

**DOUGLAS FAMILY**

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Travel Diary  
1969

Holy lands, Europe

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Box 8

File 5

1969  
Holy Lands. A/P

Alber Douglas

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Passport FK 938894

13 Feb 1969 To 1974

Next of kin:

Dr Mary Douglas - Jacksons Point, Ont.

1969

Jan. Dom Travel Office - dep. <sup>TP</sup> 50.00

Mar. " " " single room 11.00.  
" " " Visa 89

12.79

1251.79

apw 2

Toronto bus 8.75 / Taxi 1.70 + 1.75 Scotch miniature 50

12.75

Taxi from Milton

4.50

Taxi 1.60 + 70

2.30

19.55

1271.35

1969

Apr 8. Can \$60 +23.35

USA \$18 +25-

Am. Exp. Chg. \$310

Apr 30. Bal. \$290 Am. Exp. Chg.

Can \$63

USA \$6

1969.

2.

Apr

- 8 Left Toronto 6:20 pm  
" Montreal 1<sup>40</sup> <sup>am</sup> ~~pm~~ SAS  
after 3<sup>h</sup> delay for compass troubles.
- 9 am. Copenhagen 1<sup>15</sup> pm. Met Dr Forest  
& bus to Imperial hotel. Tried for  
elect. plunger (immersion heater) no luck.  
Bus sightseeing. 3<sup>30</sup> pm. - 6 pm.
10. To airport 8<sup>30</sup> pm SAS 10<sup>20</sup> to Frankfurt  
then to lovely Zurich airport & views of  
alp range above cloudy mist. Off 2 pm  
To Rome 3<sup>55</sup> pm. Long drive (30 mi) to  
Hotel Metropole (around corner from Piazza  
on Azalio St. (1952) walked round arcade  
of Station Square. 1/2 bottle red Secci wine at  
dinner.
11. By bus around city & walk to Pincian hill &  
Borghese Gardens - Pantheon, St Peter's, Pietà  
& Papal Tombs: Peter, Pius XII John 23. - Colosseum  
& Moses in St. P. Vincula. Afternoon to Via Appia

\* Domitila's Catacombs - 10 miles on  
4 levels + 10000 burials there by 3<sup>rd</sup> C.  
up by Forum, Trevi Fountain - Back  
6<sup>15</sup> pm. Tea at corner - To Trani  
on Via Gioberti near Sln. + got 220 V.  
immersion heater to replace Iceland -  
Yugoslavia outfit.

Apr. 12 To Vatican Museum Laocoon  
+ myriad Gr + Roman statues, mosaics  
tapestries, + Sistine Chapel. Gondolier  
up bus (Aphian Tourist) to Tivoli. 20 mi E  
in foothills of Appennines. Count D'Esta Villa  
old abandoned monastery 16<sup>th</sup> C. married a Borghese  
lots of money + had the deep valley terraced with  
myriad fountains high slow, wide, flanging,  
Steps + 3/4 3/4 baths. Cypress + yew + myrtle hedges  
Neptune fountain etc etc.

Then to Hadrian's Villa 200 AD 48 rooms  
Cristen, baths, guest house, mosaic floor, pillars  
- Had tea + back to Rome 7 pm.

Italy. Lira 100 = 16c.  
\$1.00 = 610L

Apr. (Copenhagen)

10 Changed \$1 Can for 400 lire (60c) Lira  
and photo paper 140c

Changed (Rome) \$5 USA for 3100 lire

Total lire 3500, Stamp 1.50 1.50

11 Changed \$2 USA = 1200 lire Lunch tea 700 + 180 880

220 volt heater + case 2700

12 Guide Tip 5.00 Lunch sandwiches 250 750

Changed \$5 USA 3070 lire

Bar to Turin 2800 Tip 180 Tea 200 3180

Sun 13 Changed \$3 USA 18030 lire Lunch 500

collar at Waldensian Ch. \$1.00 USA.

Airport fee 1000

Total lire 9540 9160

Total \$16 USA Bal 330  
\$1 can

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Sun

13 Apr Packed + off 9:15 down via  
nazionale. St Pauls Within The Walls.  
Cappucin - beautiful church. Waldensian

Service 10:45 To Campidoglio: Square -  
Wisteria <sup>consuming</sup> <sup>and</sup>  
Courtyard with giant foot - museum upstairs +  
state rooms - etc. To Piazza Navona

5 cats in one garden 12 in another under  
ruin garden. Football in Navona -  
+ artists displays - Came back to the

Waldensian Ch at 11:30 Sermon in progress.  
Mention of existentialism + Gostapo.

PS. 117 Soludo l' Eterno

118 La Sua benignità dura in  
eterno.

off to airport 2:30 pm - Air Italia 5 pm.

Arr. Cairo. 9 pm. Long delay for  
visa check + luggage. Dr Forrest  
mistaken + found his case with

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Cairo

all our tickets. long drive  
into fine Shepherd's Hotel

Apr: 1~~st~~ Charged \$5 USA = £ 2-13 Egypt

mon Coptic Orthodox - 10

Memphis Pyramid 10

Camel driver 10

Guide & Bus man 25

Airport tax Tues. 1.

1.55

Bal 40 piastre

= \$1<sup>00</sup> USA  
at airport

5 Camels \$1 US. 7 Bracelets \$1 US

Desert dancing \$4 Can

Total \$6. USA \$4 Can

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Apr

14 Mon

Bos Tour to oldest mosque  
700 AD - oldest Coptic Ch. 300  
Church over Crypt cave (Mary  
& Joseph & Babe) no tinsel in  
altar niche this time

Oldest Synagogue - Torahs

An hour in Nat Museum -

Old Kingdom, middle & new

& King Tut's outermost of 4  
sarcophagus & middle coffin  
of 3 (Innermost of An. I

saw at Luxor - Valley of Kings)

Others now stored for fear  
of bombs - Sandbags at  
entrance & in piles at treasures  
& glass cases taped to prevent  
shatter.

Walked at 4 to Hilton Coffee  
Shop but after 4 a minimum

charge of 75¢ so I forwent tea  
 + walked back to boil water with  
 new 220 coil. Crowds by  
 + on Nile - The Spring (Easter)  
 holiday -

at 6pm to Can Ambassador  
 residence Mr + Mrs Carter  
 (Nigeria 1964 missed him - but  
 met at Ext Affairs on return  
 tall whitehaired - v. friendly  
 Egyptian Anglican Ch  
 minister + assistant + a layman  
 Sec of Ecumenical Committee  
 He thinks Nasser wrong not  
 to recognize state of Israel  
 + talk a settlement - thinks  
 Israel will never give up Jer -  
 or Golan heights; but would  
 give back Sinai peninsula

14/10/68  
Says Aswan High Dam  
almost finished. but less  
now to fertilize N. Egypt  
fields + Nile fishing much  
poorer. Fish from Mediterranean  
now main source.

Can Immigration Officer  
says many applying to enter  
Can. No future here for all  
The Univ of Cairo graduates.

50,000 freshmen this year.

Coptics about 20% of  
Egypt's 33 million still the best  
educated. almost no illiteracy.  
En statutes compulsory  
edn 6 to 12 years of age.

In pm 8 of us went beyond  
Giza pyramid to desert tent +  
restaurant for Night Club show - desert  
dancing - a father + son whirling  
loud accordat. loud music Vin songs.

home at 2 pm -

15th Tues. Bus to pyramids  
Excavations inside Cheops &  
difficult low passage entrance

On to Cephren's & down low  
passage then up to high vaulted  
Tomb (at ground level - early  
granite tomb - back up ladder  
to higher N face entrance

East side causeway to Nile  
shore & the remains of mastaba  
& temple - & Cephren's Sphinx  
& rode a camel up sandy  
hill & back.

Then to new Orthodox Coptic  
St. Marks Cathedral - Tomb  
of St. Mark <sup>Remains</sup> sent from Venice  
as Scum. gesture by Pope John?  
to Cairo -

Architect showed us lower  
Community Hall & fine large  
& burial chapel of St. Mark.

Cathedral up wide steps.  
Not yet quite finished.  
Icons in Sacrum -

Bishop of Cairo, Samuel  
talked to us about Copts  
& their influence abroad.

1) Missionaries in early centuries  
to Ireland (see MSS in Dublin  
Nat Mus) In Switzerland

3 martyrs beheaded. gave  
coal of  
parus to Zurich district &

St Moritz was Coptic martyr

- 2) Copts had 1<sup>st</sup> theol. seminary any where in Alex.  
3) " were the first hermits - went to desert.  
4) " were great opponents of heresy at Council  
of Nicaea.

He is very pro Arab re Israel  
& injustices to refugees

In pm Bp. Samuel & Principal  
of Evangelical Coptic Theol. Seminary  
& Dr B (crural health) & his wife,

Tues 15<sup>th</sup> Cont -

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a physiologist - prof. + 2 other guests  
at 7.30 for chat & then Dinner  
With Dr B + our Dr Bickle +  
Mr Emmett. '1c St John's Amb.  
in Edmonton who with Chief  
Justice Buchanan are going to  
present \$20000 To Hosp. of St John  
in Jerusalem -

7<sup>th</sup> Med. schools here produce  
too many doctors for the jobs  
available - yet pop<sup>n</sup> of MD's:  
pop<sup>n</sup> in 1:2000 -

They are not welcomed in other  
Arab countries with no or very  
new (Saudi Arabia) med schools  
bec. of political tensions. Some  
go to Can &c -


Birth Control } both slow progress  
Glaucoma + this



16 Apr Wed. off at 8 on bus to  
Airport. off 10:00 Mid East Line  
+ Coast of Lebanon 11:30 Bay of Beirut  
with sandy mts peaks of long range  
close behind city. Phoenicia Hotel  
on sea front. Lovely place, room  
facing sea over swimming pool.


Beirut about part of 10<sup>6</sup>

Bus to <sup>x</sup> Crusader Mosque - then  
Maronite Church. To monk of  
Convent Ch. St Clair. Chapel

 2 lots, light on + simple altar  
no statues. Cream muns. tea in

then refectory. bought big new green vase  
& eucharistical chapel <sup>authentic</sup> Pope John.

then to Jesuit School Church. Circular  
Symbolic robe of many roof. 24 stained

 windows - obscure symbols of Assumption  
Crowning, seasons, ship of grace, moon stars  
& sun (Canticles) redemption etc.

Organ. Haudch ~~Haliluya~~ as we entered.  
Haliluya Chorus

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Lebanon, 1 Sept = 35°

16 Apr

Charged \$5 Can for 13.50 L. pounds

Lunch 3.75 Tips 1.50 5.25

Sigineur in green handblown glass 6.

