

Shelburne, N.H.

Aug. 1

to

1907

Sept. 17

1927

Birds -

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(1) Herring Gull

Therapsid

Black Duck

Bittern

Great Blue Heron June 25<sup>✓</sup> <sup>Creek opp. Ennis Cottage</sup>, July 3<sup>✓</sup>, 26<sup>✓</sup> <sup>11/2 one in creek (opp. my cottage)</sup>  
 Aug. 15<sup>2</sup>, 16 — Sept. 3 one seen frequently <sup>land in the creek.</sup>

occasionally seen last seen Sept. 13.

Solitary Sandpiper June 21, Aug 31 } <sup>near head</sup>  
 Spotted " July 26<sup>2</sup> <sup>2</sup> Aug. 4 } <sup>opp</sup> <sup>farm.</sup>

Canada Ruffed Grouse

Miscellaneous June 21<sup>✓</sup>, 24<sup>✓</sup>, 28<sup>✓</sup>

Sharp-shinned Hawk

Coope's Hawk

Goshawk

Red-tailed Hawk

Broad-winged "

Bald Eagle Aug. 4<sup>✓</sup>, 5<sup>✓</sup>

Sparrow Hawk

Osprey Aug. 4

Killdeer

Carver Owl

Black-billed Cuckoo

Northern Pike June 30, Aug. 16<sup>2</sup> <sup>at Ennis</sup> <sup>near</sup> <sup>the</sup> <sup>creek.</sup>

Hairy Woodpecker Aug. 12

Downy Yellow-bellied Sapsucker July 1-10, 20, 21, 25, Aug 4 <sup>2 ♀ 8</sup>

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(2) Pileated Woodpecker

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Flicker Sept. 7

Whip-poor-will

Nighthawk

Chimney Swift June 23 ♂

Hummingbird June 27 by my ditto ditto  
26 ♂ moulting. 30 ♀ 1st seen. 30-1st seen. Aug 1-13 seen. 10-14-17. none seen after Aug 28  
Sept. 12 2. Emerton

Kingbird June 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, July 10, 20, 22, 26 (27-28-29-30) several

Bluebird June 20 nest of young 1 nest 1 seen 1 seen 2 seen 3 seen 4 seen 5 seen 6 seen 7 seen 8 seen 9 seen 10 seen 11 seen 12 seen 13 seen 14 seen 15 seen 16 seen 17 seen 18 seen 19 seen 20 seen 21 seen 22 seen 23 seen 24 seen 25 seen 26 seen 27 seen 28 seen 29 seen 30 seen

Olive-sided Flycatcher

Wood Pewee

Alder Flycatcher

Least June 19, July 5, 10

Blue Jay

Starling

Crow June 18-21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, July 1-4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, Aug 1-3

Boblink June 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, July 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, Aug 1-3

Cowbird

Red-wing Blackbird

Baltimore Oriole

Rusty Blackbird

Bronzed Grackle

Pine Siskin

Purple Finch ♂ ♀ (Rendell's) June 19, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, July 1-7, 8-9-10-11-12, 13-14-15-16-17

Redpoll

Goldfinch June 19, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, July 1-7, 8-9-10-11-12, 13-14-15-16-17, 18-19-20, 21, 22, 23-24-25-26-27-28-29, Aug 1-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10-11-12-13-14-15-16-17-18-19-20-21-22-23-24-25-26-27-28-29-30, Sept 1-2



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Chestnut-sided Warbler June 21, 25

Black-poll " "

Blackburnian " "

Black-throated Green " Aug. 27

Pine " "

Yellow-palm " "

Oven-bird " July 5, 10

Water Thrush " "

Maryland Yellow-throat June 21, 24, 28, July 5, Aug. 10

Nilson's Warbler

Canada " "

Redstart " June 25

Pipit  
Cat-bird

House Wren June 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, July 1

A pair are getting to breed in the box, s.e. corner. 10<sup>th</sup> s.e. corner, 11-18, a pair nesting in the s.e. veranda, the 6<sup>th</sup> 19-20, 21-22-26, 27 <sup>one of the adults</sup> <sup>we banded</sup> <sup>had</sup> <sup>7 young</sup> <sup>haven't seen more than</sup> young emulating. 11 have <sup>appeared</sup>. 12 had. for several days - 17 several young seen in the bushes near the Cottage on the 24<sup>th</sup>. none since last record.

Winter Wren

Brown Creeper

White-breasted Nuthatch

Red

Chickadee July 10, Aug 5, Sept. 2 <sup>1 pair in nest</sup> <sup>by my string window</sup>

Golden-crowned Kinglet

Ruby " "

Veery, Nilson's Thrush June 21, 25, 28, July 10, 25, 28

Olive-backed Thrush Aug 12 <sup>on stone feeding</sup> <sup>by my window</sup>

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(5) Hermit Thrush June 25<sup>f</sup>, July 1, 10<sup>\*\*</sup>

Robin June 18-21<sup>1 daily</sup>, 22, 23, 24, 25, 28, 30, - 7, 2-7, 10, 11-18<sup>seen</sup> - 20-22-26-29<sup>constant</sup>  
July 1-13-17<sup>daily</sup>

Bluebird June 19<sup>1</sup>, 21<sup>8\*</sup>, 25<sup>1</sup>, 28-30<sup>1</sup>, - 7, 9, 2, - 7, 10<sup>6</sup>, 11-18<sup>on</sup> - 19-20, 22 - Aug 1-3<sup>1 seen on</sup>  
July 25, 27, Aug. 4, 11<sup>1</sup>, Sept. 1 several seen on telephone wires near the station, in poor plumage except the young. 12<sup>05</sup>

1924  
Aug. 1

- Monday - Shelburne N.H.

Clear and cloudy, warm.

Haying has been resumed to-day and much done.

I have been at the cottage all day and have been busy in my way. There are letters to write and acct.

A square and many things to do. This afternoon Mr. C. Sprague came from Gaspé where he has been for a number of days sketching.

He is full of stories and has told us much about the place and his work there. He is indefatigable and full of stories - He will stay here a short time before returning home.

I have done some reading to-day.

This afternoon Mr. Sprague came to Shelburne from Gaspé, and drove straight here to my cottage. He had a very nice time and did considerable sketching.

He saw the water birds, and did quite a little work with his brush -

After supper we sat a while on the piazza talking, and then joined a group at the west end of the piazza: Gus Philbrook, Mr. Flynn, Mr. C. Sprague, Charles Sprague, W. Deane. This includes the group. Many stories were told about travels, bears, moose and the like in the far west, tamed. Finally we went home.

1927  
Aug. 2

Tuesday - Shelburne, N.H.

Cold, breezy, cloudy with bits of sun, in P.M.  
clearing. Maximum 73° F.

This morning Mr. Sprague came to our cottage and he, A.C. Sprague + I sat a good while on the piazza. I brought out the Sprague paintings and we had a very interesting time. Sprague explained each painting as I put it up in the sofa, describing his experiences in western U.S., especially in the Yosemite.

In the afternoon I balanced my accounts and then I walked down on to the intervals and found Sprague who was sketching by the river. I sat some time on the bank watching him and admiring the wonderful sky flecked with clouds. We returned after some time.

This evening I staid down at the Farm and sat in the living room with Mr. Sprague, Mr. Linn and Gus, and we had a good talk. Then came a discussion about the proposed tramp over Success to-morrow by Sprague and Linn. This led to a lot of reminiscing by Gus of climbing in the old days and the time passed rapidly. At last Sprague + I returned by the way round the hill, past the Johnson cottage.

A talk in the sitting room ended the day. The setting sun was more and Venus in its clear sky was beautiful.

Walked down 1/2 m total

41 m.



Wednesday Shelburne, N.H.

1927  
Aug. 3

Sunny, mild, calm. A perfect day.

Much haying has been done to-day. I hope this good weather will continue.

This morning a party of us, Prof. Emerton, his niece and her daughter, Clara, Elizabeth Philbrook, Miss Frost, Mrs. & Miss Allen, Mrs. Spiller, Miss Brown & I took a walk over the yellow trail to Bowles & Pitches. We staid there a little while and returned home in time for dinner.

After breakfast this morning A.C. Sprague & James J. Quinn, Winchester, Mass., started off for a real tramp to Success. That's a good hike and I hope it was successful.

This afternoon we had a very nice call from Prof. & Mrs. Dillee and their friends, cousins from Washington. They were interested in the view and the hummingbirds.

This evening after dark the two mountain travellers returned after a tramp of at least twelve or more miles. They reached the top of Success after fierce climbing. They brought home 2 or 3 bits of plants from the summit.

- From the top of Success, Mr. Sprague (A.C.) brought me the following spp.:
- Artemisia groenlandica* (Retz.) Spreng.
  - Rubus Chamæmorus* L.
  - Vaccinium Vitis-Idaea* L. var. *minus* Torr.
  - Saxifraga mollis* Hook. var. *petiolaris* Fernald.
  - Bowles & Pitches - Miss L.M. Brown

Walked 26.5 mi. 3 mi. Total 44 mi.

Thursday ~ Shelburne, N.H.

1927  
Aug. 4

Clear, cool, calm.

A. C. Sprague left this morning.

Sprague leaves

This has been a very delightful day. At about 9.30 A.M. I started for a ride with Mr. & Mrs. Herman B. Allen and their daughter Emily, all of Philadelphia in their very nice car. It was delightful throughout. Our course was Gorham Randolph where we took the lower road, Cherry Mt., Whitefield, Cinnamon or River to Bolton Woods, Crawford Notch, Jackson Pinkham Notch, Gorham, Shelburne. It was perfect throughout. The clouds were fleecy and brilliant and the views surpassing. We got back by 3.30 P.M. We had a good lunch in the woods in the notch. We stopped before entering the Notch and I walked over to the shore of the Pond which is the source of the Saco River. It is a beautiful sheet of water bordered by the mountains. Pinkham Notch was very beautiful and we stopped at the Glen House and took in the view of the big range. At this point no justice is done to Mt. Washington, the summit of which is much lower than the big ridge ( ) in the foreground.

