

Standard
Diary

Walter Deane,
29 Brewster St.,
Cambridge,
Mass.

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" 11. Mary Fernald

" 12. Alice Wetterbee

" 15. Jupiter & Venus -

" 17. Bob Cat.

" 24. Courtenay Guild, portrait

Deaths

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rising & setting of the
Sun

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My Residence.....

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My Home Telephone..... Union. 0249

My Office Telephone.....

My Home Fire Alarm Box.....

My Office Fire Alarm Box.....

In case of accident or serious illness please notify.....

Mr. George C. Deane
80 Sparks St.
Cambridge

The make of my Automobile.....

Its Number.....

Number on case of my Watch..... M 4270

Number of the works..... 1673035

Number of my Bank Book.....

Number of my Ins. Policy.....

Name of Ins. Co.....

My Weight was..... On.....

and my Height..... feet..... inches.....

Size of Hat..... Gloves.....

" Shirt..... Collar.....

" Hosiery..... Shoes.....

X = Miss Brown - Stakeholder - red.

CALENDAR 1927

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Saturday, January 8, 1927

Clear, bracing, calm.

At home this morning, busy as usual.

This afternoon Miss B. & I went in to Boston to the Repertory Theatre and saw the remarkable play "A Kiss for Cinderella". It was fascinating to the extreme.

The heroine was a very charming young girl and she did her part to perfection, as also did the Policeman.

This evening Weatherly appeared and he went over my ferns which he had seen before so that I can mark the sheets. Then we went down to the park and heard Mildred & her friend play and sing.

Sunday, January 9, 1927

Clear, bracing calm
Mercury 10° F this Am.
 30° F at 7 P.M.

Busy this Am. as usual.
Met C. Weatherly at the
electric at 12:45 and went to
the H.A.M. Union, where we
had a dinner and a good
talk. Returned same way.
Weatherly going to Gray Herk.

Soon they arrived Charlie
& Effie Lord with Marion Taylor
& her two adopted children.
Effie & Charlie staid some time
and had tea. We showed
them over the house and
herbarium, and they had a
bright time with us.
Marion & children went soon.
It was a bright afternoon

Monday, January 10, 1927

Clear, cold evening

at home for the
evening. A
specialty for tonight
This evening I
I went down to the hall
and heard a most
wonderful lecture with
moving pictures and
slides by W. M. McGonagall
The first stranger to see in
The forbidden city of Lhasa
in Tibet. He is an
gentleman and he acted
as a servant to a small
party who had untold
experiences of the journey
over high snowy mts. in
intense cold in our
horns fail to feel of it
I met Mr. K. K. K. and
sat with us. He was
thrilled to

Tuesday, January 11, 1927

Cold, windy, heavy fall of snow during the day.

It has been a real winter day. I have not stirred out a step. Except to go to the G. H. and worked all day and returned rather late. This evening, we shall have the grand of this storm to-morrow.

I have varied myself, with letter-writing, reading, etc. Time does fly and I never seem to get time to sit down quietly and read.

Sister Lucy had a hard night and was very pretty well today. Of course she is in wear as can be. I can't imagine her getting over this. It has been going on for a good while. But we must trust, and hope that she can get over her suffering.

Wednesday January 12, 1927

Ocean calm, cool, wonderful
Thru night -
Between 22° & 26° all day
Some 4 in. fall, but after
the ploughs, shovels & had
near the side walls,
these were high wide
waves between sidewalk
& street. as the streets had
also been scraped

"Miss Brown & I walked to
The Square this noon and
visited the 5 art lo.

Then we dined at the square
and went in a the metropolitan
where there was a very fine
performance in every way,
clean and attractive.

Evening at home on
various things, tapes, etc.
I confess I do not enjoy it
J. N. K. writes that he is com-
ing on 20th on Jan. 17. for 2 or 3
days. He has a case at court.

Thursday, January 13, 1927

Clear, calm cool -

Writing, working on income accounts &c this morning.

Miss Brown & I went in to Horticultural Hall to Cat show in the Infants Hospital. It was remarkable sight. Especially interesting was the Siamese cats, silver hair, rather blue color with pinkish eyes.

Then we walked to the Public Library, getting some supper on the way.

The library lecture room was approx half full when we got there at about 6:45 and the lecture was at 8 P.M. "The H. Brown gave an interesting talk on "From Buny to hit 1000 on From to hit" - very successful home by 9:45 found C. C. Winters, here - good talk before retiring.

Friday, January 14, 1927

Clear, raining and
this evening very foggy
build.

At home all day. I
wrote up the morning
with a cold nose & my
disappointment and gave
up my going to the store, etc.
to help distribute sheets.
The weather has been over
there all day.

My cold is the first one
for a good while and I
am very sorry for it and must
give up probably next week
various things. J. M. Jones comes
here in the week, time with
Tape -

Lucy, I leave, has had a
most unusual experience today.
I can see no change for
her tomorrow. This
She has had a very long.

Saturday, January 15, 1927

Rain, Sun, Dismal Day

My cold has kept me at home, to-day, and, having
staid in bed, the best place
under the condition. I have
read, and killed time in
that way. The papers are
unfair, and I have had
a long time at them.

George called this P.M.
and gave me the news.
Had had a rather poor
night - - - - -
to-day all the way.

My tax papers are nearly
ready to copy, since
we got some of it done.

Weather is very bad
at the Herbarium all
day and evening.

He got home to-night
when Cal came, we had
a long talk, I in my bed.

Jan 17th 1927

Sunday, January 16, 1927

Light snow in large flakes followed by a little light rain this morning, the flakes very large and fluttering in the air, and dancing up & down, many arising some little distance before settling down. Afternoon clear.

I have been in bed today nursing this head cold, which, of course, comes at the most unfortunate time. In Lore's sister has been with her a week now, while Miss Brown secured a position for her. She came down from Avon, Edw., Pa. She told me good bye with thanks on leaving. My friend, is about the same.

Monday, January 17, 1927

Mercury about 32°, sun
and clear -

This morning after my
breakfast, I got dressed.
I am better. The cough is
about gone, though I feel
weakened and have taken
things rather easily.
Weatherby came back from
the Herbarium this morning
about 11:30. Then he got ready
to depart and went off a little
before 1 o'clock. He goes home
in the Blue train. I enjoy him
very much.

Miss Brown is still in the hospital
because of cold. It must go soon.
This evening, a long call from
J. N. Rose. I knew he was coming.
We spent the evening by the fire,
and there were a thousand questions & replies.
He couldn't stay. He is here for 2 or 3
days only. To-day was in court.

Tuesday, January 18, 1927

Clear + tracing ~

My cold lingers on - I am up all day and have been to meals but I find the best thing is my arm chair where I have sat most all day - I am reading a Xmas gift fr. the boxes a very efficient detective story, *Fig. Saw*, too much so, in fact, but very clever -

I shall miss the *Stables*, where Clerk this evening, a most unusual event.

Mr. Rose came to Boston to prove in court that a *Drizzly Bear* *Cue* was not a bear!! A most remarkable trick. It goes back to, I think, many years when the two plants were imported from the west at greatly varying prices. I hope to learn more.

Geo. called in afternoon

Wednesday, January 19, 1927

Clear bracing -

At home all day. I have felt good for nothing. My cold causes some coughing and makes me feel very good for nothing.

I have lain down considerably; have tried to read etc.

This afternoon J. N. Rose came round for the Gray Hb. We had a good talk. The Gray upheld the fact that a Prickly Pear (Cactus) is a Cactus and not a Pear!! After the World War fruits of the Cactus were shipped in great nos. to Boston & the East. The freight of these was much less than that of the Pears that were also shipped or freighted. A cargo of Pears is much less than one of Cactuses. The point is that Cactus has a much bigger price or pay - Rose takes supper with Rev. in his evening.

Thursday, January 20, 1927

Clear, mild, 52° F. !!

At home all day. Can't still hang in on, but am musing. I think I will take a late one and have spent the day in my chair in the study, in reading the papers, and finishing Jig-Saw by Edeh Phillips. It's a Xmas present from the Roses. It is a detective story. It holds me throughout. It is, however, to me a disappointment at the end, for the mystery is quickly solved in the end, and the murderer is a friend of the two detectives, and the case is over. It's exciting & mysterious all through. The murder is one of the present interest, and his story is in a few days & so is supposed to be an year.

Friday, January 21, 1927

Rainy, mild.

Much snow has gone, but there
is so much ice on the slippery,
and many accidents are occurring.
I? None spent last night here
and we had a pleasant week-
end with him. Sometime, he
said good-bye and he will be
back in Washington tomorrow A.M.
The day has passed reading &
writing over my tax papers. I
could not help me -

Thursday, Jan. 20, 1927.

This evening J. N. Rose came
and staid with us through the night.
We had a long talk over old days,
especially our visit to the Roses
in Apr. 1915, when there was a big cele-
bration on my birthday. How I remember it!
The evening passed too quickly.

Saturday, January 22, 1927

Clear, mild melting.

Much snow - 5 or 6
to-day.

I have been at home
as usual, but very busy
with tapes, and distribu-
ting plants. Without Miss
Adams' help I could
have done nothing.
It is not easy to get
up & down the steps to
reach the upper boxes
and to get down to
the floor to get at the
lower ones. We distribu-
ted all the *Verbena*
and *Ulex*. Two or three
specimens with fine
leaves.

I am progressing with
my day papers. I must
start this with one
or two (specimens)

to me in the ...
Sunday, January 23, 1927
in an ... in word

Billie, we are followed
by snow an inch or more
deep —

Left home as usual
since Jan. 14 - My cold has
largely gone, I feel, and
on a pleasant day I shall
get out.

I am still fussing over my
tax papers. They will be
trouble soon - Grace will
give a bit of help -
Unless one is used to
handling it's kind of ac-
counts it is no easy to
know just where every item
goes.

I had a short talk with
J.R. Churchill over the phone
to-day. He tried a few days
in Court lately but that
was too much - He must
be quiet at home longer
they had look for him.

Monday, January 24, 1927

Clear, mercury at about
freezing.

My cold is not entirely
gone but is fading. About
11 o'clock Brown & I went
up to the old home and saw
them & stayed a while.

Then we went to Lucy's
and we actually saw her
for about 10 minutes. My
was out. The nurse was very
nervous. Lucy looks sick,
but she was sitting up in a chair
against a pillar, quite comfortable
in Cross Road Pajamas. I was
much surprised to find her so
full of interest, not busy. One
must see her when she has some
to realize it. It is hard to tell
what this case it will be.
Afternoon & evening, mostly at
home. My cold seems to
hang on. Don't cough, but
it feels through me.

Tuesday, January 25, 1927

Clear, calm, melting.

This morning I was at home not quite up to the mark. My cold does not leave very good effects, for I feel poorly.

This afternoon Hal Newmyer met us at the house and we three walked down to St. John's Memorial Chapel to the services for Merritt & his small younger daughter Mary who died last Sunday of a sad disease (osteomyelitis) for which there is no cure. Very sad. Hal walked back with me and then left for various calls.

George called later and I went over my Federal Tax Paper with him. There are many puzzling questions, I shall be glad when it is over. Evening quietly at home doing this and that.

Wednesday, January 26, 1927

Cold, all day - Calm,
Clear. At 11.30 P.M. Zero!
(From the dining room window 2' below)
I haven't seen the mercury
so low, where?

At home 1 P.M. & P.M.
Went on auto.

Miss Booth came out in my
P.M., went to my house, got
judge, then came here, and
staid to lunch. Then took
the Judge 11.30. Some 100 mounted
in front: He is much better
to have present at Miss
Booth here.

Drove at 1. We dine, Rob Jackson,
Went to Court, Break with Charlie B.
The end of Present at the dinner,
Bangs, Batchelder, Stone, Jackson
Folgies, Kinner, Spelman, Thayer.
Very successful time indeed.
We broke at by 10.15. We
three drove home as we came
Wonderfully cold night.

Thursday, January 27, 1927

Cold, all day, calm.

Bclear, mercury 1°, 6 A.M. See table
on p. 11 -

Busy at home till latter part
of afternoon.

Called on J. A. + Penelope
Hoyes this P.M. and made a
very stay. We talked by the
open fire place and we
had supper with four
lighted candles on the table.

It was a very cosy time
and filled with pleasant
conversation. I staid a long
time and didn't leave till
nearly 9 P.M.!! We talked over
College days, especially the
societies which has changed
so materially their methods
to-day - Penelope was
working on woollen garments
for the Greenfell Mission.
Had much work one way
or for these many cases?

Friday, January 28, 1927

Fair, mild, calm -

At home til 10.30.

Miss B. & I walked to Harv. Sq. & I asked Mr. Sprague questions on my Internal Revenue tax. He helped me satisfactorily. Then we went to Boston and called on Miss Booth. She gave us a hearty welcome and we talked over the Judge's condition. He is much better though he keeps the house.

My Brown straightened out my Revenue tax paper and I am so pleased that I am through that calculation. Now I have to make a copy of this to send to head-quarters -

Then we walked to the Metropolitan, having a lunch in the way & saw a fine performance. Then home -
Evening at home -

Saturday, January 29, 1927

Sunny mostly, very mild, mercury
high as 52°. Calm.
Miss Zorn was in my fax
paper some - Ready to copy -
Miss Zorn's husband & I went to
Boston. She visited several hospitals,
I walked over to see R.W. Ward in
Fenway. I sat with him for
only about a quarter of an hour. He
was in bed, but getting on steadily.
Charlotte was with him - He slipped
in the street and struck against a
parked auto, and was able to walk,
Saw to the office (Carter, Rice & Co.)
I told him the news he wanted, and in
10 mins was home. He was a little in
the way of his next room slowly -
Then I crossed the Public Garden
& met Miss Zorn. We lunched and
went to the Metropolitan, where we
saw a very good performance indeed.
The place was very full - Then
home. Quite tired. Rest and
rest. Chinese news interesting -

Sunday, January 30, 1927

at night rain, mild.
Monday early this m. + P.M. 46°.
Quietly at home today.
I was tired after yesterday. The time passed
quietly at home doing
a number of things. Where the bad
cough I have had has
practically disappeared. I am
still under the effects
of it and feel pretty weak.
There are various amuse-
ments, things which I
shall try to attend to -
Sportsman's Club
Shakespeare Club
Bird Banding Assoc.
Botanical Club
I trust that I shall not
miss these
I talked over the phone to-
day with J.R. Churchill.
He has taken a walk today
and is on the mend -

Monday, January 31, 1927

Clear, bracing, cool.

This Am. him B. & I went in to Paine's big store. Then we got some lunch and went to the Sportsman's Show in Mechanics Bldg. It was a rare treat. I think there was scarcely a 4-legged wild animal in U.S. that was not there. Besides no end of birds, fowl, fish, &c. wonderfully shown. We saw a series of sketches depicting the evolution of man from the little monkey-like creature to the modern man, 3 years old!! There were exhibits of mounted mammals, birds & fish from all parts of the United States.

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The number of living mammals from Moose to Eskimo, of every kind was a great treat. There were many fine groups. There was one exhibition of trapping the line in fishing.

Tuesday, February 1, 1927

Clear, fair, mild

At home this A.M.
working over this & that.
This P.M. at 4 o'clock
I went over to Christina
Forens on Lowell St
& met her and her sister
Mrs. Feltan & a few others.
Pleasant talk.

This evening I dined
over to the Winlocks, 41
Bowdoin St. to the Suckers-
peare Circle. We had a
pleasant meeting of some
20 members. The play was
"Womans Tale". I read
"Shepherd".

I drove home with
Mr. Thos. Kattimer -
Lucy is very poorly indeed
and we can not tell how
long she can hold out.
She suffers, too →

moving pictures of opening & closing
Flowers Wednesday, February 2, 1927
wonderful.

Dear Mrs. [unclear] -
- [unclear] -

Busy this A.M. on acct of [unclear]
This P.M. Mrs. B. & I went in
to [unclear] Hall and heard a won-
derful lecture with moving pictures
by Arthur C. Pillsbury. Alice Weatherly
invited us. Banquet of the Lincoln House
Then we went down to the
Public Library & rested a while
and then walked over to the
couraine where N.E. [unclear] [unclear]
[unclear] met at 7.30. There we
had a great treat in the
entire [unclear] [unclear] was over
there of friends. We had a
very nice supper and these
were addressed by [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]
[unclear] in [unclear]. [unclear] [unclear]
[unclear] [unclear] [unclear] and at last
we returned home. The star
speaker was Jack Miner a truly
remarkable man. Home by 10.30

Thursday, February 3, 1927

Fair, mild. A
rainy day in the
I spent the morning
at home over acct.
Plus P.M. we went to
you and saw at the
The play
of "Old Houdini" - It was
very fine indeed. Then
we walked down to Mehan-
ics Hall and spent the
evening at the Sperry's
Dinner, after a lunch at
a cafe then in evening
we went over the water
ground and saw and
the eye balls, again
the 2 Puma (and skin) and
lots of other animals,
see a very many birds.
The day was under a dark
in the sky. The
The day was a great
success. Some later

Sat Venus & Jupiter in
the west - Venus directly over
Friday, February 4, 1927
just 2 hours S Jupiter. ~~was~~ ~~was~~
moving S to west at 5:45 P.M.
Clear, cold, fine day.

This has been a very interesting
and somewhat good visit to
the mountains. At my table in the
P.M. at 2:00 P.M. I met
James & his wife with
Mrs. Robinson & me. We
then drove to his home in
Washington, 24 Hillside Road,
There I met Mrs. Fisher and
we had a very pleasant
time. The house is open
for the public. It is a very
pleasant place to visit.
I am sure you will enjoy it.
The house is on the
N.E. corner of Newbury St.
I was surprised to find
J.R. Reynolds there. He
seems to quite fairly well
Prof. H.W. Youngken spoke on
plates used by the R.U. Indians
medicine men. Drive home with Prof.

Saturday, February 5, 1927

Glean, + overcast.

This P.M. I spent quite a little time with Lucy who was bolstered up in bed and talked quite a little. She has great vitality.

This A.M. I worked with the Gray Hawk and with G. W. Hobbs is help collect off some shelves in the back No. of books & papers - I got a pair for the Pearl.

Early this A.M. I went to the lake with Williams for a long walk, from Station -

This P.M. after dinner my Mrs. & I went to Station. She wanted some Indian things and I purchased and sent to the Four's Appliances & the rest of them, was a piece of *Vandilloquium*, Tenhorne.

Sunday, February 6, 1927

Clear, with some clouds, cool.

Busy at home this morn.
This P.M. Miss B. & I went
in to the People's Symphony
Orchestra at Town Hall.
We met there by appointment
T. & C. wife & Emma, and we en-
joyed a very fine concert.
Especially fine was the
work of Alvin Steindel a
young, vibrant in the or-
chestra, playing the Cello
Co. instrument, fine.
He was called back several times.
We all went together
got a large Caprice, the
Maurice Strakosky, the
The day is left us, we
went to Park St. and
separated from all of us.
We spent some time in
Lena's room, Huntington
Hotel, very attractive

Monday, February 7, 1927

Clear, calm cold.

This A.M. I took my tax papers in to Miss Booth and they were gone over and all is right and it is a great satisfaction to me. I had a long talk with her.

Then I went over & called on Roger Blaney at the Court. with Mrs. Co. I had a long talk with him. I signed my name to my tax papers before him.

