Dorso. To BGM, saw M Robinson in ce. Left
Met - m A Johnsons. L to Sleep. 12.30 for sham.
poo & J to Times BC & got 2 Strudels. Lunch

Stewart Marble Arch. To Globe to Nares in
 They came by night. Tea in Mrs. Garden walk
 for an hour or so. Dined early - to Prom.
 Rodmans H vas, Double Cone (Tarsay, Reins)
 2 Sym, Dvor. variations - 3^d Star Rhapsody -
 19. Fine. Spent most a.m. in - out Burb. folk's
 things. Got a blue model. Lunch Thistle -
 Call Mrs. Glout). To Vict - tea Stewart's, C's
 train early so went to Nares Th. Trunks not
 with him, L & J waited for next train, mostly
 in Grosvenor, no luck. Dinner K, & L & J
 to 11 pm (train (late)) & got things.
 20. Fine. To Act, Supr. pack, early lunch,
 Camb. at 2.05. There in time to unpack & l.
 fore tea. All fine, spent a good long time
 talking & looking at arch. maps. Set
 man to dinner, father -

21. Horrid morning, chilly, windy, showers -
 cleared later, a good day for indoors. Annette
 came for me to see her mother, still wonderful
 & lively. Read new Agg & some Outiq. L & J
 left after tea, hotel c 7. Quick change & dinner
 Saw "Old Music" very well done. Romanos be-
 hind us -
 21. Fine, warmer. Spent most a.m. extracting
 things from trunk - bag & repacking. Read Obj.
 To call for lunch, then back & did Tag. a
 code one, had to start but then got it - wrote
 T, H, K, H was, Ruth H in eve -
 22. Fine, warmer. To Midland at 10 then met
 L at Burb. for fittings - To Smith with her
 coat, Dvor, Woodmont, hotel. Call here by
 then. Lunched in. Afterwards to Self. bases
 for luggage, hat box, bag, & substitute for

Sausage for L. Back for brief visit - change
 "taxi to Hirsts". Party in garden. Several
 others there, some names unknown = Lily -
 Guy, Contessa, boy who walked Lucie, Lord
 Addison = fiancé, Col. Storr, Sir G Jackson & an
 Am. doctor, & few more. Nice party. Dashed to
 Quok. to meet A Johnsons for dinner -
 walked back, in to bed early, Ted by.

24. Fine, warmish. Spent most of a. m.
 packing and preparing to move. L
 out with C but back by 11.00. Lunch
 with A Johnsons at Stewarts. Carl to
 Teddington, L & J to Am Ex for funds.
 Took bus to Chingford, tea at pub there
 Too bad couldn't do more food.
 Back c 6 - did more before & after
 dinner, a pleasant job.

22. Fine, greyish & warm. Finished last
 things. Left c 9.45 for Waterloo, usual big
 crowd, but soon settled in Pullman -
 L & C off 10.22. Sent them a wire, ans. to
 it early pm. Various buses. to A Hall for
 tickets. Hotel c 11.50 & read papers until
 new room ready, nice little maid
 moved a lot. Out c 1.30 to typewriter place,
 Watling St with cleaning bill, left
 machine & brook drivers. PO for stamps
 Hotel c 2.30 & got settled in. Notes to
 Mrs S, etc, with B. Time for tea. Read papers
 after. changed & off 6.50. Skm. M Arch (n.g.)
 20 to Yarnley's for coffee & oand. To Bach
 Prom, Br II, Piano c II (K Long) Suite III, Br II,
 W Parsons "The End is Come" Cantata 159
 afterwards to vict. to meet Ghatt, who did not

come. Back c 12.

26. Fine, grey, mild. Did a lot of washing before breakfast. Nice letter from T. wrote to after getting Gitt on tel. w K's. Spent rest of a.m. in Dr. working on Jane. Lunched Carmadine, short walk, call Mrs G (out) wrote L after tea, Jane before. Repacked to leave things, looked at rooms etc. To Prom. Got on tail of queue but secured fine seat. Sibelius, Festivo, II Sym (very serious - difficult) Concerto, (Talmanyi), III Sym, Swan, Lament. Splendid evening. Tea + biscuits on return, got ready to go.

27. Fine, cooler. Up in good time, off c 9 K + 9.35 Camb 10.50. Left bag - Mrs S met me + we spent the day on Jane. Only Swiss girl there at lunch. At 4

hill nearly 4, then to Gitt for tea, K + N + Mrs S + Miss W. Good chance to talk - Got 6.20 to Letchworth + back to Baldock. K met me. W had walked too much but seemed cheerful. K + I dined together, Mrs Dickinson in kitchen - Did Tel + Trin early + early to bed. G gave me 2 shorts + I read Crofts Man + Horse in bed -

28. Fine. Household upset over cook's letter to W, but I read paper + went to market in town with K. Long talk on things before + after lunch. Did the beans, W pretty ready, K + I had tea. Went for 5²² but not on Sat so got bus to Letch. - train K + 6.37. Found things all in 108. Got unpacked + settled, washed, read story + took it easy, finished book. Letters from

L and H here on arrival.

29. Fine, warmer. Breakfast, 10¹⁵ - 11¹⁵ after.
Church St Barth. Fine service, most
universal part. + Bist. Lion sermon by
Canon Savage. Back to hotel + later to
Edell for pocket papers + sandwich
lunch. Back after to P. Vic. Boots for
powder but can't sell it Sunday, tho'
open. Back to K + got cleaned up, pin
papers before tea + began Targ. after.
At 7 were here Lener IV + in
Br. Clarin. I. Dinner K. Finished
Dumplings after. Wrote diary,
wrote T, K, G M H, 14 trace, at it till
late, but after I went to bed I did
a lot more Targ.

30. Fine, warmish. Took a long time

over nothing, but later suited to J until
nearly 2. Lunch Cairn. Call Mrs G, found
her with many workmen. Back early +
out via Maida V. to Kilburn + across to G Green.
Got black + threatening, wet pavement GG
but saw no rain. No clay to walk. Back to
Skewat Quad, (then Red Standard shut) Ital
for blond timetable. Wrote L in eve.

31. Fine, mild. Mostly wraps + small things.
Poked ELIV (Oscar) to L. Lunch Sesame
w. R. Hutchison + long chat in garden.
Poked long letter L before; found cable
when I got in. Off to Lake P. Too fine
for indoors, bus to S. Bush + another to
Chiswick. Walk village street + park,
long avenue + gardens, to C. House. Not
an exact copy. Open only T, S, S, but went

in garden, had tea out of doors. Back
via Hammesmith - dried in & read
Uncounted Hours, papers etc - turned
in early.

Sept 1. Fine, mild. To High Life, Doctor,
GWR, exp, etc. Took upstairs so got
a few things out. Cleared luggage,
awful job. Lunch with Mrs G. at Prof
She came in afterwards. Wrote K, B, H, V
Bradms Prom in Erc = Acad, I come.
(Cluzon) III Syn; Butterworth Shropshire
- Rain so got taxi. Tear
biscuits, wrote K, read some R II.

2. Fine, mild. After papers I settled
down with J from 10-1.30, counting
omissions vs. additions XIV - XVI.
Lunch here, then some more. Ruth

Wedge for tea & a great talk till 7. Walk
to Seft, New bus, then queue for Prom, a
mixed bag: Obleon, wife of Bath (I. Baillie)
Waston Viola Cone (Primmer) Sir E which
was what I went for. Left at in terms.
Rion back early. Wrote T. Tea & cross.
Wrote Ted. Fine, had Uncounted Hours (not
much good). Packed Rev. to Sale. till
late. Rain in night.