Along ride.

We reached home by 3.30 as mentioned above and I had a good rest before supper. Evening quietly spent.

1927  
Aug. 5

Friday - Shelburne, N. H.

Morning clear, mild, afternoon rainy -  
Max. Mercury 76°F

I spent the morning quietly, comparing the views of the few plants I have. I walked over to Mrs. Moore's to get some *Campanula punctata* Lam. to press for the Gray Herbarium and New England Botanical Club. There is a good deal of it in flower now.

Mrs. Quinn and her little son came up in the morning to see the Hummingbirds and the House Wrens. It is always very attractive to friends.

This afternoon I was at home. We had a call from Mr. & Mrs. Moore and their friends Mr. & Mrs. Hinkley. They too, saw the little Hummingbird drinking at the tumbler-

To-day Gus is 7 days old and he received a good many congratulations. I gave him a white alp in anticipation a book that he was very anxious to get.

This evening I had a very nice time in the living room where a congenial number were assembled. We all had stories to tell and the time was very pleasantly spent.

We returned home by the light of this bright moon.

*Campanula punctata* Lam.

Specimens collected at the old Station by Dr. Th. Moore's piazza. I shall put them into the Gray Herbarium & Herb. N. E. B. C.

200, Phys.

1927  
Aug. 6

- Saturday - Shelburne, Vt.

Perfect day, clear, calm, warm.

It has been a wonderful day, throughout. Much laying has been done.

This afternoon with Mr. & Mrs. Quinn and little boy, we drove to Berlin and had a delightful time. They are charming people and had never been to Berlin. They were surprised at the size of the city. Many errands were done. We returned the same way.

This evening Mr. & Mrs. Knowlton arrived from Hingham. It was just after tea. They had a long drive. We were waiting for them on the piazza after supper. They had supper. Knowlton & I drove up to the cottage. The back seat was full of bags &c as they are going a good distance from here. The ladies walked up.

with  
colours.

We had a very pleasant time before bed-time, talking on the piazza and in the sitting room. They had much to tell of matters at home. They will stay over Sunday and go into Maine next day.

Loring Briggs, his wife and son came this afternoon and make a short stay. I haven't seen Loring for a long time. He is very tall but is strong and well.

Walked today  $4\frac{1}{4}$  m. Total  $48\frac{1}{4}$  m.

- Sunday - Shelburne, N.H.

1927  
Aug 7

Clear & cloudy, mild.

This morning we had a pleasant time at the Farm and cottage walk in intervals.

After dinner we drove with Knowlton and drove to wife to Kain's to see, if possible, <sup>land</sup> ~~land~~ <sup>some</sup> ~~some~~ <sup>of</sup> ~~of~~ <sup>the</sup> ~~the <sup>place</sup> ~~place~~. It was a delightful drive, but, at the end of it, we found the house closed. So Min Brown & I called at the Cross <sup>to see</sup> ~~to see~~ <sup>if possible</sup> ~~if possible~~. T. & Rose, Senior. She, too, had done. I had a very nice talk with <sup>Called on</sup> ~~the~~ <sup>Mr. Cross</sup> ~~the~~ <sup>Mr. Cross</sup> who is a scholarly and very fine gentleman. He is <sup>very</sup> ~~very~~ <sup>much</sup> ~~much~~ <sup>interested</sup> ~~interested~~ in the history of the region and I shall send him the account I have of the Moore village.~~

Later in the afternoon, we stopped at an interesting lunch place in Soham and had some lunch and a good talk.

Then we came back, arriving home about 5:45 P.M. Fine sunset from Summit Rock.

After supper we all sat for a long time on the piazza at the main house. The moon was splendid and the stars gleaming.

This morning we went to the Casino and had a very pleasant talk with the ladies. This evening we took out the big telescope and had a fine view of the moon.

Walked  $\frac{3}{4}$  m. to-day - Total 49 m.  
*Utricularia vulgaris* L. (not bog. P. intervals - App. Farm House)  
*Utricularia americana* Gray

Monday Shelburne, N.H.

1127  
Aug 8

Clear early Am., clearing all over the sky  
in P.M. with a little rain.

This morning we were at the cottage  
and by noon Mr. & Mrs. Knowlton said good-bye  
and departed for Farmington, Maine. <sup>Knowlton's</sup> <sup>case.</sup>  
We enjoyed their short visit very much.

This afternoon I drove to Gorham  
with Gus, Mr. Washed, Louis Briggs and  
Douglas. We got out our horse there as  
Gus was busy - saying I went to the  
Fabrics Store and made a square re-  
pair. We then called on Guy Sherry  
and had a very nice talk with  
him. He is quite well. We returned  
home as the clouds thickened and I  
was glad to see that all the grass  
cut was taken into the barn.

I sat some time on the piazza  
chatting with friends, among them the  
Allens who are very cordial.

After supper I had a long talk with  
The Briggs family, Louis, his wife and  
son, and Mrs. Briggs senior. It was 9 o'clock  
when we came home.

The grass is all cut and in the barn  
except the southern half of the upper  
interval. So Gus is much encouraged.

Haying  
will soon

Tuesday - Shelburne, Vt.

1927  
Aug 9

Overcast, with some rain during the day.  
Evening clear and cool.  
No haying today.

I spent much of this morning at the Farm, talking with the guests -

Miss Gene & Miss Maxwell came up by 10.30 Am. and spent the morning with us - I read to them three letters from Robb - An open fire made the room very comfortable.

This afternoon I spent some time reading and writing. The two Misses Davis joined and we had tea and a very pleasant conversation.

After supper I saw Mr Greenough and his friends who had come down from Canada. He was very bright & we had a pretty long ride -

1927  
Aug. 10

- Wednesday - Shelburne, Vt.

Clear, with milky clouds, calm, mild, with mercury 50 last night & 76 + max to-day -

It has been an absolutely perfect day throughout. The drive to-day was a perfect success. We drove 154.4 miles in 8 hours. Time 9.05 A.M. to 5.05 P.M. I went with Mr. & Mrs. & Miss Allen in their car. Miss Brown went in the farm auto with Lawrence. There were 6 Ladies + Lawrence driver.

Drive  
to  
Sawduger  
Falls  
and Dixville  
Notch.  
Distance  
154.4 m  
in 8 hours  
Time  
9.05-5.05

The drive for all was a great success. The day was so clear that the views were absolutely perfect. We went by Sawduger Falls and Grafton Notch, Umbagog Lake, Enos, to Dixville Notch where we lunched and had a very good rest and conversation. Then on past the Basins to the Inf. Lumber which is a good height above the hotels. From there the view north west is superb and the views of water kept grand. Then on to Colebrook and from the Connecticut River, past the Percy Peaks to Lancaster. Hence on to Jefferson in Randolph, Graham + Shelburne.

The day was perfect, as said above, from beginning to end and new to all except Lawrence, Miss Brown + me. Considerable haying was done to-day -



- Thursday - Shelburne N.H.

1927  
Aug 11  
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Clear & sunny, good day -

This morning Mr. Quinn came up and we had a long talk. I showed him how I pressed a plant - The time - ripped away -

This afternoon we had callers, Dr. & Mrs. & Miss Allyn, Mrs. Gude, Miss Boggs. We had tea on the piazza and a very pleasant talk.

Previous to this Miss Brown & I walked over the intervals to the pool in the cover half to collect a few plants.

After supper Lawrence drove me over to the station and we had a long time watching the putting on way car some valuable notes belonging to the Browns to go to various fairs in the west for exhibition. It was a very pretty sight and exciting too, to see the valuable steeds with all their spirit and sometimes opposition packed away so carefully in narrow stalls.

Returning home I had a nice talk in the living room with Lawrence, Mr. Grogue & Mr. Quinn. Mr. Quinn came up into me later and gave him a Hummingbird Photo.

Utricularia vulgaris L., var. americana Gray.

Met box Phil. rock Intervals Sp. Farm house.  
Sagittaria (same station) as Aug. 7.

description same house (L.H.) Dr. By stone wall back of P. Farm house - 71.  
 Myrica Gale L. var. ? (same station) as Sagittaria.

Friday, Guilford Vt

1927  
Aug 12

Clear, calm, mild, with gorgeous clouds especially at sunset. Fine moonrise

This morning with Gus & Melba Field, Mr. Sprague & I drove to Guilford. It was a beautiful drive through the white birch-lined roads. We went over Lead Mine Bridge and on past the old McWilliam Estate. At Guilford we had only a few minutes, but I went over to Judge Evans' office and we had a pleasant talk for some 15 minutes. We came home the same way.

This afternoon I was busy all the banded time at the cottage - I worked over 7 young accounts and, in addition, his brown & I tucked the House Wrens in the box on the piazza. We took the box down and banded the seven young. One of the parent birds was captured and banded, making eight in all.

This evening I drove with Mr. & Mrs. Quinn and their sister, way to Guilford again. We went by Lead Mine Bridge. Mr. Quinn had business at a garage. We went to Steve's which was full of people. I ordered some more photos of the Hummingbird. We returned on the south side and found the road by Ashland's had with soft sand - very pleasant day - Home Wren 1 adult + 7 young on our S.E. piazza, banded.

- Saturday - Greenbume, V.A.

1927  
Aug 13

A fierce rain with apparently no wind at 2 A.M., when I awoke. I never heard it rain harder. The noise on the roof outside my window had a steady rushing sound and at first I could not realize what it was. In the morning the sky was clear and the sun shone brightly out. The air was warm.

Heavy rain!

This morning I was busy at home. Miss Allen and Miss Hooper and her sister and we sat on the piazza and talked and watched the House Wrens and Hummingbirds. This is always interesting. I had a long talk with Mr. Lucinn about his work as superintendent of schools in Winchester. He is, plainly, a very fine able man - Finally I came up to the cottage -

Mrs. Emerton called in late afternoon and was interested in the House Wrens. The parents (I have seen but one to-day) were busy feeding their young and it is interesting to note how frequently they visited the nest with a insect in their bill. The nest is on the piazza just under the pitch of the roof at the end.