17<sup>th</sup> To Baalbeck \$6.00 USA Tips 1.75

18 Lunch \$1.00 USA slides \$2.00 Can

Total \$5 Can @ 9 USA 13.00

\*  
the Sunni Muslims - originally the Orthodox Cath of St G. (Lebanon saint adopted by Br. Crusaders)

• Fiere Maron - no crucifix or statues or side shrines - Confessionals

The President of Leb is a Maronite. It is in communion with Rome.

13.00

18 12 PC \$1 USA 7 60 piastre stamp \$2.00 USA  
less L. 1.75

19 Sat Choc. in Nicosia 1.50 Sept. 1.75  
Leb 14.75

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16<sup>th</sup> Cont.

To Am. Univ of Beirut, glorious  
Campus on promontory, evergreen & ocean.  
The V.P. George Hakeem ex Min of  
For. Aff. + ambas. To UN educated  
in Prot mission school + Am. U.B.  
spoke to us on Arab attitude to Jews.  
Israel should not be a religious state  
(Zionist) but a multi-racial  
democratic state. Jews & Arabs  
lived peacefully together for centuries  
700000 pop. before Balfour 8% Jews  
Why Arabs pay for German atrocities?  
USA only took 3000 Jews / yr. + Arabs  
forced to take 100 000 refugees.  
Back to mandate Comrades  
<sup>muslim</sup> Arabs & Christian Arabs & Jews live  
in Leb. in Partnership -  
Hussein 8. pts + Lord Curzon  
Munichian resol<sup>n</sup> in Sec. C,  
is generous to Jews - Time is m

Arab side since they will arm & grow stronger & eventually force Israel back - just now Arabs peace loving & ill prepared. USSR aims to give them enough aid to equal Israeli mil. strength. Carogans Resolu acceptable to Lib (Iran), Jordan, Kuwait, Syria & part of Saudi Arabia & Algeria - not to UAR entirely. Israel wd be recognized & Suez rights affirmed.

I asked how Israel could trust UAR - only an assurance of public opinion.

Nasser wd be shot by Egyptian extremists if he agreed to talk directly to Israel. Said bn Smedenborg of Maronite Cath. He says Lebanese are terrified of Israel & its threats to siege Damascus. JM

retaliation for this threat. Nasser  
closed Gulf of Aquaba.

Thursday 17 off at 7 am in rain +  
fog for 3000 ft pass over Lebanon hys  
Lost 1 hour near top of pass with  
sleet snow - quite cold + raw.  
Then up + up + over + down  
into clearer region + out onto  
Valley of Baca (Arabic Bekaa)  
wide flat fertile: "The rain  
also filleth the pools!" orchards  
figs vineyards - Sheep +  
goats on forest hills. Decided  
to go direct to Damascus into  
hills of Anti-Lebanon.  
border crossing 3 stops on  
Leb. frontier then 30 km +  
3 stops on Syrian frontier  
(Syria my 58<sup>th</sup> country.)

17 cont-

10

With Damascus guide into old city narrow winding streets - covered for bazaars. Crowded. Old & modern dress, some black veiled women. Myriad small boys & vendors. Street called 'Straight' - a mile long. Bazaar & mostly covered. Chapel in house site of Ananias who restored Saul's sight in home of Judas & took him to his own house up side street near great east wall & gate of city.

Saw window over a side gate said to be where I was let down in a basket. To a large bazaar where adams were being woven - people stopped & little boy took me v. top speed away down long street.

17<sup>th</sup> Thurs

Crowded with natives  
(very few tourists) in & out.  
Lost his way & back tracked  
to grey marble mosque in  
garden with dome & it has  
cream carved Tomb of Saladin.  
but keeper wd. not unlock  
iron gate. so we rushed  
back & I just caught bus.

Visited huge court & mosque  
once a Roman Temple (columns)  
then Christian Consider, then  
half " half muslim -  
now all muslim - many  
men at prayer & prostration  
ritual. Shrine with  
head of John the Baptist  
& another with hand of ?  
This is Omayyad Mosque -

Then to little Arab-Christian Church where minister took in 3000 Syrian Palestinian refugees at 1967 6-day war, sleeping in church, church yard & school. Council of Churches gave \$10000 + \$10000 to build cement house blocks outside city.

\* or Syrian Gov?

Long drive out, up N. rocky soil, flat area - 40000 there now mostly Muslim UNRWA + Unesco support & school + clinic - almost no work for the men -

12 rows of about 12 grey square bldgs with rows of washing + cooking facilities between each (2, 3 + 4-room units) - Hopeless + sad sight.



18 Apr. Fri

S. of us in 2 cars in sunshine  
& fine mt views to Baalbeck  
(Baal pron bal like balance)  
betw mt of Leb and range  
of anti. Lebanon i.e. long  
flat fertile valley of Baca  
(Arabic Bekaa'a)

Superb & extensive ruins.

B.C. Temple of Baal

In Roman period this inside  
vast Temple of Jupiter. fine  
proscenium & courts. & site  
of high central Temple with  
pillars & canopy -

Great Court to S. had 54

huge red granite columns  
from Assyria. <sup>6 still standing</sup> Most bldgs

& carved Tympani & pillars etc


White-cream grey local limestone  
Elaborate double Gk key + egg +  
arrow for life + death

Later in Byzantine Christian  
era. Much destroyed + re used  
for building Chr Churches +  
cross carved here + there

Later earthquake destroyed  
most of temples + churches  
Also Temples of Venus - very ruined  
+ to Bacchus columns complete. lovely  
roof + capital carvings -

Very jolly lunch at half way town  
with coffee shop + tourist shop.

Home about 4 via shore road +

Pidgeon rock.  very sheer  
banded limestone

Bought p.c. + sent off 7.

# List of photos taken

1. Damascus <sup>Mosque</sup>
  2. Jesuit <sup>Unit</sup> Chapel
  3. General view of ~~valley~~ <sup>hills</sup> & towers of Cedar of Lebanon & Snow range
  4. Baalbeck from procenium at N.
  5. Little bas relief of God Baal
  6. East gate of Damascus - at straight <sup>st.</sup>
  7. ~~Temple of Bacchus~~
  7. Jerusalem - (Omar Mosque & Golden Gate) <sup>from Mt of Olives</sup>
  8. Crusaders Ascension Chapel
  9. Olive trees in Garden of Gethse
  10. Lord Prayer in Philistine, Fr & Espanols
  11. Essenes community settlement <sup>Qumran, Dead Sea</sup>
  12. ~~Kumran caves~~
- ~~13~~ Took also the half way down Jerico road Inn.

## Roll 2

1. Mosque of Omar
2. Wailing wall
3. Hebron Mosque
4. Galilee hills & valley
5. Mt Beatitudes from Tiberias
6. Capernaum
7. ~~Simon~~ <sup>Pope John Ch. of Annunciation</sup> <sup>8. Market</sup>
9. Vendors at Naz. 10. <sup>Ym CA</sup> Chapel
11. Acre
12. Crusader Caesarea

19 Apr Sat

(13)

off at 9 am to airport + MEA  
plane 75 min late. Lovely colour in  
coastal water in blaze of sunshine  
Arr. Nicosia 12<sup>15</sup> + to Ledra  
Hotel. Sprawling low white + ochre  
bldgs. unimpressive city of 100 000  
800 000 in Cyprus. 20% Turkish.

By bus to old mosque - a Richard  
Cœur de Lion cathedral originally -  
looked out more like Istanbul mosques.  
Worshippers + old man chanting the  
Koran from large book. This inside  
Turkish quarter of narrow streets  
shops all shuttered on Sat aft till Mon  
guards at street corner. our Greek  
guide could not pass through.

To Archbishops Palace - large  
oere + white. Makarios was on  
back balcony + retired as  
we approached the Cathedral

Cathedral built 1600+ barrel vault  
all stone - women's gallery.

23 small icons on iconostance

St Barnabas (by tradition) buried  
here.

Museum Stone age tools &  
bowls 3800 B.C. - Iron age  
copper & gold & glass all  
B.C. statues & 2000 BC tombs.

sketches & pots, coins etc.

UN Khaki soldiers here & there -

Saw President's Palace (old Br. Govt  
residence) new Gov offices

Saw Can Embassy - cream white.

In pm, Dr Forest held a group  
meeting re arrangements.

19 Sat. Paid Dr Forrest 2.00 Can  
 Lunch ~~at~~ 2.50 Cyprus  
 20 Sun Taxi to & from St James  
 Or Holy Sepulchre 50 USA  
 at airport. Cyprus Brandy. 2.50 Cyp L.  
 12 1/4 Br.

Apr Israel

20 Sun. Changed \$10 Am Exp. 34.50 Jds.  
 Coffee at 9<sup>0</sup> at Led. Orange juice at kibutz <sup>75</sup> 1.65  
 21 Mon. <sup>Rambles</sup> Pipes. 1.00 PC <sup>40</sup> Stamp <sup>30</sup> Abbeysimion Chapel <sup>50</sup> 2.20  
 22 Tues PC at Damascus Gate Geth 2.00  
 to Red Sea Mother of Pearl Crosses 19.00  
 Qumran PC <sup>40</sup> Dead Sea bathing <sup>2.00</sup> <sup>2.00</sup> 2.40  
 Lemonade at Jerico <sup>60</sup> Coffee at Domiticon <sup>60</sup> 1.20  
 23 Quo fata Vocant Guide map 1.00  
 Guide to Mosque 2.00 USA  
 Changed Am Exp \$60.00 for 10 Br <sup>00</sup> USA -  
 Taxi to Host of St J. of Jerusalem <sup>2.50</sup> 2.50  
 5 Aperitives (cliviviva) Beth \$1.50 USA  
 Poor box, Ch. of Nabvi <sup>1.00</sup> 1.00  
 Folk dance performance \$5.00 USA 2.00  
 Dinner 2.00 3.49.95  
 To p 21 Sheep skin Hebron \$2.00 USA

June

20. Off in 2 taxis 3 ladies 4 men  
to St Johns Orthodox Church.

Archbp. Makarios in gold silver  
embroidered red robe with gold  
embroidered cream stole & high  
silver crown & gold staff. very  
impressive on throne - fine cut  
straight nose profile.

Choir of about 6 men east  
side with a leader & huge book  
of chanted service 8-10<sup>15</sup>.  
We are 8<sup>45</sup> & stood (mostly) till  
10<sup>15</sup>. 4 assisting priests in  
gold or white robes. Iconostance  
door opened about 9<sup>15</sup> & Archbp.  
proceeded into sanct. Mass &  
repetitions ritual. Placed crown at left of altar  
before monastic top step. Incense burning  
in 3 directions. More ceremony & has

Chanting - good voice, +  
 with crown on + 3 tapers in one  
 hand (R) + 2 in L. hand he  
 made gestures crossing hands  
 with swinging arm movement  
 other 2 times without crown he  
 came out with small Ag. cross in  
 R hand + swung it in Gk. Orthodox  
 manner up-down - R-L - 3 times  
 Bread passed out to certain worshippers,  
 monstrence shown to people.