3. Fine - off early for Lyons. Too early so
to get with bill for dyeing gloves, PRob
for another pair socks, Ren Lyons & got
nice girl & ordered for T's party. Back
10.30, more J XXII - XXV till 12. Hair
done 12.30. Walk Wedge, sandwich
lunch. Off c s to Ken. & Camp. Still & a
long walk, H Park - back & H walk etc.

Hotel for tea. Write L. Sunset - see with
papers - Rich II - talking to Mrs Phil-
lips.

4. Fine. To Waterloo to see Gt St Jf at
9.29. Field there too. On return visit
L'Henry's - got set of spoons sent to
Cyprus to Megarr. To Bank to depo-
sit - cheque on NY, ²⁰⁰ Back before 11.30 -
roasted on Jane Hill 3, over all Ch.
etc. where impossible. Did sorting
out etc. in room, tea here. Early dinner
- to rehearsal Guildford in Rich II, a
fine performance. Back 11.30, tea.

5. Fine. Up in good time - Took it easy
with M₂ till 10, then packed till 12 1/2
Went Edle for lunch - ill. papers,
LIV, Byp etc. Back c. 3.15 & did up

2 pack. books to send NY, etc. Write
Ntraco, Effie, Mrs S before tea. Later got a
most entertaining book by Merivale - read
before & after dinner. Long letter to L.
6. Fine. Up early to finish packing etc. back
after breakfast to Lyons for the food, large but
near package. Back to R. Left 6 pieces there.
Off to Pad. early for 11.10, carriage to myself -
Read T₁, T₂, MP, & Edwardian, not full trip.
R. met me. T delighted with things. Did
not unpack much, changed. Party at 6,
about 30 here & a lively time. Coopers among
them. Jean Baldwin - Peggy stayed after
the others. Late & small supper. Took it
easy in bed & early to bed.
7. Fine but grey. Finished unpacking before
breakfast. 2 letters from L, Miss - NY.

Jane the rest of a.m. 13 - XII revising etc. Began to pour about lunch time, horrible wet p.m. - Mrs Martin came to play for T, so had Dr. Gyp. & others. Had a hand myself at a few. Reamed Gorn's vessel 6. Had a nice fire for evening -

10. Fine, had cleared before bedtime. Much cooler, got on Shuts. Jane again a.m. Typed some in XII & did more rev. T-R out buying apinmakers. Walked over for tea at Jeffrey's, fine view, a few others there, Clayton, Shute & sides, Bet. time. Chilly wind but nice sun. Back c. 6. T-R did some Eryman. Eve read 5 m.

11. Fine, cool. Got a late start but put in rest of a.m. on J. Revised parts & got XII retyped. Early lunch. E-R off for last day's sailing. Good beginning but capsized, on way to beam, Bruen. Sailed, retrieved later. Got to Brest Head & nam

Did a lot of mending, putticoat, slipper etc. Sorted out bank papers etc. T-R began Tug. before lunch & more after, but got stuck. Began "Dead Puppets Davis".

8. Fine, cooler, breezy a.m. but died down. Spent from c. 10-12.15 in dining room on Jane III - VII editing & cutting. Chaired. Early lunch & walk to pier, then out with Gubstons. Started in launch, then back 40 ft very nice. Engine part time. Then sailed outside along coast, very little wind but nice out. Tea on board. Then sail up towards Ringbridge & they brought us back. Rather chilly. Tub before supper. Papers, cross word & Puppets in ed.

7. Breezy, cooler. wrote 6 after breakfast.

drink, back in Mear, about 7. Say they
are no more for it. After tea & went to
find Brunette, E & I read Playfair. Had
B. on morning, before supper. E & I did Tel
& more G.M.

12. Fine, cool. Spent most a.m. writing
letters, Son, H, Gisela & read some Play.
Went p.m. to tea with Dr. & Miss Cooper
& Mr. Kendall. Drove first to Bost then to
collect things - Began to rain as we left
the Cooper's. T & I did Tong. all we
had begun it before - a hard one, did
not get it all yet. Read Ths.

13. Rather unsettled - Wrote B & did a
lot on Jane, some revising, cutting -
typing - Got the rest of Tong. Read SI
& about Play. Read G.M. in eve. Got

L's letter off to go by A.M.

14. Unsettled. Did some mending & a good
morning on Jane. Used paper, covered,
Playfair etc. Finished G.M.

15. Unsettled - Had a long morning, making
some progress. Late lunch - Paper, read
Movers. Pictures by Lafitte, then Playf. On
Mon. got ILN for S II with Agnes report, had
also G.M., Mrs S, G.S., King
seen at Cooper's. Began to before supper. E &
Vogue, Dörp.

16. Cool, unsettled, mostly sunny - Finished L.
E & R to Salcombe. Changed work on J to HT
& Dörp chiefly. Good morning at it. Mrs M. here
p.m. for a good thing. Read some Play. to T after
tea. E & I covered from Tel, Dörp.

17. Fine but some clouds, still cool. Jam in A.M.
Back to revisions etc. Finished Father's Son

- in p.m. began Hammerstein Hay.
Papers - Frayte in eve. Part Birth Prom
Ferne Gleditch, Mc Kenna, III Time, M. Hess,
E. Syn.
18. Fine. Write office, walker field w. T part
way back before 11 - at Jane, ill. maps etc,
Write to wacs, G. M. Had a good read p.m.
from Hammer H. Eve began Henschel.
19. Greyish. Sun later. Thrilled to find both
names in Tony. Spent a.m. on letters, HN,
A. H., H., Burns. Read some Ob after lunch
but even on Tony, a wild one but we got it
soon after tea. Got end Cassado's ullo recital
& Schub. Quintet - later. E. Schumann in
eve. ruined by cornstarch. Back, Moz, Br.
Finished Ob & some Henschel.
- 20 Still rather unsettled, clear later - J. as

- usual in a.m. Golf p.m. Went via Farm in Bru-
nette w. engine to Mill Cove, sand spit - Not too
brilliant but we might have been worse. R & I
did some extra holes, slight rain began but
stopped. Great time getting pram, R. made for it -
Back e.g. Papers & Church. in eve.
21. Mostly good. T went to Sal. Did mostly
maps - places for Jane. Write office. T & I finished
Hammerstein Hay in p.m. then sang a lot.
Had early tea & R to meeting, back late - Short
eve.
22. Wet, humid & windy. Mending, clo' with T
& C. Taxi a.m. also some after lunch. T & I
some Times Cup before dinner. Henschel.
23. Fine! clear & mild. Began dullish. Most
a.m. tying parcels & packing & off early to lunch
at Baldarin's. R took us over in car. Mrs

Newman down for lunch. Mr Pasdel came. took us to Darkington Hall to joint ballet "Big City", Ball in Vienna, Prod Son, 7/Herod. Very good. Long interval out in quad. on lawns. Lovely place. GBS there. Tea Seymour in Tatnes. Fine din both way. Walked down lane. Finished Ken.

24. Fine. Packing done early. R took me to train. Comfortable trip in solitude. All ready in 10.4 so unpacked a little before tea to read and to be pressed. Continued after tea - got in order. Finished L, wrote T took most of eve.

22. Wet pf - on. Went to Am Co. for extra pages. Moving to G.Sy. Green's H for bread. prom. Saf. for small odds

or ends, Weiss scissors & knife, Woolmats, Ryman. Back to R. Out to Q Theatre, Lyric, Linc. Duck. for tickets & much walking. To Tables for news & fight. Back early to R for tea, write B. Dined GMA & JATCT.