After supper we sat some time on the piazza of the Farm - I had a good talk with Dr. Allen a physician in Philadelphia - We returned home by 8 P.M.

Sunday. Shelburne, N.H.

1927  
Aug. 14

Clear Am., a wind in P.M., raining <sup>heavily</sup> in the evening - mild. max 79° 7.

I have been busy at home all day except for visits to the farm or woods.

There are no lot of letters to write, and while I intend to do this, it is a task, as yet, and I have no time to write them, you can never finish

Letter - writing a task -

I took out of press this afternoon the Utricularias collected on the 11<sup>th</sup>.

They are very nicely mounted. Though I have never seen one of the sheets of pressing paper off without tearing the plants, it peeled off most smoothly, remaining intact on one sheet!!

About pressing Utricularia

My Sagittarias were a bit larger. I am collecting practically nothing this season -

After supper before we started up for the cottage, it began to rain and it looks as if it would continue -

I have written to Prof. Hitchcock and Mrs. Chase thanking them for a number of papers on Graminaceae. It is a good while since I read a paper in the Transactions of the Acad. of Sciences in Geneva.

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Aug 15

Does not seem concerned (C) He by some walk back of Hill and Farm tracks

Very heavy rain late last evening and early this morning. Rest of the day clear with interesting clouds. Max. 70°F. Flying progressively with difficulty.

The rain last night raised the volume of the river very much, as I can see from my piazza. It cut off communication with the Island. Very heavy rain

This morning I worked quietly at home. We had a very pleasant call from Miss Deane and Miss Maxwell. The hummingbirds ♂ & ♀ were busy at the tangle of succulent water & the house. A pair of her young in the box under the top of the piazza.

Takes for the call.

This afternoon I had a call from Mr. Y and his wife. Takes I used to see and he passed. The Emerson & I took a walk up to his water supply source, north of the cottage, and now surrounded by a good pine. On the way we saw the birds of old White Pines come down, and of the mountains over the river was very good indeed.

Emerson & I walk up at his spring.

As the birds were in my yard this afternoon, occasionally I went out for the winter. At the enclosed garden space where the bird trap is, and where we feed the birds.

There passed directly before me a large Skunk, Skunk in a coat of most exquisite white black, and a full spreading sun-white tail. I never saw such a sight.

This evening a number of us sat by the fire at the Farm and talked. I saw you no stories of those that hunt in his early days.

- Tuesday - Shelburne, N.H.

1927.  
Aug. 16

Remarkable day. Bright sun and then clouds and a light sprinkling. Cool. Max. 70° F  
Smart rain this evening -

It has been a very cool day for August with spatterings of rain. And yet much hay has been threshed in and the seed is just very fine off - Day quiet -

This afternoon we walked down into the intervals and saw two very large loads of hay taken in -

The weather is unusually cool for this season.

Late this afternoon after a sharp shower we saw in the east a beautiful double double rainbow. It was a fine and ever finer rainbow a spectacle of that sort that we ever saw - This was about 5 P.M.

At six o'clock another double rainbow was seen, but not by us - It was described as beautiful as the latter one -

On our walk in the intervals this P.M. we saw a pair of Kingfishers hovering over the brook near the Knubble -

King  
Fishers  
hovering

They remained thus for a number of seconds ere they flew away. It was a truly beautiful sight.

5 weeks left the box on the piazza. This M. out of 7. These we looked in the box and found the 2 remaining in the nest. One was fairly well feathered. The other was thinly feathered & base of nest seemed weak. Will they leave the nest?

- Wednesday - Shelburne, N.H.

1927  
Aug. 17

Rain again to-day at intervals of sun  
very cool. Mercury lowest this season -  
Max. 64° F.

This morning Wren no. 6 left the box. Wren  
no. 4 was dead - that closes the Wren history.

Wren no 6  
left the box  
W. no 7 was dead

The young ones have been seen in the bushes. I  
feel sure the ♂ adult was killed shortly after  
the eggs hatched, for we have seen over only crices

We walked over to the village with Dr. Huns. Allen  
this morning. First down the road over the brook were  
big work is going on, and then over to the big estate now  
owned by a Mr. Taylor and called Shelburne Inn.  
The huge barn has been made over in a hall  
hard wood floor and all details needed and last evening  
there was a big opening ball with twenty one towns  
and forty people present. Notices had been sent from  
Canada as far south as Portland and west as far as  
Colebrook!! I went <sup>over</sup> the place and talked with  
Mr. Taylor's son. The big garage close by at one  
end of which live the Dongs whom I know,  
is changed into a lunch room. Home to dinner

This afternoon I was at home busy. We  
had a very pleasant game this boy & Miss Gude.  
We sat on the piazza and had a very en-  
joyable talk, and entered the Hummingbird circle.  
The evening we called on Mrs. Perry in  
the Farm Cottage just below our cottage. We  
saw us and the daughter from our visit  
very pleasant visit. They live in Rockland, Me..

Walked to-day 3 mi.

Total .52 mi.

- Thursday - Shelburne, N.H.

1927  
Aug. 18

Just a few drops of rain to-day. Air mild, very cool. Max. 70° F.

This morning I staid at home, writing a lot of the time. That is a pleasant task, but it does take lots of time.

This afternoon we drove with Miss Duce & Deane and Miss Maxwell to Gorham and Calam and then at The Terrace on the main street, a very neat attraction, here. We returned home on the south side of the river, and I saw that the <sup>road</sup> was progressing. It is a tremendous work, straightening curves, widening roads, for this sacrificing many beautiful trees, many of which the White Birch are very prominent.

Returning home I sat an hour or so on the piazza at the Farm, taking and enjoying the view.

This evening I staid at home at the Farm in the living room talking with friends. Mr. Jenkins, the trail maker, to-day tramped from Berlin to well were straight on the hills, as we thought is a great job, but he says it was little of such a tramp.

I found in my coat pocket this afternoon the following verse, on a bit of paper in very poor child's writing:

"When you're navied out your subard's cross  
Pick up a j'ust creker and say 'I'm boss'."



Friday - Shelburne, N.H.

1927  
Aug. 14

Clear & cloudy, mild. Smart shower this evening, rather late.

The haying is slowly drawing to a close. A good deal was taken in to-day, and the rest has been set out and I think to-morrow will about finish it.

This morning I was somewhat of the time busy in the morning or early in the afternoon.

My father & I drove with Lawrence and Gus and Abby Payne to Gosham.

Gus had some engagement - I drove with Lawrence to the Abby parties on the road to the Green and had some strips of wood cut out by machinery, that Gus wanted to make something out of. It was very interesting indeed.

So we were included again, and we drove home, with two cars to go to the cottage. We played with the two misses Davis before supper, a partial game of croquet.

We spent some time at the Farm after supper. Gus had a good deal to tell us about the extent of his property and about the well we had sunk in the cellar to me in case the water does run in the house.

It was 9 o'clock before we climbed the hill this evening.

*Ostrya virginiana* (Mill.) R. Koch. Hops, Hornbeam - border of wood by Pine Hill on Grove  
*Cephalanthus occidentalis* L. Behind Farm barn - Same locality as before

- Saturday - Shelburne, N.H.

1927  
Aug. 20

Clear & cloudy - Heavy rain in early morning

The rain will never cease - At some  
part of the morning, The two Misses  
Davis, Miss Allen and her friend called  
this morning and they were very bright.  
All enjoyed the Hummingbirds -

2 shape near Little House; S.W. side

This afternoon there came to tea on  
the piazza Mr. Mrs. Jones, Mr. & Mrs. Allen,  
Miss Allen and her friend  
We had a very pleasant time.

This evening Mr. Quinn & I drove over  
to the big building on the former Ashlan  
estate was owned by a Mr. Taylor. This  
has been turned into a large hall,  
with a beautiful floor of vine and  
maple, 143 ft. long and 48 feet wide,  
smooth and shining. Soon the com-  
pany of dancers began to arrive -

Visit to  
Shelburne  
Mn.

They came mainly from Berlin.  
The orchestra was composed six also  
jazz players and one lady at the piano,  
and a leader. The music struck up  
and soon there were somewhat over  
one hundred on the floor dancing.  
I was ignorant of the new step, but  
it was done very well. In fact the  
whole entertainment was a very in-  
teresting one. We came away finally  
and reached home by about 9.45 P.M.

Coverings

It was certainly a strange evening for Shelburne,

1927  
Aug 24

- Sunday - S. Emerton, N.H.

Foggy early in the afternoon as often occurs. Followed by good clear weather with light clouds. Masses of snow-white foamy clouds hanging over and partly concealing the White Mts.

The morning I spent some time at the farm on the piazza talking with the two Misses Smith from Montreal. They are very pleasant indeed.

This afternoon after a little while the two ladies came up to the cottage and we had a very pleasant time on the piazza with the Hummingbirds drinking at the tumbler and the Purple Finches, females & immature, eating on the tray fastened on the railing of the piazza. It was a very pleasant sight.

Then we four took a stroll over Sunset Rock to the ~~Field~~ Pasture Stroll of 1/2 mile and along to the very north east corner of it where we had a fine view of the White Mountains over which many massive white clouds which at times rose, revealing the summits. We then returned home stopping at Sunset Rock.

Before this cold and walk I went over to the Emerton's with Prof. E., and overtook his whole garden.

Digitaria purpurea L.

Escape from S. Emerton's garden.

Beris perennis L.

Escape from S. Emerton's garden

Walked 1/2 mi. Total 5 1/2 mi

Monday - June 11, N.H.

1927  
Aug. 22

Glorious, warm day, Max. 86°.