Then I came home. It was mid-afternoon. I had a bit of dinner and then did some outside work.

This evening I went to the North Clute with George.

Mr. O. L. Austin gave us a wonderful talk, with moving pictures, on bird life & salmon fishing on Brit Islands of the Labrador. Geo. & I walked home.

Tuesday, February 8, 1927

Clear & Cloudy, mild

This A.M. Mrs. Brown & I
went to Berlin. First we
visited the blog in Seolly Sq
where I handed in my Mass.
tax paper. Then we took a
long walk to Park Sq. Blog
and I of my Federal tax
paper. In both cases I paid
the tax in full, to avoid
the annoyance of paying in parts.
It was ^{the} custom, but interesting.
We had a lunch and we went
to the Metropolitan and
saw through a very interesting
performance.

There was one pair a boy who
did gymnastic feats on the
floor, tumbling etc. The finest per-
formance I ever saw.

Then home in early evening.
It was an interesting day
throughout.

Wednesday, February 9, 1927.

Clear, bracing calm.

This morning I walked down to the Square and visited the Harv. Inst. Harv. Coop. & Coop Bank, the latter for Miss B. then walked home. I am amazed at the amount of building going on in & about Harv. Sq. and extending through Shettle St. Everything is now changed.

Walked home again. The rest of the day has been spent at home in my various ways.

I have a very slight suspicion of a cold, yet I must be careful. Not a trace of such for many months. George S. Fernald (St. Mark's School) is going to insert my latest photo & one taken in the '70's at St. Mark's in their paper.

Thursday, February 10, 1927.

Clear, cool, bracing.

This morning I carried on
my way & may go on with
wind. I should say for me,
a couple of minutes! and
I'm so thin - I sat a while
with my -

Rest of the day - then - at home.

Met C. L. Sprague at the
Boston City Club at about
7 P.M. We had a very nice
dinner there and then went
in to the big lecture hall which
was soon crowded with some
1500 men - We had a very
wonderful lecture with views
by ^{Arthur} Pillsbury on Hawaii.
We had moving pictures on
opening flowers, even to the opening
noting of pollen grains and run
over the island, all wonderful.
Pillsbury is a wonderful
man. Good-bye, and home.

* See N. in N. in America
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Friday, February 11, 1927

Light rail of road this
Am. cleaning -

This morning, on the recom-
mendation of Mr. C. Sprague,
we went to Boston to the
Exhibition & Sale of Paintings
by Carl Jungius at the Union
Galleries 575 Boylston St. Blyden Sq.

They were a group of 10 large paint-
ings of those, various, mt. sheep,
mt. goats, Grizzly Bear, & elk.

Very wonderful paintings. We
saw some and we loathe to go.
We lunched and returned.

The rest of the day I have
spent at home. My cold
acts queerly. I don't know
whether it is a cold or a
I have a sneezing, and
my feet are cold, and then
that freezing passes away
away. It is a cold. I
I have written a number
of letters this morning

Saturday, February 12, 1927

Clear, calm, brisk.

I feel very well today - I do not cough at all
but I feel it more or less
in my chest - I have been
in the U. S. A. in a studio,
writing and writing -
I feel very well, but I
am working ground, I
am. It is certainly a
pleasant illness.

This evening I gave up the
Dramatics at Brattle Hall
for clear & bracing as the
air has been, I thought it
wise to stay at home, as
my peculiar cold has been
showing itself to-day. I do
not cough, but I have a
prickly feeling in my
body that is not right.
It comes and goes in a
peculiar manner -

29 living } = 131 22 $\frac{18}{131}$ living }
10 & dead } 77 $\frac{118}{131}$ dead } %
Monday, February 14, 1927 Our class
Today.

Good fall of snow last night
and this morning -

At home this morning may
over valentines &c.

In the P. M. Miss Brown & I
went in to the Metropolitan
which is always enjoyable.

This time the usual acts at
the beginning were more good
and the main feature was
quite a "Dumpty for Two"
first & simple and acting very
good. We set up for two
performances of it =

During the same writing
and in the evening I received
a valentine from Miss Brown
and two from Lawrence's
two girls - it was very sweet
of them all - I shall call
on them tomorrow P. M.
Another classmate has
some Books & draws
& yesterday -

Tuesday, February 15, 1927

Dear, Carl,

At home this morn.
Just as usual. I am
now going over my ferns
which Weatherby reviewed
with me some time ago.
He's an authority - I am
writing "C.A.W. 1925" on most
of the sheets.

(His Gr.?) called on Paul
recess yesterday 2 girls who
sent me Valentines. Laddy
will talk with them.

By at 5:30. Prof. Weatherby
arrived for a time, and I
was glad enough to see him.
He is quite well and will
be here several days.
He had supper with us and
then walked with me down to
Prof. Washburn's where we passed
to the Shakespeare reading
he went home -

Wednesday, February 16, 1927

Child, a little snow & rain

At home 11 A.M. - 1 P.M., busy principally over my perusals. Weather has gone over. It takes quite a lot of time. This evening I went to the Union Club on Park St. Boston to see the Medicine. Kidder was our host. We had a very nice dinner indeed, as we always do there and there we talked. Roland Thaxter & I, each read a letter from Charlie Townsend who was in S. Asia. Roland's letter was from Singapore, and mine was from the ship a little later in the Bay of Bengal. The letters are full of details and show the intense vigor of the man. Nothing this time. Went to bed when I returned.

Thursday, February 17, 1927

Clear & cloudy mild

This morning Mrs Brown
& I went in to Boston and
called on Mrs Cook at the
Womens City Club on Commar-
wealth near Berkeley St.

We had a very pleasant
talk with her for a good
hour. Mrs Alice B. Cook is
living in Fall River and we
have known her a long time.

Returning we spent some
time in the Nat. Hist. Museum
on Berkeley St. The Puma
(not him) & Wild Cats or Zool Cats
& Canada Wild Cat interest me much.

At home this Pm. busy
Weatherby came by 7.30 and
we had a good time in my
herbarium. He renamed

Plantago decepiens and expl. in
9.10 & 11. Terms are in spirit

in the case of Plantago decepiens

(Navaho Sing found near 29)
-1927-

Friday, February 18, 1927

Cloudy with light rain.

I have been going over the work done for me by C. C. W. this morning. He has been a great help.

This afternoon I made a long rail out to my field. It is very well. Lucy is about the same. It is remarkable how she keeps in in this way.

We met Weatherly at 5.30 at the Harmon Ave. Corner and went in to town. We dined at Whittier's Cafe and then went across the street to Joe's States and had a very good time there. The play was Goethe's Faust wonderfully put on and very impressive. Then home. At home I found that last J.R.C.'s Navaho Indian pie

Saturday, February 19, 1927

Sun & Sleet, cold, windy

A dismal dreary day -
at home this morning
working in the greenhouse
writing - Always had to do.

This afternoon I went
over to the, say, American
in the afternoon & in the
evening. I was surprised
to find that it is
I tried to find out
that I could not find the
door. Then I went
meeting with G. & Elizabeth
Allen discussing news.

I never knew the
so slippery road and
almost went several
times.

Mr. Weatherly came back this
evening by about 10 P.M. He's
a heart worker - He had a
talk and a bite of the evening

Sunday, February 20, 1927

Snow! snow!! snow!!!
We have lots of it now.
Plows are cleaning the
streets and leaving edges
of snow against the sides of
the sidewalks until to our
discomfort -

I have been at home
all day busy as usual.
Mr. Weatherly came back
from the Smithsonian early
this afternoon and brought
with him a number of the fine
and dead copper fossils.
When he left I went
to some of the stairs and he
looked at the upper part
of my plants and some
of the fossils. He said
at the Gray Herbarium
I was looking in the
very much interest - he
seems to like it too - he has
come to my house several

Women's Club, College Home
40 C. ^{with the Rev. Boston}
Monday, February 21, 1927

Snow in A.M., then cloudy day

At home A.M. - early P.M.

Busy as usual -

Cl. Weatherly left us this
A.M. went to St. H. and then
took the 6 P.M. train home.

So I don't see him for a time.
His being here is much to be

This P.M. I drove (drove in)
in to The Home's Conv. Club in Boston
to a Wings of the Wind supper.

It was much like the one
last year. Some dozen were
present including T. R. & Mrs.
Churchill. It was the 56th
Anniversary of their wedding.

I sat next to Rebecca
Cohen, a Tufts College student
as I did last year. She
lives at 400 Cambridge St., 2. Later
there was the usual round
emails &c. I was with Jack & Minnie.
Broke up early. Then home

Tuesday, February 22, 1927

perfect day
Clear, calm, mild.

See page 23.

Worked over my botanical
prints, etc. 9 a.m.

Dined with J. U. Hayes at 1:15, ^{then}
and then we went in to symphony
Hall, as one year ago, to the 4th
International Music Festival.

(See more in notes for 1926).

Composers German, Portuguese, Finnish,
Danish, American, Dutch, Swedish.

The choruses were impressive.

Full exhibition of Eulenburg dancing.

Had croquet from top to bottom.

600 were given in prizes by Gov.

Fishes, Poles \$250, Germans 100, Finns 50

Swedes \$250 for Choral singing.

A full table of Wallace and
Lincoln, with family surroundings.

Then community singing.

Then home by electric

Evening at home

Living is very poorly, and is
getting steadily \rightarrow

Wednesday, February 23, 1927

Sun & cloud, mild, warm,
Mercury this evening 40°F !!
Snow melting fast. Sidewalks
running. The water gets by
the piles of snow between street
and sidewalk -

This morning I went up to
Luz's and got a good number
with me. Luz has been dis-
tressed and is weakening.
Then to the D.C.

This P.M. I worked at home
mainly on my collection of
Botanical photos of plants.
I went up to Mary's to
supper. George was there
we had a good talk on
the many topics of the
day. Then work -

It is amazing my col-
lection of photos will in-
shape. At this time there
for a long time -

Thursday, February 24, 1927

Cloudy, then sunny for most
of the day, evening foggy
warm, 42° +, 8 term.

At home this AM.
My wife B. & I went to
Joan's State and saw the
good play "Tell it to the
Marines". Then we went over
to St. Helens for a lunch -
then on to Horsecultural
Hall to the exhibition
of "Sculpture & Gardens".
I saw eight bronzes by
Howard Craske, whom I had
heard of and knew all too
fond of. There was really
of real interest. Then went
to our flat to rest here
and at night write.
The roads are boggy
from melting snow, espec-
ially that piled up against
the sidewalks.

Friday, February 25, 1927

Fog all last night -
Cloudy all day, mild.

At home till 2 P.M. busy
at this & that - I finished
going over my collection of
photographs made mainly
near my vessel 1900-9
count 176 of them - They
are mainly of volcanoes.

This P.M. I went to
The Council regarding the
Gray Her. Govt. Meeting
Present: W. H. H. & others.
I. H. H., L. E. H., H. S. H.,
F. H. H., H. H. H. and
B. H. H. Govt. meeting
tea & conversation later.
Spoke some with B. H.
Nothing still sad -
Evening at home, writing,
reading & etc.
Miss Brown is well, she has been
very, which she was last Friday.

Saturday, February 26, 1927

Sun & cloud, bracing.

This morning busy at home.
This afternoon we went to
the first Audubon lecture by W^m
L. Finley at Town Hall, Temple
St. full. The moving pictures
embraced scenes over Alaska
and in the waters about in-
cluding the Pribilof Islands
with thousands of fur seals.
We saw Ptarmigan, Fox birds,
bears, deer sheep & etc. on
the main land all in their
native haunts. It was a
thrilling performance.

Then we walked over to
the waves and saw Bob &
Charlotte. Bob is improving
in the yard to the office, missing.
Charlotte has a very bad
cold indeed. Then we walked
over to Town St. & some saw
and saw to the trip return.

Sunday, February 27, 1927

Clear & cloudy, bracing.

This morning I called on Mary Dexter - Lucy seems to be failing steadily, she can't live much longer.

Then I went to Dr. Chester and spent the day with J. R. Churchill & family. We went over his duplicates of 1925. Will. Wainwright & I took a good bundle. Saw Mrs. C. & Anne during the day. The time passed pleasantly. I got home by about 9:45 P.M.

It is very marvellous how Lucy holds out. She certainly, as Mary says, can't live much longer - It is so sad. Poor Lucy has been sick for so long now. She wanders and her talk is incoherent -

Monday, February 28, 1927

Clear, cool, bracing

This morning, I called on
my Dexter. They is slowly
coming weaker. Then I
walked to Gray Herb. and
left my contributions of Gray
Herb. all bound with it
there.

Then walked back and
called on Mrs. Allen to
have a long talk and left
a message for Elizabeth,
dear.

Then home -

Then Mrs. called my
Eunice Williams and
had a pleasant talk
to make in introduction
of my at home test
concerning doing some
writing for my Dexter.
She had a hard time
and I feel much for her.

C. J. ...
5th ...
Tuesday, March 1, 1927

Cool, calm, breeze.

At home on acct. he
Till ...
walked over to ...
St. to call on the ...
A very pretty lady opened
the door and said, "How do
you do, P. of Emerson!" I
smiled all round my ...
was dead. She ...
at her ...
she was a friend of the
Emersons but ...
was Mrs. ...
that. He ...
Mrs. ...
had a ...
was not ...

This morning I ...
Lucy is ...
This evening ...
signed the memorial ...
signed ...

Wednesday, March 2, 1927

Oldest, tracing -

This Am. I had used some
nets, worked over to the
Gray Hub & left my contributions
to go with those of the Herb
for binding.

This P.m. worked at home.
This evening with George
& Miss Brown, I went in to
the Ent. Soc. Nat. Hist
and heard DeTraux give ten
slides on "Nocturnal Heteris
of Forest Roads, with fine
illustrations. It was a
very interesting and intelligi-
gent talk, full of bright
remarks and made
popular enough for
the visitors, who were
not experts in this
branch.
Will talk with Ed Holmes
afterward - then home

Thursday, March 3, 1927

Clear and cold with
a light snow -

This Am. train from I went
to Boston. The left me at
Stone & Webster's office, I
saw Mr. Fuller - I went
to see him on business at 2 P.M.
Then, called at Carter Rice's
and saw Rick. He's very much
better. He worked up a
a lot. Then I went
to some trouble and had a
long talk with Mr. Fuller on
business partly. Then I called
on Wallace and he is going to
improve my bracing on my
Cyllos - then I called on
F. R. C. and saw him & his
brother. He is now quite well.
Then he & I worked down to
Spiegel's, 137 Summer St, where
I got much discussion to the case
then I came home - I'm in trouble.

Friday, March 4, 1927

Clear, calm, boating -

This A.M. - I walked to and from Harvard Square on various errands -

At home till evening when I went into the N. E. B. C. room, this time - met friends there - We had three excellent talks by Z. H. Robison (a paper) on Sir Joseph Hooker, a talk with slides by Mr. Victoria on the Winnipeg Islands, and a very & decidedly talk with slides on the mosaic disease by Prof. W. H. Weston, Jr. Museum was asked many questions -

Then after council meeting, we adjourned up stairs as usual - I was in a hurry to return as I thought Westoby would be here -

Saturday, March 5, 1927

Clear, calm, bracing.

This morning I called on
May Dexter. All as usual.
I took a package of her
to Harvard so P. K. The
week was good.

Then to University Theatre
performance in study, still school.
Good audience. Excellent
work. Film fair. More good
Speakers & trip out toward
Then met Miss G. in subway.
Went to Trent Temple.
Mrs. And. Soc. lecture no. 2 by
Gurgen. Excellent.

Then we stopped a while on
the train which arrived at
a nice Providence station.
Great and saw the winter one.
Weather by came this morning
by 3 P.M. Glad to see him. He
is well. Not time yet for
Busy day for me. —

Death of Lucy Dexter

Sunday, March 6, 1927

Mild, cloudy, melting, rain in evening.

This Morn. about 11 o'clock I went up to Mary Dexter's - Lucy was failing fast and passed away peacefully at 3:30 P.M. after a long, hard illness. The dear soul is at rest -

I had dinner with Mary & George, sat with them for some time, and then went to Mary's for a moment, and then home. Soon I had a call from Mary Dexter who told me her mother had gone - It was a great blessing. I went over to the house Miss Brown had been there, assisting the nurse. I saw George, Mary, Mr. Evans, the minister, & the two boys. Finally all was done that could be done, and I came home.

Early this evening Weatherby came in from the Gray Heels. He called and I showed him my collection of botanical photos made 20-30 yrs ago.

Monday, March 7, 1927

Cloudy, some sun cool

Ruth & Martha arrived this AM
and went to 80 Sparks St.

I went up to Piquais, met
George there. air flowers were
arranged for in a wreath -
Then we walked home -

Ruth came over to see me
and we talked a good while.
Miss Brown went to Mary's
and assisted.

Harry had called.

I drove in to Huntington Ave
St. to meet the train in the
early evening. It arrived about
7:20 with Charlie, whom I
haven't seen for a long time.

We drove home and he is
here - He got settled and
he went up to see Mary.

I went to Mary's and saw
Martha & the others - Then I sat
with Mary Dexter, and when Charlie

called up same home

Tuesday, March 8, 1927

Clearing, the sun soon
shining bright - crisp.

At home till evening.

Rutven spent the morning
with me. He told me all
about his book-plates -

This afternoon we were
all of us boys & girls together
- me, Mary, Charis, Walter
Rutven, George, Martha & I.
Red Sweeton called, so we
were all talking, and I in-
troduced him to all.

Charis & I washed over at
Mary's this evening and had
supper. Josephine's supper
was there and Mr. Abbott.
There was much to talk over
& Charis & I returned rather
late.

Weatherly came in from
the Gray Herd - and after a
short talk all retired.

Journal of Lucy White

Wednesday, March 9, 1927

Clear, mild, calm.

This A.M. at 8 o'clock, there were short services by Rev. Prescott watts at Maip's home. Family, one or two others present. Then we all drove down to Christ Church at the bank - service. We four boys, with Martha Deane, they walked behind the coffin - service & singing was pervasive. Church full. Then we all drove to West Lebanon - where there were services to the poor & funeral services of persons.

Then we drove home - I had received mail - I had letters from people like you & also from the boys, but I don't know what time.

Lunch with Geo. H. Rutherford, walked up to Ryan's to order flowers for Fred Dodge. Then home. Chasler was here by supper time and we had a pleasant quiet meal & evening.

Thursday, March 10, 1927

Cloudy & clear; cool - calm.

This morning I went up to Mary's. Ruthven was a bad cold & cough and is in bed.

I staid a while there. Charlotte was at dinner with us. After that a car came down, and Martha, Charlie Groves, May Dexter & I drove, to the Belmont Congregational Church in Belmont to the funeral service of Fred Dodge. Impressive - then home.

This morning I also walked to Harvard Square and spent some time over acct. then I walked down to Central Square to the Comb. pt.

Savings Bank - then home by car - Charlie was with us at supper and coming & night. C. W. Westbury came in late

Friday, March 11, 1927

Clear my mind mercury
reached 60°.

Charlie left us this A.M.
to go and stay with May &
I walked to the Square, met
on the way Mrs. Ware and we had a
good walk & talk on the way.
Went to the Trust Company.
Then walked home.

I have some sort of cold that
at intervals makes me feel poorly.
It comes and goes.