One priest in gold robes climbed  
 ladder to high pulpit near door +  
 read (chanted) long passage.

Bells rang at close.

We saw Archbp. return to  
 his palace with one priest - both  
 in black robes + caps - slow  
 sedate walk.

Kind gentleman phoned from Cath  
 office for taxis to get us back to hotel -  
 for hurried departure to Israel



arrived at Tel Aviv -

From Lod airport To Ramle for snack  
son by military camp - and lounge  
area each side of road filled with  
Russian-made trucks & captured in  
the Sinai in 1967 6-day war -

300 kibutzim - Largest at? (1978).

1600 people - communal life

4% Pop Israel live in Kibutzim.

Industry - tannery, <sup>gate</sup>carriage, rope, chicken.

Permanik & magnesia, oranges, olives

Uncultivated 'exposed'.

W. Jerusalem was over fertile plain <sup>oranges</sup>  
& vineyards, pine forests on foot hills &  
up by villages between wh. Samson was  
born - (Delileh in Gaza on Philistine coast)

View of New Jer - in sunset sparkle golden  
hill to N. where Samuel buried & palace  
of King Hussein of Jordan before 1967 war.

Some petrol is being drilled for in Sinai.  
Some comes by boat, some from Persia ??

Came part lots of old iron & flag at burial  
places of Israeli men in war for Jerusalem.

Sun 20<sup>th</sup> Cont

16

To National Palace Hotel N. of Herod's gate  
in N. wall - after dinner with  
Mr. Baker + 3 others (Hodder + +  
into Old City by Herod's gate, down  
cobbled step st with tunnel + step  
alleyways + streets off - to wall of  
gt rectangle of Solomon's Temple now  
Mosque of Omar. Via Dolorosa along  
this wall E + W. went west + up +  
around step street + tunnel lane +  
down to Gate of Damascus - a  
thoroughfare in front of Old City -

Jews + Arabs - bazaars - jewelry  
+ fruit, fish etc. All this 8-9 pm  
in dark sky with Sirius etc + crescent moon

21 Mon By bus to Hebrew Univ. along in Judea + the  
no-man-land. To Nat of Olives, Convent of Carmel with  
with Lord's Prayer in 58 languages in panels.  
To Ascension Chapel, little Crusader octagonal,  
arches + open above - domed + closed between  
arches by Turks.

21 Cont<sup>n</sup> Jour - To Garden of Gethsemane  
Franciscan Church - a rectangle  
of living rock railed off in front of  
altar. Flowers + 2000 yr. old olive trees

32 To Bethany - traditional home of  
M + M - + Lazarus Ch. - To Bethphage  
where Jesus mounted the ass to ride  
up to Jer. - entered by Golden Gate.  
Closed up by Turks. To Gihon Spring  
+ pool of Siloah which are connected  
by King Hezekiah's 500 m. tunnel  
to bring water inside walls of old city  
of David - walls now far up valley  
side toward Hill of Sion

In afternoon on foot by  
Herod's gate down to Via Dolorosa  
+ stations of Cross to site of  
Antonius court + palace - Corner of  
Sisters of Sion on site. beside wall of  
Temple. Roman road pavement  
of blocks with cuts to prevent

chariot horses slipping -  
traced through crypt of Constantine  
& lies under Via. D. all the way  
no doubt. The Via becomes

a winding steep st. after  
passing Pilatus home & Ecce Homo  
arch & Thury long bay and part  
up Mt Golgotha to Ch. of Holy  
Sepulchre. Fine Gregorian church  
in progress by R.C. - an Orthodox Ch  
& Armenian & Little Coptic  
Chapel behind high altar. Up to  
Calvary shrine. many golden votive  
lamps. down to tiny Tomb Chapel.

Up on roof of the Coptic Chapel &  
monks houses - Easter Sat ceremonial  
parade disturbed by Abyssinian  
& fight ensued -

Marcellus narrow st. to Damascus  
gate.

Walked to end of N wall & saw

21 cont. Mt of O, Geth. &c &c.  
+ talked with Israeli girl doing  
her 18 mos compulsory mil service  
in neat khaki uniform  
Rev Mr Jarvis after dining View of  
St Georges Anglican Cath. says arabs  
in Israel are full 1<sup>st</sup> class citizens

Tues 22 Bus To Damascus Gate - garden  
of ~~the~~ <sup>the</sup> Sepulchre & Calvary - Golgotha - skull  
as Gen Gordon suggested rather than Holy Sep-  
ulchre. Garden & a Sanhedrin man's  
3-place tomb discovered & owned &  
run by Dutch Church Society - lovely  
flowers & herbs & site of a wine press &  
spring. So it was a garden.

On around west wall & up into tower for  
aptomb & open dry stone hillside & up  
to 600 bed Hadassah hosp & small  
synagogue with 9 Chagal windows  
but 3 destroyed by Jordan bombs.

Symbolic of the blessing given to  
 each - green one for richness of  
 Dark purples & blues & seen to be for  
 Simon to whom all back was professed  
 Chagal will replace the damaged  
 panes - Past Hebrew Univ.  
 parades of school children  
 for Memorial Day. Many half-  
 mast flags. To Great Museum  
 & saw 4 or 5 sections of Dead Sea  
 Scrolls - Psalm etc. Also see & by  
 Synagogue treasures & modern art  
 & sculpture (inside & out - mobiles)  
 Back to Mt Zion - 'Upper room'  
 & Crusader Ch follows over the traditional  
 place of Last Supper. Madonna  
 supposedly died (or slept) there &  
 Dormition Church erected  
 nearby the Memorial to 6<sup>th</sup> Jews  
 killed by Nazis.

22 cont 2 pm bus down Jerico  
Road - 2.0 winding miles thro  
The Judean desert of bare  
limestone & volcanic hills  
& valleys & rift valley cliffs -  
View of blue Dead Sea to SE  
Turned N to old Jerico. & saw

up in foothills the bit of old  
wall & watch tower excavated  
by Prof Kenyon (& Tringham)

South by Jerico Oasis over  
sand & dunes to N shore

Dead Sea - 1300 ft below sea level

Jerusalem 2400 ft above " "

Depth of Dead Sea 1200 ft.

Length 45 mi width 12 mi

Many tons salts extracted

About 12 of us swam. Wonderfu  
buoyancy. hard to keep feet down  
esp difficult to swim breast stroke  
feeling of feet up - head down - but

Remains of community of the Essenes on shore of Dead Sea  
with green mts or paper to west - from Ram caves & scrolls

on back I could raise both  
arms above elbow out of water  
& stay floating -  
Drove back up to Jer. in 1 hour.  
On way down saw town half way  
to Jerico - there for centuries - Parable

23 Wed St. George's Day.

Walked to Garden of Joseph of Arimathea  
for Communion Service & Good songs.

This might well be the garden tomb & the  
Calvary just south at site of Ch. of Holy Sep.  
A rich man wd. have his garden at  
least a little distance from Calvary.

Taxis to Ophelmic Hosp of St John of Jerusalem  
& met Dr & Mrs Boase & British Consul.

Judge Buchanan & Mr Emmet presented to us.

Coffee & chat with Br Consul - Says Arabs in  
old Jer. resent Israeli domination - He  
thinks if City is retained it should be an  
Arab governed borough or greater Jer.



23 cont. Guide - an RC Jordanian  
says better resentment esp. on  
part of better educated who were  
in Gov. jobs in old Jer. & now out  
of work. Israeli have not inter-  
fered with religion or ed<sup>n</sup> or  
Arab police system within city.  
But police report to Israeli officer  
at top.

At 10<sup>30</sup> with guide by Herod's Gate S  
to Temple site. Dome of Rock Mosque  
v. impressive 3<sup>rd</sup> Temple (Herod's)  
destroyed 70 AD. Solomons T. 1000 ± BC  
Mosque 500 ± AD. Rock of Sacrifice  
under gold leaf & red high dome -  
Blue canopy, gilded below when  
given by Saladin (1100 ±)  
Marble columns, Persian + Saracenic  
style - Now a shrine with a  
mosque. Large 5000 capacity

Mosque of El Aqaba. inside (20)  
of Solomon's stables - Part of the  
original Temple wall - huge blocks  
of stone form railing wall  
N. portion for men - S. part fenced off  
for women -

In apt. by bus S. to Helron -  
low stone hills - then vines & orchards  
Bethlehem 12 mi S. then a  
village of 400 now 17000 with  
industry - mother of pearl & wood carving  
introduced by Crusaders - <sup>at Helron</sup> ~~at Bethlehem~~  
Mosque tomb of Abraham Sarah Isaac  
& Jacob - all closed for holiday -  
Saw ancient tree traditionally where  
Abraham entertained angels -

Saw Solomon's pools - 12 mi S of Jer.  
Sol drove there in his chariot -  
Bought sheep skin at <sup>Helron</sup> ~~Bethlehem~~.

Went in pm to Madocra folk dancing -

24 Thurs. 845 off north passed  
high suburb where King Hussein's  
villa (purple washed) & unfinished  
palace - Mizpah where Saul  
named King. Flowers in hillside  
purple & yellow shrub above dry  
Wadi. Terraces & v. fertile flat  
valley. Some sheep & goats &  
ploughing. wheat olives pomegranates  
almonds, figs, etc.

To Nablus (Sichem or Shechem of  
treachery & perfidy of Jacob's sons)  
Jacob's Well 45 m. deep. 140ft  
Tasted water. Ruined byzantine  
cl. around well.

N. to Samaria. Hebrew, Roman & Gk  
Herod's house where Salome danced  
& John the B. was beheaded.  
Jezebel's ivory temple, Roman  
theatre Gk acropolis with fine  
round watch tower - Harvard excavations.

Apr from p 14

24<sup>th</sup> Mon. Trip to room waiter \$1.00 per hotel for  
 4 breakfast trays.  
 Samaritanas Springs of gas \$1.00  
 Mt. Tabor Franc Monastery - fruit } 0.40  
 25 Fri changed \$2 USA - { <sup>3.50</sup> 3.50 l. P.C. 1.00  
 Lemon drink <sup>55</sup> Tea at Klobutz <sup>60</sup> 1.15  
 Tea at Nazareth <sup>90</sup> .90  
 26 Sat Coffee at Acre (Akko) .75  
 Cider <sup>165</sup> 1.65  
 27 Sun Driver \$1.00 <sup>USA</sup>  
 Out Tax \$2.00 + .45  
 from p 14 6.20  
 34.95  
 Total \$22 41.15

Sun Athens

27 changed \$2 USA for 59 drachmas  
 Tea at Constitution Sq. 10.00  
 28 Mon PC credit <sup>59</sup> 59 l. <sup>5</sup> 5 coffee cheese pie <sup>19</sup> 19  
 Constitution Sq. Cafe  
 Ca. Zeus Champ for Olga \$1.00 (changed \$1.00)  
 29 Tue Airport Tax <sup>40</sup> 40 2 choc Bars <sup>10</sup> 10  
 Total \$4.00 USA 50  
 85.95

24<sup>th</sup> cont<sup>d</sup>. In Nablus or Sicheem -  
(pron. Sheem) about 2:50 of 400  
descendants of Samaritans some -  
other group in Tel Aviv - never cut  
hair. Red skull caps - may not marry  
outside ∴ bad degeneracy - pitiful  
examples - Torah (5 bks of Moses only)  
in very ancient Ag container. Monks  
selling p.c. Sad sight.