The morning passed quietly at the Farm and at the Cottage. After dinner we drove with Mr. & Mrs. James Quinn and the little boy Phillip to Gorham. There a few errands were done. I met on the side walk Mr. Jenkins whom I knew a number of years ago at the Farm here. He took me into Shroy's and we had an ice-cream. Then the others came and had ice-cream and then we went on to Randolph where we call at the Pease Cottage and after a slight wait found Dr. & Mrs. Pease. It was a very pleasant meeting. Mr. Quinn was a student at Amherst and he discussed the college with Pease. There was much time to talk of the round-the-world-trip, though he asked many questions. Pease & Quinn had much to say on the subject of lumber.

Call on  
the Peases  
Randolph

Finally we said steam good-bye and returned to Philbrook Farm.

There I found the cat load of hay haying had gone into the barn. Haying was done!! At last after two and a half weeks, all the hay, unincured, is in the barn. I congratulated Gus this morning. Haying began July 18 and ended today Aug. 22. There will be some clearing up, but the last load is in. This is just 5 weeks.

Tuesday - Shelburne, Vt.

1927  
Aug. 23

Clear day mainly, a very little rain this A.M. hardly appreciable. Max. T. 83°F.

It has been a very beautiful <sup>day</sup> with bright sun, and air fresh. The morning passed pleasantly at the Farm and cottage.

This afternoon the two Miss Smiths from Montreal, who sit next us at table and ~~and~~ are very pleasant, came up and sat with us some time on the piazza. We had a very nice talk and we watched the birds about us. The female purple finches come now in the way, attached with <sup>Purple</sup> feeding and full of seeds, to feed. Sometimes <sup>Finches</sup> there are four at once - Then Humming-birds, male & female, are always ready for a drink.

Then we went for a walk over Sunset Rock to the Yellow Trail and some way along that, when we sat down on a bank with a broad view before us to rest and talk. Then we returned home.

This evening we sat on the piazza at the Farm and heard Miss Allyn give us all a very nice account of her <sup>Trip over the</sup> <sup>big peaks</sup> <sup>by friends</sup> adventure yesterday & to-day with some friends, among them Rodney, <sup>one my old friend.</sup>

They climbed Mt. Washington through Jackson's Ravine, then next M. on over the range to Madison Notch and Ruess House. I met DeAllyn there. <sup>Big blasts</sup> 3 or 4 big blasts today on the Federal Road, <sup>Federal Road.</sup> Walked 1 1/2 m. <sup>54 m.</sup>

Wednesday - Shelburne, N.H.

1927  
Aug. 24

Cloudy & windy most of the day. Cool  
Temp. 7. 66°

Collected in Mr. Brown's  
bifurcated Car Garage near Lull's House -

This morning I went to town with Gus. Lawrence Dime and Warfield was with us. The stay there was short. Gus had some business and Lawrence us to the garage. I picked out a little store, and picked two species of plants, and below. Then we picked up Gus and came home where I found we had missed a call from Mrs. S. Dime - Pitts-

Drove to Gorham

Miss a call from Pearl

Pitts. This afternoon I went as far as the bridge to the station. As I started to return, a man in his car picked me up. He was a young fellow on auto business and he had a very pleasant talk. He took me as far as the upper road and I left him and walked back - his name was Whitefield.

I stayed at the Farm on my return. After supper I sat in the living room before a good log fire with Gus, Mr. & Mrs. Dime, Gus & Miss Brown. Mr. Dime told us the story of his climb with Mr. Tenkes to the summit of Success, *Agrostis alba* L., var. *vulgaris* (L.) Turb.

Gorham, garage, weed.  
*Matricaria suaveolens* (Pursh) Buchenau.  
Gorham, garage, weed, much of it dwarfed by tramping.

I walked about 1 1/2 m. total 5:50 am.

- Tuesday - June 2, 1874

Clear and cloudy, mild-

11/17  
and 18

*Howaria caerulea* L. By yellow trail, near Sadder Pasture, to show late stage.  
*Elmox chlora* Prunellaceae (Roxb.) Link. Stroy, upper garden, Philadelphia Penn.

This morning was spent at the cottage. We had breakfast on a bench the young people, Edmund Spicer, Bobby Payne, Vincent & Genevieve Philbrook, Lydia Johnson & Philip Linn. They stick a little while and then departed.

Two maids from the house called also. This afternoon Mrs Brown & I walked over Sunset Hill and saw a large store and passed the yellow trail a great distance to where *Lycopodium clavatum* L. was most numerous in the woods. We cut off a number of stalks to get the powder (spores) for *Lycopodium clavatum*. Then we returned to supper.

There were very many here and we spent some time after supper, talking to Geo and Lawrence especially about the shortage of water at the little house & hedge a short time ago. The water in the cottage was low but not in ruin Harold's. Everything has been done properly but so far, with us adults to be, Geo & Vincent were hanged on Aug. 4

There will doubtless be some change & law to prevent the loss of the again -

Done - *Prunella* in *Prunella*.  
By K. in Pond <sup>Oxford Co.</sup> near W. Maine, Aug. 23/1874.  
Given me by Mrs. E. W. Col. Mrs. Geo. H. Benton -

Executed  
Aug. 22





~ Saturday ~ Shelburne, Vt.

1927.

July 27 Gentle rain during the day. - Cool, calm

Evening quietly spent. The two plants that Mr. Greene got on Goose Eye I analyzed and tested for him - I will report them later -

After dinner I drove with Mr. & Mrs. Luick & Philip to Gorham. Some errands were done and then we met at Sorey's.

There we had a good day of afternoon from Mr. Sorey. He showed us his recent paper photos which are certainly very beautiful. The one of Philbrook Farm mounted is \$3.00 - He has many of that style -

Then we drove home in the rain and found in the sitting room George W. & Mrs. Cross and their daughter Katherine, of Frisbie Hall, Cambridge, Mass.

We had a pleasant talk. They sat opposite us at supper. It was a very short time -

This evening I came up to the cottage and have been busy as usual over this and that -

Pyrrola

Yellow trail on way to Bould & Pitchers. Coll. The Misses Davis, two sisters visiting at Philbrook Farm.

~ Sunday ~ Su. e. V.H.

1927  
Aug. 28

Cloudy, threatening, a slight misty rain in P.M.  
 A heavy rain in the evening.  
 It has been a quiet day with me.  
 Mr. + Mrs. Coan <sup>worked</sup> in the morning  
 on a little cart - The <sup>my</sup> <sup>spoke</sup>  
 on the pier some time today talking  
 with <sup>my</sup> <sup>friend</sup>. This afternoon Mr. + Mrs.  
 Quinn and the little boy Phillip.  
 They go home tomorrow morning  
 early to Winchester, taking a drive of some  
 200+ miles.

I was pleased this afternoon to see  
 from the piazza, a Sharp-shinned Hawk *Accipiter*  
 in a tree on the slope of the hill just <sup>west</sup> <sup>of</sup>  
 S.W. of the piazza of the cottage, a few  
 rods away. It stood erect on a branch  
 motionless and soon started away.

The house is overgrown and there were  
 63 in the dining-room at dinner.

Several go tomorrow - Dr. Mrs. Herman B.  
 Alper <sup>at</sup> <sup>the</sup> <sup>office</sup> <sup>of</sup> <sup>423</sup> <sup>S.</sup> <sup>25<sup>th</sup></sup> <sup>St.</sup> <sup>Phila.</sup> <sup>Pa.</sup>  
 Mr. + Mrs. James Quinn + Phillip, 307 Washington St.,  
 Winchester, Mass. and Mrs. Gate + two Misses Sogg.

We shall miss them all very much.  
 This evening a very smart rain has  
 set in and we came up from the  
 Farm in it, clad in borrowed robes  
 without getting wet.

1927  
Aug. 29

- Monday - Shelburne, Vt.

Dull day. At 4.30 A.M. it poured torrents } very heavy  
It was raining gently at 8 A.M. The air } rain.  
has been thick with moisture during the  
day, hiding all the more distant peaks.

This morning our good friends, the Thomms  
and also Mrs. Gane and the two Misses Bogg  
Capt. Dr. & Mrs. Ingersoll & Miss M. were  
left. These families were in a great  
deal to make our summer a happy one.

We had a great surprise this morn- this morn-  
ing when they arrived at the door in a } wether  
big car, Miss Brown's brother-in-law } + family  
E. O. Mabey, Mrs. Mabey, Raymond, Ester & Thomas, their children } (Mabey's  
C. M. C. M.  
They have been enjoying a vacation  
and were going through the Adirondacks  
here. We sat on the piazza and  
talked and they enjoyed the view. We were  
banded a bird for their edification.  
My photograph was taken also.

They were off before long and were to  
reach Cambridge at Readville  
this evening.

Dr. & Mrs. Rushmore, Stephen & his cousin } Rushmore  
came this evening. We were very glad to } come  
see them and shall enjoy their stay  
here.

It looks as if the rain clouds were  
breaking - I certainly hope so.

- Tuesday -

Shelburne, Vt.

1927  
Aug 30

Mist in Am., rising; the day clear & cloudy.  
Comfortable day -

This morning I spent a while at the Farm - The rest of the time at the cottage.

This afternoon I went up to the Emersons with my guests and we were under the trees - There were in all, Prof. & Mrs. Emerson, Robert, Dr. & Mrs. Stone of Boston (he a distinguished doctor) Mr. & Mrs. Remman (Cambridge) & Jefferson, Mrs. V. & Mrs. Morse. We had coffee and cake, as before mentioned our blackberries and cake. There was animated discussion and bright stories.

This P.M. we had Mrs. Spiller and Miss Phelps of Burlington - to afternoon tea and we had very pleasant conversation.

John's wife is due to arrive but Miss Brown's <sup>the Browns</sup> <sub>4 of them</sub> <sup>come!</sup> relatives, Mr. & Mrs. Casar & Junia and niece - Rita had in their big car from Cambridge. They were coming through the mountains. We gave them a warm welcome. They had all needs with them. Miss Brown with their wife got rooms & beds all ready for them and they will spend the night. We had a pleasant talk and made tentative plans for tomorrow - Miss Brown is very much delighted to see them here. How may to-morrow be a good day in Cephalanthus occidentalis L. Behind Farm Barn.