26. Fine, lovely day. Break 8³⁰ walk to Gwinton for 10.05, big excursion bargain day, terrible squawk but survived even the mob in Birm. station. Son met me in antique Austin. Drove past Mid. Red. Spent nice day with them all, both children splendid. Back 7.45 but got into 1st. Hotel 10.30, write R & T

27. Unsettled. Went to Frisk. St, Gbarn, for vacill's combs, then walk High Life & no more blue pumps. Wasted ages trying to find something else, got stockings. Bus to Mr S, look at

coats, L & S got into slippers, Supr. apt.
 73 to Park L, Clevia; showing taxi to S-E
 got tired top coat, Boots for supplies, back
 to K. Write Vasili, straightened out notes
 etc. - went GDM + did Jane Hill 5²⁰ Very
 useful. Back to K, dined in, spent all
 we on papers, L & H.

28. Fine. Lonly day. Beans 10, Q.H. (no rats)
 Am Ex for ⁴⁰⁰ money, ordered ticket. Edell before 12^{1/2}
 May P to lunch + fine old gossip. Left
 soon after 2^{1/2}. Took 73 to Richmond + 65
 to Kingston, to Canby Gard. on river walk
 along opp Hrick. Lonly out. Back to
 Hamms. Pbr. + along river ever so far.
 also Lypic, then to Edell for light supper
 ILLA etc. Back before 9, cleaned up +
 had peaceful eve w. papers.

29. Fine. Write J.C. Macan, T. Skenast - her a
 fairly quiet time before going out. Off c 11
 to Hellenic + did Deubner etc + periodicals
 #11 3.30. Met Young there. To Times Bc +
 got Life f M Crawford + to Dr. Tillot for a Moz.
 series program. Got blue marking shoes Attatt.
 Back to tea + Toq. To Pbr. Prom: Ser in D, II
 Come (Peter) IX Sym; Black Winter, Spring; Carmen
 Fanton. busoni (Peter) Frogg Dr. Bant etc.

30. Fine, mild. To Dorset for clock + watch, write a
 few notes. Took 11.30 to Bald. + spent day w.
 K. "May" there too. W better but in bed. Did
 Times + Tel. Stayed to tea + a gossip with K
 who saw me pt. Tracked back from K +. Write
 L, Genn, GDM, K, Hwall.

Oct 1. Fine. Off by 8.40 to Oxford. To Glouc. Green
 abt. bus, to Ashm. + saw new Krater +

looked around race room etc. Out up Broad
to see changes, to Hall (out), up to Mugh
Morton first, gardens fine, lovely day. Back
- found this H, market 95. Got Bora's H bus
at House. Market met me at top, fine from
nice time with them, Dorotea there but
in garden after lunch. The market told
an amusing Irish story, p children by the
Fitzpatrick & Thill. He told me to 3.50
bus. Decided to return London by bus
- not train, 4.55-7.15 (vic) - via dinner
but last part very suburban. To call for
light supper. Back c q, got some things
ready for tomorrow. Finished Trial &
Error.

2. Fine. Up early, packed. Out 9.30 to
Wain, Wignore, 2bb & T, van Myler, Bk

magic - 38 back for a few moments, then
got 11.55 Liverpool St for Harley Road,
no change, comp. train. Piet - met me 2.30
Tale, early tea, drink around Guild. room
that side of main road. Back before
dark. Had gone Athlet. for woods & into
church w. fire screen & some Norman
facts. Grand supper, lovely ev. before
fire, reading & talking.

3. Greyish, clocks set back, so up early.
Piet - I out later around to Brandon,
Thos. Grey course, back country etc. After
lunch did paper & some Tony. Early tea
& all out for drive, Eccles, Kelly Hall
etc. & back by 7. First supper, more
Tony, etc. - later E - I eat talking till 2.
Some music in interval.

4 Fine, gorgeous day. Up early again. Begun
L's letter. They drove me over beach to that
for 11.30. Good train though, carriage 2nd, for
Tunis, Tal, Disraeli. Hotel 2 1/2, unpacked
changed, began H. Early tea; Wigmore
House to Pop. = Inter. Quarters in Schum
Quint C, Debussy, lovely recital. Taxi to
Lex. G. for dinner, taxi - Jane. Back
c 10.30. Finished ^{office} H & did diary.

5. Fine. Finished L in a.m. after I got back
from a session 10.15-12.45 with GFM.
Got cups - chocolate, did a lot of things in
room, incl. blacking handbag. To Pad. to
meet T, errands in Barts, Rev. Arr 3.45
& to R room after 4, tea here, then to
Crosvenor House to Antique Dealer's
fair, a fascinating place. Back by

7 or 20, Reheat in use, even better than at
rehearsal. Tea & sandwiches & consumed on
return. T in B3.

6. Fine. T off for errands & I went to Am
Ex for tickets, Pinner, Rees, Tunis BC, Burn-
fuss & got Corbet, & Uncle Remus, back with
things. To Lex. Sq. queue at 11.15 &
was soon joined by T. In 11.30 for 12 "hist
the Great" Hayle & Walbrook, fine - Out
2.15 & to Corner H for late lunch, then
Abbey to see it since clearing, christie de
Porto, H VII. To Fin. Art Soc. for Mens. Ex
Sir H. Got one ^{15.15} for Pentateuch, think it is the
one L liked best. Back to Litch tea & a
brief "parade" till "Time & the Conways" at
Duchess. Joan F/R & a fine chat, very
int. & universal. Same on return.

7. Drizzle early, cleared later. Actually
read paper a little. To Meyowitz, Finch
Marshall & Mr. Stiles, back to leave ship
& get opera glasses & began L. Met Fitz
Nat. Mus. for an hour, sumptuous lunch
Pizzeria, Lyric "V Regina" splendid.
Late tea, tubs, change to red clo' - to
Aest Hall to Laure Jason's recital
which was a triumph. Packed house &
wild w. enthusiasm, gorgeous concert,
3 Bs, Liget, Chopin, Ravel, Bizet - Rachm,
Debussy, 3 encores Br + 2 Ch. Family
in front of us, May P, M Hillman & all
there. Saw Laure after. Back to tea
& sandwiches. Finished L in bed, also
diary.

8. Fine. Went to an T. Gf at 10.30, left her

purse at Arch, back to Kingsley & did packing -
off in a rush to M - S to change blue Mer.
took 15 m. down Bond St. Met Dilyp, Skowitz
for lunch. Back for bag, to R + met Giffm
for 2.05 to Camb. Waver 3.30. House a
deep cream now. Tea there, then via Clare R.
to Newnham for Jett meeting. Small but
good. Mrs S. drove me back & came in - Eth
had a grand time with embroideries.
Read Tel. in bed & began Wodehouse "Prof.
Uncle."

9. Fine, lovely day. Wake early & finished W.
Giffm & I out c. 10 to Market, then Fitz for
rest of a.m. Eye-tylikes etc, then new party,
chatsworth, pictures etc. Back to lunch
& off by 3.30. Kt at c. 5, recital, tea, did
wash, odds & ends etc. Read papers - Dis,

in front of fire. Wrote B.

10. Fine. Early breakfast, then pack all a.m. good progress. Out 1/2 Nettle for lunch - ill. papers. I & N write receipts.

Back at 3, pack till tea. Scuttled by fire

in. O₂, Tang, Dis. till dinner. ST in
after - Wrote T & D. Dis. finished

is in bed next a.m.