Am up into vast fertile Valley of  
Jezreel opening W. into Esdralon  
Mt Gilboa + 2000 ft isolated  
Mt Tabor with Franciscan monastery  
of 4<sup>th</sup> Century + subsequently - nice  
Alabama monk welcomed us - another  
sang in Refectory as we had lunch  
+ in Church - with 4<sup>th</sup> C. altar.

This is said to be Mt of Transfiguration  
+ just below altar is living rock -  
limestone - top of mt - touched it  
Saw no good views - Church has  
very hazy

4<sup>th</sup> C. chapel to Elias &  
one to Moses - with glass mosaics

Drove <sup>up</sup> down 15 zigzags in hills  
to bus & on down Mt. Tabar &  
across valley & up to hillside city

of Nazareth. New Grand Hotel  
45,000 mostly Moslems. new city across valley  
with apartments & "habitat" - about 30,000 new settlers  
Jews

25<sup>th</sup> Fri. Off 8<sup>30</sup> down into Old Nazareth

To Franciscan ch. Over cellar cave  
under Joseph's house - tradition

+ great new adjacent ch of Annunciation  
ordered by Pope John 23. or blessed by  
Pope Paul. Grotto of Annunciation  
with Stalago fresco

shrine v. large above & around the  
open grotto, open Octagonal to large  
upper ch - with panel mosaics  
lovely one from Japan, one from Poland  
etc. all roof & perhaps the mosaic  
essentially. Cult of Virgin

up by new Nazareth a "habitat"  
etc. Down across valley & on down

25 Cont over plains where Saladin  
defeated Crusaders & drove them  
back to Acre - 1291  $\pm$

Down 700 ft below sea level to  
Lake of Galilee at Tiberias.

Maimonides Tomb somewhere in city.

By little Dutch built ship (giving a  
Can play for us) across lake, Boat  
stopped with view of coast up W  
Mt of ~~Transfiguration~~ <sup>Beatitudes</sup> - perhaps 700 ft  
above lake - Franciscan Octagonal Ch. on

Top -- Dr F read Beatitudes + part  
of Sermon on the Mt. + Lord's Prayer.

On to a Kibbutz terrace restaurant  
with inlet of lake full of fish  
fighting for bread bits. El Ein Ger  
After lunch 6 of us swam - lovely  
warm refreshing water - very slippery  
stone edge with boulders.

On bus S. down E side under Golan  
heights to end of lake + its exit

into Jordan river - lovely trees 23  
eucalyptus etc. Bottles filled  
Around to west side & north to  
Capernaum - Ruins of synagogues  
of 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Centuries built on a Roman  
Temple erected after 70 AD.

To Y.M.C.A. chapel at water edge  
below a garden of hibiscus - large.  
East window large & wide overlooking lake  
We sang 23<sup>rd</sup> psalm

Up mt of beatitudes - ch. locked - 8  
windows showed simplicity within  
Down to Ch. of Multiplication of  
loaves & fishes - supposedly on  
site of feeding 5000 -

Back to Nazareth by 6 pm

Israeli blame Syria re water for irrigation  
Syria blames Israel " " " " " "

On Galilee hillside a bedouin family with  
sheep in a thistle meadow. The man shearing  
a passive sheep out in the field. Family  
wanting corn from those with cameras -  
Bedouins here & there with black low tents



26 Sat from Nazareth <sup>can</sup>  
along ridge between Jezreel  
valley (river to Sea of Galilee)  
& Esdraelon (river to Mediterranean)  
fertile — to Acco or Acre  
Old Crusader fort & harbour  
(Slide of boats & sea wall)

\* South to Caesarea. Helion,  
Roman & Byzantine town - Khan  
Cinn. <sup>rooms</sup> ~~almshouses~~ stables around large  
court, old streets, market, port  
whence Paul sailed for Rome -  
(Slide of headland) walls & further  
along fine amphitheatre by sea.

\* On to Haifa from Acre & saw  
Ba'hai shrine & lovely gardens  
& view over Bay of Haifa on slopes  
of Mt Carmel - Mt Carmel where  
appts have superb view of Bay, ca  
mils N. N is Acre - waded at  
beach place near Caesarea -  
Shells

On S. to Tel Aviv & through <sup>24</sup>  
main streets - 60 years old -  
about 2,000,000 people - many  
cement factories along coast -  
of Plain of Sharon  
To Hotel Sharon - swim  
in pool - Dinner with  
Judge Buchanan <sup>Edmiston</sup> & Mr Emmett &  
Rev Mr Hodder (St John's) Blackstone.

27<sup>th</sup> Sun. off 7<sup>30</sup> am to airport  
& high over Cyprus, Rhodes &c.  
Arr Athens 10<sup>50</sup> am & to Athene Palace Hotel  
Lovely room - with Dr Bickle &c to  
Constitution Sq. to Cafe for tea -  
off 3 pm by bus to Philoppos &  
Acropolis - whiteness of city &  
vastness & glory of Parthenon &  
Propylaea & gem-like Athens  
To Zeus & Stadium 6600, & Royal  
Palace Guard Vigions & post

27 Sun cont

University & Park. Bellz.  
2 1/2 hr - mostly up on Acropolis  
& Mars Hill

at 7 pm walked to GK Evangelical  
Church opposite Hadrian's arch.  
at Zeus Temple very plain & informal  
Dinner with white wine (Dimitrakis)

28 Mon Off in bus to Daphni. Site of GK temple  
& 11<sup>th</sup> C. present Byzantine Ch. - Panto crater

(no scaffolding now) Part of many mural  
mosaics - Poppies - deep red in fields &  
vineyards. Did not go to Eleusis. Around  
Bay of Salamis & along coastal high road  
to Corinth Canal 5 1/2 mi long 68 ft &  
wide. P.C. nice cream + on to old C.  
GK city 5000 BC strategic pt on  
Isthmus & 2 harbours W & E.  
At Acropolis high up on rocky  
hill top & agora, Temple to Apollo  
baths etc. Back now stop to shop

near & below on SW of acropolis

Lunch at Constitution Sq  
& walked down to Hagia Triphos -  
then old Cath. on to old Turkish  
quarter & around N side of Agora  
up west side. Decided not to  
climb up to Obel at 3:30. Back  
by S side of Agora & little white  
streets up acropolis N. slopes  
& into Cathedral & home to  
find Mrs Maers (?) keen to see  
Caths. & Flea market shop.  
Took her there & back 6 pm.

Group gathering after dinner -  
with song, poem Viking Marten Jenkinson -  
& speech by Judge Buchanan -

29<sup>th</sup> June. Off Athens airport 11 am  
after news from Dr Forrest that Ann Ann  
will take us NY & Tos due to Air Can  
strike!

View of Mt Olympus??

N over Yugoslavia, Zagreb, Eastern  
Alps v. fine N-S ridges + snow,  
over Austria to Munich - off NW  
at 2 pm to Copenhagen -

Left Copenhagen 5 pm. i.e. 10 am NY  
time - Arr. NY Idelwylde 7 pm  
8 hr. across Greenland tip + Labrador

[V. snow + ice bound over Labrador]

Off Am-Airways 9:25 pm - La Guardia  
i.e. 3:25 am by Athens time -

Crowded port - Arr. Tor 10:30.

Tani to 342. 11 pm.

30<sup>th</sup> off to K. 9:40 am bus.

## Approx Costs -

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In Canada (171) 1272.

Italy \$16 USA \$1 Can 19

Egypt 6 4 10

Lebanon 9 5 15

Cyprus 4 2 6

Israel 22 - 24

Greece 4 -

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| 4           |
| <u>1350</u> |

Israel - Mrs Helen Kittner - 6 Sokolov St. Jer  
Princ. High Sch.

Dr Hanna Gelber 15 Ben Mannon Ave Jer  
M.D.

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00198 Rome Prof. Arts

Mrs A Marchetti Via Nicola Ricciotti 9  
00195 Rome Prof.

Lebanon Mrs Ikram Haffar - Min. of Edu. Beirut.

Egypt Mrs Bothaina Abd. El-Hamid 11 Salem Salem St  
agouza - Cairo.

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Neo Psychio - Athens

Mrs A. Doanides 12 Vassilissis Sofias Av. Athens 138

Tel Aviv - Laura Mrs Ronald Adney PO Box 2773 Tel Aviv

Europe  
1969 1.

Danube  
Finland

~~Sweden~~

Ireland

IF Council



Albert Douglas

Summer 1969.

Passport FK 938894

13 Feb. 1969-74.

Next of kin

Dr Mary Douglas

Jacksons Point. Ont. Can.

1969

|     |                      |            |
|-----|----------------------|------------|
| May | Dep. on Danube trip  | \$ 110.00  |
|     | + 10 for Zeng Buskin |            |
|     | Visas                | 12.        |
|     | Kent Tom 320-100     | 220.       |
|     | BOAC. Mil - Vienna   | <u>704</u> |
|     |                      | \$ 1046.   |



PEL

July 15 \$107 Can + ~~\$~~3.80  
\$23 USA.

Am Exp. Chg \$490  
£10-0-0

17 Draw £25-0-0  
22 " 10-0-0

Aug 11 "



July  
15. To Dorset 12.30 - Transferred to a  
6.30 pm Boac flight from 10 pm.

16 Wed. Arr. London 6.30 am  
To Boac Ter. + to Crosby Hall  
To matinee Haymarket for  
Douglas Rain in Hadrian VII.

17 Thurs To B of M + walked up to  
Cumberland Hotel - Martha Low from Moran  
+ Felicia Stallman - Down thro Hyde Pk. +  
Sloane St. Bought 'Rose'. Felicity Pember  
for dinner -

18 Fri. To Deans Dawson (the Anderson) + to Chud's  
agent 16<sup>a</sup> Queen St. (ret. Tues) To BFA + Com H. + to  
Aldwich - no seats for Cor Edin Bolshoi <sup>lunch at</sup> <sup>Black Swan</sup>  
on old Savoy St.  
Supper in pub at Aldwich + to Trochus + Christida  
Long tedious spectacle - Phoned Ingram 11<sup>15</sup> pm

19<sup>a</sup> Sat With Peter Wyld 12<sup>30</sup> - 1<sup>10</sup> wait at Embankment  
To St James St. Pub (Buttery) + to his flat 8 Duke St - SW 1  
for coffee + on to Brook St to see Brass Sculpture.