After dinner I went up to
May's, and sat with Rutherford
who is better, May, Charlie, Mrs.
Tha, George. Later Charlie & I
came home, and Charlie got his
valise and went to May Dexter.

Mrs. Brown has been to Mt. Auburn
with May Dexter to see the flowers
by the grave.

This evening I worked at the Club & A
and walked back with Weatherby.

Saturday, March 12, 1927

Perfect day, clear, mild
bracing, mercury 60°.

Slept rather late this
morning, was busy with
this & that, till after noon,
when Miss B. & I went in
to Trueman Temple to hear
Mr. Cross. It was a very
beautiful representation
of many bits here and in
Europe with beautiful
colored views, both still &
motion.

I met & talked with
A. W. Higgins, Rocks, Mass.
He has charge of the large
reservation there.

Just time one more
this evening Rutledge & Martha
came to dinner and we had
a very pleasant time in
conversation at dinner & later.
Later C. W. came ~

Sunday, March 13, 1927

Warm, clear - 67°!!

At 12.30 P.M., after a morning at home, I walked down to the Union and met Weatherby and we dined together and had a pleasant talk. - On my return I called at the Abbotts and found that both he & Mrs. A. were confined to their rooms - I saw the son. Then I called the Channings and sat a while with Edward.

Ruth & Martha were away to-day. Charlie came down and sat with me some time -

Mr. Weatherby came down from the Hotel and had supper with us, and went a lot of plants in the evening. - He goes home tomorrow.

Ruthven called this evening.

Monday, March 14, 1927

Very hot - A little rain
in P.M.

This A.M. I called on Mary
Seymour & then on Mary.
She was alone with George.
George & I walked to Hart's
& met in W. 3rd St. & met
Miss Brown & we went to
the 2nd South (Lent's services)
and read a splendid address
from Rev. Geo. C. Pidgeon, D.D.
King Moderator, United Ch. of Canada
God our salvation.

Then we had lunch and went to
the Hypertory Theatre & got seats for
"Macbeth" on the 17th Thursday.

Then we came home - big
crowds took the streets, and such
dresses and cosmetics!

Charlie & Martha called in the P.M.
and we had a final good-bye.
They are all off to-morrow A.M.
Sad visit, but so glad to see them

Tuesday, March 15, 1927

Clear, calm mild -
- Perfect Day -

This morning I went up to Mary's, and bade good-bye to Charlie, Ruthven & Maester. They went to New York to see Tourner, & I.

Later I went to Boston, met Miss Brown, and we went to King's Chapel, and heard a splendid address by Rev. Geo. C. Pitjean, whom we heard yesterday - very impressive. Fine music on the organ & violin.

Then home again -

At home this afternoon and evening, resting, reading, &c.

Jimmie Chapman called.

I have tickets for Maebude for Friday, and I have been reading it about to-day. It is at the Department, Creative.

I am staying away from the Shakespeare Soc. This evening as I did last (Wauhanjia)

Craftsmen-at-Work

Wednesday, March 16, 1927

Clear, mild, calm, 60°.
— Perfect Day —

I called on Mary Dexter this Morn.
on my way to Boston. In bed with cold
Saw with her a while. Then to
King's Chapel with Miss B. & Mildred.
Fine music on organ, cello & violin.
Spent sermon by Rev. G. C. Pidgeon.
We walked down Tremont St. and
arrived at Walden's. Then by car
to Industrial Arts Hall to the

Craftsmen-at-Work-

the Women's ^{under the auspices of} Educational and Industrial Union
Weaving, Spinning, Dyes & Texts,
Basket work, Silhouettes,
Knitting, Lace making, Candle
making &c. &c. No. Carolina
quilt of knotted Bedspread.
Synia Wood Block Prints.
Toy Furniture Shop, makers of
(miniature Providence R. I. by
Annie Vernon who was not there
&c. &c. Wonderful work going on
then home, tired; evening quiet

Thursday, March 17, 1927

Clear, mild, calm -
Good summer day -

This morning I read & wrote
letters to - Then Miss B.
& I went in to King's Chapel
and heard good music and an
excellent service by Rev. S. C.
Pidgeon. He is a ~~very~~ fine
preacher -

Then we went to lunch near
The Repertory Theatre, 264,
Huntington Avenue, which
we went to after wards, at
2:15 and heard the play of
Macbeth before a full
audience. It was most
interesting throughout.

Then home by electric
Evening spent quietly
reading and writing at
my desk. The day passes
quickly away and I don't
get much time to read -

Friday, March 18, 1927

Some rain in early A.M., then sun
and fine mild day —

Read Harold's some this A.M. Called
on May Dexter. Her cold is better.
After a short stay, I went in to
King's Chapel, met Hunt B. There
and we had a very fine service in
music, and the sermon by Rev. C. C.
Ridgdon. I thanked him for it.

Then we had some lunch and
went in electric to The Home of the
Hospital, E. Concord St. on the corner
of ... street, and near the City Hall
Miss Brown had picnic so to me
I went in and sat an hour with
Miss K. F. Harris and ... we kept
just ... she was
saying ... she
was ... and ...
to ... me. Gladly ...
we walked along, Massachusetts Ave,
through a ...
lived. Electric home. Even at home.
- met Mrs. C. ...

Saturday, March 19, 1927

Sky & cloud, cool, perfect day

At home this A.M.

Miss Brown & I went in to the Judge's office, to see Miss Booth, by noon. I did some business with her, and we had a piece of out calls.

Then we left, had some lunch and went to Forest Temple in the last Audubon Lecture, by Donald B. Macmillan on his explorations in the far north.

It was a thrilling story and the moving pictures were wonderfully vivid and instructive. I think I never saw so so stirred by any set of pictures before. The audience filled the big room and balconies for two hours.

Then home. I was with ready to rest, after this. The day was been a perfect one

Sunday, March 20, 1927

Clouds, light west wind, clearing
- 1st out day -

a.m. at 20

I found at 1:30 with my
baggage. One is my book
and we had a very pretty
and we went to the house
and talked at our little
camp. I had a very
a lot of work - I had
and we went out and
I had a very
to go to the
to set 330 and
man from is in
with a parrot
There are many
out and we
I have written
creating a
man

Auction of N. E. C.,

Monday, March 21, 1927

Light rain, chilly.
Clearing in O. L. field.

At home Am. & P. r.
reading, writing, etc.

This evening I went
down to the N. E. C.
where we had an auction
sale, which was yearly.

There were all sorts of
papers, maps, etc. and
others, relating to the
mitology about out
and J. H. Peters was an
amiable assistant. He
has the sense of humor
and he can keep up a
running of words. The
sale was not productive
of a very large amount of
money, I don't know how
much, but there was
a merry time. Grant
walked home —

Wednesday, March 23, 1927

Clear, cold.

This morning I called on
May Dexter, and sat a while with
her. Then I walked to Harvard
Sq. and went to the Trust Co. Bk.
Then walked home meeting
Catherine with several friends on the
way.

Captainson at home.

This evening I went in to our
Medicine at Joe Goodale's on
Beacon St. Eight of us were
present and we had a very
excellent dinner, and then
a good time in the lounge
sitting around the fire, the
barrier. The sky was clear
and the stars were shining in
every direction. We never saw a
more beautiful sight. We had
a very late walk each time
and it was very late when we
got up. The names are interesting.

Thursday, March 24, 1927

Cloudy, cold, sun in the air.

This morning I went over and saw Mary Dixie for a while. Returning I met J. E. Rogers. He came home with me and staid to dinner and into the afternoon.

Mr. Trueman called and I had a very nice time with him.

Reading the papers to try to keep up with the news of the day takes a good while. Though you often find that much news is wasted. I still like news from Asia in connection with that concern to the future of that continent as well as the surface of the earth. This evening was spent quietly at home.

Friday, March 25, 1927

Clear, bracing - ~~in~~

At home this morning.
At 1.45 P.M. Dr. Robinson with
Hugh Fernald called for me,
and we drove to Brookline
to the St. Davis Church to the
funeral of Prof. E. S. Sarfert. It
was very impressive throughout.

Then we drove home and,
after a while I walked
down to St. John's Church
and hear Dean Washburn
deliver a discourse of Martin
Luther. It was a very
finely delivered address.

He stood in the center of
the chancel and talked
of Tempore with much
force throughout and I
was much impressed.

Evening at home, Miss
Brown called on Linnie this
afternoon & found all well.

Saturday, March 26, 1927

Cloudy, chilly

This Am. Miss B. & I went to Boston. We first visited Doll & Richards out was D. MacKiplet's 30 Water Colors, as usual remarkable paintings.

Then to West Park Library where we saw The Powers in the competition for prizes given by the House Beautiful Magazine. Wonderful work.

Then to the Statler where we went over two stories and saw the lavish way in which everything was done.

Then home and a good rest.

This evening I dined with Dr. Thos. Eliot Hubbard Jr. (Bettie Mayes) 29 Highland St. No other there. I had a very delightful time, very social indeed, full of pleasant conversation. I knew Bettie years ago when she was a little girl. They have a lovely home on the old Read Co. Lane. I staid till nearly 60 P.M.

Sunday, March 27, 1927

Clear, cool, fine day -

This morning, after some work at home, Miss A. and I went in a King's boat and went down Glencoe marshes (Lenox of Chicago) for a most interesting session.

Then we went down to the 1st and 2nd streets, one a mile to the south and found a very interesting session at 3.30 P.M. Then we got home and went by and went to the church and heard the service of Synagogue of Christ. The service was very interesting and unusual. The next T. R. F. was a service in the evening. The service was interesting as usual. We returned home to

Supper -

It has been a very pleasant day. In the afternoon we went to the Huntington Ave. and met Dr. Sprague, sister-in-law, and her family friend.

Navaho Pin found!

Monday, March 28, 1927

More or less cloudy, mild

At home, busy till 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ P.M.
Then walked to Harvard Square
and met Miss Brown at the
University Theatre -

The program was a very
good one. We had good seats
on the aisle which means a good
deal, as the seats are too near together.

The star performance was
Charlie Chaplin in "Shoulder
Arms." I had never seen him
before, and he certainly comes up
to his reputation.

The most remarkable
event to-day has been the re-
covery of my lost Navaho
Pin which disappeared
in February 18 last.
It was in the bottom of my
inner right hand coat pocket
The coat I wear daily. The pin
came through & I felt it.

Tuesday, March 29, 1927

Yeller, boating, cum.

This morning I went to the Harvard ~~Yacht~~ on business. I lost my certificates for Camie. This night and had it home - they are sold to a Boston Bank.

I walked home.

This afternoon Capt. ~~Went~~ called and we were in the lookout and welcomed him heartily. He staid till 8.45 and then returned to his ship, Yarrow, Navy Yard Coasting. We had a long delightful talk about his work. He has a crew of some 7 men and goes down to the high way south of Greenland and stays for months on the Grand Banks on the watch for ships in trouble. We had a splendid time. Dairy Rand called on me this P.M.

Wednesday, March 30, 1927

Breezy & cloudy mild.

Rain in the evening.

This morning Miss Boone & I went to F.A. Olsson's on Boylston St. with a number of pictures to frame.

Then I walked back, and Miss B. went to Boston. I called on way of Grove for some time & returned home.

This evening we went in to the Spring Flower Exhibition of the Horticultural Society of Massachusetts, in Horticultural Hall. It was a very wonderful display of plants highly cultivated in the most expensive manner.

It was raining when we left and the cars were more densely packed on the way home.

A most a good day in morning for the trip to Capt. Hunter's Woods.

Thursday, March 31, 1927

Clear, calm, cool.

This morning, his k. t. v
went over by electric to
Charleston, and met Com-
mander W. H. Martin at the
Navy Yard where the moose
is moored ready for us, and
to areas off Newfoundland
to find and report to us, and
ideally, in the path of waves
off Newfoundland - We
dine again? Was on his
steamer, having dinner with
him and being shown all the
conveniences for every kind of
service, in what, and for and commu-
nicating miles away &c. &c.
It was a great treat. Capt
Martin returned with us to the
U. Station -

Lovely evening with Mr. & Mrs. Stan-
ton, Cygner & Eileen. They
dine over. It was delightful
to see them. Lovely time.

Friday, April 1, 1927

Chesee - cool.

at home but little
this Am. I was some
time in town. On the
way at the junction of Sparks
for a little while I saw two
autos collide. The rear end
guard & running board were both
crushed on one, with lacerations
and a puncture in it. The truck
was with it, stopping slowly.

Went to Hart. By
I dined with Emile &
Blanche who is a friend of mine
at a fine good time and
we went to the 3rd. Club
good talks with fine views by
Frank W. Johnson "Desert and
Andes of N. Chile; & Crossing the
Andes by the Chilean Lake" by
F. W. Johnson ^{at Salt Lake} very instructive
me. We drove home quite
late

Saturday, April 2, 1927

Sun and Cloud, mild.

at home I, M. & P. in
journey over my march
brought account. We
came out to the coast
finally.

This P.M., after tea
we, with Mildred went
in to the Metropolitan
and sat through a
series of acts, some
very good. The main
play was rather too
complicated for me.
The crowd was so great
that we sat far in the
rear, and I was on the
aisle, so that, people
coming, and waiting to be
seated by the ushers,
blocked the stage, too
often. He must manage
a better. There were no other seats

Sunday, April 3, 1927

Cloudy & clear, cool.

My voice has gradually gone during the day, and to-night I cannot speak a word clearly - otherwise I seem to be well -

This Am. at home. Then I walked to the Harv. Union and met C. U. Weatherly there, and we had a very pleasant dinner and then we walked home, C. U. going back to the Gray Herbarium.

This Pm. Miss B. & I went down to the First Church, (Mass & Garden Sts) and enjoyed an interesting service, Chorus from various churches sang Christ, 1st Congregational, 1st Unitarian, Epworth Methodist, Church Chorus, then the United Chorus &c.

Then Miss B. & I called on Mr. ^{2nd} Thos. Abbott. Mr. A. is in bed, I sat by him some time, he is old & poorly -

This evening Weatherly went over to see plants with me -

Monday, April 4, 1927

Sunshine & Cloud, raw

My cold has been up-
permost all day and I
have kept the house.

I do not cough, but my
head is full and I feel
quite played out.

I have accomplished
some botanical work
and I have done some
reading.

I had a nice call this
afternoon from E. Emerton.
We always have a good
talk though I was not
very bright.

Weatherly went over to
Dorchester to do some
work with Judge Church
ill this evening. So they
won't be back till later.

That's certain - He wants
to see the Grand Manan plants.
Weatherly returned quite late.

Tuesday, April 5, 1927

Snow fall, ground white

Enough snow fell this morning to make a winter appearance - It can't last long -

I have been at home all day, as my lingering cold has not gone - I do not cough at all. Still I do not feel right. I do not want to miss the Kudding tomorrow -

Beauby came back early this evening and we had a pleasant talk - I had asked to come, the trial in regard to proving that a price appears was at a price. J. N. Roth was the evidence sent me a type-written copy. Most interesting. Verdict of \$645.81 for the plaintiff.

Happy Reading Play

Wednesday, April 6, 1927

Clear, calm mild, great contrast to yesterday. 60° this A.M. I walked to Harv. Sq., & rode back.

In P.M. call for George and Jim M. Hayes. The latter persuaded me to drive with him to the Reading Play. My car seemed better.

So he & I drove down and had a wonderful evening. Good front seats and crowd of girls.

The Hopkings were so attentive and came around. I saw Arthur

Adams '99, P. S. Dalton '98, Chas. B. Barnes '90, Walter J. Brown '42, Harry H. Adams '87, John Duff '94, Billy Garrison Hopkins

Matthew Luce '91, Geo. J. Putnam '87
70 State St., *Judiciary Court House, Boston

I had nice talks with them

The performance was remarkable and lasted 3 hours. The dancing and athletics and costumes were supreme. Drove home at 11.30.

Thursday, April 7, 1927

Clear, calm, bracing.

I have been at home to-day working quietly on *Discus* diet.

I have felt my colt somewhat, though last evening I felt that it was going fast - It is very annoying. Fortunately I have practically no engagements at present.

I can always find work in letter writing. It is impossible to get at the last letter, they as I do, I enjoy my correspondence, but it is really too much.

Charlie Weathersby appeared from the herbarium early this P.M. A cold was coming on, and he felt that he had better get home. He will be here early this evening.

Friday, April 8, 1927

Cold, 30° early A.M. cream
frozen at one o'clock; near 40°
during the day; 38° at 7.30 P.M.

At home A.M. on deck, then
walked to Harvard street - air
bracing. Busy at home this
P.M. in many ways. Very
cold ripples, but seem to di-
minish.

I picked some grass on the
old walk this A.M. - against the
Kunzfeld's fence, with one blade
7-8 in. long.

This evening I went
down to the houses and
met his two brothers and
a wife of one of them,
and we sat through the
remarkable evening in sym-
phony hall, the debate be-
fore seen Senator Borah and
Pres. Nicholas Murray Butler
on the 18th amendment.

Box of Biloxi Miss. plants
from Miss. heading came.
Saturday, April 9, 1927 this evening
at 10:30.
Clear, tracing.

This Am. Miss. Brown & I
went to Harv. Sq. to the
University Theatre to see
a performance for the Shady
Hill School. It was equivalent
Life in the far north, and the mov-
ing pictures were very fine. Seemed
as if I think, Longava Bay. It
was very remarkable. A good
instructional hour was spent. Then
followed some pathe news.
I walked home and have
spent the rest of the day here.
My cold this morning seemed
to have gone. I was in the
house when I had some a bit
of Eastern card work. I saw
Dora and I left her, most
unusual for me, went up
a ten time. I'll mean, and
passed at my table in the
evening.

Sunday, April 10, 1927

Clear, calm, bracing -

This morning I went over to Judge Churchill's and spent the day with him. My voice was fairly good and there was no coughing -

We went over a bundle of his Antigua, or plants, and made 3 piles, one for me, one for Washington and one for a friend -

Mrs. Churchill & family were at home and we had them off to tea, and we had a pleasant time and supper, then we finished the work and I got ready for home. Anna went with me to Park St. She will be home.

Mrs. Churchill has given me a patch of part of the end of my pin - I will be staying

Monday, April 11, 1927

Sun, some cloud, brisk.

This morning Miss Brown & I went in to the Metropolitan and heard Sousa's Wonderful Band. It was truly a very thrilling performance. It took up only a very small part of the morning program but it surpassed everything put together. There certainly over one hundred in his company and the vast open space in the theatre gave every opportunity for effect. There is no comparison between the performance I heard once in London & this one.

This evening I called on Dr. & Mrs. Robinson and said good bye. They sail Wed. the 13th for San Francisco for nearly 4 mos. Then I called on May & Grace for the rest of the evening.

Tuesday, April 12, 1927

Clear, mild -

Busy morning to-day
getting 7 N. C. plants
of Sunday last into
the mounting box.
They are a nice lot.
A few are to be named -
This afternoon Miss B. & I
walked down to the Clear
River marsh and staid
for some time.

The river was full of
activity. One of two S.
oared shells accompanied
by motor boats with the
trainers were always in
sight. Also there were
simple wheelies, 4 oared
boats & 8. An aeroplane
flew over the scene.

There is much salt in some
spots over the marsh where
I botanized so much. Even at low

Wednesday, April 13, 1927

Clear, bracing.