1927  
Aug. 31

- Wednesday - Shelburne, N.H.

Beautiful sunny day, the air hazy in the distance, warm but pleasant.

This morning the Balsors, Four and Miss Brown + I drove in our big car to Gorham where a big carnival was held. There was a rare parade of floats surmounting the customs of early days. It was very impressive indeed. The place was crowded, rockets were sent up - Tennis + Base Ball were played. It was a very lively occasion. About noon we took the electric to Berlin where we had lunch. We then returned in the same way to Gorham but the car was terribly crowded throughout and I stood as well as I could in the swaying car. At Gorham we waited some time watching the sports which still continued until the spring in the car was mended.

Then we drove to Glen Ellis Falls down the Glen Road which is an wonderful condition. The Mt. Washington stuff was supposed to look at though pretty well covered with fog. From there we came straight home getting there before tea. We drove today 39 miles + circuits to Berlin and back to Gorham.

We spent the evening pleasantly at home in the sitting room reading and talking.

~ Thursday ~ Shelburne, N.H.

1927  
Sept. 1

Cloudy, fine mist in the air, in the evening  
very heavy rain pounding on the roof.

Wish it were continued pleasant weather.

This morning we walked over to the  
Station to say goodbye to our good friends  
the Misses Smith from Montreal, who  
sat by us in the dining-room and who are  
very interesting ladies.

Then we walked, via car, and made a  
call on Mrs. Wilson. We saw her and her  
Nelson. The Federal Road is slowly moving  
on. It is a tremendous job. We walked  
home in time for dinner.

This afternoon I went over to the Edicott  
Ornament House where I had not entered for a long  
time. Edicott gave me one with Mrs. Emerson.  
There were present there: Prof. Mrs. Emerson  
Mr. Johnson, Mrs. Hope, Howard & Mrs. Philbrook  
and myself. Edicott & his wife entertained.  
It was a simple afternoon tea. I was much  
interested in the house where we used to  
spend many happy days with Mr. & Mrs. Mc-  
Michael. We sat in the drawing-room which  
was the dining-room and conversed - I have  
been to the house with Mr. Johnson -

Rain began to fall this morning before  
we reached home on our walk -

Walked today 3 m. total 6 1/2 m.

Friday - Shelburne, Vt.

1927  
Sept. 2

Light rain started in the Am. gradually increasing till it was a steady pour in the late P.M. with some thunder

After breakfast Dr. Rushmore and I, in <sup>drive</sup> <sup>with</sup> <sup>guests</sup> his large car and a very pleasant drive. We went to Gorham, and left the car a while at the garage. Then walked about and visited Shorey in his store and then we met Mr. Bennett and had an interesting talk with him. Getting the car finally, we drove as far as the Golf Course and then turned and drove back to Gorham and along the Pickens Road as far as the Glen Ellis Falls. Dr. Rushmore visited the Falls - they were very full. From there we returned to Pickens Falls, making our drive, 40 miles

After dinner I returned home and spent the afternoon busy in one way or another - It poured this afternoon just to keep up the record of rainy days.

This evening there arrived quite a number of new guests, several of them from Cambridge.

Our morning drive was  
Shelburne to Gorham 7 mi.  
Gorham " Glen House 7 mi. } 20 mi.  
Glen House " Glen Ellis Falls 4 mi.

That makes the drive 2 x 20 = 40 mi.

*Epipactis repens* (L.) (Branth; var. *apherides* (Fernald) Cole. Eaton  
Glen Ellis Falls. Coll. Dr. Stephen Rushmore.

- Saturday - Shelburne, N.H.

1927  
Sept. 3

Clear and cloudy, quite warm; most of the day  
A smart shower in the Am. towards  
Yorkham in Shelburne-

This morning with Alice Payne we  
walked up the road to the mill Brook,  
going part of the way through the woods.  
Nature was fresh and green and  
the Brook was running strong -  
We got back by dinner-time -

Walked 2 1/2 m

This afternoon we had a call  
from Lois Howe and her cousin Miss Horton.  
We sat on the piazza. He showed  
we banded birds &c. After they had  
gone Bobby Payne and Douglas Philbrook  
came up and we entertained them  
on the piazza -

This evening we called on the Rushmores.  
and had a very pleasant time -

The girls acted a charade for me, the  
word being Charade, and none of us  
could guess it!!

The moon is a beautiful object in the  
south-western sky through white clouds.

Who should call this early P.M. by Dr. Rodney. Call from  
me and his son who have been at the Philbrook house Rodney Trice  
opp. Gno's brother's home. I haven't seen him for years. son -  
and they have been for some years there!! We had a good talk.

It was a treat. They leave to-morrow -  
*Epilagus virginiana* (G.) Burt

Foot of Croag a near it a little way up.

Coll. Stephen Rushmore, Walked 2 1/2 m. to-day - Total 63 miles



- Sunday - Shelburne, N.H.

1927  
Sept 4

Two A.M. heavy thunder shower.  
Brilliant sunshine with wonderful  
clouds. Cloud effects very fine -

This morning I spent mainly on the  
piazza reading "We" - It is very  
well written, and is full of many  
details of Linberg's early life. A  
fascinating book for the lover of the  
airplane - The foreword by Herrick  
our Ambassador at Paris is a splendid  
tribute to Linberg -

This afternoon we had a call from  
Mrs. Dilke and Miss Stoper, and then  
to tea to Prof. Mrs. Benedict's place.  
We met several there and had a  
pleasant time -

This evening we walked round in  
the neighborhood near left to call on  
Mrs. Sudder and Miss Abbie Kirk - We  
spent a pleasant hour and then  
called on the Hoses - We saw some  
plants and some <sup>new</sup> ones, some up  
for preservation - Then home to  
the piazza - A nice -

*Epifagus virginiana* (L.) Bart.

Woods back of the town House

Coll. Stephen Rushmore - Sept 4.

1927  
Sept. 5

~ Monday ~ Shelburne, Vt.  
~ Labor Day ~

A perfect day, clear as crystal with a fleecy clouds growing more and more golden as evening approached - Air mild

This morning we had a very pleasant call and surprise from Mrs. Eddy and her attendant. She is driving through the mountains and staying <sup>at</sup> in Jefferson. It was good to see her. They stayed to dinner and I sat on the piazza with them some time afterwards.

I sent Marge this A.M. in "We". It shows Linbergh well.

This afternoon Miss Maxwell & Miss Deane came up and we four took a walk over Sunset Rocks and through Scudder Pasture to the north-east corner where is a good view of Mt. Washington and the other to the north. We had tea on the piazza on our return.

This evening was a quiet one.

Tracked today  $\frac{1}{2}$  m. total 63  $\frac{1}{2}$  m.

1927  
Sept 6

Tuesday - Shelburne, N.H.

Clear, warm, perfect day, calm.

This morning I spent, for a time, talking with Gus, and then I wrote some letters and came home. Mrs. Briggs was there on the piazza and she staid eating & talking till dinner-time.

As we were walking down to a tea given by Miss Deane & Miss Maxwell, whom I saw, we went in the grove we call *Stantial's* Pine Hill but Mr. & Mrs. *Stantial*!! arrive. They had just arrived for a few days with Helen, Ellen & Reginald. Cordelia's going. We saw the girls later.

After the tea we went on to the picnic and then I saw Mr. *Stantial* and the girls on the tennis court. I went down and we had a hearty welcome. It was very nice indeed to see them.

After supper we adj. to the music room and had a good talk.

They stay a few days before going on. A cold is very prevalent here now, and we must be very careful about catching it.

1927  
Sept 27

- Wednesday - Shelburne, NH

Sunshine and clouds, a perfect day, warm.

This morning Dr. & Mrs. Cullmore took us to drive. It was a very lovely one and we enjoyed it very much. The route was:

Shelburne (left bank of river), Greenfield, Pond W. Bethel, Bethel, Sango Lake in Albany, Village of Albany, Lyndonville, N. Waterford E. Waterford, Lyndonville with Danvers Massett Lake, S. Paris, W. Paris, Ferrisburgh (Fry's Pond) Fockes Brook, Bethel, W. Bethel, Greenfield, Shelburne on the right bank, in all.

Distance 92 miles. Home to dinner. 92 miles

It was a very beautiful drive with the push of many hours of driving up and down the mountains -

After dinner we started again with Mr. Stanciar and home with Eileen and drove to Golden where roads were done and I cut my hair cut at Bennetts.

Then we drove to Berlin where roads were done and had refreshments at the cafe's, a very attractive place.

Then we returned on steps home, stopping at a garage in Ferrisburgh for oil. Total miles this P.M.

This evening we went over to the Casino where the revenues are, and saw some acting in choruses by Stephanie and Clarissa Ober in costume -

It was a fine day, well spent. The moon shone brightly with a red hot ball and it.

Thursday - Greenville, N.H.

1927  
Sept 8

Clear and cloudy, very cool.

I have done little to-day, except sitting and talking. This morning I had a long talk with Gus and Mr. Stuntice in the office on the federal road that is being made through the town across the river. Gus is very strong in his idea that ~~millions~~ <sup>hundreds of</sup> millions of money are being spent that ~~will not be~~.

This afternoon I sat a long time with Mr. Stuntice on the best places of the main house ~~working~~ <sup>working</sup> and later the ~~two~~ <sup>two</sup> Mrs. Stuntice appeared here at the cottage and we all sat on the piazza and discussed many problems, notably aviation, especially across the oceans. I think Lindbergh is the only man who has a clear perception of how to manage an airship.

This evening after supper, I sat in the music room with the three Stuntice girls and Mr. Stuntice. It was very pleasant and we had interesting stories to talk.