11. Fine - Out of packed books to Lois & to
of plant. To Pounds - got new travel

bag - ²¹Self. for errands - hair

at 10. Back by 11, began L & got pract.

all packing done. Lunch 1.15 - Grad.

rant & Wise, Jackson & Gooch -

Back to R. Wrote H. Out to E. & stopped

en route for Beck Magic to give office staff

then E. where Dr C. came for tea & a

tea talk. Then to Hughes - Stantons & saw
Lady HS, Beryl & children. Back Nettle for sand-
vich & to R. to Busch Moz. Come - P. Fy. C. in
vid cone, Piano cone, Seren. Back to R. before 11, tea,
wrote T, R, finished last things upstairs.

12. Fine. Up in good time, last prep. - ff 10.15
for Victoria to register early. M. Patrick to see
me off, bought grapes. Good crossing & soon at
Calais in ¹¹WL. Could not get out in Paris,
never at platform. Began "Vict 4.30" & read
in etc. Turned in early.

12. Heavenly day. Woke very early - did usual
view of mt. from bed. Customs etc. early, no-
thing opened. Delightful day, along coast
& then Pisa - Fir. Read more Vict. & took
it easy. Rome 6.20, missed Nell. Finally
loaded on barrow & to Cir. Good welcome. No 3

out after dinner to Pagano for copper-chemistry
handy, back early & unpacked.

14. Still gorgeous. Breakfast 8:50 & 9:15 - I out to
Ange, Mostra - had 2 grand houses or more
Went first in carriage to Amby for money ²⁰⁰⁰
Impossible to describe exhibit. Simply stu-
pendous. - Vermouths at cafe opposite,
Lunch out. More sitting after lunch -
then carriage to via Appia ⁵⁰ beyond CM
across country, sharp pictures, in by 5:30
Tea Pagano. Had a rest - nearly cramped
- think I went to sleep. Out before 9 to
Ulpia for delicious dinner - then coffee
in lower room, got my full. Good
music, 2 guitars, mand, viol & organ.
Stayed till nearly 12.

15. Perfect. N had packed - then decided

not to go at noon, so we did lower floor
of Mostra after going to station about 11:30.
Cafe again - back in cars. to lunch. Went
to see the off, got three C3 for 3.45; huge
mob. Afterwards around on C3 the whole
way, then Escestra, & Nat, by Dept. to house.
Read Catal. etc. till dinner. En talked
Dalmatia to Miss Allen then ward till
nearly 11.

16. Still perfect. To ETMM to see cleaned
mosaic, P de S searching for Emporium,
Condolte, Amby, Mostra again till 12.45.
Wrote N after lunch, then to Palatine, Ange
house much progress, not accessible
yet. Back to Pag. to tea, then in for odds -
end, FMC etc till dinner, then times -
till 4:30 or early to bed.

17. Fine. Write to. Posted letter on way to Terme. Have changed entrance to old one of garden which is now open. Took a quick one around in spite of huge mats. Then CS to Pinc. P. & down Ven. a solid mass promenading. Back 12.30, Tel EDV's while family here to lunch. Then write T, & read K & May P. Read papers & Cat. a little, met EDV's at Rosati's 4.15 for tea & sat outside. Then till 5 1/2 or so. Worked part way back. (Talked over ^{with H} with Maria A. & W.) Read more FMC.

18. Fine. Up to breakfast. Out to leave shoes then settled to work on Jane, & Rome Art. for rest of a.m. esp. Lib. of Mad. Made list from Cat. of R-Art things, paper etc., washing. Out c 4 to SMM

Baths & Traj. Via 7 Sale, new park etc. Fine view of Coln. neighborhood. Back to SMM, 115 to Mestra where I stayed till after 6 & went over things on list. Read more FMC, Cat, TC1 Roma, Vict 4.30 eve.

19. Grayish, little sun. Worked most of day, all a.m. & till nearly 4.30 still on E, esp. Obj 2 & rewriting & typing other parts. Walk to T. di Monte, P. di S for Obj & ST, Aug, Cor. 20, Pd P out of door tea Rosati there, outside PF to bus & back. Got shoes & envelope for H's Emporium to post. In c 6.45. En talk A. & W. Finished FMC in bed. Then Vict.

20. Fine, brilliant day. Cat post: all E typed by lunch. After words, shoes, wash, note to Maria, Shog, wash up. Packed them & Empor. to H, on way out. First-SMM then

again to Tray. Terms - more around here,
 CD to P.V. Em. - across to see where have
 turn down appr. to St P. Post. fine in time
 but horrible now, w. boardings, dust,
 traffic jams etc. Walked around fence to St J
 then ED all the way round to St J Hat.
 Walker via Em F. to P. Viet Em - eventually
 SMM - Gie. Spent most of eve on Tray.
 with little progress as it is a queer one.
 Finished Viet. 4.30 later.

21. Grey - cloudy a.m. Then rain off & on. Work
 on J (esp. Ch ^{IX} XI) 9-1 and more after lunch.
 Wrote B. Finally out c 4.30, got 115 to Mrs.
 Gie - did XV - XXIV, not back till 6.30.
 Short pause w. papers, then ready to go to
 dine EDVB, taxi at 7.45: Mrs Hammond
 also there, young & lively. Nice time.

Back c 10.15. Played more Tray. Regan Late
 Geo Apley in bed. Weather milder.

22. Still wet & gloomy - Did a little housecleaning.
 Good letter from L. Resumed J. Got IX into
 shape. Odds & ends after lunch, out
 later to Pren, Apostole, Gall. Rom, St M.
 sopra M, Panth, old church, Varona, to
 river. Much destruction - heard new
 buildings. P Carou, via Bough, Frattina,
 Sp Steps, Sistina, - got EF at Barberini.
 Eve Apley - Tray, but very sleepy -

23. Wet, mild stormy like April, delay 6.30.
 Put in an unusually long a.m. on VIII &
 read much Jud - Daps, typed some -
 Tel. from MM. Out before 3 to Motta a till 4.
 MP - CB to Pinc. - tea at G Gate. MM in
 remarkably good form. Went to E Wood -

ruffi & found her in & well. Later to
Puccinelli's flat n. M, hers is above it
but still in chaos. She drove me in -
gloves & stockings & changed, read SI,
hard rain. Carpet down in room.

Wrote H after dinner. Then Geo A.

24. Wet, a vile day. No day to do museums.
I did up a little, then long letter to
T, read Times, wrote L. Still worse in
p.m. with tremendous hard rain at
intervals. Wrote various notes & cards
& read papers. Rain let up. Met Mrs W3
5:15 at Mrs Strong's, good call & talk.
Beque with Mrs S - Miss Lowndes
then 2 men, Aubrey-Jones & Bone(?) &
glad later. Took it easy eve & read a
lot in Apley.

25. Clearing, fine later. Put in a very long am,
chiefly on Imp BA on Ther, Strab. etc & a
lot of Jud. Went pm via CS & 29 to Acad
Card Beauch
L'hary & did Sisson on Had hills in BSR ST.
Walked down hill to CS at PSito, net back
hill after 6. Eve wrote Sunt C.

26. Fine, perfect day. Discipinated that I had
read pm. day & typed & rev. a lot. Stopped
out just before 12 to Co. Line about passage
for self & car. Then P de S for Oto, SSitr, Rago
Chigi for 115 back. Out early pm, walk via Prém
to S Lorenzo, horrid neighbourhood, church
as fine as ever except horrible glass in
windows, but all vicin. greatly changed
by being built-up. 110 to v. Marsala, Essebia
for tea, Monte till 6.45, chiefly XT, Had hills
Part of Rome - Plan (LX). Walk home. Eve had

a try at Tong. but got dreadfully little.