This morning after
some reading I walked
to the H. W. Coop
where I bought a shirt.
Then we went in to town
to the Majestic, I heard
and saw "What Price Glory",
a fine picture a bit of the
last war. Then home.

This evening, Mr. & Mrs. Stea-
lia & one son, fr. 146 Francis St
New York, and we had a
long talk over my going
with them & my going to
West Holyoke College, South
Hadley, on the Conn. River
on the 23 inst. to spend the
night and go with ex-
ercises next day!! "I'm going!!"

At about 9.30 P.M. Callie
appeared and will stay some
time. Well. Glad to see him.

Thursday, April 14, 1927

Clear, calm, cool.

At home this Am.
and part of the Per-
writing & reading.

This Am. I called on
Mr. J. J. Spalding on Sparks
St. but sat with him
a good while. He is now
alone.

Then I walked over the
hill by Highland St., found
weather so hot through the
crowded district down to
Huron Ave. I never saw
horses more packed.

In early evening, C. B.
Weatherly appeared and
we spent a while in
my herbarium, where he
gave much help in nam-
ing southern plants
from Fla. &c. Much was
accomplished —

Friday, April 15, 1927

Biscar calm cool

Busy at home. Walked to Harvard Sq. errands. Then went via to Boston City Centre, met A.C. Sproague and we dined together and had a long talk.

Then returned home afternoon over my plants. Met Weatherly in the evening at Hume corner and we walked over to the Gray Laboratory and I got much help on some specimens.

We walked home late with the moon shining brilliantly over head.

I shall have the plants fr. V.R.C. in good shape soon.

Weatherly is a great help.

Saturday, April 16, 1927

Clear, mild, warm.

A summer day -
Weather Bureau recorded 76° -

I spent the morning & afternoon over my plants and the air rapidly getting into shape - now I shall hunt over a lot to his under on to mount.

This evening I went in to Sycamore. Here to the Sycamore Orchestra - I met Mrs. Twitchell on the way & we went in together.

I met A.C. Sprague there and the concert was a very fine one. I missed of course, all kinds of things - their were stirring.

The concert occupies two hours. I got home pretty late. It is a great treat.

Sunday, April 17, 1927

Clear, calm, bracing.
A very brilliant clear sky
This morning I went to
the services at Christ Church
with May Dexter.

George & Mary and C.A.
Weatherby came to dinner
at 2 P.M. and we had
a very pleasant time.

May went to the Abbots.
Weatherby returned to the
fields to work and later
I followed him and
he helped me a good
deal in naming a few
of Churchill's Western &
Southern plants. We
came back home by
10 P.M. Weatherby goes
back tomorrow for he
has much to do there.
It is a great pleasure
to have him, and he is
such a help.

Monday, April 18, 1927

Clear warm 76° this
A.M.

Called on Mr. [unclear] this A.M.
I have at last left
my overcoat at home.
To [unclear] this A.M.

Called on Mr. [unclear]. He
couldn't catch with me.
Then to the store & [unclear].
[unclear] given in [unclear]

Full [unclear] [unclear] -
small [unclear] & [unclear]

Then to [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]
& Miss [unclear] [unclear] in
R.C. & I [unclear] [unclear]
[unclear] at [unclear]'s
Cafeteria. [unclear] [unclear].

This evening I
went to the U.S.C.
with George - [unclear] with
specimens by [unclear] [unclear]
on birds & [unclear] - & brought
to U.S. by the Smithsonian
Expert - -

Marathon Race - DeMar won

Tuesday, April 19, 1927

Clear, very warm,
even 87° by my house in the
shade.

Grass, leaves &c are coming
out rapidly.

At home today except for
a walk to E. F. Williams,
I saw Blanch. Wms is still
in bed from his fall on the
floor up stairs lately. We
are all liable to just
such. He is slowly getting
over it.

I have been straightening
out the plants from
J. P. L. They have been
examined by G. W. and
I have made labels
and taken notes for J. P. L.
All the tapes & things
George called it was over.
We met tomorrow morning at
80 Sparks St. Anniversary of my. There
1927

Wednesday, April 20, 1927

Wonderfully hot day.

Clear, calm.

11.45 A.M. 88°

12.15 P.M. 90°

1.00 " 91°

1.30 " 92°

Then slow drop.

10.30 P.M. 68°

It has been a trying experience. This noon I walked to & from the Gray Herb with a box of plants for Miss Anderson. Not a breath of wind, but I didn't seem to mind it.

Afternoon, busy with getting R.'s plants into the box for mounting.

I went up to Mary & George to dinner at 6.30. Mary was there. Pleasant talk.

Got home by 9.30.

Papers full of Mills and DeMar.

Thursday, April 21, 1927

Cloud and sun, cool.
- Overcast weather -
9.30 P.m. 52°
10.00 " 50°

This morning I walked
over to the Gray Herk and
consulted Johnson & Bernard
as to the correct leaf sent
me by Mr. Schmitt of Chicago
a friend of Kuntze's. We
all agreed on V. pedata,
I have written Mr. S.
The leaf of that sp. is very
variable in its cutting.

Then I went to Boston
met Miss Brown and we
lunched at the apartment
and went to see the
Prof. Loven's collection.
It was excellent. Then home.

Evening at home, writing,
reading newspaper, read-
ing and writing, to take
up loads of time. —

Friday, April 22, 1927

Cloudy, rain in early
A.M., thunder and evening
warm A.M. Cool evening.

At home busy in A.M.
In P.M. I walked down
to St. John's Church to the
funeral of Mrs. Ned Parker
(see page 40). It was an
impressive service. Church
full, flowers in profusion.
Walked home.

In his P.M. I had a call
from Mrs. Gene Williams.
Pleasant talk. She is
very well, and staying
with Mrs. Watson.

We went to supper with
Mr. & Mrs. B. & their two
of the children. Very
pleasant talk. Before
leaving Mrs. B. brought in a
lighted vichouy cake with
candles. See p. 41.

— 79 yrs. —
Saturday, April 23, 1927

* = Stentail.

Cool, clear, birthday.

Mrs. & Miss Stentail & niece, Amy S. Damon,
called in car at about 9 A.M. We drove to So.
Hampden, with Holyoke Coll. 100 m. where Eileen's
(Eileen Stentail) is a student. Course west S.
Mass. Lunched by wayside in Oakham, ^{Worcester Co.} Arrived
at 4:30 P.M. Walked over the place (Campus).

Evening supper, College Inn (1783) where we put up.
Surprise birthday cake put before us, made by
Mrs. S. Evening concert (Chapin Auditorium) by
Yale Glee Club & N. H. Glee Club. Very fine.

The College Inn has been some
what made over, and is a private
blog, independent of the College.

The 2^d story has new passages
in 2 or 3 directions, opening on either
side into rooms for visitors.

My room faces east, Miss B's west.

This is a new experience
and I am looking forward to
seeing a good deal to-morrow.

I shall get a good rest as
I am not used to so long
a drive -

Sunday, April 24, 1927

Clear, cool, bracing.

Chapel in the A.M. Impressive sight to see several hundred (about 900 of the girls) come in. A choir of about 50, juniors, sang in the choir facing the audience back of the pulpit. Fine sermon of Prof. Wheaton College.

After service, dinner & rest till 4 P.M. Then took a delightful walk with Mrs. Stewart, Ziegl & Miss Baum of about 2 miles round a pond, and up Mt. Holyoke for a view of country, & Holyoke (all on walk in the college grounds.) Fine view of Mt. Tom & range, also south. Mt. Holyoke was very fine in the light on summit. Visited new dormitory, very fine bldg. practically finished. Saw the girls going in. During visit, was shown library, rest bldg, many Lyon forms of memorial & supper at Holyoke 30th St. very delightful old inn.

Went home and to eat, 9.30.

Journal of the [unclear] [unclear]
Monday, April 25, 1927

Clear cold (20° in the night).

A paper at 7.45. Impressive
sight seen in [unclear] in [unclear]
& [unclear] church full. Address by one
of the [unclear] on Russia etc. Back
to [unclear] at 8.45. Visit Art
Bldg. Girls modelling etc.

11 A.M. started for home
through [unclear] Range, the
woods, saw Greenfield, west,
went through [unclear], saw
[unclear] & [unclear] Colleges,
made a [unclear] at [unclear], (boys
& girls etc.), saw [unclear] (where [unclear]
& [unclear] start + [unclear] at [unclear]), Turners
Falls etc., the [unclear] R., (Lovers &
[unclear] [unclear]), Millers Falls, [unclear]
Gardner, view of [unclear] [unclear]
[unclear] (saw by [unclear] on [unclear])
where we had [unclear] lunch, [unclear]
large part of way on [unclear] Trail.
Then home through [unclear], [unclear], [unclear]
[unclear] to [unclear], clear [unclear] on
[unclear], [unclear] got by [unclear] [unclear]

Tuesday, April 26, 1927

- Over + Under

I am pretty tired to-day naturally, and have kept quiet. I have written my diary for the last three days, and have written various friends.

This afternoon I went up and called on my sister (at) and my mother (in) and my father. Got back with father. He was given me a very nice ~~thing~~.

This evening we had a call from Mrs. Scintal (!!!) who brought me a pot of cactus, and some plants that Mrs. Brown did not take from the car last evening. We had a good talk.
Rest of evening + some,

Wednesday, April 27, 1927

Clear, clouding, rain in the evening - mild

At home today except for a walk to see how Emile Williams is. I fear he is very far from well. I saw him for about 2 min. He was on the sofa with feet up, and he looked at me without speaking - I said a few words and we left he only said "Why are you going so soon?" Blanche had told me today only a few minutes, I cast my hand on his foot on the floor - It is serious -

I have been busy in various ways today. I feel very tired and I suppose the years are telling. Only one year from Eighty!
I have written many notes to friends

Friday, April 29, 1927

Bright, sunny, mild

This morning Mrs. Sheffield left
for a name *Didiscus caeruleus* (Blue
Lace Flower) (Umbellifer). Verified at
Gay (the name) was... Beautiful

This afternoon Mrs. Tuttle
was at home writing &
I can hardly get away
from my desk there are
so many letters to write
and I have to go to the
store.

This evening Mrs. B. & I
went down to the Square
and indulged in a per-
formance at the University
Theatre. It was especially
good, with many views
of the Mississippi River
flood, and interesting scenes in
the far west of rugged
hills and water and cattle
and of which we worked
into the play ~

For April 30 see June 11

Saturday, April 30, 1927

June 12

Mild, sunny, a few rain
drops in P.M. - Some dust

At home this morning
busy in all way a morning
in afternoon I walked
out to make some calls.

I couldn't get in at Prof.
Mrs. Ewing's and Mary G.
Mrs. and. Then I went to
call on Mrs. Abbott and
I had a long and very
satisfactory call on her.
She is reconciled to the
death of her husband.
His failing health and
great age showed that
he could not hold out
much longer -

We are getting ready
for our drive to Shelburne
on the 17th. I hope for
good weather. It will be
quite an experience -

Sunday, May 1, 1927

Wass, cook.

At home I had a letter
call from Mrs. in New
this evening we went
over in the car to the
Roxbury and called
on Mrs. Deane and Mrs.
Maguire. They are both
very well for them.
Mrs. Deane was very cordial
We had a long talk
and it was late when
we retraced our steps
and got back home.

Spring days are at
hand varied with cold
spells. It has been very
irregular. At last.
The leaves are really making
themselves suspicious
and the fresh green is
always a grateful sight.

Monday, May 2, 1927

Clear. cool -

~~Got home from P.M.
Call from 7:30. in P.M.~~

~~This evening we went
out to buy up in getting
electricity out of the
in the house.~~

This morning Miss Brown
& I went in to Boston &
went to Talbot on Washington
St. where I bought a suit
of clothes &c. Then I re-
turned home.

Spent the P.M. at home
busy as usual.

This evening I & I
walked down to the
Walt. Club at least
a paper by Floyd on
our strikes. This was
was followed by general votes
by the Club and by a vigorous
action of Club papers &c.

Tuesday, May 3, 1927

Clear, mild.

Busy at home this After-
noon as usual over this & that
& shall never be through
writing letters in reply
to those received.

This early P.M. Miss Brown
& I walked to Harvard
Square. We got various
chromes and then went to
Gossier's for lunch and then
went to Copley Theatre where
we had fine seats through
train, up well. The play
was "The Ghost Train" and
it was, a very fine piece of
work in every detail, very
thrilling, and well acted.
I haven't enjoyed any-
thing more for a long time.
Evening at home at
my table writing & &
balanced my accounts this After-

Wednesday, May 4, 1927

Sunshine, cloud, cooler

At home Am. & Pl.
I got a package of
some dozen sheets of
my seedling collection
ready to take to the
Club Friday evening.

This evening I went
down the Thayers to dinner.
There were Roland, Mrs. T.,
and Catherine and we
had a very pleasant
dinner at dinner and by
the fire afterward.

Roland is working hard
to finish his botanical
work before his sight
fails him any more.

His program fully is
carried out to the minute.

Catherine is working at the
tea-house by Brattle Sq.
At 10 P.M. She drove me home

Thursday, May 5, 1927

Rain, wind, sun, cool

at home this morning
writing and reading.

After dinner call from
Miss Richardson on artist.
She stayed a good while and
told us of her things.

After that I walked with
her to Mt. Auburn St by
Lowell St. where she took
the car - then I called
at Emile Williams' house
where he is & saw Blanche
and Emile and I sat
with them some 15 min.
Emile is perfectly silent
and sits still. I talk
quietly telling some w
interesting tale. Blanche
sits quietly near by.
Emile doesn't talk.

They sail for Europe in 2 wks!!
- Evening at home -

Friday, May 6, 1927

Cloudy & Clear.

Very poor night, slept
little and was in the
house morning and
afternoon.

The making over of the
grass plot in front of and
bordering the sidewalk
has been done. Now
I shall have a low
guard run round it
on the edge of the side-
walk.

This evening I went in
to the N. E. B. C. meeting
Miss Brown went with me and
helped me hang up a num-
ber of my seedling sheets.
Others exhibited sheets also.

A Swedish botanist was pre-
sent (Hugo Oswald) he talked on
Swedish Goss. Fernald & I were
home with Prof. Jahn.

Saturday, May 7, 1927

Clear mild - Beautiful
moon -

At home this A.M.

We went to drive this A.M.
with Miss Brown's niece & nephews and
their son, (Mrs. Mrs. Balson & Junior,
and another niece, Lilla B. Gould.
We had a very delightful drive
to call on Miss B's sister & family
in Milton by the Blue Hills.

It was a truly delightful drive
fine roads, beautiful scenery
mild atmosphere.

We had a warm welcome there all
3 generations. The older one
Mr. Purshas, Miss B's brother-in-law
had lost one arm, and yet was
skilled in wood carving and
he took me over the house
showing me the remarkable
pieces of work. There were two
beautiful little children, &c.
We staid some time and
had a fine drive home.

Sunday, May 8, 1927

Clear, cool day -

At home morning and afternoon. Busy over photos with no information on the back, which is too frequently true.

Mary, George & May came to dinner at 1:15 P.M. We had a pleasant time talking, looking over photos & papers.

I spent the evening quietly in my study doing this & that.

The day pass quickly though I do not accomplish very much.

As the years pass by now I find it hardly to do what I used to do with enthusiasm.

I long for writing to do for others, but to read by myself.

- Big Parade of the Navy -

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Monday, May 9, 1927

A little rain mild.

This noon Miss Brown & I went into town to the Metropolitan and saw a very remarkable picture - The Big Parade (The Convoy) of the Navy - It was a very fine scene - The action on the sea of the big war ships was very fine.

Home by middle of P.M.

I rested and wrote this afternoon. These events are more than they used to be.

Evening at home resting reading writing etc.

I am more and more inclined to stay at home, and it is mainly only by outside urging that I am induced to go here and there.

Tuesday, May 10, 1927

Clear A.M., clouding
later; rain in the evening
with thunder -

This A.M., I walked to &
from Harvard Sq. on er-
rands -

At home this P.M.

This evening the last
meeting of the Shakes-
peare Club was held
at the residence of Mrs.
C. F. Enebuske. The play
of A Midsummer-Night's
Dream was read and
in part acted. The acting
was in the part contain-
ing the play by the hard-
handed men of Athens.
It was very well done
indeed by all and afforded
much laughter - The
storm broke as we were in the
dining room. The boys took me home.

Wednesday, May 11, 1927

Sunny & cloudy, mild, one
or two smart showers.

This morning at home
at noon I went to Boston
to J.R.C.'s office where I
staid some time with him
& Mrs. B. J.R.C. & I lunched
together, and I returned home
afterward. I am taking
a new mortgage.

This evening I took tea
with Mary & George and
staid some time returning
about 9.30 —

Clubs are having their
last meetings before the fall
and it is a relief to be free
from so many engagements.
Ornithological Clubs are doing
out-door work, and getting the
real pleasure is seeing and
listening the birds. I find it best
not to do that kind of exercise.

Trip to J. E. Thayer's, Lancaster, Mass.
with Sam Henshaw + Alstrom Bump
in Bump's Car. Thursday, May 12, 1927
Left Camb. 10⁴⁵ a.m. Passed through

Cambridge, Water town, Haltham, ^{corner of} Concord,
Maynard, Stow, Bolton, Lancaster -
distance about 35 m. Warm welcome from
John + wife - Visited with them. The brook
across the road where Mrs. T. has planted many
kinds of wild fl.s + ferns. Very attractive.
Fine views. Then back to the house. Dinner.
Enormous straw berries. Pleasant conversation
Before dinner we also visited Mrs. T.'s
gardens near the house - All beautiful
Afternoon we all drove in John's big
car some 12 m. to Gorton Greenhouse and
went over the place with the owner widely known to
Gorton florists. No end of interesting plants
in the greenhouse and in the open. The name
of the owner is

We saw an apple tree with red flowers and
red center of stem. Then back again
through interesting country. In Shirley
we saw The State School (reform) Saw a number
of men + boys under guard, walking. Reaching
home after a 20 m. drive
we had supper + some time in the parlor
before leaving our good friends. Home, same way,
by 10 P.M. In Lancaster saw Luther Burbank's house.

Friday, May 13, 1927

Cloud and sun mild.

50° at 8.45 P.M.

At home to-day resting
and busy writing.

This morning I made a
short call on Emile Williams
and I was much pleased to
find him much more himself.
Mrs. H. W. Child of our Boat Club
was with Emile, who was
smoking and talking much
like his old self. I staid a
while and then left and I
shall probably not see them
again - I have their address.
I've also written Dr. Robinson
who with Mrs. R. must be
well on the way toward Paris.
I travel by writing friends
who are here and there.
Time is flying and I sup-
pose that we shall go to Shel-
burne as usual early in June.
I know the place pretty well.

Saturday, May 14, 1927

Cloudy - cool

This Mr. Miss Brown & I
walked down to the Char.
River marsh and wandered
over it, and also Cambridge
Cemetery, where Miss B. has a lot.
We saw Starlings feeding
their young in holes in trees.
I rested in the P.M.

This evening George & I
walked down to Braintree,
Half to the Social Dramatic
Club. They gave a perform-
ance of "Sleeping Beauty"
Comedy-Drama in 3 Acts
by Eleanor Holmes Hinkley
(First Performance on any stage).
She lives at 1 Berkeley Place
Cambridge. It was a quite
remarkable play, hard for me
to follow, knowing nothing before.
It was a question of interesting.
After the play, I walked home alone

Sunday, May 15, 1927

Fair, cloudy; thunder
lightning & rain in evening.