The moon is glorious this evening -  
*Arenaria prostrata* (Retz.) Spreng.  
*Rubus* ~~in~~ varius L.

Summit of Success Mt.  
Coll. Stephen R. Silliman -

- Friday - Shelburne N.H.

1927  
Sept. 9

*Artemia proclawia* (Retz.) Spring. Summit of Luceon, Success Co. N.H. Coll. Stephen K. Robinson

Clear with light clouds, light wind, cool.

Another wonderful day - It is the last day of five clear days, the largest number of this season.

This morning I spent some time going over my pressed plants where we are few in number and arranging them in order for packing.

After dinner we drove with Mr. Thos. Stantial over the same road as on Sept. 7 to Sango Pond. Then we con- Sango turned the drive and went entirely Pond round the pond stopping on the oppo- 43 m, site side where we had a beautiful view over it - It was superb - The continued entirely round and back to Bethel and then by the same road home except that we crossed over at I lead us the waning sun low & now made it impossible to see ahead. Our distance was 43 miles -

After supper we went up to the slantial room and the three girls gave us music on guitar with bright songs. It was very jolly. Then they all came up to our cottage and we looked at I picture this woods, foliage and his rings. & the moon. The girls were very bright and sang to the guitar very bright songs. Finally a good night -

This evening Catherine Briggs is here for the night in room at the Farm -

- Saturday - Fincastle, VA

1927  
Sept. 10

Clear, pleasant day, warm - Light rain  
by 9.30 P.M.

This morning I walked down to the tennis court with Cuyler, Aileen & Helen Stautial and I watched them play for a good while. I enjoy seeing the game. The sun was very warm -

This afternoon Mr. & Mrs. Stautial, Miss Brown & I drove over to Gotham and did errands. Then we drove over the Glen Road to the Aspin where campers resort in great numbers. It was the scene of the life of Dolly Copp and her husband -

Then we returned home covering in all drove some 44 miles 44 m.

This evening I read the sad news of the death by drowning of Fuller who was here recently with his wife and child. He was in the firm of Stone & Webster. His very sad demise, I shall learn more later.

This evening the Stautials all came up to the cottage and we had a very bright and pleasant time, talking, jigs and punning of jigs drinks and cake. Catherine Briggs came in late upon a trip up Mt. Rushmore. She is staying with us at present, with the crowd at the union base -

Stautials  
come up  
as a party  
yet they  
go Monday.

- Sunday - June 11, 1927

1927  
Sept. 11

Raining at intervals, very heavy in the morning -

This morning I was busy in one way or another - Loring Briggs dropped in and we had a long talk.

This afternoon Gus took Mr. Stantial, Vint & Dr. Spottedwood, Dolly Kirk, Miss Brown & me <sup>Dolly Copp</sup> over to Randolph and over the Dolly Copp road (in good condition) to the site of the Dolly Copp house of which the cellar remains. It is an excavation some six feet deep and 10 x 2 feet wide. Stones and weeds are in it and it is near the road and in a large field overgrown with weeds and some few trees. Near it is the cellar of one of Hayes Copp's sons.

I gathered a few plants from the Dolly Copp cellar and close by as remembrances.

The locality is only a few rods on the Dolly Copp road beyond the camping ground.

From there we drove to the Glen and then turned and came home. Distance some 35 miles.

Then we had in afternoon tea for some friends: Mr. & Mrs. Stantial, Loring Briggs, Vint & Thomas S., Dr. Spottedwood, Dolly Kirk, Dr. Thos. R. ...

Evening was with the Stantials in their room -  
*Lilium philadelphicum* L. by Dolly Copp road - 4 ft high  
*Asplenium platyneuron* L. " " " " " "  
*Scilla maritima* L. " " " " " "  
*Amphelis maritima* L. " " " " " " of Hayes Copp's son  
 Closing Dolly Copp cellar

I picked up 3 stones from the Dolly Copp cellar.



Monday ~ Shelburne, Vt.

1927  
Sept. 12

Clear with light clouds Windy in Am.  
Some rain before mid night.

Our dear friends Mr. & Mrs. Stautland  
and their three daughters Helen, Cylnier  
& Eileen departed this morning after  
breakfast for home in their large car.  
They reach Melrose this P.M. or evening.  
They have been so cordial & are kind.  
We have had enjoyable rides too.

Then Mrs. Brown & I walked along  
the road to Gates Cottage to call on  
Prof. & Mrs. Diller and Prof. & Mrs. E.S. Burgess  
We found Prof. Diller on the outlook by the  
house walking with two canes. We greeted  
him and we sat in the summer house on  
the Knoll with him some time. Mrs. Diller  
joined us soon and we had a good talk.  
The Burgesses were away.

After a while we left them and walked  
back over the 2-mile road.

This afternoon I have spent at the  
cottage on accounts, read in, etc.  
There are many letters already to write  
Boston Herald

FULLER - Suddenly at Westport Harbor,  
Mass. Richard S. Fuller, in his 35th year.  
Funeral services at the home of his father,  
William O. Fuller, Rockland, Me. Tuesday,  
Sept. 12, at 2 P.M.

September 12, 1927  
See also Sept. 13 & 14.

Mr. Fuller died from drowning. I have no details.  
He was a fine fellow and was brother of Howard Philbrook's  
wife -

At 5:30 P.M. call from Charlie & Effie Lord, their son George, his wife & son Charles & Ches. Lord  
They came from Whitefield on way to Bethel. A trailer with baggage followed, (partly by  
They stay only 1/2 hr. Very pleasant time.

Walked today 4m. total 67 1/2 m.

- Tuesday -

Shelburne, N.H.

1927  
Sept. 13

Clear and cloudy. Warm. Very light rain at 5 P.M.

I have felt very tired all day from my walk yesterday - I regret not to get a new covered running shoes in my short walks during the summer - Even my walks to & from the Farm House were deemed to many miles.

We shall return home the end of this week, either Friday or Saturday.

The summer has been a pleasant one, though I have done so little since I have some duplicated to take home, that will add to my herbarium -

This evening we walked over to call on the Amertons - We sat a good while talking of our Shelburne friends and their crops - There is always much to talk over there and the time passes quickly.

On our return to -  
fell in on road -  
appeared to display in  
the wet mud it was  
under a large  
dense black cloud.  
then we had a few  
I say Sept see me go  
-

Sept. 13, 1927

Richard S. Fuller

The funeral of Richard S. Fuller, who was drowned at Westport last Saturday in an attempt to rescue others, will take place this afternoon at 2 o'clock in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William O. Fuller, in Rockland, Me. The service will be conducted by ministers of the Baptist and Congregational churches at Rockland.  
Mr. Fuller was 35 years old. He was born in Rockland and was graduated from Bowdoin College in 1916. In 1919 he married Miss Sarah Jeanette Briscoe of Detroit, who with three small children survive him. Upon his graduation from college, he became associated with Stone & Webster, Inc., until the outbreak of the war. He was commissioned at Plattsburg and served throughout the war, retiring with the rank of major. He was a member of the Dedham Country Club, Dedham Country and Polo Club, the Hoosick Club, Wisick Golf Club and Exchange Club.

See also Sept. 12 & 15.

Desmodium canadense (L.) DC.  
A little persistence by stone wall both of the Farm House.

Worcester - Sherburne, N.H.

1927  
Sept 14

Clear and cloudy - Cool. Some rain before midnight.

This morning just before eight o'clock as I went in to the sitting room and looked thru the window for on to the piazza was standing on the piazza close to the door but Alice Wetherbee never was 750 yards - Alice Wetherbee. She had come in from her car from Gorham. Alice has charge of a department in the Lincoln House pertaining to the needlework department. She visits 30 families.

Very cordial greeting. We breakfasted together and then came back to the house and talked. She told us of her life at home and her work. Before coming, however, Alice drove to Gorham where she sent a telegram. We had a long talk at home over her work at the Lincoln House where she has large responsibilities. It was a treat to see her here.

After dinner Alice rested and Miss Bennett came home and worked over packing. Dr. Rushmore called and told of his doings in a drive up Mill Brook and a fall Clarissa Wells had off a bridge. No harm resulted.

Alice came up about 5 o'clock and we had a good talk, and tea and cookies. She drove me up to our cottage after supper and we shall see her tomorrow before she drives off. aloe, for Brookline!!

~ Thursday ~ Shelburne, N.H.

1927  
Sept. 15

Foggy morning soon turned to fine  
sunshine. Some rain in early P.M.

Alice Weatherbee left this morning for  
home probably. She spent a day at the  
car.

Sam & I went to ride with Mr.  
We are going to the  
the vineyard. Found some  
the vineyard in early P.M. We did not  
to the vineyard, but it was not  
at the vineyard. The vines  
we & camp in the woods. Before us lay  
the vineyard of an estate including  
Gorse Eye in the distance. We were home  
in time for dinner.

The afternoon was quietly  
spent by me at home. There  
is much work for us to do  
the Friday & Saturday.  
The Salvor is coming for us  
the car and it is quite  
The group is now begin-  
ing to

**DROWNED AT WESTPORT**  
Easton, Me., Tuesday, Sept. 12/27  
Richard S. Fuller was Resident of Dedham and had been identified with Stone & Webster and Blodget, Inc. Richard S. Fuller of Dedham, who was associated with Stone & Webster and Blodget, Inc. and was well known in Boston, who was drowned at Westport while trying to save others, had been spending his vacation at Westport Harbor where he and his family had taken a house for the summer. He was in his thirty-fifth year, and was born in Rockland, Me., the son of William O. and Kathleen Stevens Fuller. He was graduated from Bowdoin College in 1916 and was a member of Delta Kappa Epsilon. He was married in 1919 to Sarah Jeanette Briscoe of Detroit, who with three small children survives him. Other survivors are his parents; two brothers, Commander Douglas W. Fuller, U. S. N., and Donald H. Fuller of Rockland, Me.; and a sister, Mrs. Howard G. Philbrook of Dedham. Mr. Fuller upon graduation associated himself with Stone & Webster until the outbreak of the war, when he went to the Officers' Training Camp at Plattsburgh where he received his commission and, at the end of hostilities, was retired with the rank of major. Mr. Fuller's clubs included the Dedham Country Club, Dedham Country and Polo Club, Hoosick-Whiskick Golf Club, and Exchange Club.