London Cash Exp.

|                   |                      |                 |         |
|-------------------|----------------------|-----------------|---------|
| <u>July 16</u>    | - Sherry on plane    | 35 <sup>c</sup> | £ 5 d.  |
|                   | Air bus              | 7/6             | 16-0    |
|                   | Taps                 | 2/-             |         |
|                   | Taxi                 | 6/6             |         |
|                   | Bus                  | 2/6             |         |
|                   | Postage              | 4/6             |         |
|                   | Food                 | 9/-             | 18.3    |
|                   | Tea                  | 2/3             |         |
|                   | Hadrian VII          | 25/-            | 1. 5. 0 |
| <u>17. Thurs.</u> | Bus                  | 1/4             |         |
|                   | Drew                 | £ 2.5           |         |
|                   | Vin                  | 12/             |         |
|                   | Milk                 | 2/6             | 16.3    |
| <u>Fri 18</u>     | Lunch                | 5/6             |         |
|                   | Bus                  | 2/2             |         |
|                   | Trodor               | 18/-            | 1. 5. 6 |
|                   | Supper               | 3/10            | 2 -     |
|                   | Taxi                 | 5/-             |         |
|                   | Sat 19 <sup>th</sup> | Hem             | 12/6    |
|                   |                      |                 | 1. 2. - |
|                   | Cheese & Biscuits    | 16/-            | 16.0    |
| <u>Sun 20</u>     | Taxi                 | 1.0.6           |         |
|                   | chesterfield         | 2.15.0          |         |
|                   | Taxi                 | 3/-             | 3. 18.6 |
|                   | Colln                | 10/-            |         |
|                   | Mon 21               | (Refer)         |         |
|                   | Mr Stevenson         | £ 1.            | 1. 10.0 |
|                   | Bus & Taxi           | 1/6 + 3/        |         |
|                   | Coffee on train      | 1/6             | 6.0     |
| <u>Tues 22</u>    | (over)               | Bus             | 1/6     |
|                   | Lunch                | 6/-             |         |
|                   | Choc                 | 2/3             |         |
|                   | Paper                | 1/5             | 10.3    |
|                   | Drew                 | £ 10.00         |         |
|                   | Bus                  | 4/-             |         |
|                   | Phone                | 4/3             |         |
|                   | Cross                | 8               | 8.8     |
| <u>Wed. 23</u>    | Coffee (late)        | 1/-             |         |
|                   | Bus                  | 1/-             |         |
|                   | PO                   | 6/6             |         |
|                   | Lunch                | 10/-            | 12.6    |
|                   | Kilner               | 2/-             |         |
|                   | Choc                 | 9/-             |         |
|                   | Bus from "Angel"     | 1/6             |         |
|                   | lipstick             | 2/-             | 14.6    |
| <u>Thurs 24</u>   | at Crosby Hall       | 15.0.0          |         |
|                   |                      | 21.10           | 17.0.0  |
| <u>Fri 25</u>     | Taxi to airport      | 28/6 + 7/-      | 15.6    |

Tip in Vienna

£ 32.17.0  
20

Bal £ 12.0.3

£ 32.19.0

1969

Sun 20 To 55 Pancras before 8 am for 852  
to Chesterfield. an hour late. Essie, Ingram  
John + Sarah + later Anne. Garden very  
lovely. To Emsay. Watched TV for  
Apples XI landing in late evening + at  
2.15 am till 6 am Armstrong + Aldrin on  
lunar surface -

Mon 21 (Cedar Day) up at 9.30 Chats +  
off on 5.15 pm train. Arr. Crosby Hall 9 pm

Tues 22 Bus 89 up Pic + to Dartmouth  
Travel Agent of Chugh - no refund yet.

To RAs re IAV dates Aug 18-27 - 1970.

To Kardomah + then waited an hour  
at Simpsons but no Bowie.

To B of M + home. May Hermer at CH  
for dinner.

Wed 23 To Tate Gal. Monet - Piss. Sisley etc Blake  
Along Embankment to Northumberland Ave  
+ Roy Comm. Society. to meet M Bowie  
lunch + to Queen's Gallery Buck. Palace

where the L. da V. drawings are on view - walked back to C. Hall.

Thurs 24 With May Hermer to Regents Pk.

Queen's Gardens - magnificent roses etc  
+ lunch at Reed St.

Saw new statue to Sir Thomas More at Old Ch. Chelsea. Talked with Dr Kochamara

at Dinner in C. Hall.

Fri 25 off to Airport 8<sup>15</sup> am.

+ from Heath Row at 12<sup>30</sup> To Vienna

2<sup>30</sup> Long journey arrive (Shuttle Service to Pensione Lenz - Very nice room - shower.

To Rathaus for 8 pm all Strauss Concert in huge inner Court. 3000 seats - filled.

Sat 26 Along Alserstrasse by great Vienna hospital - famous Univ. Krankhaus.

Tram along Ring to Opera + to Confern flight 14<sup>th</sup> To Helberker Lufthaus.

Down Karlnerstr + bought p<sup>er</sup> Straf + a glass. To Augustiner Keller for

lunch (schutzel + salad + white wine - \$ 1.75)

To folk garden for ice cream.

Sat 26 cont Out in pm. To off  
Votive church for supper.

Dreifaltigkeits Kirche near Zenz  
has Tomb of Beethoven - Plaque  
& inscription In v. B in dieser  
Kirche wurde der Leichnam  
des Kusterbuchen. Am 29 März  
1827 eingeseignet.

Sun 27 To ch Dreifaltigkeits  
but sermon in progress. White  
romanesque - To Wharf 10:30.

+ off on SS Carpate at noon

Only one English lady (married to  
a Swiss) on board. Many W Germans  
Wooded banks - benches - many

young people swimming - 3 hydrofoyles  
zoomed past - 160 mi to Budapest  
we go 14 mph - Beer with lunch

+ rum + Rumanian Riesling etc  
dinner. Hot under sun down -

Bratislava quite a city - high square Schloss



Austria \$1 usd = 25.5 schilling -

25 July changed at Airport \$5 = 126.5

changed at Bank \$20 AmEx 511.3

Total sch. 637

Bar Airport to Pong Zeng 80

Beer 19 Tram 5 PC 12 stamps 21 58

26 Sat 10 Strauss Concert 20 Trubler 9  
10 Luftkansa opp Opera 20

Icecream 13 Supper 7 + 11 Lunch 29 31

Refund on \$10 deposit for 2 days 15.5 29

∴ Total sch. 652

27 Sun Taxi to Nocky 40 Bag 49 44  
271

\$5. Carpati - Water 7

30 Wed Bar Herculane Baths fr. Orsova 56

31 Thurs. see p 6. Recd. 15 sch. ∴ Total s. 667

Cash S. 347.40

Aug 2 SS Carpati water \$1.00 + 10 (p. 6) 10

4 Mon pc stamp Yugoslavia 2.40

6 Wed. 5 pc stamps Hungary - 12.50

7 Thurs Harbour tax Budapest 10.

9 Sat Water (see p. 6) 5.

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July

Mon 28. Light of Budapest  
at 1 <sup>am</sup> Beautiful sight with 4  
bridges. High hills on R bank - Buda.

Bar at 9-12. Guide just graduated  
in Elect Eng. 5 yr for Magister. In Oct  
begins in good post in large  
elect works at \$60/mth. In 10  
years may get \$100. 10% goes to  
housing. Food inexpensive

but mens clothing dear. \$70 a skilled  
workmans pay for 1 mth. Med. &  
educ free. but competition to get  
into univ. USA \$ not accepted  
in shops. tried to get a \$5.50 American  
gay dress but could find no nearby  
bank to exchange \$.

Fine churches. Cathedral of St Stephen  
14th King. 1000 AD. Fine Square  
with curved series of statues of  
Hungarian dynasties King Kolman

a priest's denounced belief in <sup>(5)</sup>  
witchcraft + forbid burning  
of witches - great views from  
Coronation Ch <sup>Highway</sup> + Citadel

Sailed at 4<sup>30</sup> Long Island Park,  
Parliament <sup>some to much better</sup>  
flat plain. tree lined sandy river  
banks. Many tug barges +  
self propelled barges.

Tues 29 Entered Yugoslavia about  
2 am. docked for  $\frac{1}{2}$  hr 2<sup>30</sup> at  
Bazdan - immigration control. A  
large shaggy dog at barge-dock  
met ship. fed by 2 crew.

Coolish in air. Till about 10.  
Great <sup>perhaps by opp Novists at Petrovaradin + 2 bridges.</sup>  
Lonely clove scented air in  
early am.

Arr. Belgrade. 2 pm. Bus at 3-5  
many fine tree-lined streets + parks. Museum  
of presents given Tito. Orthodox Ch just above  
harbour which is up Sava which here  
flows into Danube. Shopped for a cod

Tues 29 cont

dress with Mrs + Mrs Haug (at Zurich - she is English - v - friendly -) all too small - walked back to Carpati as rain began Much building - modernistic new for Bldgs. People mostly less well dressed than in Budapest.

Wed 30 Up at Moldava at 6 + wonderful run winding E, N. S N-S through Kazan Pass - Iron Gate.

Limestone, granite + Sedimentary many fine folds WNW - One way passage betw. signal points.

River open up with valley, fields, houses.

This section from below Severin is to be flooded - hydrodam - Lower part of Orsova where we docked for 5 hrs will be submerged. Demolition in progress Desolation - women in pink shade of blue smocks piling bricks - 5 soldiers on a steep roof taking up tiles - wooden

29 July Tues.

Changed \$1 = 12.4 dinara. Yugosl

30 Wed Changed \$1 = 16 lei - Romania

Ticket To Herceleana from Orsova p 4 -

31 Thurs Changed \$1 for 40<sup>c</sup> USA Bucharest post tax  
7<sup>4</sup> and 60<sup>c</sup> in Austrian 15 schil.

1 Aug Fri \$4<sup>00</sup> for bus boat trip. Bucharest p 2 lei

2 Aug Sat SS Carpatic winter \$1 + 10 sch. p 4

Marmara - Swimming cubicle 5 lei

3 Aug - 4 Aug Yugoslav stamp (pct 100) p. 4 "

5 Aug Tues. \$1 USA for Yugosl. visa!

6 Wed Beograd - Cafe turgel (2) <sup>4.40</sup> choc<sup>2</sup> } 12.40  
Coca' sp. c<sup>5</sup> [no dinars left]

9 Sat To water \$1<sup>00</sup> + 6 lei (Romania + exp. 4) 6 lei

Cable mail \$1<sup>00</sup> - USA

30 Wed contd

shute to 4 soldiers on ground  
and 4 red cap officers in street  
chatting + smoking + presumably  
overseeing. New town up in tiers  
around curve of valley.