At home all day.
Mrs. Brown drove to Milton in
The Star to meet her many
sisters & be photo'd together.
She returned in the P.M.

This P.M. Had a call
from George and from Edward
Grief. It was good to see
Edward after a no. of years
and get the family news.
He told me a good deal
about his museum work
which is very absorbing.
Great interest is shown in
it and the occasional spec-
al exhibits are attended by
crowds of visitors.

Edward stays a few days &
confer here with I and J
to leave here for a night.
There is much to talk about.

Monday, May 16, 1927

Cloudy but pleasant.
Raining at intervals.

At home A.M. & P.M.
This A.M. an agent from
Clark & Hills came with a
Radio, that needs no wires! He
showed how to use and he left it
here till tomorrow - I shall
probably get one in the fall.

Mr. Wood came and explained it in
the D.C. and he said it was the
best out after the kind he has
full of wires &c -

George came later and was much
interested too.

This evening Sam & I walked
down to Charlie Zatchelder's to
the N.D.C. and heard Glover
Allen on the Woodcock's Ear
This led to discussion
and more meeting - Drove
home with Dr. J.H. Lewis.
He is very kind -

Venus brilliant this evening

Tuesday, May 17, 1927

Wed. May 18

Cloudy rain drops in A.M.
Clear in P.M. Slight rain - evening

At home this A.M. - over
accidents and so forth -

This P.M. - Mrs. B. & I went to
the Metropolitan where
we had an excellent per-
formance in great variety.

Then we went to a
concert where we walked
up to 80 Sparks St. to see
Mrs. who walked down
to us when we were
going. It was a good deal
fun to see her. She was
dressed quite a
while with her and had
a pleasant talk - Mary
is so much better now than
she has been for so long -
May it continue -

Wednesday, May 18, 1927
was. 17

Clear and cloudy
Some rain in evening.

Home this morning,
writing letters.

In early A.M. we went to
Boston, Harv. Sq. on business.
Lunched at the Georgian.

Then to Boston to Tal-
bot's, exchanged my coat.
Then to Cambridge.

We went to the Univer-
sity and then walked
home. He had a very
pleasant time, enjoying
the various events.

Evening as usual.

Some things will
pass before June when
we go to S. Hillman
as usual. I look for-
ward to the peace we
get there among good
friends.

Thursday, May 19, 1927

Clear and cloudy
mild.

At home Am. + Plu.
Busy in herbarium
distributing

Call this Plu. from
Geo. L. Church, ^{173 Westville St} ~~Dorchester~~ ^{home of M. L.}
Fernald's students. He wanted
to see some salt marsh
grasses which I had. He
is a good student -

This late Plu. being 3.4?
went to Central Sq. Got
our lunch there, and went
to Central Square Theatre
where we saw a capital
performance from beginning
to end. The place was full.
The news events were good
and the play "Special Deliveries"
was excellent from beginning
to end. Good music.
It was well worth it.

See Dec. 28 ~

Friday, May 20, 1927

Be very wet with a little rain,
not all interfering with my drive.
I worked at home in Am.
At 2 P.M. Mr. & Mrs. Balsam & child
came in a nice big car we drove
I sitting with Mr. B. over this route
Cambridge, Brookline, Dorchester, Milton,
Canton, Stoughton, Easton, S. Easton, E. Bridge-
water, W. Bridgewater, Bridgewater, Mid-
dletown, Lakeville to Lakeville Sanitarium
where Mrs. Brown's niece, Mrs. George Gould
is. She seems improving. I walked over
the grounds. They are very beautiful and
beds of flowers, and beautiful trees are
about. It is a large tract of land.
The Sanitarium specializes in curing of
bone tuberculosis, part of it being
sun-light cure.

Returning we stopped at Broder Farner's
place, ^{Easton} where Pekin Ducks are raised by the
hundreds. We lunched on Duck pie,
delicious, but quite unlike chicken pie.
Drove home by Franklin Park, Columbia
Road, Uplands Corner, Mass. Ave., Riverway
Distance about 75 m. - How kind they were!

Saturday, May 21, 1927

Clear more or less cloudy
Warm. Evening cool

Busy at home this After-
noon. Mrs. Brown & I
went by electric to the Car-
roll Arboretum and
spent some time wandering
about there. Of birds there
were practically none only
2 or 3 very common ones.

Vegetation is in full
sway and everything was
bright & green. There were
no special colored flowers
out. Came home by electric
on the surface, not elevated.

Before going to the Arboretum
we called on Mrs. Boston
and saw her new baby
now a few weeks old. It
is a dear little child.

{ Lindbergh reached Paris }
{ by 5:25 Boston time !!! }

x The Stantals brought beautiful flowers.

Sunday, May 22, 1927

Clear with light clouds, mild

Bucy, etc. About noon Mr. & Mrs. Stantals drove over to dinner. x We had a very bright time and pleasant time afterwards.

Later Mr. & Mrs. Arthur in Gardner, Lawrence, Jeannette & Edmund, their children came. We had a bright time and afternoon tea. After tea, Gardner left. Mr. & Mrs. Stantals & I drove to Boston to the Boston Branch English-Speaking Union, 93 St. James Ave. to promote friendly relations, common interests, & between the American people and all people of the world who speak English. There were several present and we had pleasant talks. It was a new experience to me - The Union's headquarters is in New York.

Then we drove home, & The Stantals with two lady friends drove to their home. This evening we called on May Dyer.

It was late when we woke up.

Monday, May 23, 1927

Celebration to J. R. Churchill

Cloudy and rainy

This A.M. Miss Brown & I went over to the dedication of the new Dorchester Court House. J. R. Churchill in the chair. He gave an address, followed by T. H. By others. Then followed a real session, where men were sentenced to this & that. Reception flowers, looking over the bldg. etc.

Rested at home in the P.M.

In the evening I went out to the Hotel Somerset in Boston to the Banquet to J. R. Churchill Dorchester Judge for 86 years. Over 100 lawyers were there seated at small round tables. Across the head of the large room was a long table raised above the floor and which sat the judge and a number of lawyers etc. After the dinner there was much speaking, and at the end I addressed the lawyers in the room and told them of J. R. C.'s experience in his vocation & what it meant. It was well said!

Tuesday, May 24, 1927

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Cloudy + Showery, cool -

This Am. Miss Brown + I went
to Boston - At Court's I changed
a pair of new shoes, and a little
later we met Mrs. Stuntial
by Sheppard St. - She took
us over to the Women's City
Club where we had a
very nice lunch. We also went
over the building and saw all
the valuable paintings + pic-
tures, and also the display of
flowers in the house and in
large area back of it. It was
a flower exhibition day with prizes
and the exhibits were very fine
including the arranging of tables
with cloth + dishes spread and de-
corated with flowers.

Then we visited a little more on Park
St. in which Mrs. S. is much interested.
Then we left her and went to the
movie "Resurrection" at Foxes state

Wednesday, May 25, 1927

Blowing rain, mild.

I rose late this A.M. and did some writing and a little reading.

I have received in a paper an insect pressed between two pieces of glass. It is evidently very old. He wants a name. It means a visit to Sam Henshaw.

After this P.M. with Brown & I went to the University Theatre, Harv. Sq. to a performance. It was excellent, the scenery very good, and the subject well done. Good music. Leaving the play I found that it was raining rather lightly.

There was not much even-
ing left when we reached
home - I must show Rob
Ware's insect to Sam Henshaw
for a name

Thursday, May 26, 1927

Clear into clouds in P.M.
Rather warm.

This morning Miss Brown
& I went to Boston and
after lunch at Waldorfs on
Park St. we went to Arts &
Crafts and got wedding presents
for John Beckwith & Miss Cutler,
Mr. & Mrs. Newbiggin & Mrs. M. Donald,
B. Litchard (Lucy Briggs). I must
write them and explain
why I hadn't written before.
When we returned home
and I have written ever
since. I get tired much
easier than I used to,
and I don't like it.

Charlie Hoppin called me
up from Boston this evening.
Lillie Hoppin is very
sick. Charlie says, and cannot
recover. So only one the
older are going.

Friday, May 27, 1927

Sun and cloud and rain
- Cold -
Remarkable weather
Overcast weather !!

Busy most of the morning
and afternoon at home.
Ivan Johnston came over for
a noon dinner. I showed
him a bunch of violets
sent me by Cephew M.
Schantz of Chicago, Ill. and
he agreed with me that they
were straight V. pedata L.
I have written Mr. S. about
them.

This afternoon I called
on Mary Dexter for some
time.

This evening I called on
Mary and sat a good while
with her. George was out.

Venus was wonderfully
brilliant this evening.

Saturday, May 28. 1927

Cloudy & clear, cold.

This A.M. I waited down
at the Mys. Comp. Look
and sat some time with
Mr. Newland. He told me
that R. A. Davis' insect was
a sps of Daddy-long-legs.
We had a very pleasant
talk. I got the Parts 1 & 2
of Wm. Brewster's "Birds of
Lake Umbagog" &
walked home.

This P.M. May Dexter called.
I have done some reading
in "Mississippi Steamboats"
by Herbert & Edward Zerbe.
It is very excellent and
instructive reading.

The days are slipping
by and June is near at
hand. I expect to stay
down till after Commence-
ment this year.

Sunday, May 29, 1927

Evening with some clouds
Bracing, fine, but
not like spring -

This morning I went with
Wm. Dexter to Appleton Chapel
and we heard Bro. Brent
deliver a splendid sermon
then I called on Mrs. Godale
and had a good talk - I saw
her and her sister Miss Hobson.

This afternoon I have been
busy at home write my
letters. etc

Mary & Grace came down
for tea and we had a
pleasant time and a
long talk afterwards -
Mary certainly is much
stronger than she used
to be, for it was an event
to walk down here as she
did this afternoon -
Evening busy as usual -

- Decoration Day -

Monday, May 30, 1927

Clear, mild, calm.

At home this morning.
I saw, from the foot of Red-
sel Ave. The march of the
men and the music to ~~at~~ Au-
burn.

Effie Lord called for me at 7 P.M.
and we drove to her house
in Newton. Charlie welcomed me.
Very pleasant till late P.M.

Mr. Thos. Frederick W. Jacobs
464 Commonwealth Ave Boston
came, and the hours passed quickly,
listening to Coolidge, Washington,
& walking over the place
in P.M. drove home with Mr. Thos. Jacobs

This evening Miss B. & I
went in to the Hotel on Ches.
St. Boston near Beacon St.
and made a pleasant call
of Mrs. Hoppin, Charlie
and Gilbert. Haven't seen
the last for long time.
Got home about 10 P.M.

Tuesday, May 31, 1927

Threatening all day. Mild

This A.M. I walked out
from the Harv. Trust Co
about 8:30 some business then
lunch at home as usual
P.M. & P.L. distributing
some mounted sheets
reading a bit, writing

Wednesday came over
this evening to supper.
He stays here as usual.
He came up from East?
Hartford to-day & it is
good to see him.
He went over with me
the last batch of P.L.'s
plants.

We go with the Stantials
to-morrow A.M. early to
N. Andover where Cyclone's
tomb is back to the 2nd N. Abbot's
funeral at the house.
He is at rest for ever.

x Her father is a missionary, doctor.
" mother - " " "

Wednesday, June 1, 1927

I also met John D. Dunn, student at Harvard
dental school. an Australian - See June 2

Clear, at times cloudy.

Rain last night.

Miss A. M. Stautial called for us
at 8 Am., then drove home with
Mrs. S. & an Australian friend
(see May 22), to Cudover where
Aileen is going to study from Abbott Acad-
emy. We saw the girls playing
various games. Aileen was with
them. The bloop & grounds
are beautiful. We enjoyed our
dinner together. Then we said
good bye & drove back here.

Miss B. said at home, and I
was driven to the Abbots on
Fallen St. to the funeral of
her cousin H. Abbott. There
was a simple service at the
house. I regret June.

The Stautials has been
more than kind. I had a good
talk at dinner with Jessie Marianne
Hick, from Seoul, Korea. ^{evening} at home.

Mildred left us, this evening

Thursday, June 2, 1927

Clear, with light clouds,
mild -

At home in A.M.
Walked to Harvard Sq.
Post Co. From there to
City Club in Boston,
where I met brother
Sprague and we had
lunch (or dinner I call it)
and a long talk.

Then home as usual.

I am about changed
in our plans as to when
to come. We think it much
better to give up the
spending the next two
of three weeks here for
Commencement, and have
decided to go as usual
much earlier. I know
I should get over with
going about during that
event -

Friday, June 3, 1927

Clear, calm, cool -

Worked at home -

Then went to Boston
with C. W. Weatherly and
* Jack Fernald and had
dinner. - The Comm. meet-
ing of the Bot. Musclys
was in the A.M. at the
Union Club, Dr. Homer Gaff
Pres. Pres. Powell was there.

I came home after that
* Then we went to the
Bot. Club and had
a very pleasant time.
Prof. W. E. Ekblaw of Clark
Univ. gave us a re-
markable illustrated
talk of an hour + more
(See Program).

At the meeting Prof.
Jack took Weatherly &
me home in his car.
No more meetings till fall

Saturday, June 4, 1927

Sun and clouds, with rain
in the evening.

This morning I worked
at Harv. Sq. and did several
errands. Then I walked
round to the Gray Herk.

Weatherby was not there
so had gone straight to
Boston or home when he
left here this morning.
I did not see him when he
left early.

At home this P.M.,
I read Miss B. & I went
down to Central Square
and had supper at a
Cafeteria.

Then we went to Cen-
tral Sq. Theatre and en-
joyed the evening. Of
course parts of it might
be unattractive, but
there was a lot of good
work.

* Conductor, Alfredo Casella. He played the
piano & led at the same time.
Sunday, June 5, 1927

Clear with sudden show-
ers.

George called this New.
Busy at home till late
P.M. Went in to Hort. Hall
to see the exhibition of flowers
I then then Miss B. & I went
to a Cafeteria and, by chance,
sat down at the same table
with Mr. & Mrs. Churchill & Emma!!
Strange. Then Miss B. left us.
The rest went to Hort. Hall
and saw the flowers.

Then as Mr. & Mrs. Churchill's guest, Miss
B. leaving left us. We went to
the Pop Concert, Symphony Hall
delightful music.

Then we took the car to
Park St. & separated. On
my return I found that
Miss Brown had gone alone
to the concert and enjoyed it
very much. While in Boston we
had a splendid rainbow -

Monday, June 6, 1927

Clear, calm, mild.
- Perfect day -

We distributed some plants,
this A.M. as we have been
doing lately.

About noon I went in to
Boston, and called on Rob Ware.
We lunched together - I do
wish he felt stronger. The shock
from his fall still lingers.

Then I went to see J. R. C.
He & Miss Booth were in.
I had a pleasant time.
They are very cordial.

Then J. R. C. & I walked to
Park St. and parted.

I came home -

This evening I went
to the last M.H. Club meeting
Till fall. Several notes
were given, fourteen were
present. - Walked home
with Judge Walcott.

Tuesday, June 7, 1927

Clear & cloudy, mild.

Morning & afternoon spent at home doing various things. Miss Brown & I distributed a good number of mounted sheets from T.R. Churchill. I lay down a while to rest.

In late P.M. we went in to Boston and visited the Metropolitan. They do have there a great no. of very interesting events. The only trouble is getting one's seat in the intense dark - The usher will lead you down the long aisles and show you with his light the row where there is one or more empty seats. Then he leaves you in the almost pitch dark to work in the narrow passage and find your seat is better or can-

Wednesday, June 8, 1927

Hot, clear & cloudy
A summer day -

This P.M. I walked over to
Emily Chapman's on an errand
and then to the Harvard
Trust and home -

It was pretty hot.

This P.M. I have spent
mainly in the verbarium
finishing several bits of
work before stopping for
the summer. I am nearly
by through.

This evening I had a
pleasant call from
who has bought
the Curtis house. He wants
to put up a garage at the
end of the driveway between
our houses in the circle
and not in the encls.
some beyond. I had a
very pleasant talk with him

Thursday, June 9, 1927

Clear & cloudy very warm
mercury 83 or 84 dining room
window at dinner. P. Ple.

This Am. I walked to the
Green Herb. with a box of
plants for Miss Anderson.
Talked with all the girls
except Fern who was
absent. Walked home
it was very warm.

P. Ple. at home getting
ready for the summer.

In late P. Ple. we went
by taxi to Hawk Sq. then by
car to Miss Deane & Miss
Maxwell, Roxbury. We had
a very pleasant time
there at dinner & before
departing they showed us
many treasures from ro-
bust cards. We staid
till 9.30 and then came
home. Busy day. In the

Friday, June 10, 1927

Very, very hot all day
 Mercury in shade by my
 house about noon 92° F.

I have ordered some journals
 of mine to be sent direct to
 Stillburne till certain dates
 they are Atlanta rev., Living Age
 Area, Nat. Geog., Outlook, Sky Map.
 (Times & Herald) (Tribune)
 (Till further notice) (All further notice)

I have stayed in the
 house to-day owing to this
 fierce heat. The time
 that was spent in one
 way or another I have read
 a good deal in my book
 "Steamboat" that Char-
 lie sent me a while
 ago. It is a very remarkable
 story of the Mississippi River
 & its tributaries from very
 early days

For June 12 see Apr. 30 -

Saturday, June 11, 1927

→ April 30 ←

Clear, cool.

Waking early this morn.

At noon we went out
Boston over Harbor Bridge.

We had our lunch at
the Green in New Garden

Place. Then we went to
Jordan Hall in garden.

J.R.C. music, name given
them. Robbore had sent

us tickets. The Boston Music
School Settlement gave a

performance of singing and
playing etc. It was arranged

by Will Sommes through which
there were some nice

albums there. They were
returned home.

This evening I went out
and had supper with my

sister and mother. Clerk
I showed my carving and

found Campbell and

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Sunday, June 18, 1927

Very warm, but not quite
like yesterday. Mercury
over 80°

At home Mr. & Mrs. - Busy
at this & that, reading,
listening to the speech of
Pres. Coolidge and reply
of Lumbergh at Washington
over the radio.

Charlie & Effie had called
in a car and we had a
pleasant talk -

I read a good deal in
"Mississippi Steamboat" by
Litch - a fine account -

This evening we went
up and called on Mary
& George. We sat under front
porch. The air was good -
This hot weather is a great
change from the cold spring.

Monday, June 13, 1927

Clear, calm, cool -

Busy at home this A.M.

This P.M. Prof. Emerton & I went by electric to Franklin Park. We wandered over the camp a part of it enjoying everything, the many kinds of animals in cages. We went to the lions and tigers in spacious pens in the buildings. The lions & tigers attracted more attention. The sign of the children's route & the children's fury. One lion near the top in his cage and roared, exciting the others, & the was tremendous noise from all the animals -

After going across the large area we got a cat and returned to Boston & home. Food was late. Evening at home.

Tuesday, June 14, 1927

Cloudy, mild.

This A.M. busy mostly
at home.

Then went to J. R. C's
and found Miss Booth
there. I had a good talk
over my affairs & summer.

Then I went out and
called on Mr. Blaney at
The Conveyance Title Ins. Co.
I had a good talk with him.
He will make a fresh
list of my holdings.