70m.

Thursday - Shelburne, N.H.

927  
Sept. 15

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Alice Wetherbee got this message for  
home probably. She sped away alone in  
her car -

Soon after I went to drive with Mr.  
James Rushmore and the two girls.  
We went straight to Indian land over  
the hill past Cedar Pond and on  
through exquisite country to foot of the  
slope up to Christine Lake. We did not  
do the half mile walk, but turned back  
and crossed the hills to Berlin. The views  
we simply beyond words. Before us lay  
the long range of mountains including  
Goose Eye and Spicket Mt. We reached home  
in time for dinner - Distance 40<sup>mi</sup>

The afternoon was quietly  
spent at home. Then we go on

**CUTTER TAMPA BACK FROM ICE PATROL**  
With the arrival yesterday of the  
coast guard cutter Tampa, Comdr.  
Malloy, the international ice patrol for  
1927 has ended, following a season of  
about 17 weeks. Relatively little ice  
shipping consequently has not been sub-  
ject to dangers of recent years. Com-  
plete reports of position were sub-  
mitted by the cutter Tampa and her alter-  
nate, the cutter Madoc. The latter es-  
cal. now at Halifax. The latter es-  
Wilmington, N. C. her regular station is  
and the Tampa has been ordered to duty  
in the eastern division with Boston as  
headquarters.  
Boston Herald, June 26, 1927

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70m.

1927  
Sept. 16

~ Friday ~ Shelburne, N.H.

Sunny, bright. Breeze in the morning.  
Calm later. Air mild.

This morning I was busy at home at first. Then I walked down to the beach with Miss Brown & Daisy Kirk. The air was good and sky clear. A King fisher flew over the water. We sat down for a while and then returned to dinner.

I was not quite up to the mark after dinner so that I staid at home and did not go down to the Cemetery's afternoon. I sat on the piazza and took it easy.

At 4.45 P.M. was sent a note but Mrs. & Mr. [unclear] all ready to take us home to-morrow. They came up through Franconia Notch in seven hours. We are glad to see them, and shall get off as soon as possible to-morrow we will go home via Franconia Notch.

I cannot realize that we have been here for three months. It has been a pleasant surprise and I am much indebted to my good friends for many delightful days over the country.

We had a pleasant talk some this evening and are ready for the start to-morrow. *Cucurbita* Bank of the Island, N. River.

*Opolygonum canadense* & *Colocephalus* on the strong bench back of the Kumbler.

Auto ride, Shelburne N.H. to Cambridge, Mass.

Saturday Cambridge, Mass.

1927  
Sept. 17

Clouds and a few rain drops in the morning, changing to clear - Wonderful sunset.

This morning the last things were packed in the car of Mr. Balsora who, with his wife, arrived yesterday afternoon to take us home.

The hours following the day-light saw us. By 10 o'clock everything was ready and at 10:15, Mr. Balsora, Miss Brown & I were off for Cambridge. It looked like a rainy day but it was far otherwise - we were in the rain caps - topped out the heavy clouds very much added to the beauty of the scenes that constantly opened up. We reached Forham at 10:15, took on a 2nd wheel tire, and then drove through a quiet road which we reached at 10:30. Jefferson 10:45.

The air was clear and the hills with the Cherry Mt. at their tops covered with snow-white clouds in a low line, forming a wonderful contrast with the clear air. Crows heard on Cherry Mt. stood out prominently, scared by the slide that occurred a number of years ago.

We passed through Carroll at 11:00 and Carroll reached Twin Mt. at 11:35, then on straight line Mt. Bethlehem Sta 11:45, Franconia (1200), passing Echoe Bethlehem Sta 12:10, 12:25 we reached the Old Man Franconia and I gazed with my glasses at the worn Echoe Lake a beautiful profile, seen years ago.

- Saturday - Cambridge, Mass.

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Then on the Lincoln (1230). Here we saw Old Man's Foot in the Boson. This a Foot a wonderful spot. In the beautiful running stream flowing through a Cascade Brook beautiful gorge - by the road, a remnant of past times made up, is the rock formation of a turner left with the perfect slope from above to the end of the foot. It is first in the rock and is very large and must be covered when the water is high.

At 12.55 we had a wonderful view of the main head a massive rock in the high stone main side, ascending in stone to the Old Man. They passed wood stand size entering the beautiful Penigasset Valley.

At 1.30 the Thornton with and and a neighboring with the high 601 ft. above the sea. Next we passed Campston 1.50 reaching Penigasset. At 2.00 we stopped one hour - and unpacked and left to purchase our equipment for the trip which we needed at 3.15 was the river. The Penigasset river has an attractive bridge at the point of viewing an very beautiful view. Here there we passed Little Square Lake a beautiful sheet of water and reached Old Man at 3.20. The view from the high land of Cambridge was superb.



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~ Saturday ~ Cambridge Mass

at 3.35 we passed White Oak and  
A detour in the road took us past the  
sign to Center Harbor to Meredith,  
which we reached at 3.50, passing  
our 100 mile mark.

Soon after we passed Wampet up Lake  
and at 4 P.M. the beautiful Lake  
Winnepesaukee stretching 12 miles  
on either side with a backdrop  
of beautiful mountains. In the  
distance we had a fine view of  
Chocoma and many northern peaks.

We passed The Weirs, then to report  
entering Laconia at 4.15. Here Lake  
Winnepesaukee came beautifully into  
view. We kept sight of it for many  
miles. At 4.40 we passed Winnepesaukee  
having passed Belmont at 4.57. Soon  
we reached Tilton at 5.40 and Franklin  
on the Merimac River at 5.00. At  
Boscawen we passed through the town  
on the Merimac River at 5.15, reaching  
McLeod at 5.30, and Concord at  
5.50. It is a very beautiful town and we  
enjoyed the beautiful buildings and the  
views. Here we had trouble with the  
back spring of the car which delayed  
us some fifteen minutes. Then we  
went on, passing Putnam, Stewart  
Stewart in Manchester, reaching it  
at 7.00. The views along the river

Saturday - Cambridge Mass

1927  
Sept 17  
(4)

Car broken in here we waited J. Furmst  
Johnson, into repairing establishment  
from 7.05 to 10.15 while the repairs were  
being done. Here we had our supper in  
Anna's Tea House close by. It was a  
very pleasant meal and gave me an  
idea what these roadside eating  
houses were - before leaving we  
saw the sunset was glorious. At this time  
Miss Brown saw a beautiful shooting meteor  
meteor, ending a long trail of yellow  
light seen as a ~~very~~ ~~short~~ ~~met~~ ~~was~~.  
It started between Vega and Betelgeuse  
and descended towards the west.  
It went toward the base of the  
dipper and last for me several seconds.  
This occurred about 9.30.

We finally got away at 10.15 and fog  
almost immediately found ourselves  
enveloped in a thick mist which  
had settled down over the river.  
It was so dense that at times it  
was almost impossible to see ahead.  
Many cars were motionless beside the  
road and others were just crawling  
along. The cars in front had to be  
wiped off at times as we slowly pushed  
ahead even though the automatic  
brush was in constant motion.  
We reached the Massachusetts line  
after passing through Nashua at 11.20

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The fox continued in Massachusetts as we passed through Timpboro, 11:35, Lowell 11:50, Billerica 12:15, Burlington, 12:35, Winchester 12:40. At Uxbridge we reached at 12:50 we came out of the fox. Finally we reached home in Cambridge at 1 o'clock. Day-light saving time occurs throughout this record.

Total number of miles, 221.5-

It has been a very delightful trip through the state. Two beautiful trips have occurred this season, one at the beginning and one at the end of our visit to Seabrook. We cannot adequately express to our hosts the pleasure that they have given us. Mr. & Mrs. F. V. Balsore have made my vacation a very very happy one. I have been over many miles of New England entirely un- seen by me before and I shall always cherish these drives with the greatest pleasure.

A beautiful waning harvest moon played hide and seek with us through the river mist during the latter part of our drive home.

No. 1

Covis Co., New Hampshire.

1927  
July 5-5  
Aug. 21

Plants collected in Shelburne.  
by Walter Deane.

- July 5 *Lycopodium complanatum* L., var. *flabelliforme* Fernald
- July 5 *Lycopodium clavatum* L., var. *monostachyon* Griseb. & Hook.
- Aug. 11 *Sagittaria latifolia* Willd., forma *hastata* (Pursh) Robinson
- " " " " *gracilis* " "
- " 25 *Echinochloa frumentacea* (Rottb.) Link
- " 11 *Myrica Gale* L.
- " 19 *Ostrya virginiana* (Mill.) K. Koch
- July 23 *Dianthus barbatus* L.
- Oct. 5 *Cakile edentula* (Bigel.) Hook.
- Sept. 16 *Spiraea latifolia* Borkh.
- " 13 *Desmodium canadense* (L.) Ste.
- Aug. 11 " "
- " 15 " "
- " 26 *Lechea intermedia* Leggett
- July 18 *Viola tricolor* L.
- Sept. 16 *Apocynum cannabinum* L.
- Aug. 21 *Digitalis purpurea* L.
- " 7 *Utricularia vulgaris* L., var. *americana* Gray
- " 11 " "
- " 17 *Cephalanthus occidentalis* L.
- " 19 " "
- " 25 *Houstonia caerulea* L.
- Sept. 16 *Cucurbita Pepo* L.
- Aug. 5 *Gampanula punctata* Lam.
- " 21 *Bellis perennis* L.
- " 20 *Cosmos bipinnatus* Cav.



No. 2.