2 men. one old shaggy fellow with  
an axe, told Mr Hang they can  
speak 5 languages - but only menial  
work or none.


Bus up Cerna valley - rich region  
a flower + tree reserve. One fine  
Canadian "Wellingtonia" only specimen  
in Romania. Mines for Cobalt +  
+ factories for farm <sup>instruments</sup> ~~products~~.

Into narrow deep valley with towering  
grey granite cliffs. Thermal springs  
+ many baths - H<sub>2</sub>O from 5000 ft  
depth 52°C. Great Therapeutic centre  
Road S in water. Long square with  
cream + pale green facades - Bath or

Hera, of Neptune, of Apollo etc.  
marble corridors & cubicles - 50°C at times  
and large tanks for men -  
Ruins of ancient Roman baths 7 km up  
the valley - but we did not go there -  
Thunderstorm, great rains - 2 movies of Danube

31 Thurs. Left Orsova 5 am. & in 1/2 hr we  
were out of the Carpathians. Great steel bridge  
below Orsova & Severin. + suspension  
bridge. Rural scenery. sheep. Black pig  
gulls + duck. Great steel bridge is to be completed  
by 1971 as hydro dam.

1 Aug Fri Approaching Giurgiu (Jergia) Flora  
Russe or Roschuk a busy town on the opp-  
bank of Bulgaria. Bus 1/4 hr up to  
Bucarest. Gypsies + Caravans - wicker  
covered. Bus slowed to a stop for photos  
of gypsies furious, threw stones -

To park with fine flowers + long ave  
approach to red granite memorial to  
Rumanian heroes 5 high columns with  
semi-circ. arches.  very high

Aug 1 cont A fine city in progress -  
Good gov + university bldgs + hospitals  
365 small Rumanian Orthodox Churches  
Went in to a very old Ch. rich chandeliers  
+ Ag lamps + gilt iconostance 2 bearded  
archimandrites chanting at side altar  
beautiful voices. Lunch at large Lido  
hotel - terrace overlooking large pool  
with artificial waves + breakers -  
visited museum - garden of old house.

Off at 2<sup>30</sup> in bus to a lake + boat  
up to Monastery Island with 15<sup>th</sup> c church  
pillars + roof covered with saintly frescoes.  
Then to a lake side cafe beer etc.

Coming back stopped by police. Pres. Nixon  
arriving next day + no prayers allowed in  
Bucarest! 25 min delay + then permission  
to proceed to huge restaurant for our dinner  
+ display of Rumanian dances + music - gay  
Back to SS Carpatis by 10 pm.

Buses of Sunflower for cooking oil, maize + hay -



Communal farms + harvesters. Each (8)  
man allowed to own 3000 m<sup>2</sup> for his  
own use or to sell its produce.

Sata Aug 2 Bus at 8<sup>30</sup> to Mamaia.

Sunflower, maize, hay + near sea vines.

Mamaia on a N-S spit of sand with several  
large hotels + their flower gardens, weeping willows

mountain ash poplars etc. Long deep fine sand  
beach behind hotel. Cubicles under terrace

restaurant. Water very lovely. prob 70°

Good breakers but no wind force. Lunch

at 1 with 4 German ladies. Dined, watched

sailboats + bathers, waded + off - to ship

5-7 pm. Sailed S up river at 9 pm.

Right bank sandstone cliffs - low - + grassy

'downs' like Eng S. Downs.

Siva Aug 3. Up stream low wooded shores -

ship building at Ottenita. SS Carbate

+ SS Ottenita built there. Giurgiu at 10<sup>30</sup>

Cocktails in lounge + Sigi's Talk to passengers -

Rum on Skad in Narrock.

Sun Aug 3 <sup>cool</sup> No further tour into B. for me.  
Met 2 nice Welsh people, and D. & name  
of Paris - He is physicist of solid state  
Went ashore at 2:30 but rain & thunder.

Mon 4 Aug Up thro Wallachian plain  
with a lower part <sup>in left</sup> higher land on Bulgarian  
side with several good towns, orchards &  
vineyards - ch. & mosque - brown tiled houses.  
At Kozloduz 425 mi up from mouth  
Danube has greatest width. ?? 3 mi + ?

Cormorants, cranes, gulls - cranes had  
lots of white, saw no flamingos or pelicans in delta.

Vidin large town - industry. Old fort built  
on Roman fort foundations. Many  
white geese on river banks. Very little  
fishing. The good fishing must be at delta.

Tues 5 All night at Toran Severin. Pilot in  
am + at 6 am off up to great dam + the cataracts.  
8 generators to be built. Output will equal  
that of all <sup>power stations</sup> ~~houses~~ up to Verina. Begun  
in 1964! Hope to complete by end '72. Cost is  
\$ 300-10<sup>6</sup>. 2 locks on Rumanian side to

raise ships to lake level - (9)  
We passed the rocky portion 'cataracts' - (very  
different usage from on Nile - by canal, S. P.  
blasted out about 1900 by Austria, Serbia  
& Rumania <sup>(League of Nations S. P.)</sup> Stopped 4 hr. at Orsova  
for trip to Heraclea Sta - I walked  
up road by houses being demolished  
30 000 people being rehoused along  
this flooded stretch.

Up through Kazan passes 80 mi ± with  
rise to 1500 ft above river & just inland  
to 4000. Great tree covered bluffs - with gray  
escarpments & pinnacles - opens out to wide  
valley (~~passport~~ check here) with rich side  
valleys & villages - closes in again - fine  
sudden ending with great 8 tower ruin  
of old Turk fortress up to top of a high  
rocky steep bluff. But wide shallow  
stretch with sand bar - the navigable  
channel very close to left shore -  
Drop of job of Rumanian Immigration near  
at Moldova - 5:30 pm.

Tues 5 cont Flocks & flocks of white geese.  
A few fishermen in row boats.  
Arr Belgrade 11 pm.

Wed. 6 Off with Stuttgart friendly lady  
at 8 am to shops & Place Republique.  
Had Turkish coffee there at 1 of 2 huge outdoor  
cafés. Then bought choc, cocoa & pc. &  
walked in Park - fine terraces & up  
behind is great Fort with military  
Museum of Cannon & guns in dry moat.  
To ship to sail at 10<sup>30</sup> am. Off at 1<sup>30</sup> pm

Some barges being pushed up stream.  
Most being towed - 2 behind 2 behind 2 or  
3, 4, or 5 abreast - Some side paddle  
tugs - Much waving & also from people on  
shore - Gentle scenery - Red glow in eve.

Thurs 7 - Talked yest with Newmarket pair  
of Steve Donaghe & Camb & Ely. Also B'ham pair -  
Former a lab technician.


Cattle at river edge.

Arr. Budapest 5 pm. Passport check. 8<sup>30</sup> pm. Walked  
over one bridge - along Buda water front & back by upper <sup>bank</sup>

Fri. 8 Walked up river on East side  
beyond 2 bridges to great pile of Parl. Bluffs.  
no admission. 2 young soldiers at each door.  
fine embankments on both sides.

8 bridges. Fine views of bluffs, monuments.  
Palace (twice size of Buck. Pal) with di  
3 series of walls + escape route to river.  
Coronation Church + Fisherman's Bastion.  
Off at 4 after passport check at 3.

Fine Danube 'Gorge' at big double  
bend. just before Hungary-Czechoslovakia  
border on left bank. Many pleasure  
steamers, + canoes + skiffs.

Sat 9<sup>th</sup> Steaming up at very low river level  
Soundings at places - stopped to tel 3 about  
barges by. Many fishermen on R bank  
+ little fishers huts - large nets on iron  
supports  to left + lower.

Bratislava 12 noon - Castle. + Church  
where Marie Theres crowned Queen of Hungary  
Our speed up this section about 7 mph

Sat 9<sup>th</sup> Cont

Hydrofoyle goes Vienna to Budapest in 5 hr. @ about 35 mph.

Arr - Vienna 6 pm E. European time or 5 pm Austrian time. Got taxi to 21 Alserstrasse, Zenz Pension.

Letters from O. Tea & laundry then up to Cafe for Eis in glass.

Sun 10 Aug. Walker to Augustiner Kirche no music - down to St Stefan & through 14<sup>th</sup> C. Crypt & catacombs. Mozart buried there. place uncertain. Sarcophagi of Hapsburgs. Sometimes bodies dismembered & various parts in 3 churches. Midday Mass with Organ surrounding through cath. & congregational singing of hymns & responses.

Lunch in Augustiner Keller

Phoned Irene Antoina "beretst"

" Alma Stemböck - To phone me Tues 9<sup>am</sup>

Austria from 12.4.56

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Sat 9 Aug

Shilling  
fund 374.

Taxi-Ship to Zenz

40.

Supper 14.30

St Stefan Coll<sup>10</sup> misc<sup>1.65</sup> 16

Sun 10 Lunch 47.30

Crypt<sup>8</sup> 8

1/2 chick + salad + etc 47.30

Mon 11 Postcard 9 40 Am Exp. 1024 sch. -

Total Aus st. 1691 -

Miss<sup>2</sup> 6 Calendars 51 5 Serviette pkts<sup>27</sup> 80.

Stamps 32 PC<sup>4</sup> Lunch Jokers garden<sup>31</sup> 67.

Banana + roll<sup>3</sup> / Chereshuts roll<sup>4</sup> 7.

Tues 12 Pd Zenz for 5 days + 2/phonacell<sup>4</sup> 604.

Kunst Museum<sup>10</sup> Stamps<sup>3.50</sup> PC<sup>5</sup> 18.50

Lunch Sternböck v Spitzmüller<sup>130+60</sup> 190.

Wed 13 10 Tea bags<sup>5</sup> Lunch Antoine<sup>85</sup> 90.

Supper (200h)<sup>10</sup> 10

Thurs 14 s. 1561.90

Airport Tax<sup>40</sup> Bus<sup>80</sup> choc<sup>18</sup> 138

no balance 1700

Mon 11 Aug. To Post office & to  
Kunst Inn - closed all mon. Thro Burg  
Gardens To Shop for Calendar and  
paper envelopes. Up to Volksgarten for  
lunch. Walked home 25 min.

To Dr Antonia's at 5 pm with note. Warm  
welcome. I pick her up 12<sup>30</sup> Wed.