On the way there I called
on Julius Northfield but he
was out. Then I returned
to the judge's and I found
him. He had lunched.
After a talk & good-bye
Miss Booth & I went out
to lunch. Then home.

Evening at home. Lots of
details to do before June 17.

Wednesday, June 15, 1927

Clear & cloudy mild
with showers. P.M. &
evening wonderfully beau-
tiful. Golden clouds &
sunset

This AM. I walked from Wash.
D.C. on errands.

This P.M. I called on May
Hester and later on Mary
and I shall see them as
soon -

This P.M. Mrs. Mrs. Saloon
& son called and took us
on a beautiful 50 m. drive
to the Blue Hill region. We miss
Brown called on her sister &
family, Mrs. Mrs. Perslow. The
country was beautiful, and
also on the circuit, the sun-
set and the wooded country
roads were enchanting. We
drove 50 miles, the car rolling, as
on a track. It was a great treat.

Thursday, June 16, 1927

Clear cloudy in evening.
mild -

This morning I worked down
to Harvard Square & visited
the D.C. Harv. Cop. & Harv. Trust.
Rest of the day busy over
near departure; to-morrow I
made a short call on
Mr. & Mrs. Dwight who have
got the Rustis house.

In the evening Mr. Balson called
in regard to our starting in the
^{car} at 7 A.M. Had a good call
from C. A. & Mrs. Weatherby.
Go to-morrow we are off
at 7 A.M. with Mr. Balson,
wife & car for Shelburne.
It will be a long ride
and I trust the weather
will favor us - Our trunks
will follow. Now for three
months in Shelburne
and may all go well -

Friday, June 17, 1927

Saturday, June 18, 1927

Sunday, June 19, 1927

Rosa carolina of
Gray's manual is not
of Linnaeus - It is
(Rosa palustris Marsh)

Rosa humilis of
Gray's manual is not
the earliest name - It is
(Rosa carolina L)

Monday, June 20, 1927

Apr. 23
Friday, July 1, 1927

Birthday -
- gifts -

Blackwelder

Brown, L. M.

" Geo. & Mrs.

Carr, A. B.

Chase, Agnes

Churchill, Mrs. W. R.

Deane, Geo. C.

Dexter May

Fallon, Lizzie

Flynn, Annie

Saturday, July 2, 1927

Cake

Card & Journal Book

Card

Letter

Card

Card

Thermometer

Gen. letters of from Holmes

Card

Card

Apr. 23

Sunday, July 3, 1927

- Birthday ->

Gould's all

Little, Mrs. E. E., 15

Mildred

Rantouls, Loretta, Daisy

Rantouls all

Roses all

Scudder, Wintrop S.

Stewart, Mrs. Mrs. A. Green

" Aylmer

Stone, Miss J. H. G.

Ware, Robert A.

Weatherby C. A.

Williams, Grace & Nellie

Monday, July 4, 1927

Card

card

Card

Pink Rambles

Flowers

Telegram

Letter

Birthday Cake

Card

Letter

Letter

card

Yellow Calla Lily

Sunday, September 18, 1927

Clear most all day - Some
rain in the P.M.

After a long sleep and
rest in bed I have got
up at 7:30 a.m. from the 22.5 m.
of yesterday - I have
spent today at home
mostly writing. The
Gang called this P.M.
and we had a long
talk about the summer.

I have had a phone
call with J.R.C., who
is getting back to his
old normal health again.
I have written in my
Journal the story of
our auto drives to & from
Shelburne this season.

Now begins the normal
life here at home - I
want to make it a time
for rest and light work.

Monday, September 19, 1927

Clear, cloudy & raining.

I have been at home most of the day, busy in one way or another. There is much to do on returning from the summer's vacation - things to be read, & things to be done. The King's trunk however is not unpacked - this afternoon, went up to 30 Sparks St. I saw Mary and George. We had a long talk, they both speak of the silence of War Dept. - she would not answer a letter from us during the venture summer -

It is good to be well & home again, may we be well till next summer.

Veronica officinalis L. Jefferson
White Mt. N.H. Mrs. Sheffield
Tuesday, September 20, 1927

Cloudy & clear warm.

This morning I walked down to Harv. Court on business, also to the P.O. concerning a loan. All right I walked home. This is quite different driving and auto riding. Both are all right in their places.

This afternoon I have been at home over accounts &c. Miss Dolly Kirk and a young friend ready to enter Radcliffe called. Pleasant talk.

This evening I have been working on my accounts. I am not ~~easy~~ all the time but generally I find no trouble.

Miss Browns brother Billy came this evening and I had a good talk with him.

Wednesday, September 21, 1927

Clear, mild.

This Am. we taxied down to the Harvard Court to get the Silver Truck. Did a bit of business there and then on our return I got off at the Gray Herk. and saw B. L. Robinson & Weatherly & a few guests. Remount. talk. Mr. Hurrewicz was there and I talked with him -

B. L. R. & I walked home together. C. W. Weatherly was there too. I was glad to see him and he is coming here on Saturday next.

Plus P. I have been writing to P. at home.

This evening C. A. W. and George called and the time flew.

I shall be glad to see C. A. W. once again.

Turney beats Dempsey -
Thursday, September 22, 1927

Clear, cool, fine day

This Am. I walked over to
the Gray Herbarium and saw
C. W. Weatherby & Dr. Robinson.
Vacation for many is not over
yet. I staid a while
looking up some plants and
then walked home -

I have been very tired
and early evening at home -

Later Mr. Balsor called
for us and we drove down
to his home on West Auburn St.

There they have a fine
radio, and we sat around
it, that is Mr. Balsor & part of
the time his wife, and I
and heard all the talk. It
was quite thrilling. During the
rounds there was silence but
during the intervals there was
much noise. Turney got a square
victory. We got home by 12 o'clock

Friday, September 23, 1927

Clear, cool, bracing.

I went to Boston this morning and called at J. R. Churchill's office. He had not come in - I talked with Mrs Booth a long time. The Churchills are still getting along well. I shall see them later.

Mrs Booth & I lunched together at Thompson's house and then I returned home stopping at the Williams's.

I saw Beaman who had a cold but is well and she told me that Emile was getting on, if not entirely so. Emile was sleeping.

Then home - this evening C. A. Weatherly ^{came} to his room for the present. So glad. We did some work this evening. I am feeling all right.

Saturday, September 24, 1927

Clean, cool, bracing.

I talked a while with Mr. Weatherby this morning before he went over to the Herbarium. Then I worked over my Shelburne plants, making labels &c till dinner time. After dinner I worked again in the Herbarium.

I later met C. L. D. at Arsenal Square at 6:30 and we walked to the Square after getting some supper at the Cafeteria in the new brick enlargement to the big building in the Grand Square where Gordon & Concord Ave. meet.

Then we went to the Melba Italian Theatre & saw a good play and walked home.

Sunday, September 25, 1927

Clear mild.

This Am. as I was starting
for J.R.C. who should drive up
but Dr. Rushmore would. He took
me over to J.R.C.'s and I spent
the entire day from 11 Am. till
mid evening with the family.
C. & Weatherby called in the way,
as I wrapped, and we came home
together.

J.R.C. is getting well over his
illness contracted in the south (by
way J.R.C. is still under doctor's
orders and will be for a good
while I fear. It was far too
hot for her in the South and
she is far from well now, though
she is about. She walks a bit
on the level near the house.

We were busy during this
day getting J.R.C.'s plants into
the herbarium.
C. & W. & I got home by 10 P.M.

Monday, September 26, 1927

Clear, calm. ~~and~~

This morning I walked to
+ from Harvard Square and
that was all I wanted to do.

It was very hot. I stopped at
the P.C. + Trust Co. the
only person I knew on that
was Mr. Sprague + ass't
in the Trust Co.

This P.M. I lay down for
some time and rest and
read the paper. I tire very
easily now-a-days.

In the latter P.M. Grove
called and we had a
rather long talk -

He brought me a weed from his
garden. Eupatorium urticifolium
Richardson

Cal Weatherby came this
evening and we finished up
Munster's N.C. plants.
Weatherby goes home to-morrow

Tuesday, September 27, 1927

Clean + light clouds
cool

This morning I was busy at home over Hunter's North Carolina plants - all but one or two Gray Manual plants.

Ch. Weatherby left this morning for the present. He returns later -

This afternoon Miss Brown + I went down to Cambridgeport to the movie and saw a very remarkable exhibition of African natives in their haunts fighting the tigers and other wild creatures. It was remarkable.

This evening I have been in my herbarium over Hunter's N. Carolina plants. C. A. W. named them - very interesting
all but 1 or 2. one Gray Manual plant -

Received from Mrs. J. E. Meyer to-day a plant of
Sanguinaria canadensis. I have written her
Wednesday, September 28, 1927
for locality, date, & collector.

Clear, mild,
very fine day

This Am. I was busy at
home. Then I walked to
Harr. Court and from there
went to see Miss Booth,
at F. R. C.'s. She arranged
a change in a mortgage
I held.

Then I went to City Club,
and met C. C. Sprague. We
dined there, talked and
then separated. I returned
home, rested &c.

This evening we had a
call from Mrs. St. Quintal
Helen and a girl friend of hers.
Very pleasant time with
them indeed. They are as
lovely as ever and I wish
Angeline & Eileen could have
been with them. May
we meet again soon.

Thursday, September 29, 1927

Clear and cloudy and warm.

This Am I walked to P.O. & Harn. I met them by electric to Boston.

I called on Bob Wallace and we lunched together as usual. We had a good long talk.

Then I called on Mr. Blaney at the Conveyances Title Ins. Co. and had a pleasant talk with him.

I met Louis Briggs and had a talk with him.

Then I took the car home and met Mary Dexter near her house. I went in and we had a talk.

Evening at home rather tired. Put Mrs. Meyer's *Sanguisaba* into press.

* Oct 1. I find a few small plants
of *White Snake Root* near the spot of yesterday
Friday, September 30, 1927

Clear very hot
over 80°.

This morning I walked
W from Harvard Square.
It was intensely hot -
It was all I wanted to do.
I met Prof Sweeney &
had a walk & talk with
him. met on the way
Willard Reed -

George called this P.M.
with clippings in re Fuller's
death. He had it from
Wm Hooper -

557 ordinary pieces of mine on
Craigie St. from Concord Ave. to the
sign board corner of Craigie & Brattle.

* *White Snake Root* -

Eupatorium verticillifolium Peckham.
Single plant. on hard dirt sidewalk
6 in. from wire fence, a few yards from Sparks
St., S. side of Bowster St. no specimens through
the fence where were bushes & weeds, same spot
as specimen in herb. 1. 5. 11. 1925.

Saturday, October 1, 1927

Clear, very hot. The
paper gives the record
of 88° in Boston -
I walked to Harvard
Square, met May Dexter on
the way returning, and visited
the Harvard Trust.

Terribly hot -
Returned by car -
Afternoon & evening
at home, busy about
accounts, etc.
Mildred Van Derstam.
Called this morning.
She has returned,
married from Orange
Island and
is with her husband
on her way to their
home at Dennis. Was
later I saw the husband.
Evening at home. It
is still very hot
thence 9:30. Plan -

Sunday, October 2, 1927

Clear, warm.

At home, to-day.

I have worked a good deal to-day, labeling & putting in readiness for mounting the plants of this season.

This afternoon Mr. & Mrs. Jacobs (she was Mrs. Penman) called to see my herbarium etc. It was a very pleasant occasion indeed. They were very enthusiastic indeed and it was a great satisfaction to me - or I have worked and in many years on this collection of 40,400+ sheets -

This evening I have been getting my summer's small collection mounted. I sit at it so very much in Seelbourn, but even a little must be done for.

Monday, October 3, 1927

Clear, warm

I have been busy to-day, mainly in my Herbarium collecting my plants of *Succowia*. I did not get much myself, but ^{others} have brought some plants from the mountains or to know a little about, and I have kept them.

This evening I went to Charlie Batterside's with George to attend the 1st Nat. Orn. Club meeting. There were 20 or more present. The speaker was Dr. T. J. Storey on "Bird Voices East & West". He gave an interesting comparison from personal experience of bird songs. Much discussion followed. George & I were driven home.

Tuesday, October 4, 1927

Heavy rain during much of last night. In the early Am. The sky cleared and the day has been perfect. Air cool.

I have spent much of today in my herbarium getting Hunter's North Carolina plants into the mounting box - they are now all ready for Miss Cuddeback & I am much pleased with them.

Next comes labelling my Shelburne plants -

This afternoon we went down to the University at 5 P.M. and enjoyed a very excellent performance. Indeed it was as good and far better than many such in Boston.

Botanical work rest of evening

Drive of 46 miles with
Mr. Balsor - 3 hours.
Wednesday, October 5, 1927

Clear, calm night

This morning, Mr. Balsor called
in his car and took me a long
drive through Camb., Somerville, Everett,
Bellevue, Everett town & beach, Lynn (Hux Pond)
Weymouth, Cliftondale, Lynnfield (Santany Pond)
Wakefield (Crystal Lake), Reading, Woburn (Hig)
Rock Wood), Winchester, Arlington (Mystic
Pond), Somerville, Cambridge, 46 miles.

Glorious day. At Revere beach we got
out and walked about. The very broad beach
was exposed, the water calm, the Gulls
in numbers on the water edge and, at the
back of the avenue, the long row of
the buildings that drew the crowd in the
summer. I never saw such a sight.

The many ponds we passed were near
by in their surroundings. It was
a perfect drive, and the car
ran as smoothly as could be,
and was carefully driven.

Time 9:30 - 12:30 } I brought
Plants & covers at home } some a few
Revere beach
plants.

Thursday, October 6, 1927

Clear, mild.

This morning with Miss Brown I went in to Boston and got a suit of civvies for daily wear. We lunched in town and came home. Before going I made a call on Emile Williams and found him better but not a well man. His fall, which I do know about, was bad without doubt. I did not see Blanche.

The rest of the day

I have been busy getting my plants into the mounting box. It is quite a job.

I don't feel enthusiastic over the beginning of the fall engagements of one Kud or another. I would rather be quietly at home busy by myself.

Friday, October 7, 1927

Clean with some cloud

I spent the forenoon
at home, working
a good deal at my plants
while we were in the
mountain box. They in-
cludes all material from
North Columbia.

This evening I went to
the 1st meeting of the
N. E. B. C. at the
club. with this it was a
pleasant occasion. I
met a good number of
friends, among them
J. H. C. who has just
recovered from his up-
set resulting from his
Southern trip. He mentioned
you as gave brief notes
of our summer.
I drove home with Prof. Park
in his car. Robinson & Hemenway too.

Saturday, October 8, 1927

Clear and cloudy. Cool

This A.M. I walked to the
Herron Bldg., to Trust Co.
& P.O. It is a comfortable
walk I like to take

This P.M. I was busy at
home reading mainly

the late P.M. then

I walked again to the
square and met Mrs.
P. about 5 o'clock
at the University. We

had good seats in the
front of the balcony

and enjoyed a very
excellent program
full of pathos and
wit - fine views of the

terrible destruction by the
Carnado in St. Louis. I

wrote the Greenmans about it
and Mrs. G. wrote a good letter.

They were free from the review

Crossed at 10:00 - Public Library

Sunday, October 9, 1927

Sun in Am. a light rain
in P.M.; clearing up, but
and in evening.

This Am. we saw and
some reading.

This P.M. we went over
to the Emersons, to one of their
P.M.s and met them and
met Rev. & Mrs. J. S. Renman
of Brattle St. We had a
very pleasant time.

When we left we went
straight to Boston to the
Public Library and heard
in the Lecture Hall a
very fine Concert by the
Gordon String Quartet.
Time 8 P.M. to about 9:15 P.M.
Hall crowded.

We got home about 10 P.M.
The rain held up -

It has been a very nice
day —

Call from Bob Carr & wife!

Monday, October 10, 1927

Clear & cool & calm

This morning & part of the afternoon I worked at home -

In the afternoon, 1 P.M. Fred Carr & his young wife came and staid till after 4 P.M. I haven't seen him for a good while. His bride lived in Hartford and is a nice girl. We had a very pleasant lunch and a good talk. They go to Trinidad in a few days stopping at New York briefly. I showed them about the house. Fred is working hard with his father on the plantations. He gave me a cane with a monkey's face on it. He says the wood is native to Trinidad and is called Poué.

It is a hard wood. They left about 4:15 P.M.

I spent the evening at Harry's with her and Grace -

Tuesday, October 11, 1927

Clear and pleasant,

I was busy mainly in my herbarium this morning labelling plants. etc.

This afternoon Miss B. & I went in to Loew's State Theatre and saw Annie Laurie, a Scotch drama. The Campbells & McDonalds were the opposing factors. It was certainly a very thrilling and well-performed play. The rest of the performance was not over except the Pathé news.

Evening has been spent quietly at home reading & writing. I am more and more inclined to stay at home and only plan myself to go out anywhere.

I had a good letter today from Weatherly & hope to see him soon.

- Columbus Day -
Wednesday, October 12, 1927

Clear, cool, calm.

This Am. with Grace I went to Boston and on to the pier where the ferry boat is. We crossed the harbor in the boat but we staid on the ferry-boat as we couldnt go further and we enjoyed a well-earned watching the gulls & air-planes &c. Then we re-crossed to Boston and home again.

Busy this P.M. at home. This evening we called on our neighbors, Prof. & Mrs. Baxter, and, in the house next us,

Mr. & Mrs. Dwight and relations with them. It was very pleasant to meet them, as they are near neighbors.

Mr. Dwight's business takes him over a wide extent of country every day.

Thursday, October 13, 1927

Heavy wind and rain
last night & part of
this morning.

The wind was very strong in
Boston and other places and
the paper records damage of
all sorts. Luckily, but as
it was here in the A.M. it
did not do more on my lease,
than rip off a second story blind
in my bed-room front, s.w. corner.
It fell to the ground and all the
slats fell out.

Afternoon clear & calm. I was
busy at home. I went to
Boston at 5 P.M., met Miss
Brown, and we went to the
Metropolitan and saw an
interesting play. The place was
crowded. We had a light supper
and the Waldorf and got home
by 9 P.M. about.

The rest of the evening spent by

Friday, October 14, 1927

Clear, cool, calm.

At home this Am. in
teph. and elsewhere.

After dinner I called on
Mr. & Mrs. Saulding and sat
a long time with them.
They are both feeble, but full
of quiet energy.

This evening I walked over
to the Gray Herbarium and joined the
others working for our Herbarium.
I worked with Mr. Hunnewell
putting mounted sheets into the covers
for distribution. It was pleasant
work.

I met there John E. Fogg jr.
40 Shepard St. Porter 3997 M.
He is studying on his own account
at the Herbarium. His home is in
Phila. and he knows the rules.
He wants to see my Herbarium.
Mr. Hunnewell drove me home
and our session was over.

Saturday, October 15, 1927

Clear and cool.

I spent this morning and part of the afternoon at my table going over a rather large box of papers of every description that I have accumulated for many years. Many I have destroyed and quite a number I shall keep. There are several photos of myself and different periods. Letters of interest, etc., etc.

This afternoon we went in to Emmanuel Church to the wedding of Robt Greenough's daughter, Miss Mary, to Lloyd Benson on means. The church is a Newbury St., and the occasion was a very interesting one.

Then we returned and went to the University and saw a very good series of entertainments. Then home again -

Sunday, October 16, 1927

Clear, cool - Perfect Day.