27. Fine. Up in good time, rather 8.45 or 9.00
51.

→ wrote up diary. Took 10 1/2 bus (very full)
to Birio Ad. Then walk c. 20 min. to Villa.

Had a grand time there - did it all very
completely, Gk Th, Temple, on top to Palace,
then buildings, Campus, Park, Stad, Nav. etc

on lower level - back again to Lib, Temple
lunch by Rocab. splendid view. Fine day

but fairly hot, nice breeze. Back to Birio
at 7.55

white trattoria where I had white wine
in the shade. Bus at 3.07 - back c 3.55.

Got C.D home. Good wash - change - CS
to P. Pine for tea Cas. della R. walk down

Ven. to E.F. Glad of a rest before dinner.

Eve read Excav by Van Vechten, nothing to do
w. digs. Several essays.

28. Fine, good chat, odds & ends, wrote L - up to

V. Marsala to part, walk back via Casadina r.

decast. also many on station, for Fascist day.

Show in F Mus. but wished to avoid crowd &
stayed in. Work 10.30 - 1 - again 3-5, on
I revising all Eng. part & get it typed.

Tea Pagano & back & read Van Buren on Rome.

Went up with Eng - clo to terrace & saw

some of the lighting, saw Van B till bedtime.

29. Showery, very bad p.m. Spent most of day
hard at work, finishing I and doing II.

Stopped long enough to read paper after lunch

then at it until 4 or so. To America for

tea, nice time with Aldrich, also Miss Savage

& several nice young men from Acad. Very

int, had taxi, back c 7. Got Lucia to find a
25.75

Marble Faun & read some in eve.

30. Fine. An early start. Chiefly E, rev. & HT
until 11 then Auto Club, Co for ticket for
self & car. Terrible exchange. Papers and
car. after lunch, then Monza till 4.30, P di S
met Inez Café Guco for tea & talk. Walk to
L. Chisi for 115. Eve walk L. & E.H. - Real
com. Publ. Facs.

31. Fine. Walk H. Left note Strong, M/B to C di Fine,
Fam Palace, walk back st to Camp. did all
mus. hastily, EP back. Wrote ^B T after lunch.
Tea V/B after Bough. walk. Also MM, Rufus, EW,
Richardson, Holzner, Hamell, Bishop(!). Much
talk. ER took me with her as far as Amb, taxi.
Mrs V/B gave me lovely reads. PF cor.

Nov 1. Fair most of time. Went all thro' J getting
up. for things to see in Rome. Dead p.m.
Ended P/A XI; Pous text, Hosp. etc. Saw V/B re

reservae. Tea w. Inez, M/Baker & Holzner, then
to Inez, M/B, & talked over fire. Left 6.55 - got 29,
& CS, then struck, hard thunderstorm, got out at
Ferr. & had taxi. Beque Hodder-Jackson.
gayish at times & strong like.

2. Fine. Worked on Stoa B. Geno came for me 12/2
& I went to lunch with them, all but Sandro
& had fine time - Drive to Fregene, Sigmona S,
AM, G, cousin & Maria sister of Am's fiancé
Petro Contarini. Lovely place, first plage San
Vesco, back another way past where big exp.
is to be. Tea Flora, new big rd. Walked
back. Eve pitched into Torq. which I had
gone for at 9 am Got all but one vital road
by midnight, but sadly disappointed.

3. Fine, not bright. Took MIP to Risong - to Vat -
did x. galleries for J, also saw a lot of
junk. Went 3 to Milla Fiere for hair, good

but took ages. Walked to Matra, café in
bar on top floor LX-LXX, till c 6.30 or walk
back. Eye H+J + turned in early.

1. Fine, vick. day. Wrote up diary. Stayed in
working (LX Bar etc) until 4, with little in-
terruption. Then out for walk XX Sept + back
of it to P.Pine, + CD back. Tea Pagano + in
by 5.45. Later lay on couch + read 7 Hills +
also a lot of it in eve.

Bought a hat.

2. Fine, cool. Worked on II until c 12. EW sent
car for me + I went there to lunch. Also
MM + Miss Gifford - Such a nice party. Back
3.45, message ERick. but she had gone out.
Took ER to Gambini + ordered spec. case.
Collected things from chemists, Evans + Robt.
Walk along Corso to P.V. + back to T.C.I.
Out of quidda for Roma, but got map with

new quarters, back 115 - took it - easy Hill dinner
with 7 Hills, of which read a lot more in eve.
6. Fine early. Still on II, until 11 when walked to
Lat Mer. to look up things in J. Terific
shower, had to stay a long time. Finally let
up - got taxi. MM, Peter + aunt came 2.20
+ we went Barb. to Scip. Afr. but as it began
with part II we had a dinner to For Mer. in
which much has been added since my last
visit; esp magnif. piscina. Saw riding
school etc, then back to Barb. S.Af. less
good than might have been, most success.
of fight. Later to 22 Po - had tea Puccinelli
+ saw M's new apt. She light me back.
more 7H. before + after dinner + For 7 S. later
7. Fine, cool. Took shoes early to SOS, then II (AP)
all a.m. revising, slow work. Odds + ends after

lunch till 2.30, then it again, typed by 4. Had
tried to tel. Mrs Hallam, but finally she au-
gustic Lucia did it. Went to V Aurelia to buy
classical tea for Hammonds, many there incl
Luigi's, Mrs Calza, Boconi, Mrs Shong & Min L
who brought me back after a long stay at a
good party. Eve HS for a time, but very
sleepy.

9. Terrific thunderstorm early, clearing. Did
somewhat. Went early, c. 9, to AmEx to cash
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Tourist Live reg Am Ex cheques for which
they kindly took mine, enquired abt ticket
⁹²
vafels, to Broggi for cheese dish, Ob & ST
back to work till lunch. Still on II. At
2.30 E. Richardson came & we went to
Albau Hills, Genzano, new drive, Mt Caro
where Piffino had a grand time with

stones. Inn rather too sophisticated, but big
beck in dancing enclosure. Walked all round
big platform walls. Back via Marino, the Roma-
ti, outside. E. Zohan & dau. Kath. here at
dinner, so spent eve with them. K to many
Stage club, nice girl. ED & I went over a
lot of the photos of Str & Julie. Things in Phil
Mues bought by Froth. c. 1897 or so. Han 22
tomb groups.

10. Terrible rain early. Got up by breakfast &
I went to Casa delle Basse to leave purse for
repairs (not open) Am Cos about 10.30, a
deluge as I came out, taxi had to get but
finally did & left purse & back by 9.45. No
more rain, went prepared for it took CS &
^{9.50 L} ^{10.50 Am}
then Tiroli bus, high seat & fine drive out.
Found garage Pacific & then had walk in

town & back to gar. & to S Antonio for a
lonely time at lunch. Had to leave early
for 3 pm bus, back c 4. Soon off to Nosta
hill 6.30 or so, got all the way round
on top floor. Walk for piece, EF back by c
7. Washed gloves, changed. Fine letter fr.
Wendelin, Baba Yogi arriving. Eve
with Johans & Ben girls. & Cruise and
dearly blew in. Later read Times.