Walked behind great grey Krankhaus to  
higher part with 3 large asphalt blocks. Suffer  
in my room with Compti cheese & Belgrad cows

Tues 12 Stenböck phoned 8<sup>45</sup> am to  
meet at Regina Hotel - <sup>across from</sup> opp. Votive Kirche.  
To Kunst Museum. Breugel, Raphael Rembrandt  
&c &c. To Regina's cafe & lunch with  
Alma Stenböck - joined by Dr Spitzmuller  
for desert & coffee.

To Rathaus for Concert - Gluck, Haydn,  
a modern, & fine Mendelssohn - 8-9<sup>45</sup>

Wed 13 long walk to Luft Haus opp. Opera to  
check Shuttle bus to airport. Back to Hofburg to meet Spitzmuller  
for ~~four~~ four of the ~~top~~ top  
Crown jewels & Holy Roman Empire.



Crown (oldish 962) worn over  
mitre as King of Bohemia - 600 years of  
Hapsburgs - not hereditary - elected -  
One from Sicily - ancient gems with  
mystic virtues - pearls + on robes  
of gold thread + embroidery - sword  
given Emperor by Haroun al Rashid  
to Volksgarten for coffee.

To Zeng + to get Dr Antoine - walked  
to Volksgarten for lunch - Drove  
back with Dr (Hen) Antoine + grandson  
at 4<sup>45</sup> - 5 walked to Dr Spitzmuller  
for coffee + bread + honey - + back  
by 6<sup>45</sup> - Very hot today.

Thurs 14 Aug. Off in Shuttle bus 9 am.

Air take off. 11<sup>45</sup> Changed plane

Frankfurt + met J. Chator there.

Off + on plane at Hamburg -

Arr. Helsinki. 5<sup>30</sup> G. Summit. Met by

Mrs Lehtja Pika's son. Who drove us to his

mother's large office for cocktail party -

Members from about 20 Natl Ass<sup>ns</sup>.  
Then to Academica Hotel. With  
Chaton to Dinner at Cafe Royal.  
Sat off Australian Mrs Cook (Sydney)

Fri. 15 Aug To Panuki (Bank) for  
cash. To Rly Stn with bags. To  
Stockmans shop. On attractive spruce  
off with group to Hämeenlinna  
with packed lunch & tea on train.  
Bus to Aulanka MR Hotel. Lovely  
room + veranda overlooking small lake &  
woods. Coffee + 1<sup>st</sup> Session. Elvengren  
& Chaton. Dr Kingren so warmly  
friendly & helpful re Tampere stay.  
Dinner. Sat by Pres. Jarvis. Music

Sat 16. Walk by lake. Bkfst +  
Session 9<sup>15</sup>. Hilton, Escola. Valensi.  
Lunch r 130-305 Session Roy + +

Bus to town. Castle, Sibelius house  
of birth - museum - Out through woods  
& on a high moraine & to bridge over

Finland

from p. 11.

Aug 14 Thurs

\$1 = 4 Fmk

Changed \$10 Am Ex. in Wien 41.10 Finmark.

Town to & from Royal Cafe 6.00

Aug 15 - Town to Station 3.40

academica Hotel 1 night 34.00

Changed \$40 Am Ex. 166.80 fm. -

Total Fmk 207.90 Bags & Seat<sup>2</sup> 3.00

On train & bus<sup>3</sup> Lunch<sup>3.50</sup> 6.50

Tampere - 1 day excursion 45

Cash 110.85 Keys returned to Helsinki .60

Dinner<sup>10</sup> wine<sup>2.30</sup> 12.30

16 Sat Aulanka MR Hotel 2 nights & half 57.50

Changed \$20 Am Ex 83.30 -

Total Fmk 291.20 Lunch<sup>9</sup> Dinner<sup>11</sup> 20.

Bus to Haameenlinna & Lake Cafe 5.00

17 Sun, Tea on Silver Line Boat 1.15

Extra at Tampere lunch 3.00

18 Mon 3 Ag spoons<sup>30</sup> shoes<sup>13.25</sup> 43.25

19 Tues Cash 48.95 } misc 240.70  
1.50

Changed \$20 Am Ex 83.40 Bus<sup>60</sup> 5.60  
Barrel<sup>1</sup>

Total Fmk 374.60 243.85

Sat 16 cont Lake narrows & to  
a sculptor's studio & house  
Kirsten (?) One amazing statue  
of man with seeing eyes, focused  
on observer.

To restaurant by bridge - lovely  
outlook on lake & sunset sky.

Bus home to Aulanko by 10 pm.

Sun 17 off from Aulanko at 9:30

on Silver Line up lakes & 1 buck

5 m. lift. To Tapa para Domeus

Hotel. Room for 4 nights.

Mr Bergholm - to take me to see

Saaranen's. Lunch at large

Hotel Tamar - Drove around

city 150000, next to Helsinki up to

high view tower of lakes & city. To

Cathedral - Cream cement bricks, wood

but v. impressive 5 pm bells & organ

+ service for about 50 people - seats

for 1100. crowded in winter - L. Thorsen

Saw revolving audience  
shell at open air theatre -  
4 or 5 stages pos against lake,  
trees, a formal stage, trees &  
a wooden cottage successively.

To Domus (student hostel) hotel  
& to Mrs Malinmaa (wid) & her  
husband a musician - head of School  
of Music & 2 daughters one a flyer  
at 17, other doing archaeology at  
U. of Turku.

Mrs Bergholm To take me out Mon -

Mon 18 " came at 11 + to Fin Air  
with change of Ticket - Tampere - Stockholm  
so no need to return to Helsinki

To shops for Ag & choc. <sup>To lunch by a lake</sup> pepsi - To  
guests of Mrs Saarikko ~~at Mrs Ebeling.~~  
Woodland cottage of Misses Jaarinen

so warmly friendly. Ice cream + cake  
+ coffee + raspberries - Mr Cooke 94  
& Mrs C not well - neither at cottage -

Back to Domus 53 pm

\* Lougren & Jeanne Chaton there.

Tues 19 very hot. at 11 by bus  
To Town Centre & to Panakie, & to  
Antilla shop, & to Univ. Club to  
meet Lindgren, Saaristo & Chator  
for lunch. Walked to Cathedral  
Five Cross & Thorns round East window  
& large cream & brown mural behind  
altar. Organ. Back to Downes.  
& found I had lost Am Exp. chgs.  
about \$140.

at 6:30 with Mrs Berg<sup>holm</sup> to her  
flat facing park - Lignem  
messamaja (berry) - Out by 2 lakes  
to summer home of Dr Ebeling SD  
(lives in a northern town) & her deaf  
husband - Dinner there with Sherry  
& Rosé. Back 11:30 pm.

Wed 20 To Bank at 9:15 - but no  
chgs left there - To Club. closed.  
To Cath - closed - back to Downes -  
& Mrs Berg<sup>holm</sup> at 11 am  
drove me to Cath. Symbolism or →

from p. 13.

Finland cont 7m  
food 243.85

Tues 19. Sweets - fruit drinks. 2.20

Wed 20. Bus <sup>120</sup> Lunch (Mrs Bergholm) <sup>37</sup> 38.20

Thurs 21. 3 night Room <sup>14 = 42</sup> (cont 48) 42.00

3 breakfast 12.00

Turku 3 coffee 3.00

on Finland 1/2 bottle Mesimaja liqueur 9.00

changed at Stockholm Airport ~~26.70~~ = 23.90

changed " \$10 Am Ex 5m 5050 7m 374.15

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Wed 20 cont. Resurrection in painting

Driving out 3/4 hour through spruce

to lake. Steep hill down to

stony lake edge & nice swim.

Up hill side to Hotel for Swedish

lunch. Home by oldest

Church 14-15 C. & to dinner

by 5 pm.

Thurs 21 Mrs Bergholm brought me

at 1130 to airport. Lindgren & Saaristo

joined me. Off to Turku 12<sup>05</sup> Off to

Aug 21 Thurs cont.

Stockholm 1 pm misty + rain on arrival. Bus to SAS centre + Taxi with De Bruge to Hasselby Blott. Scandinavian castle 3 sides of quad. \$11 per day room + board. Large Council + observers. Reception by Mrs Lindblatt. Pres Swedish Ass<sup>n</sup> Male quartette

Dr Gokdoken says Eastern Regional Conf. in Apr. 20-22 in Istanbul.

Dr Hackett - Provincial - Tristar legend.

Fri. 22. Sessions am + aft.

at 7 pm with Bea Ramsay to Min May Mc Kay 's flat near harbour - 3<sup>00</sup> Sec mee. '66. Min M. M. enghar a guest + inquired about Olga et al. Back at Hasselby by 11 pm.

Sat 23 Session + with Hamburger to suburb Villingby's fine shopping area. P.O. + Tel for cable to Ghana re admission as Assoc. Mem. (20 members at Legon)



Sweden from p. 13

Ans  $\$1 = 5kr$   
 21 Thurs. At Airport - Fm 23 = 29.70 Swed. Kroner  
 Changed Am Exp.  $\$10 = 50.50$   
 at Hasselby Slot  $\$80$  Am Ex 40680  
Total Kr 484 00

6 days at H slot with meals 330.00  
 Stamp  $55$  Taxi  $11.50$  Bus  $8$  Service 10  
20.00

22 Fri Taxi to & from Con Embassy  $15 + 10$  25.00

23 Sat Stamps  $170$  24 Sun Relief fd  $11.70$

24 Sun Stamps  $150$  ~~Am Ex~~ Uppskala  $50$  1.60

26 Tues Train  $3 + 4 = 50$  7.50

27 Wed Taxi  $15$  Air Bus  $8$  23.00

Spent 429  
 Bal. 64  
492

Changed at Airport 64 Skr =  $\underline{\underline{\$5}}$

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Sat 23 cont - Lakja Pika's movies of  
India Karsvake + Leysin in evening.

Sun. 24 Sessions am + aft.

In evening Chaston, Hilton + I to  
Karin Koeks for dinner + party -  
Nice apt. overlooking one of the myriad  
waterways - Thin + frail.