At home this Am. working over a drawer full of papers of every kind in my desk.

This afternoon Mr. & Mrs. Balsor & son called and took me & Brown & me on a very lovely drive.

We went to & through Cambridge, Payson Park Reservoir, being entirely rebuilt, Belmont, Burlington where we climbed to the top of the high water tower & had wonderful views, Lexington, Lincoln, Concord, Acton, Bedford, Watertown. Distance 53 m.

The air was delicious, the views were fine and our drive was about 4 hours long. The view of the huge reservoir with work going on was wonderful.

This evening, I called on Mary Dexter and sat with her through the evening.

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Monday, October 17, 1927

Sun & clouds, a little rain.
Rather cool.

Worked at my table
this morning - made a
list of poisonous plants
for Mrs. Prof. S. A. Sweeney
This P.M. Mrs. B. & I
went in to Boston and I'd
some errands. Lunched at
Sheppard's. Then we went
to Loews Orpheum and saw
a good deal of silly matter
and a very amusing play.
This evening George & I
went to the Metall Club.
Charlie Batchelder not there.
Charlie Townsend, back from
round the world, gave a very
interesting talk on his long
trip - some bird skins helped.
It was a big trip -
George & I walked home
leaves on my back, yellow.

Tuesday, October 18, 1927

Cloudy, threatening, cool.

This morning I walked over to the Gray Herbarium with a box plants to Miss Anderson. They are *Shepherdia* plants, etc. I saw Miss Anderson, Miss Brown & Miss Sanderson. I had a hearty welcome.

Returning I rest & wrote. Later Miss Brown & I distributed a box of mounted grasses from T.R. Churchill. I also walked over to the polls on Lowell St. and voted at the Primaries for Robert for Mayor. I sincerely hope that Quinn will be defeated. He has held the reins too long.

The leaves are falling fast. Those on my Black Birch are going fast. Their color is a strong yellow. Those on my Norway Maple are still green.

This evening called at 86 Sparks St. on Grace &
Nellie Williams, just arrived. They got tomorrow
Wednesday, October 19, 1927

Heavy rain this morning,
clearing later for the rest of
the day - mild.

I have been at home
this A.M. & P.M. quietly
busy about one thing and
another - I do not feel
very smart and am
more and more contented
to stay at home and read
than to go out -

There are always plenty
of letters to write and
no end of reading.

My plants take very
little of my time now,
compared with former
days - I have in herbs
over 40,400 sheets

quite enough I think.
I had a pleasant
call from Emile Williams
to-day. He is pretty well
now, I think.

Thursday, October 20, 1927

Rain, sunshine, cool & warm

This morning Grace and Nellie Williams called. They have been at Mary's yesterday afternoon. We had a very nice if short time for I hadn't seen them for a good while.

This afternoon I went over to May Dexter's and had a very dinner at 1:30 with May, Grace + Nellie Williams, Mary + George. Much pleasant conversation. We ate around the back parlor and had a long talk. It was 4:30 before we broke up. Nellie and Grace started for the North Station to get the 5:30 train for Greenfield. I came home.

At home this evening I read about "Lives of John Adams to James Russell Lowell and others" ed. by Wm Roscoe Stayer, 1917.

Eupatorium urticifolium R. & S.
taken from plants wild. Appleton St.
Camble. Friday, October 21, 1927 Lois &
Home place - See note with packet -

Clear with some clouds,
cool, bracing -

At home this Am.

About 12 M. Mrs Brown & I
went over to mission by way
of Jata & Matapan and
called on Mrs Brown's sister
& her husband, Mr. & Mrs. Purseton.
Their home is the opposite side
of the Blue Hill Range from
Paul Kennedy's home, and it
is near Mrs. Margerson's
home. We staid some time.
Mr. P. showed me the wood view
over the open country back of the
house and also his remarkable
work with his one hand, for
he has but one arm! He
makes picture frames, clocks, and
the like. They are beautifully
done.

Evening at home -
Writing & reading -

Later at 3 P.M. I called on
Mr. Hayes and we had a long
talk ~~at~~ ^{on} his foreign trip - Penelope was out
Referring I read in Amherst News about
~~the weathering but clearing and~~
~~pleasant -~~

At home till 11 A.M. Then
we walked to Harvard Sq
where I visited the Coop. & the
H.A. Trust -

Then we went in with
State House to see about the
new vol. on N.E. Birds to be
printed - I had ordered two
copies. It will be some time yet.

Then with a bunch we
went to the Metropolitan
and sat through a series
of performances all very
interesting. Then we returned
home - Rather tired.

This evening at home.
Dowdler wants me to talk on
some plants on Nov. 4. I don't want
to, but that is the day for the
inauguration of Stanley Reed
as Pres. of Am. Orn. - I'm going.

Sunday, October 23, 1927

Perfect Day, clear calm
air.

This morning Mrs Brown
took me with her & Mrs
Benson & Miller Gould to
Nantasket Beach.

This afternoon I drove
with Mrs & Mrs. Balson
and their little boy
to the East Boston Car
Ferry and saw the planes
in number rising with
passengers and aircraft
about. It was \$5 per trip.

at the beach in the
morning we saw the
gigantic ship the hanger
that ran aground on the
beach last February
night in a storm. It is
doubtful whether she can
be got off. For details
see Journal —

Monday, October 24, 1927

Clear, calm, cool

Got up rather late this morning and busied myself in my study -

This afternoon I went to Harvard Square (walked), and met Chris Brown at the University where we had a very good series of performances. There were excellent moving pictures of the various formations of the big football teams which are quite complicated. Then there were very slow-moving pictures very instructive to those well acquainted with the game of to-day -

The rest of the day has slipped away - George called and later I read aloud May's birthday present to me "Letters of John Holmes to James Russell Lowell and Others". Fine work.

Have begun to write a new
address-book

Tuesday, October 25, 1927

This evening read aloud "John Holmes
to J. R. Lowell & others"

Clear, cool.

Busy at home today.
Worked much on my
address-books which I have
had for years - I am now
starting a new one, and
how many old friends have
gone -

Much time has been
spent in reading "Holmes"
life & letters -

George made a short
call this morning - He
said May Deptu was in bed
with a cold. I took some
flowers to her -

My dog flit swiftly by
no matter what I am
doing. His habit is to
keep up in letter-writing.

One must read the papers
there has so much to tell
of the many events of today -

Wednesday, October 26, 1927

Clear, cool, calm.
Wonderful day —

I have been very busy with Miss Brown transferring to the new address book which she gave me on last April 23. The address in the book that I have had ever since 1909. Many of the old names have disappeared.

This evening Miss Brown & I went in to Steinert Hall to hear Phillip Ford give a piano recital in the benefit of the Boston Music School Settlement. Rob Ware, an important officer in the organization had sent me two tickets. It was a very fine and remarkable performance.

Only it was too loud for me. We met Rob & Mrs Ware, Anna & L. R. Churchill there —

Thursday, October 27, 1927

Clear, calm, bracing
morning 50° at 4.30 P.M.

It has been a very
delightful day for me.
This morning Mr.
Balson called after
breakfast and drove me
as far as Nainiau over
beautiful streets,
much of the time along
the water front with
views of the ocean -
(See my large Journal.)

This afternoon I
have been at home,
busy as usual.
Miss B. & I have made
progress in my new
address book that Miss
B. gave me last Xmas.

Friday, October 28, 1927.

Clear, mild, calm.

This Am. bus. group of 3
drove in to Steinert Hall
with Mr. Smith, one of the
salesmen. The Hall is on
Bayston St. We met there
with other salesmen, and
discussed pianos, pianolas, etc.
I haven't yet decided on
anything.

Then we drove with Mr. Smith
to Hort. Hall where he left us.
We drifted about here &
there a while and visited the
final exhibit in H. Hall.

Then home - Mr. Balsor
called and he will take me
tomorrow to the Harv. Game.

Evening at home, among
other things, entering ad-
dresses in my new book
and cast of Xmas. —

May the good weather last.

Harvard vs Indiana - 23-6!!

Saturday, October 29, 1927

Glorious, clear, calm, mild.
Wonderful day - for the game.

I was busy at home this morning over one thing or another. This afternoon Mr. Balsor & his wife called for me by a little after 3 o'clock and we drove to the Stadium parked the car, and walked round to our seats just opposite the middle of the field and well down, perfect seats in the Stadium filled and the seats across the end had a large number.

The game was Harvard vs. Indiana. The bands were wonderful, especially that of Indiana. They did wonderful stunts in marches, forming letters etc., great excitement. Harvard won 23-6. It did not look possible at first. Pleasant drive arranged on the way home.
Evening at home in

Sunday, October 30, 1927

Clear, calm, cool.

Mary's Birthday to-day. 80.

We called this *Am. ind. flowers* (*Chrysanthemums*) - Mary is well. Age is beginning to tell.

She and George came to dinner, and spent part of the afternoon - May Dexter came, too - We had a pleasant time together.

The rest of the day I have spent at home reading, and doing some reading and writing a letter or two.

A letter from Heathbury tells me that he and his wife are coming about Thursday next. I shall be glad to see them. We go to Amherst on Friday if all goes well.

X - see Oct. 16

Monday, October 31, 1927

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Clear, calm, mild.

At home this morning.
This P.M. Mr. Baird came
in his car and once more
took me to drive. We went
as far as Medford, passing
through other towns that den-
se. We stopped a while by
the pond in Meddley Falls
where the view was surpassing.

In Arlington we drove up,
near the center, a new road to the
top of an elevation with won-
derful view. Then we went to the
Reservoir in Belmont, where work is
going on, a wonderful sight. It is
having a new lining. Then on again
and to Mt. Auburn where we went
entirely round it. The changing
foliage is glorious. Time however
How kind he is to me -

Tuesday, November 1, 1927

Clear mild calm.
 - Perfect dry -
 No overcoat necessary.

At home this A.M. & A.M.
 busy over accounts.

I went over Wm. May Dexter's
 by 6 P.M. We dined and
 then went down to the
 Shakespeare Club at the
 Lanes. Pleasant meeting
 Sam M. Hurs. Lane and
 one of the daughters was
 in working on some subject
 here - Her sister is in col-
 lege in New York - We had
 some 35 at the Club
 and the reading was
 bright as a rule -

Play, "Much Ado"

The Moon and Jupiter
 were resplendent this
 evening -

76° at 2 P.M. in Boston -
Wednesday, November 2, 1927

Day clear and calm and
warm.

Evening light clouds and
warm. He old says
"no warmer Nov. in 65 yrs
74° in mid. afternoon

at home A.M. & P.M.
on accounts - Got all
right finally -

This evening we walked
to Harvard Sq., had a
lunch and then went down
to Furrall Hall and spent
a very enjoyable evening.
The performance was
excellent and there was
a good deal of it.

It seemed strange at
this season to walk to
Harvard Sq. without an
overcoat on. I had on my
light weight suit and not a

C. A. Weatherby arrives

Thursday, November 3, 1927

Fair in Am.
Spartan in P.M. mild

This Am. I walked to
Harvard Sq. and paid
bills, drew some money &c
at home this P.M.

Later Ch. & Mrs. Weatherby
arrived about 6 P.M. time
We had a very pleasant
with them, as usual.
I enjoy so much their
coming.

In the evening Mr. Mrs.
Balsor called and we
discussed the plan for
going to Amherst tomorrow
to the installation of
Stanley Dear as President
of the college.

We hope to start at
6.30 surely. I shall en-
joy this trip very much
indeed.

Saturday, November 5, 1927

Fine day, light clouds, cool.
calm -

I have been at home all day, busied with reading the papers for a long time, telling of the terrible floods, especially Vermont & Massachusetts. It is beyond anything on record - It is strange to think that we drove over so much of the flooded regions yesterday on our return from Cambridge. We little realized the wreckage that followed and that I have been reading about all day in the papers.

I have seen C. & M. very late for but a very few minutes today. They went out this evening to some entertainment and haven't yet appeared (10 P.M.). I am more & more inclined to stay at home.

- Drive W Grotton - 108.4 m

Sunday, November 6, 1927

Cloudy with rain drops, and sun
breaking out - Very dreary.

This morning at 10:30, C. & Miss. Weather
erby with Miss Brown⁷³ started off in
C. & W.'s car. Glorious drive - Started
10:30 Am. Route. Cambridge, Belmont, E.
Lexington, Bedford, 11 A.M.; Carlisle 12 M. crossed
Fitchburg & Lowell R.R., Westford, Forge-Village,
Grotton 12:30, Mrs. W. plotted in cemetery;

Lunched, left at 2:15. Townsend Harbor
Townsend, back to Grotton, Ayer 4:00, Harvard,
W. Acton, Maynard (Arisebet R. raging through
the town, bridge torn down), Danvers, W.
Concord, Concord, Lincoln, E. Lexington,
Belmont, Cambridge 5:30 P.M. 108.4 miles
Glorious drive of Thrs. many signs of the
storm in inundated fields, deepened
gutters on roadsides &c. Wonderful views.

We four had supper at home -
Later Weatherby looked over a few
plants for me.

We are all a little tired and
need a good rest. My friends are
very kind to me -

Monday, November 7, 1927

Sunshine, calm & cool.

Evening quite cold

At home this morning
busy over the newspapers
with all the flood news.

This afternoon I
went down to Hotel
Commander to a reception
to an English lady by Rob
Jackson.

In the evening I went
up to the Bird Club meeting
at 50 Sparks St. We had a
good meeting, 17 members.
Francis Allen presided. The
talk by Peters was on the
starling. He had a full
set of stuffed skins he
had taken of ♂♂ & ♀♀ in all
stages of the season.

Various notes followed.
The evening began with
a Council meeting in the
dining-room

Tuesday, November 8, 1927

Perfect day clear, bracing

I went to the polls and voted for Robert for Mayor, and other officers. I learn there was a large vote and I trust there will be a good Mayor (Robert).

Then Miss Brown & I walked down to the Sq. by the river. From there we went to the Harv. Trust where I opened my box for a certificate which I took to Stone & Webster and shall probably sell.

Then we went over to the Colonial Theatre & got tickets for "Les Misérables". Then we, at some lunch & attended the performance. Wonderful. C. A. & Mrs. Weatherby came this evening. He & I had a session over some of Mrs. Weatherby's N. Carolina plants.

— Radio —

Wednesday, November 9, 1927

Clear, growing cold

at home, all day.

There is always plenty to do. I spent most of my forenoon getting the plants that Cold went over with me yesterday into shape to mount.

This afternoon two men came up with a radio set from Clark & Mills that I have bought. They installed it easily in the reception room. A wire ran round the top of the room, and that was all - it is the very last word in radios. I hope it will be all right. We had a good deal of work on it in the P.M. and after tea, we tested it, and Edwin C. A. & Mrs. Westbury came in, and we all enjoyed it much. It should give us a long treat.

Thursday, November 10, 1927

Cloudy, cool

Busy at home this morn.
Mrs. Miss Brown & I
worked to the Farm Trust
and then went in to Bos-
ton to the Fair by the
Speech Readers Guild
in the Arlington Church
in the rear. There I saw
Mildred, and I had a
nice talk with her.
She is full of enthu-
siasm in her work
with the schools, the ob-
ject being to find out
who are defective and
to apply certain exercises
to them. We brought
home sundry purchases.

We enjoy the Radio.
In the evening the Weatherboys
came in and we had a good
time over the radio.

Friday, November 11, 1927

Warm, calm.

At home this morning
busy as usual -

This afternoon I went
The reception by Mr. & Mrs.
Harold W. Read for their
daughter May Welch Read.
Big crowd. House corner of
Cappleton & Highland Sts.

Saw a number of friends.
I sent flowers.

C. C. & Mrs. Weatherby
took tea with us, and
then he & I drove over to
the Gray Herk. I worked with
Kerr & Co. in the Club Herk
distributing mounted plants.
Eaton drove home. Weatherby drove
to the Square to park his car, then
returned -

We sat a while talking & listening
to the radio before retiring.

Saturday, November 12, 1927

Clear - warm.
Mercury 70° - time
unprecedented -

This morning I walked
at home.

This afternoon I attended
to the Harvard vs. Brown
over the radio. Result
13-6. Harvard won.

My leaving C. A. W. +
wife went to the Boston
Symphony Concert.

We listened to it over
the radio with much
interest. One as could be.

The radio is, I am sure,
the thing. At times there
is a crackling noise which
is, I learn, inevitable. It's
in the atmosphere.

Meatherly + wife arrived
rather late - they enjoyed
but criticized the concert.

C. G. & Mrs. W. returned this evening }
from being away since morning. }
Sunday, November 13, 1927 }
We had a good talk before returning.

Clear calm mild.
Glorious day.

This Am. I was at home.
We heard a splendid sermon
from the new Ch. South
by the Rev. Mr. [unclear]
About 1 P.M. Hal [unclear] &
I went on this [unclear]
Delightful trip to the lovely spot.
I saw Hal, Mrs. Gordon & Harison,
& daughter Frances.

Very pleasant dinner. Glorious
views. Saw Gordon's cat which
had, ^{been} removed from the old one, and
had a cochineal for a loud speaker.
The work done by the [unclear]

I saw a beautiful painting of Hal's
wife done from pictures & photos.

Miss Mr. Thomas Bolton and his family
came, and told me [unclear]. They
were much pleased with the home.
Hal gave me Emilio's baby lindis-
covered France. ^{The [unclear] home.}
Evening at home.

Monday, November 14, 1927

Clear, bracing, calm.
Another wonderful day.

Able home this morning
and busy at my table,
writing.

This afternoon I went
into Boston with Mrs.
Weatherbee & her husband
whom we met at Huron-
Concord Ave. corner at 5 P.M.

We walked down to
the cafeteria on Boylston St
& Washington St. have ridden
to the former. Very pleas-
ant supper and talk.

Then we went to the Colo-
nial Theatre and saw
"Les Misérables" which I
saw on the 8th Nov. I en-
joyed it much more. It is
a wonderful moving picture
performance.

Then home about 11:15

Tuesday, November 15, 1927

Clear calm, almost warm.
68°!!! See page 52.

I spent this P.M. & P.M.
busy at home, with the radio
and other matters

This evening I went over
to Mrs. Dexter's and we walked
over to Mrs. Bertha Vaughan's
for the Shakespeare Club
meeting. We had 30
people present. We read the
last part of *King Lear* about 10:30
and then Dr. Palmer and
Mr. Lane talked on some
matters of Shakespearean in-
terest. Pleasant talk &
lunch afterwards.
We walked home with Mr.
Bledwell and I drove with
Mr. Thos. Albertson home.
The mild weather
is very remarkable
indeed

Wednesday, November 16, 1927

Clear, warm, calm.

The temperature is remarkable. 76° 2 P.M., N. side of my house. 2^d story.

Busy at home this P.M. working at this & that.

This afternoon Miss B. & I went down to the University which plays from 5 P.M. to 8 P.M. It was a very interesting performance indeed, introducing a good deal of foot-ball, the rope two-a-days.

The weather has been remarkably warm for this season - just as long and I suppose we must have a change very soon.

This morning Mr. & Mrs. C. A. Weatherby left me home in their car for East Hartford, Conn.

Thursday, November 17, 1927

Clear Au. Clouding in
P.M. with very heavy
wind, and rain drops
mercury over 70° .