7. Found I left out Sunday when wrote T
& tried Mrs Percator. (Closed) so had a
lonely ride via Noment. to M Sacco, Min
Terme, couldn't find any Itaeroma. Wrote
it after lunch, Itaeroland, NA, Am Ex.
Tea Mrs Strong's. Late there but had
some talk with her. Eve read It & J.
11. Thunderstorm early, stopped, but dampish

Spent a.m. on III, esp. Metr-Bowl. More after lunch
& then to Acad Libr, chiefly v. Salis in Jahet, 1912.
Tea with VBS in his office. Return in Dobaus
& Virg. Sat around talking etc. Then Trines &
more MF in bed.

12. Fine, cold. Work till 10.45, more on III. Took ST
to Somino, walk Min Edue & left documents.
29-CD to VSm & Baracco Mrs looking up
ref. Some very good things. MB & something to
T.C.I. Got book part closed. 11.5 back. Typed
etc till after 4. First did Wackij etc. Got
nearly 4.30 to P Pine, VBS, Pincio for sun,
back to Flower Show in P. di Lago, lots fine
chrys, dahlias, cycl etc, very pretty. Walk
to P. Flam for EF. Back by 6, washed gloves
etc, had an hour & got III pretty much
done. Short talk Dobaus, then looked at

Stud lesson book. Postcard to Allen & out
to post-it. Write up diary. Etc after
Johns etc, read the Ital. Grammar
Holtzworth lend me.

13. Fine, still cold. Took up ticket 4.30 - F.M.C.
and posted to Ann. Then CD - 29 to
Min. for permit. Walk Soriano - 14 T to
TCT - got Roma. To Amby for hire
M&ERect. here when leaving. Got spec
case Gambini, EF book. Left things -
to CIT in Casaccia for another Roma
for ER, none there. Began letter to IV
before lunch. PM got some cheap -
L7 to Prat Tem - left flowers, books.
Hans, Geiss - packed around. Tea at
Pagano, in to prepare for packing etc.
Took a long time - Fin IV before dinner.

Wrote H. eve, began Wreck, - T.

14. Fine but greyish. Left C 9 with ER for
Feringe - had a grand drive via Cassia -
Stopped Viterbo for a look around old part.
Called in at NRoma in for remantra
It had rain most of the rest of way, some inter-
vals. Stopped in narrow street of to see
church. Ate picnic lunch on side of mt. Clear
then, fine fields. Went at - after Siena, no distance -
Feringe before 5 - to a Doney's, near Exulien
2 good rooms, each w bath. Dinner Doney's
new rest. Mouldy food. Rain over. Put car
garage, walk Lung Arno beyond Ponte delle Br.
L7. Gorgeous day, cool sunny. E ff to woods, I on
Lung Arno & around Duomo etc to Arch Mus.
Pachit. shell (7 yrs) closed but did 2 upper
floors, all rearranged & added. Walk back to

Jenny's 12, ate so much w. verm. that not lunch.
Tried to find Anna L., away. Then back to
hotel - to Giatto, splendid exhibit. but
freezing cold. Met wife a. l. at 7 for tea
- drove up to S Miniato for sunset. Had
a brief pause in hotel while E. made errands
- out after 7 to cinema: Haydn of London.
Funny time trying to get a bite after-
wards. Back by 11.

16. Fine. Up in good time, left hotel c 9
- a few errands - away by 9.45. Grand
drive all day - Siena c 11 to S. Donato,
back + parked car, lunch Cannon d'oro
+ church opposite. Later to S. France. to see
Madonna. Away before 2 - fine non-stop
run, via Satri. Back by 5, big moon.
Here by 5.45. Unpacked - changed to

done Hammonds, also Aldriches + S. Reber
who brought me back. Nice time.

17. Fair, greyish. Up before 6 + got 7.10 for
Naples + at 11.20. soon after 10. All had
been done about car + Pasquino went to
garage with me + we had a fine run.
Goes like a breeze. To Antibes, but had
to go to office on pier + fixed up for Mon.
Back hotel by 11.30, wrote L. to Palermo.
Lunch 12, train 1. Very full + hot, 2 choice
private. Showers on way, also on arrival.
Carriga to bio. St. set up + I went for tea
Pagano. Took it easy, read papers etc. E.R.
talked ^{later} Thurs. + Mrs. Nelson. Finished No. 2.

18. Fine a.m. tho' unsettled. Dry out + golf
bag + clothes. E.R. came 10.30 + we went to
Golf Club + at 11 met Mrs. Blake, Kemper,

Seligman. Played R & K, B, S & J but
S. stopped so B & J finished 11 holes, 1 up.
Lunch at club. ER & J to Troia but
met it in Rome. Had rain at lunch &
showers or deluges p. on. Fine rain-
bow at T. Back by 4. Went 4.30 to
Natura till 6.15. Back 6.30, other rents
Tony. not all yet. Dobson & Nelson one
but turned in early. Read Cabala &
19. Unsettled. Tied up Natura, Roma, Geo A
and posted them. Got fancy paper-
to Amex to order apt. luggage. Back
in good time - a horrible way of
packing till lunch. Golf bag, 1 Rev,
trunk, books, hat box. Exhausted -
read papers & rested after lunch.
Gave c 5 to the Mrs Blake, surprised

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to find so many I had met. ER turned up
& brought me back c 7. ER, Shans & Nelson,
so wrote no letters.

20. Trying to clear, but 9.45 in Miss Nelson & to
Prob. Mrs. for a good 20 p nearly 2 hrs.
Much better than formerly. To CIT & got a
Roma for ER. 115 back. At 12.00 EN sent
leaf. Collected Mrs Tyler & Miss Bache & NEN
nice lunch. She has recovered well. Was left
at V Giulia. Had 2 races, 1 a washout, to see,
Saw H & A r.f. win. poor but shows type. Spent
an hour till closed. Walk V. rough & Pincio for
summit. Carriage to ~~ER~~ V B for quiet tea &
nice talk. Then Mrs S for farewell. Tired
in eve so after talk went early to bed.
21. Fine, lovely day. Last packing in a.m.
After lunch started to Trevi. Amex 2.30

All in then reached station. Got time
to read & edit. Quick trip - Gior. met me,
bought big luggage later. nice little room
w. bath. Good dinner - with T.H., Marthe, Sign.
G.M. before bedtime.

22. Fine. Up early, break 8. To meet L at 9 in
our car w. Pars. On board & missed her but
soon met. Spent most a.m. with AutoCl
Co. de. papers. Had to go to office. Cafe
after. Back early & found car on deck.
Good ¹⁰⁷ room. Left C. 2. Very sleepy & took it
easy all pm w. a Pinkerton. Met Car.
bought before dinner in bar. Rest a little
in eve, glad to get to bed.

23. Fine. Up late, packing, L late to do.
Dues 3, passports quick endless delay
loading - Nearly 6, big screen, but piece

man saved the day - Magic for night.

Shower earlier, rain eve.