Mon 25 Off to Uppsala. Graves of  
Linné and of Swedenberg in neoGothic  
Cathedral + of founder of Univ. 1476 -

To Padua-type Anatomical Theatre - To Library  
& Codex. To lunch - sat on Lundbladh's left  
with Gokidogan To Olsvy - Erikson doing  
study of orientation & size of galaxies from  
Palomar plates - Reception by Asst. to  
Rector at Univ. - Back to H. Slott for dinner

Tues 26 To Can Embassy & To BSA  
re ticket to London. Refused invitation to  
lunch with 8 Can Senators including  
Chesley Carter - Senate Committee on Scientific

Planning - Alfien + about 15  
Scandinavian scientists -

Wed 27 off in taxi with Jeanne Chator  
to air terminus at 8<sup>am</sup> Plane SAS 10<sup>15</sup>  
+ London at 1. To Crosby Hall. Australia Room  
B. Ramsey came in aft to see Can. Room -

Flew SAS with Dean Jean Brownlee (Philadelphia)

Tues 26 Cont<sup>d</sup> To Stadhusen City Reception  
Pres of City Council in lady. Champagne -

With Dr. Campbell (Ecosoc) to German Embassy  
Very kind courteous + friendly Ambassador - paid  
Tribute to Mr. Andrews (retired Can. Ambas)

P. Campbell + I walked up to Karlplan T. station  
bought fruit + to the Slot + had cocoa in  
my room -

Thurs 28 To B.E.A. + to Can H. + to  
Am Express Co. To Mermaid for Henry James  
The Houses. Tragic fascination of an  
unscrupulous woman. Walked by  
Embankment being extended down  
river to below London Bridge  
Saw Excavations of Roman site

along Lower Thames St.

Fri 29 To Am Exp. + need chgs \$140.

Up to Garrick + Leicester Sq. + coffee on Coventry. To Nat Gal. Domenico's

1616 Frascati prescos - vivid tales of Apollo.

v. soft shades - h. da V's. To money Oliver.

at 2.30 pm a musical v. v. good -

Phoned Barb. Excell - Sun 10<sup>30</sup> + Mon 6<sup>45</sup>

Sat. 30 walked up to see Mrs Gray. v. blind wonderful memory. Letter from H T Burner for Q. Archives, Room 124.

To V & A Mus. for lunch. To Garrick for the Stoops to C. 5<sup>45</sup> pm.

Sun 31 Barbara Excell at 10<sup>45</sup> + to

Paul. Sq. + to Westminster Pier. Boat to Greenwich. v. fine Naval College + Museum

Painted Hall 1700 + (Dining Hall) + Chapel

Wren + Inigo Jones. Nice town, <sup>arches</sup> St Alfage

Killed by Danes 1016 - last Thames invasion

St Alfage Church - Wolfe buried there

London from p. 29/18 (18)

Cash. £16.10.3 £ 5 d.

27 Aug Airbus 7 Portes 7/ Taxicab 5/ 13.0

28 Thurs Bus 9+5 Coffee 1/- Lunch 6/3 Paper 5/ 9.-

Mermaid Th 22/6 Cider 1/9 Ugly 1/1+5 1. 5.8

29 Fri Bus 2/ Garrick St Shops 35/1+1/4 1. 18.4

Leicester Sq. Oliver 15/- Coffee 1/1 16.0

2 Biographies <sup>Walter Allen</sup> ~~Shakespeare~~ 1/9 - Lunch 5/6 10.6

Phones etc 2/- Bal till 4.6. P.O. 10 2.10

30 Sat Lunch 4/6 Food 1/9 Bus 1/9 + 2/10 5/6 9.0

31 Sun Thames Boat 8/- Tir Coffee 2/6 Lunch 5/ 15.8

Sept 1 Mon coffee 1/6 Hyde Park Chain 1/9 Bus 6+5 3.3

Gas fire 1/- 1.0

2 Tues Changel 70 p 29-2-3 (2.39 1/8) -

Bus 7/ Telegram 6/- Lunch Br Mus 4/6 10.6

7 days at Crosby Hall 19+2 + Groceries 19 11.19.0

8 Hair net (goodworth) 8/- Gratuity 8 12.6

3 Wed Taxi 9/- Airbus 7/- 16.0

Dublin Taxi £1. Tkt to Sligo 2. 11.6 3. 11.6

Boys 3/9 Lunch 4/6 stretchers 7/- Tip 1/- 16.3

26.3.6

Sun 31 Aug cont

even Gordon baptized there. 1<sup>st</sup> foundation  
& iron railing. destroyed & rebuilt 1700+

Wp to Greenwich Obv after lunch & at  
2:30 through Hamstead & Bradley building

the zero meridian + 19 feet west the Bradley  
meridian. Instruments + 2 lovely views

to N. across river. <sup>at pier cutting sand and</sup>  
Essex north.

Back up river by 5:15 pm.

Mon Sept 1 - Labor Day. To Hyde Pk. by Serpentine

Picnic lunch in sunshine on N. side.

B. Excell for dinner - physiological effects on frogs  
& mice of constituents of snake venom Indian  
& African cobra - a Brazilian venom with a  
Brazilian 57 yr old scientist with BE to learn  
electric technique.

Tues. 2 To Can H. letter & tel from O.

To Boylston & up to Goodge St & found  
Courtauld Inst Galleries. Lovely Cezanne  
& Monets - good Pissarro, Munch, Van Gogh  
T-Lotus, Degas etc. To Brit. Mus

19  
Greek, Roman, Egyptian & Assyrian  
rooms - walked through Press & Cook  
rooms - lovely Portland Vase 12 AD

walked along New Oxford to Regent St.  
& down to Haymarket for Bus 19 home -

Wed 3 off 7<sup>30</sup> to B&A for Dublin  
Dublin 10<sup>30</sup> Got Air Can for 9<sup>th</sup>. To

Westland Row - To Wicklow Hotel for Room  
for 8<sup>th</sup>. Lunch on Grafton St. Train 2<sup>10</sup> pm

O. came to wrong side of Stn. so missed  
me. Taxi to Greeng followed by O  
Lovely evening & light & colour

Thurs 4. At 3 with Oliver to Sligo & to  
Lisadell for tea - then to Dr. Collins  
& Mr Fairbairn called for us & took  
us to Holywell - Loch Gill - for dinner  
& music - Verdi & Elgar. Then d. in  
Toronto (Mr. Can Col master) & son entering  
T.C.D. They drove us home 11 pm.

Fri 5 Grey - a few chores & read by  
turf fire -

Sat 6 Chats with Peter Kamagan, Peter  
Nyland & Pat Ann Prins. Warm & loved  
Sun 7 Warm. Sad to be off. at 4pm.

with Coralie Campbell to tea & on to Slys.  
Met Min Felton (Java, Africa, Cote, Turkey, Greece)  
Supper at Gt Southern & rooms.

Mon 8 off 8<sup>25</sup> am. To Dublin by 12<sup>10</sup>.  
Met by Jim C. - To Wicklow Hotel & she  
took O. to Airport. To Aer Lingus re

tomorrow's flight. Then lunch seeing St S. Green  
nice Co Sligo teacher (Greece, Malta etc) with Ag.  
maple leaf pin. To Art Gallery - Home Brew

Tea in room & slept. To Abbey Theatre &  
saw Synge & Fitzmaurice. Wind Cutler. Dandy  
Dolls. For men 2 blind beggars & holy man &  
cruel villagers - hypocrisy.

Tues 9<sup>th</sup> Sept To Corks for 1/2. Met London  
historian lady at Trinity whom I met at  
Nat Art Gal. (Titians, Tintoretto, Rubens.  
i Boulogne. Murillo. Monet)

To Airport & 1/2 am flight to Shannon.  
4<sup>50</sup> Air C. To Wick. By 6<sup>20</sup> DST.



Ireland cont from p. 18

(20)

June £26.3.6

Wed 3 Self. cont Taxi to Creagh. 1.10.0

Thurs 4. Soda loaf <sup>3/6</sup> Mutton balls <sup>5/6</sup> 8.6

Chops <sup>2/6</sup> 9.6

Sun 7 Peter Ryland & Co. Porter <sup>2/</sup> 1.2.0

Gr Southern Hotel - 2 singles <sup>+ Supper</sup> 8.5.0

Supper <sup>14/6</sup> Porter 14.6

Changed \$30 Am Ex = £12.50 -

Mon 8 2 Tickets to Dublin 5.3.0

Coffee & tin on train <sup>5/2</sup> Porter <sup>2/</sup> 7.2

Lunch <sup>7/</sup> Supper <sup>5/6</sup> Abbey Theatre <sup>10/6</sup> 1.8.8

Thurs 9. Changed \$5 USA coin ~~£2.10~~ 2.0

Wicklow's Hotel 1 night 6 sh. <sup>Porter</sup> 2.10.5

Taxi to Airport £1 Airport tax <sup>10/-</sup> 1.10.0

Lunch <sup>3/6</sup> Tea <sup>1/1</sup> Beer <sup>2/</sup> 6.7

£ 50.18.0

32.19.0

Bal £10.2.0 from p. 18

£ 83.00

Sept Montreal, new driveway. fine.  
9 To Bus Terminal - none till midnight  
To Laurentian & supper in study room  
with Air Com sandwiches & Immersion heater  
10 Wed To CNR & met Mrs Harding the  
mother of Sandra H. Q. '58 known Margaret  
Shortliffe & The Corletts. 9<sup>30</sup> - 12<sup>30</sup> at K.

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Montreal

Sept 9. Porters 35 + 50 Air bus 1.75 \$ C  
2.60

Wed 10. Laurentian Hotel 12.96 12.96

Bkfst 45 Porters 1.00 Taxi 75 CNR to home 1.40 2.60

K. Taxi 70 Coffee 15 85  
19.00

Total spent. \$ 1046 Can  
 £ 35 95 "  
 \$ 360 USA 395 "  
 \$ Can. 19 "  
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Uppsala Univ. founded 1477  
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Kiitos = Thank

olkaahyvä = please

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Rivers & Lakes by R Kay Crowell  
1965 & Anthony Huxley

Danube - 2nd longest river of Europe  
great val water - by far.

70 species of fish - floating islands  
below Cernavoda - cranes, herons  
Cormorants, flamingoes & pelican.

40 mi W of Bl. Sea river turns N

Towards 3-prong delta

hips & barges of 1000 tons

Romans - Teutonic tribes - Attila the Hun  
giving the Nibelungen legend -

later The Slavs & Bulgars, Byzantine 1018.

Turks 1683 until 19<sup>th</sup> C.

Romanian Narok

Yugo Slavic Jevéji,

Hungarian EGÉSEGIRE

Felicity - Pember 14 Pembroke Glen Close W.8  
Tel Western 2106 - Dinner 17 July

Austrian Embassy Obere Donaustr 49-51  
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Romania Embassy Proleteriskih Brigada 69 Belgrade  
Yugoslavia Embassy 14/5/51

Wybe P. 799 1701. 12<sup>30</sup> Lunch - Sat.

Bowie at Simpsons Pic 12<sup>30</sup> Tues.

Hennes Crosby H 6<sup>45</sup> Tues.

IAU Aug 18-27/70

Hennes on Paulton St 11 am Thurs.

Bowie at Comm. Cl. 12<sup>30</sup> Wed.

SS Carpati.

Dr. Carl Schmitt - Mittweg

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LANDHAUS-STR 55

10 am Wed. Hoffburg. Spitzmuller - 15  
5 pm Tea at Spitzmuller. W. Hamagasa 15  
12<sup>30</sup> L. Antoine