1927

Plants collected by Walter Deane  
Gorham, Coos Co., N.H.

- Aug. 24 *Agrostis alba* L., var. *vulgaris* (Willd.) Link.  
" " *Matricaria suaveolens* (Pursh) Buchenau

Dolly Copp cellar, by Richman Hotel, near Glen Road, N.H.

- Sept. 11 *Lilium philadelphicum* L.  
" " *Oenothera biennis* L.  
" " *Anaphalis margaritacea* (L.) B. & H.

Cambridge Middlesex Co., Mass.

- Sept. 30 *Eupatorium urticaefolium* Richard  
Oct. 21

River Beach, Middlesex Co., Mass.

- Oct. 5 *Poa palustris* L. (*P. triflora* Gilib.)  
" " *Beta vulgaris* L.  
" " *Salsola Kali* L., var. *caroliniana* (Walt.) Nutt.  
" " *Linaria vulgaris* Hill.  
" " *Xanthium echinatum* Murr.

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Plants collected by Miss L. M. Brown  
Shelburne, Coos Co., N.H.

- Aug. 3 *Cimicifuga mollis*, Hook., var. *petiolaris* Fernald.  
" 24 *Cosmos bipinnatus* Cav.

No. 3

- 1927  
 Aug. 26 Plants collected on summit of Goose Eye,  
 Riley, Oxford Co., Maine, 3854 ft. by  
 James Quinn  
*Epipactis tessellata* (Lodd.) A. C. Eaton.  
*Potentilla tridentata* Ait.  
*Solidago Cutleri* Fernald.  
*Prenanthes trifoliolata* (Lod.) A. C. Eaton
- Aug. 3 Plants collected by A. C. Sproague:  
*Arenaria groenlandica* (Retz.) Spreng.  
 Summit of Success, Coös Co., N.H., 3570 ft.
- Rubus chamaemorus* L.  
 Summit of Success Coös Co., N.H. 3570 ft.
- Sept. 2 Plants collected by Stephen Rushmore.  
*Epipactis repens* (L.) Crantz, var. *ophioides*  
 (Fernald) A. C. Eaton  
 Glen Ellis Falls, Pinkham Notch, N.H.
- Sept. 4 *Monotropa hypopitys* L.  
 Woods, Philbrook Farm, Shelburne, N.H. ?
- Sept. 3 *Epifagus virginiana* (L.) Burt.  
 Foot of Craig, Shelburne, Coös Co., N.H.
- Sept. 7 *Arenaria groenlandica* (Retz.) Spreng.  
 Summit of Success, Coös Co., N.H., 3570 ft.

## No 4

1927

Plants collected by  
Mrs. Sturges LothropSept. 20 *Sanguisorba canadensis* L.  
Manchester, Essex Co., Mass.

June 10

Rev. R. J. Cheney  
Garden weed for years  
Southborough, Essex Co., Mass.  
*Viola arvensis* Murr.

Sept. 11

*Calluna vulgaris* (L.) Hull.  
Woods, Lincoln, Mass. Introduced years ago  
R. A. Ware

Sept. 20

Mrs. George Sheffield  
*Veronica officinalis* L.  
Jefferson Hotel Road, White Mt.  
Coös Co., N. H.

Aug. 23

*Sedum Purpureum* Tausch.  
Mrs. Geo. H. Buntary  
By Kezar Pond, Oxford Co., Me.

(?)

Aug. 26 *Artemisia Stellariana* Bess.  
Mrs. Margaret Cushman.  
Sandy soil, Newburyport, Essex Co.

Sept. 26

*Eupatorium ulicifolium* Richard  
Wed. 30 Spauld St. Cambridge Mass.  
Geo. C. Deane

No. 5

1927

Plants collected by Comm. W. H. Munter in North Carolina, in July, Aug. & Sept., 1927, and presented to me. These plants have all been verified by C. A. Weatherby -

- Polypodium polypodioides* (L.) Walt.
- Lycopodium alopecuroides* L.
- Dichromena colorata* (L.) Hitchc.
- Eriocaulon decanquulare* L.
- Lachnocaulon anceps* (Walt.) Morong.
- Xyris elata* Chapman.
- " *arenicola* Small.
- Juncus aristulatus* Michx.
- Tofieldia racemosa* (Walt.) B.S.P.
- Melantherum virginicum* L.
- Lilium Catesbaei* Walt.
- Lacnauthes tinctoria* (Walt.) Ell.
- Abenaria ciliaris* R. Br.
- " *blephariglottis* (Willd.) Torr.
- Paronychia argyrocoma* (Michx.) Nutt.
- Silene virginica* L.
- Sarracenia flava* L.
- Dionaea muscipula* Ellis
- Parnassia*
- Cassia nictitans* L.
- Tephrosia hispiculula* (Michx.) Pers.
- Lespedeza Nuttallii* Darl.
- Strophostyles umbellata* (Muhl.) Britton
- Polygala lutea* L.
- " *remosa* L.



No. 6

1927

- Passiflora incarnata* L.
- Rhexia mariana* L.
- Jussiaea suffruticosa* L.
- Oenothera linearis* Michx.
- Clethra alnifolia* L.
- Lysichiton marianus*
- Sabatia paniculata* (Michx.) Pursh.
- "    *lanceolata* (Walt.) T. & G.
- "    *dodecandra* (L.) B. & P.
- Monarda punctata* L.
- Gerardia purpurea* L.
- Campanula divaricata* Michx.
- Lobelia amoena* Michx. var. *glandulifera* Gray
- Elephantopus nudatus* Gray.
- Liatris spicata* Willd.
- Heterotheca subaxillaris* (Lam.) Britton & Rusby
- Solidago odora* Ait.
- Helianthus atrorubens* L.
- Marshallia angustifolia* Pursh.

44 sps. & var.

Extralimital

- Lagerstroemia indica* L.
- Richardia scabra* St. Hil.

1927  
Oct. 23  
(1)

Sunday. Cambridge, Mass.

Clear, calm, bright.

This morning Mr. & Mrs. Frederick N. Balsor and their boy, Junior, called for Miss Brown and me in their car, at 11 A.M. and we had a very delightful drive. It was wonderfully calm and clear and the foliage was turning fast. We drove to Nantasket Beach through Cambridge, Brookline, Milton, East Milton Quincy, North Quincy, along Quincy River, Squantum, Hingham, North Cohasset to the Beach. Nothing could be more beautiful than the scenery along the way.

I had not been to Nantasket Beach since I was a boy and I did enjoy it. The beach is the same as are the neighboring hills, but otherwise the changes have been great. The entire length of the beach at its head is one line of buildings of every description to allure the visitor. The tide was low and the broad beach was very attractive.

The most remarkable sight however, was the huge fire master, "The Nancy", built by the Foundation Co. of Portland, Maine, in 1918. It ran ashore up on to the beach last February in an easterly storm one night, poised erect on the sands with no harm done to it.

Sunday. Cambridge, Mass.

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Oct. 23  
(2)

The keel and a few feet of the ship is in the sand, and there she stands. It is a very huge affair and it may be impossible to get her off. We wandered over her throughout. Stairs lead up the side and a small fee is charged. Mr. Balsor took a few snaps of her. We walked through the officers' and the soldiers' quarters and I imagined the huge craft on the open sea.

We then drove home along Atlantic Ave. past the Black Rock House and through Cohasset, Hingham, Nantasket junction, where was a sign pointing to Crow Point, North Weymouth, Quincy, Pilgrim Parkway, Ballast Point, Dorchester, Forest Hills, Franklin Park, Morton St., Jamaica Pond + Parkway, Arnold Arboretum on the left, Brookline Boston to Cambridge and 29 Brewster St. which we reached at 2:30 P.M., Distance 59.6 m.

In the afternoon at 4 P.M. Mr. Balsor again appeared with Mrs. Balsor, her boy Junior, and her sister Lilla Gould and we started off again in the brilliant sunshine to visit the Flying Field in East Boston. My brother did not go. Our course was Cambridge, Somerville, Chelsea, East Boston to the East Boston Airport.

- Sunday - Cambridge, Mass.

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Oct. 23  
(3)

The Airport is on the broad open flats near the city. Here are assembled a good number of air-ships of various sizes. People are drawn to the place, naturally, and the air-ships are busy taking up two or three at a time for a circuit over-head. Charge \$5.00 a ride! They naturally don't rise very high, but circle round and round a few hundred feet up and make circles. I saw one car quite high up - (one state-of-the-art car I examined and was much interested in the make of it. The place for the company was enclosed with glass sides. It had four or five soft chairs in it - The other cars were entirely open.

Finally we started on our returning as follows: East Boston, South Ferry, Boston, Cambridge - Back home, 6:30 P.M.

Distance 22 m. This makes our total for the day 81.6 miles.

It has been a very delightful day for me and my good friends all very kind.

Thursday - Cambridge, Mass.

1927  
Oct. 27

Clear as crystal, calm, mild.

I had a very delightful auto-drive this morning - Mr. Balsor came up to the house and invited me to go with him. We started off in his car at 9.30 Am, and I will list towns we went through in their order

Cambridge, Somerville, Everett, Chelsea, Revere, Lynn, Sampscott, Nahant, Bass Point, (Deer Isle seen from here), Winterop, Beachmont, Deer Island light seen, Revere Lynn, Revere, Clark Island, Chelsea, Everett, Somerville, Cambridge. Distance 46 mi.

At Revere Beach we walked about some and sat on one of the benches overlooking the ocean. The tide was high and the Gulls (Herring & Black-backed) were busy at the water edge. We examined the burnt area where the fire swept a week or two ago. It must have made a tremendous sound.

The views all along were exquisite. Especially was this true at Revere Beach and Bass Point. The wide stretch of ocean with steamers in the distance and small boats occupied by fishermen in the foreground, with Gulls flying by, and an occasional airplane passing over, made a scene to remember - It was a memorable drive.

Time 9.30 Am - 12.15 Pm. Distance 46 miles -