24. Brilliant day. L to office at 9 but many
delay - finally off 11.45. Grand drive -
Met Cafe. in Sigism & Peter Morris who
had us to lunch in same rest. as last-
year. Then his brother's nice house & gen-
den. Left C 3, fine drive, road much
better & more bridges. Starting to have dark
for last part, Arr C. 7.15. All in order -
Put Mrs C in guest room. B & P went to a
farewell for O.D. Late dinner, early to bed -
25. Showery. Slept late. Much unpacking - I did
mine a.m. While L & Mrs C out. Got more
things put away but more in pm. Saw flowers
Pars. Encl. for St Cath. All went Legat. Thanks.
party & saw everyone. Carriage here for

dinner, small but good. Left 11.30 for hotel.
26. Fine. More straightening out; L off errands.
Weather changed to showers & then hard rain.
Took Mrs C with us to Sale at N. Coll. stop.
being on way at Megref. new house & things
for Mrs Levanditis. Collected Eleuth & Doris
at Sale & all to Vasilis. Clean now. Ete re-
lected ill. from Opuhl which P. said he'd
do for Dmas. Read G.M.A.R. in Etr. to start.
27. Fine. L & B to Customs, made L, finished
F.W. (began yesterday). When L returned I
went to Red + to see Julia Lockwood,
improving, then collected L at Consulate.
Accounts p.m. & scraps. Out c 4 to Kater
Maj. after leaving parcels Stevens etc. To
tea Levanditis, new house, fine garden
& prize chrys. Also here Baynes, young

Belis - very Anthony & one or two others. L & I
to Odion to Trio - Mend, Smet, Br (C Maj).
Ete read some papers Times, Ob etc.
28. Fine, coolish. Began T. Then to flower
market - then concert, all etc. Matr. in great
form, Lavranka, Babogly, Sklabou, Pufesa,
Poneridi, Glazunov (3 Gt tunes). Brought
Mrs Petro. back. Stop Dilic. for supplies.
Finished T, wrote 4 p.m. H & N in for call
early, anem. from near Rais. Forke: Canaday,
Campbell, Madhaus, Weinberg. Most of them off
to Cor. after. 2 Carboys - P Morris in c. 6 for
maskicha, also 2 Levanditis. Broke up late. Out 9
to GB to dine with C's. Pouring out.
29. Dark am, cleared later. Back again to Jane.
Chiefly verifying etc, IG, refs. etc. Typed out a
letter in IT & IS. L went errands but I kept at

is most of day - went thro' all Hesp. taking down refs, Ag. reports etc. Went out before tea to Kodak w. Piet's Xmas card - Gen El. Got hat back from Phil. w. fresh snuff. Hesp. etc. till dinner. Tony, 60% etc, a sticker - 30. Greyish. Late start but worked most of day - did ~~xx~~ over - added parts. More p.m. L to dentist - J typing when A - L came & stayed to tea. More typing till 7.30. Eric Tony & an older one -

Dec 1. Fine, colder - Spent most of day filling up gaps, incorporating from Hesp, read more Pnyx - After tea to Univ. to lecture by Routh on Eng Char. Saw Mrs M, Abel, Nass, Alex, et al. Took Mrs to home. Eric papers, Ob, ST, 2hN, Punch.

2. Fine. Worked a little before L & I went to

Nat Mus. Saw Semne, (Gill) in office re GMAR, called on Phil & then Pau. to see Kuyos, out of box but not together. Very fine. Back via Elie, Andy etc. At lunch new Hesp. came - I ran through it - later, esp T&S 1936 & D&T on Hesp. Garden. Called 4 for Carb. - out to lefts, then Ark C. L to see Jimmie. Showed them round. Big tea at Davises, besides there - L & Co at bridge. Back c 7.30. Bat punch, late dinner, Stevens in after wards -

3. Fine but some clouds. Left c 9 for Council taking Carbaughs. Arr. c 11.30 - did Mrs. G. for lunch at OH with Susan, Mary C, Saul, Dely, Shaffer, & B who had gone by train. Piet there too. Good party took chocolate & exp. Excav. after lunch, BOTT took them. Much uncovered since L & I there. Left 3.30

to arr. before dark, back 5:15 or 20, did an errand, dropped C's, here latish tea. Read 2 Tom's shite & made notes. Stuck in a few refs on Pnyx - Thes. Tony. evl but got little - were sleepy. Began Bushman.

4. Greyish & dull. L off to Customs w/ Ath & John. Began Tomas letters, long one to Aunt C, May L & Geo. Carb. here for lunch. Janie in afterwards. L took Mrs C to Queda. Ath back for me 5 & to Skyras H. for tea with Mrs L. Errands later, GB, Karousos, shoe shop, shoe cone etc. Ended at GB for a couple of ousos & good bye to C's.

Read Bushman Honeymoon in eve.

5. Wet, vile day - Began T, then Cone = Boeck. Sym in A, Mrs E' cone. w.

R Kyriakon, Mahler Adagio II, Schum EP. Good but long. Took Mrs Paspath & Mrs Delap. home. J's book after lunch, then letters. Good mail in. Fin. T, H, MFW - Had Rome concert b, Cone Grosso & a lot of good things, but bad interference. Finished Bushman, had 5 peng peng in eve.

6. Fine. Shaves later. Clear pm. Did chiefly II on Thes. Elms etc, largely reading. Ran over Scautoni's ms. on City walls. Out c12 to find Marinatos, left closed St. Nik., Phil, frames. After lunch hung new H-S where old one was & it in place Piran., now in grafation - L did china w. Marika. Began Wilhelmina. Call John C's wife - Timo. Out c 4 to Red + but JL had gone GB so saw her there. Better. Bought 4 books back. L - J tra Lucy & Ath. also m, letter

Cards Robinson. Roads unfeasible. Kodak
for envelopes, not ready yet. 4 games pp.
before dinner. From Wien Hayden Smetana
Maldar, Unpin, Br III. Munich Emperor.

Read paper - Enchaux's Nightshade after
finishing Br I letter.

7. Fine. Still on rev. - add. to end V. Mary
in for call, a.m. L brought env. back at
lunch time. Addressed some after. Out
c. 3 to Regv. with key gate, took Anesti
Dug up jasmine & pyrac. Anesti brought
p. here & we went in search Veronica & fi-
nally got it in Psych. Then to Regv. &
planted things. H & J there. Came us
books, mine on Belg. Back to change
& go to tea at Ann Sch. Huge mat.
Back soon after 7, envelopes etc till

about 12 but got all ready for J. to post.

Had Hayden Cello Case, Br I from Breslau.

8. Fine. Addressed my own cards. Wrote A T -
Blacklin. Dug out Keramop. & finished altar
& more I. Got it typed pm. Out with L before
lunch to Vond. Grand day. Lucy, A & Mc for
tea, 2 Scautours later & heard out Pmsk.
Fire Obj. Birth I from somewhere.

9. Fine. Library a.m. Looking up ref. 2 hrs
to lunch. Good talk. Out later for drive past
Manusp. Found presents Peter M. = oranges,
wine, butter. To Winck. Feast = Urude + Hangele
on Uly, spring dig, fine bronzes, helmet,
athlete stat, reliefs. Big crowd, home late.
GMR RFBace, etc.

10. Fine. Sent mail to Cor. by Gladys P. More
revising etc before & after lunch. Clearing up refs

Out c 5 to Phil (L) Grinda, Germ Bookshop -
got Wulfe ¹²⁰⁰ ~~Act~~ Mauern. Tea Katina, also Janet
M, her cousin, Schrijver, Dr Skruson, Verna, K's vis.
Ker. in - lan. Stayed longest. Back to han Pater
for masheha. Davises after - late dinner -
Gifki. Good music eve. Began Tony.

11. Fine. Out c 10.30 via Gardens, Lyd, Had. to
1/2 lb. to check up materials etc, around
N; back T of W, Tripod to Th Dion -
Ask to see 29 + 30 + 27. L joined me
here c. 12. Hunted vainly El. - Kamp. for
Dumb. Lunch BSA - Young showed us
his camera photos. Decided to stay in
rest of pm + get some notes in order.
Fin. Enchant, Tony. etc.

12 Fine. Wrote T. Flores market, cone:
Por II, Bush II (Kempf) Roudal Smith

Last Metrop. of section, also. Had go at Bush II
after lunch, wrote H, Vell. Lockwood here to
tea. L. I did Europ. cards etc before after
dinner.

13. Fine, some clouds. L had cold so called it off
w. Serantous. Ordered 75 more at Kodak. Spent
most day writing letters, Mlake, Giradet, GMM,
Strong, Hughes-S, Jhan, W3, Huffer to order books.
Read ST Index of last week, did a little on Arc.
Eve mostly GMAE + ran two "Munders of
Monty."

14. Greyish. Called up Young + Horado. Began
writing Intro II with additions. Meats
upstairs. Dr. came c. 1 + found L had some
meat + no pen. More II + typed most of it.
Tea Skrus, mostly Ambch, + Bal, family,
Katina, Petro etc. Early sleep + bath. Davises

in for call, L on Sat. sofa. Dug out 2
 Times C.V. books & writ L. Evl read Lady
 Hornby's letters from Const. Also St N.
 15. Fine. Odds & ends am & finished Intro.
 HN in after lunch. Out c 3.30 for walk
 around vicin. Call after tea from Nico-
 lae's & cousin. L & J some Times Chr,
 before dinner. Obs & ST after. First from
 Buda: Meist, Sark - T, Magyar var, Beth V.
 16. Fine. Talked Antoniadis at Consulate.
 Letters Skinner, Wreck, Mabel G. Out w. L
 for drive in sun to Voula before lunch.
 Wrote effie after. TO Onida at 3, then Am.
 B back from Cor. All had tea Salmaki-
 nes Mack. in for short call. Wrote Cousin F
 before dinner. Dohnyani recital Beth S.
 Schub V from Pres. Read Hornby.

17. Thunderstorm c 9.30, then fine. Late start.
 Decided to begin pasting J, so marked pages -
 Began w. II. L & J out for drive to Rapphia
 fork, 12.30-1.30. Fine & clear after rain. Pasted
 p.m. Tea here, then to Skyros H. tea, Mack, Pa-
 sons, Dragounis etc. Sale also, got 2 tray
 cloths - 2 jars mince meat. Vasili. More IV
 evl & finished pasting part. For II from somewhere.
 18. Fine. Worked on IV doing typed parts &
 fitting in. No it was I which I did cutting &
 pasting. B & J to large tea Michalops. &
 another at Rautsaris. Did rest of I evl -
 Put back before lunch.
 19. Wet. Wrote T. Conc = Broustan. w Beth II,
 Brand in E for violin, Lykoudis, R-Kon. Span
 Bhop, Tammb. Wrote H after lunch. Began
III marking passages. B & P left after tea by

new train. Did some puzzles with L, time
- stuck on Tony. Concert Adri. Schum. cello.
Eve Moz. Serenade, Haydn. Read Murder of
a Prof.

20. Fine. Working on V, revis. - typing. Got
L to change ribbon. Out at 3 with Seer
ton to see dig on walls on Pnyx, Nymphs
& Mus. Found a lot, towers, etc. also saw
upper terrace, stoa found. etc. Back to
change then tea top E. Am Sch with Bob
& Louise. L & V after to dance recital
Pothoula Kanouta, great success, esp.
on act royalty. Eve typed out some letters
& to jeweller for L. Read some Norway.
Finished 100 years - Had Moz. C. Jan Tuller
G Min. from Buda, part Beeth Quart. Buda

21. Slightly overcast. V = VII parking - typ.

Call Mrs Antoniadou at 12. Back to work till
c. 4. TO ka with Kents in attractive little house
with L to vacili; M, R & J to 2 piano recital
by L & J Margariti, Bach, Beeth - Reger, Moz, Liszt
& some Gts. also success. Good concert. Four
night, back late, sent K's to Psych. Eve marked
VII - IX, had a look at Mary S Parvly.

Began The Citadel.

22. Fine, some clouds, cooler. Packed VII & revised
text, a fearful job. L got Christmas things shown
out. Off after 4 via John G. saw him in bed,
plaster cast - just off. Left money for children's
presents. Tea Matka, also 1 MacV, 2 Rausen,
Beeth, 2 Moore, 3 Matka, children, Skuden - 1
unidentified lady. Mrs Mac drove up with
us - we went Legat. for m.s. before fire -
Borrowed Gt Journey. Eve Ob, ST, ~~24~~ etc

Good prog. Milan incl. Strick concerto
w. Feuermann.

23. Fine. Spent most of day on IX, cut,
paste, type, a lot of latter. L did some
errands a.m. Out c 2.30 to find sun at
Voul. where we sat a while. Back c. 4.30
+ did scraps till tea, sent off cards, parcels.
Much colder. More IX until about 8. Typ'd
out & copied Tony. so we played it - even.

24. Fine. Went over chs. to see abt. addit. &
marked X ready. L & J out late a.m. to Gly-
phada, Birk card, Parsl words for week. Still
N wind. B back from Cor. at lunch time. L & J
trimmed dining room before tea. Out at 7 to
Ath Coll, Phyl. for masticha then dined
in coll. ca. 6.5. Sat but Phyl. - Dornia's
music. Santa Claus letter, jobs present

dancing. Back c 12.

25. Merry Christmas, fine. Up late, B & J to Ch.
L & J to Regr. - sat in sun with Pam. Had
presents after lunch, lots of nice gifts &
cards. L & J did big fruit dish for. Took a
whole day off from J. L & J out to Paris to leave
notes about Mrs C. Quiet tea, call later from
Wadhams & Conn. Dinner here = 2
Stevens, 2 Davis, 2 Kent, Lucy, Alison, 3 family.
Nice party, tucked after.

26. Fine - up late. Wrote Tard Ho Lando.
Did some on X. Had 2 or 3 games with L. Fin.
Citadel before tea. Down, Mary C, M Hill, Sund
here for it. Got Buth Viol C - Parcel from R.
Eve L & J tried more Tony, not all yet. Began
Olander River.

27. Unsettled. Spent practically all day,

with interruptions, on X, a long job to cut,
paste & type. Some games write L before tea.
Eve caught up on back copies Times.

28 Greyish. Did XI all day, etc. Then L & I
went out 3-4/2 to Dam. Sun out part of
time, grey again. B returned to Cor. 5 pm
L & I had 3 games after tea. Good Schub.
Truller from Rome. Got to end XI before
dinner. Eve Times Shat. Crossmud, St N,
Punch. Marked XII.

29. Greyish. Lots more cards, etc. Spent day
on XII pasting & typing. Deluge after
lunch. Cleared later. Called Millers
after tea. Games w. L on return. Eve did
XII notes & then L & I prepared envelopes
for New Year.

30. Greyish. Did cutting & pasting XIII & a

little typing. Cleared off 20 out 2.50, got
Atti & youngest & went Kor. wood - had a
walk. Chocolates on way back to family by
garden. Nice flowers from them. Anon. in word.
Found J Lockwood here on return. Had tried
Iris for visit. but bill changed - Lucy & I in
for call, not to tea, but Jk stayed. More XIII
till dinner. Eve finished "Oleander River".

31. Fine. Typing more on XIII. Much rest fear
interrupt. HTV in after lunch. Letter took her
home via New S. write children's presents.
Enaudo on return, then Sotia. Rox in bed but
had tea in her room. M out, Lionk. upstairs.
F Marwoodie there, took her to Pough. B
back before dinner while L & I were at bp.
Eve read "Death on the Nile". WjTTA at
midnight.