The wind is very strong
this evening. I have
been at home to-day
writing and I have begun
to read Emile Williams'
new book "Un discovered
France" that Hal Kennedy
gave (see Nov. 13). I am
starting it slowly with
the map of the route
which is in the book.
It is very well done and
full of information.
Joe Hayes called this
morning and said to come
over and examine my
notes carefully, and says there
is nothing better. He is a gear
man, gives lots of troubles

Friday, November 18, 1927

Wonderful drop in Temp.

Heavy rain last night - clearing by noon. This was followed by a cooling of the atmosphere (48° at 5.30) Air clear and breezy.

I have read some today in Williams' book entitled "Undiscovered France".

In it there is much description of ancient blogs &c. I am much interested in the story reading lightly the more detailed descriptions of Churches and the like about which I know nothing.

This P.M. we went in to Izemout Temple and saw Tony Jary's marionettes. A wonderful display.

Prof. E. Ementon called this evening and showed some cards of the Skullbone blood, &c.

Saturday, November 19, 1927

Cloudy, clearing, cold, P.M. somewhat
miserable 37° at 5.50 P.M. Boasting days

At home this P.M.. Read some
in "Uncovered France"

At 11.45 Mr. Boyes called for me and
we took with the Pudding Club and had
an excellent lunch. Then we walked to the
Stadium and saw Yale beat Harvard 14 to 0.
In spite of the score it was very close.
The air touch-downs & one goal took about
5 min. The entire rest of the time was
an even struggle. But it was a defeat.
Then we walked home - the Stadium
with very seat filled & the sun shining in
made a wonderful sight.

This evening May Dexter,
Towner Deane and Virginia
came to dinner and we had
a very nice time indeed.
There was much to tell
on both sides. The rest of
was a great source of
enjoyment too -

Sunday, November 20, 1927

Temp. 9 A.M. 31° at home
Rpt. fr. Boston 27° in A.M.
Bracing, sunny day.

This A.M. about 11 o'clock
Mr. Balsor called with
a girl friend of Miss Brown
and took us on a most de-
lightful drive of 39 mi.
We went through Cambridge
part of Boston on Hambridge
Brookline, Newton, Weston
Mattam, Watertown. We
went to the summit of Corey
Hill and had a superb view.
Mr. Balsor knew every street
& almost every house in the
drive. We went up the slope
of Prospect Hill, part way.

This P.M. we walked to Mt. Auburn
to the funeral of Mrs. Emersons sister
and Miss Brown took a part of Cyclaman
down where I called on Geo. & Mary
& saw Charlie Peffie Ford.

Evening at home watching, etc. by new address book

Monday, November 21, 1927

Clear, cold,

This morning I was at home mostly. About 1 P.M. I went over to May Dexter's and then some for the 56th birthday and also dinner which was whale at 1.30 P.M. I met a few of them, Alice Morgan, Virginia Seave, Miss Davis and 1 or 2 more.

This P.M. I was busy in my study most of the time I felt pretty tired.

This evening I went up to the old home and sat through the Youth Club meeting. Prof. Saunders gave a very interesting talk with excellent views on the screen of his experience at Europe. The views were very good and was an talk, notes followed.

working in a new cave.
Tuesday, November 22, 1927

Clear & cloudy, cool.

I was busy this morning at home! This is always much to do, writing letters &c.

In the early P.M. I went to Harvard Sq. and did a few rounds. I left my gold watch at Simpsons &c.

Then we went in at Boston got some tickets, and went to the Orpheum and got a certain amount of pleasure out of the varied performance. There was a splendid display of gymnastics both ♂ & ♀. One large girl twisted her body round as she lay on the stage flat, till her shoulders were flat to the floor and the buttocks were flat on the floor also. The middle of the body was completely twisted -

Wednesday, November 23, 1927

Clear, cool.

At home this I was
busy as usual.

This P.M. busy also over
my record X was back.

I also called on my
friend Mr. Spaulding who
is always bright, although
legible crippled.

Edith, his son, sent us
some beautiful roses this
morn'g from his greenhouse.

This evening, Miss S. J.
sent in the reception room
with me, over my X was
sitting, listening to
our radio. The music
was very beautiful indeed,
and I haven't yet had
my surprise of hearing
such beautiful music.

Pres. Coolidge at one time his
clear as could be - Thanksgiving
proclamation

Thanksgiving Day
Thursday, November 24, 1927

Clean and warm blue
turning to cloud & rain
cool atmosphere this
P.M. and evening
at home this P.M. & P.
I worked on my new Xmas
list; had a call from
May Dexter, and from
Cliff Spalding who
sent me roses yesterday.
We have listened to the
radio a good deal, as there
has been news & events of all
kinds. Indiana & Cornell games,
music of all kinds & songs.

This evening I went up to Mary's
to dinner. May Dexter was there.
We had a very nice meal indeed
and passed a very pleasant evening.
I showed my photos of the flood
in Shelburne and vicinity.

Miss Brown went out with her
with our Lizzie & her sister.

Friday, November 25, 1927

Rain last night and a
little this early Am-
noon -

This morning we walked to
H. W. S. and did a number
of errands - Then we went
to the Metropolitan
and sat through a long
performance - It was very
good and the place was
crowded -

Then we returned home
and the evening was spent
mainly in the Music Room
I did a great deal in my
X was bored on lists of those
to whom I send gifts of
some kind.

The Radio was going most
of the time, giving us
all sorts of music - It
is certainly a remarkable
thing -

Saturday, November 26, 1927

Faps of fences white this AM
with frost on sand, and also
frost was on the grass.
Air mild all day. Clear.

All home this AM.

This PM. I walked over to
the Herle. and saw Judge
J. R. C., Fernald & Robinson.
J. R. C. asked me to meet him
I worked a while with
him, and then we met at the
gate Anna & Mary Cushing
in Anna's car !!, one seat and
a seat outside behind it.
I was driven home.

This evening I spent some
time over my Canton. Mass
photos of 1908. Rob Rogers
wants to see them, and can
buy some for the Hist. Socie-
ty in Canton. Looked over many
of my photos of Long ago.
Reminiscents.

Sunday, November 27, 1927

Light rain through the night and part of the day. Cool and comfortable.

At home busy over Xmas cards and the like, except for a piece of the afternoon when Mr. Boisson took me to the First Church, Berkeley & Marlborough St. where I met Judge & Mrs. J. R. C. and we got good seats there and listened for an hour to a most wonderful performance of Organ music by the Organist, Wm. E. Leach. This is on Sundays 4:30 - 5:30 P.M. open to the public. It was very wonderful. There are 2 very large organs in the church at each end, and the music comes from both. This evening I held the phone to the radio loudspeaker and my Dexter at home heard very well.

Monday, November 28, 1927

Wield Sweet toward
night.

At home all day
this morning. Clark
& Bill gave my Radio
a thorough test and
found it was not right.
They sent it back to
the store and brought up
another that proved right.
I trust no more trouble
will occur - If you
finish without any un-
necessary noise.

Most of the rest of
the day we worked on
Xmas cards. There are
a very large number of
them that I want to
lessen. Of course it's a
pleasure but it is also
a great deal of work.
Xmas comes but once a year.

Tuesday, November 29, 1927

Bright, sunny and warm
wonderful weather -

This morning we worked
a good deal on Xmas
cards.

This afternoon I was
quite tired & rested.
Miss Brown cold in pro-
gressing. She is up and
has been working on Xmas
cards & my photos to-day.

This evening I walked
down to the Shakespeare
Club at Josephine Ben-
steads. Play Romeo & Juliet.
I read Friar Lawrence. After
the reading, a gentleman
stranger, whom I have seen at
our meetings occasionally
and expect to know, came to
me and said my reading was far
superior in feeling to any in the room.
Walked home with Mrs. Blackwell.

Wednesday, November 30, 1927

Clear, cloudy mild.
Wonderful weather

At home. This P.M. & P.P.M.
mainly over Xmas cards
with Miss Grooms. I couldn't
do them alone. I have some
2 cards. They are now
made out and in directed
envelopes mostly.

This evening I walked
down to R. Thaxter's to our
first Me Dine. 7 Scott St.
I got a bit wiped in the park
and stopped at Daisy Rand's
and she went with me to the
room; we had 9 members
all but Charlie Batchelder
who is in Peterborough
Thaxter, Deane Jeffries, Spelman
Townsend, Bangs, Jackson,
Kidder, Goodale. Pleasant evening.
Bangs drove some of us home.
Much stories for Townsend on his trip.

Thursday, December 1, 1927

Mild as usual.

This morning Miss
Brown & I walked to
Harvard Square and
did a number of errands
Walked home.

The rest of the day
has been busy as usual.

The radio is being
tested out and it will
certainly be a great
source of pleasure.

My Raticola 17 is ad-
mittedly the very best
in the market. Mr
Simpson (Hawley) makes a
specialty in radios and
he told me to-day that
the above is the very best
in the market. It will
be a source of much
pleasure & trust.
May it prove so -

Friday, December 2, 1927

Rained a good deal today
Clearing in evening.

At home from 7 A.M. to P.M.
busy about many things
This evening I went in to
the N.E. Bot Club alone.
Hoped to find J.R. there
but he was absent.

John M. Fogg, Jr. was in at
Mr. Herb. over his own studies
titled "Changes in the Flora
of Penikese Isl." It was
extremely interesting. He had
photos on the screen, many
sheets of plants hung up,
and he had maps.

He discussed the changes
in the Flora from earlier
times when there was a
Leprosy Colony there.

Prof. J.R. Jack gave me
humble in his car. He
lives in Watertown.

Saturday, December 3, 1927

Cool + cloudy + bracing.
 Frost colder during the day

Walked W. from Row. Square
 in the Am. Air bracing
 Rested in P.M.

Clay Weatherby came by
 7 P.M. and it was good
 to see him.

I walked with George to
 the Dramatics at Grattle
 Hall. The performance
 was a strange one with
 two autos during the play
 on the scene and a horse
 and wagon - The horse
 was composed of two men
 covered over and it was
 very cleverly done indeed.
 The plot worked rather
 heavily, but it certainly
 was very amusing. We
 did not stay long after the
 play but walked home.

Sunday, December 4, 1927

Cold, snow to start at least.
It came late P.M. + evening
Temp. this A.M. 15° .

This A.M. busy as usual
at my table.

At 12.45 P.M. I met Col.
Weatherby at Garden St and
Concord Ave. and we continued
to the Warr Union and had
a nice long talk and a very
good dinner. We walked
back to the Gray Herb. and
I met Dr. Robinson there and
staid a short time then
I walked home and lis.

Turned to the radio, and
wrote and after supper
we worked on my photos
and listened to the radio.

Chelweentbury came home
early and we had a nice
talk, radio, and photos of
flora in Shelburne, Vermont. Dr.

Monday, December 5, 1927

Cold. Am. growing very mild
and clear with beautiful
morn.

at home Am. & Ple.
working on this & that.
I enjoyed the radio
very much.

This evening, Mr. Balsara
drove us down to the Youth
Club at Charlie Batcher's
ite & this from we edge
where, I went in and
was at the Council meet-
ing. The meeting itself
was of much interest.

There were on twelve mem-
bers present, but a number
of them had made W
say about what they
had seen & experienced.

Those who can go abroad
and are very fortunate
see a great deal -
G. M. Allen, Graft, & I was not there.

Tuesday, December 6, 1927

Clear bracing; considerable snow on the ground.

This morning I was in my room as usual.

About noon, Miss Brown & I went to Harvard Sq. She went on to Boston to Holzer's and left a cover to my journals. I want a good number made for my photographs.

We met later at the "University" and sat through the entertainment, good as a whole. Then home.

At home this evening I have spent a good deal of time over the papers and, in the music room, enjoying the radio. It is a very wonderful instrument and I have the best and latest - no wires out of doors.

Wednesday, December 7, 1927

Clearing, bright sun, glorious
evening clouds, bracing,
not cold.

(Rec'd)
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OBSERVATIONS IN BOSTON

Mean barometer.....	30.25	in.
Mean temperature.....	39.0	deg.
Mean dew point.....	34.0	p.c.
Mean relative humidity.....	81.0	deg.
Maximum temperature.....	45.0	deg.
Minimum temperature.....	32.0	deg.
Maximum wind.....	(E) 10.0	mi.
Total precipitation.....	0.0	

For Dec. 7

Spent Mr. & Mrs. at home
 Ch. W. was busy at 90th St.
 We met at 6:30 P.M. and
 went to Boston. Dined
 and went to the Bot. Soc. with
 Hunt. Good audience. Very
 interesting & instructive talk
 by J. P. Chapin on "Snow &
 Lava in Equatorial regions"
 Wonderfully interesting in
 maps, views & talk. I have
 seldom, if ever, had a
 more thrilling lecture.
 We came home immedi-
 ately after the lecture and
 were (with Mrs. & Mr. W.)

Thursday, December 8, 1927

Heavy wind & rain last night continuing till about 10 A.M. Then the wind ceased and the sun came out bright and the clouds vanished and the rest of the day was perfect, air, mild & calm.
Wonderful day

At home today, busy about it's & that. Read the paper and listened to the new Radio which is certainly a wonderful instrument.

In P.M. I called on Emil & Blanch Williams and had a very pleasant time. Emil is better but not over his trouble.

This evening a call from Mr & Mrs. Baxter, next house. Pleasant. C. & W. came later and we had a good talk.

Friday, December 9, 1927

Clear, cold, windy
Mercury 4 or 5° below 32°.

At home dis. Au. This
noon Miss Brown & I walked
to Harvard Sq. to the Am.
Club, and sent some
magazines for Xmas. They
came by car.

Mary & George came down
to dinner and we had a
very pleasant time. They
staid some time after,
hearing the radio. Mary had
never heard one and it was
interesting to see her, as she
was puzzled at every move.

This evening I walked over
to the Gray Herk. and met Col.
Weatherly, Mr. Fernald. We walked
down to the Union Station opp. Hotel
Commodore for tea. Then back to the Herk.
Some of them & we worked till late. The rad-
io things I called for us by 10 P.M. & took us home
- We took B.L.R. home -

Saturday, December 10, 1927

Clear, bracing.

Busy at home this morning and part of the afternoon. I met Chas. Weatherby in the Harvard Subway at 4.36 this P.M. and we went over to the Churchills, and spent a pleasant time with the Judge & Mrs. C. While he appears well, he is not so and he has to be very careful, at present he does not go in to Boston. Miss Booth looks after that end. I don't know the name of the trouble, but his legs from below the knee are very red, and he must sleep with his feet higher than his head! I don't understand it - He appears quite well. We returned home rather late.

Sunday, December 11, 1927

Clear and cool A.M.,
turning to rain in the P.M.

This A.M. May Dexter & I
walked down to Appleton
Chapel and heard a very
fine sermon by Rev. H. E.
Fosdick. The church was
crowded. I don't think there was
an extra seat in the building.

Then May left me and I
met C. C. Weatherby at the
Harvard Union, where we had
a good dinner & talk.

We then walked to Gray
Herbarium. Building empty.
I got started in cataloguing
books for the library of the
W. E. B. C. till late P.M.

Then we walked home under
umbrellas as it was raining.
We had supper at home
and after some radio, Weatherby
went over a lot of my Vaccinium.

Monday, December 12, 1927

Very mild, clear, calm

This morning I walked
to Harvard Square and did
some errands. Returned in
the electric

We then passed quietly
in the latter part of the
P.M. I walked over to the
Gray Herbarium and worked
on cataloguing the books that
have come in for the
N.E.B.C.

Weather so I walked down
to the Club room at the
junction of Concord Ave & Gas-
den St. and had supper
Then we walked back
and worked in the Club
Herbarium till after 10 P.M.
Walked home. The sky
was clear and the air
was most bracing
Wonderful weather

Tuesday, December 13, 1927

Rainy, warm.

At home A.M. & P.M.

This evening May Dexter & I drove with Mr. & Mrs. Hayes to the Shakespeare Circle & the Faculty Club, Harvard Business School, where we were entertained by Prof. & Mrs. W^m Morse Cole. I went over the blog, which was very perfect & attractive in every way. We had about 27 members present. The play was Julius Caesar, extremely cut. It was pleasant to see Prof. C. E. Fay whom we don't see often. He read Anthony very acceptably.

Everything about the blog was very attractive. The pictures on the walls were effective and I only wish I had more time to see them all. But we did not end our reading till after 10 o'clock and then came supper in a very attractive room down stairs. We drove home as we came.

Mr Weatherby came back from
the Gray Peak about 2:30 ~~am~~ ^{pm}
Wednesday, December 14, 1927

Clear calm tracing
Monday night day.

at home & Mr. P. M.
busy as usual, and I
got I am to use the
Radio too -

This evening came my
the Dine. I will say it was
a real success and I said.
Everybody was with talk-
ing, and we had ^{had} a good
time. The ~~meeting~~ ^{meeting}
spent in the past in
conversations till quite late.

Present R. Taylor, W. B. B. B.
W. A. L. L. L., H. L. S. S. S.,
(W. J. J. J., J. J. J. J.)
C. F. F. F., J. L. L. L.,
J. L. L. L. (J. L. L. L.
was absent). Everybody was very
communicative. We did not break
up ^{til} about 10:45.

I am ready for bed;

Weatherby left for home this P.M.
Thursday, December 15, 1927

Clear, bracing.

At home to-day. This morning I was busy reading etc.

Mr. Weatherby came back from the Heide. and took dinner with us at about 1. P.M. I was glad to see him for a while - We went over a number of my Vacciniums. Then he left us for Boston to take the train to work. I'm hoping him so much - He will come back before long.

I have been reading in the music room this P.M. - Schubert's, and enjoying the radio which is a very wonderful addition to the house. Among other music this evening I heard some operatic singing followed by copious applause.

All Xmas cards outside of mass. will
go to-morrow

Friday, December 16, 1927.

Finished "Undiscovered France" A.E.W.

Rainy, chilly -

At home to-day - I have
been busy over Xmas
presents with the help
of Miss Brown. But as
otherwise I could not
untangle the string
away so many cards and
gifts. The majority of
them, is the cards, over
250.

I have enjoyed some
very nice music over the
radio, especially the
U.S. Marine Band
which was as clear &
loud if on the street
close by - There was a
fine sermon at Kings Chapel
with beautiful singing -

I have given up well time, to-
day, to the radio, great success.
We have worked on Xmas -

Saturday, December 17, 1927

Clear with some clouds
calm, bracing -

After some work at home, we
went to Harry's, I walking,
and got a good many gifts
at the A. S. Corp. etc.
mainly books which I should
like to read myself.

Then we went to Boston
and after a lunch we went
over considerable ground
to look at the store win-
dows with their truly mar-
velous displays which I
must see more of. We had
some lunch and then went
to the Coliseum where was
an admirable performance
and also exhibitions of strength
and skill. Home again
evening, with the radio
and work on presents,
doing them up etc

Stearns, Chickadee, Downy
Woodpecker + Brown Creeper just
outside Sunday, December 18, 1927 of
Charles Ford's house -

Clear, calm, bracing.
Mercury round 32°.

Worked at home this
morning

At 12:30 P.M., Charles &
Effie called for me in
their car, and we drove
over to their house in Newton.
It was a delightful drive.

I took dinner with
them and staid well into
the afternoon. The radio
and victrola absorbed a
very large part of our time.
We had wonderful music.
The latter is in a large cabinet
net and the music is very
wonderful. Effie showed me
photos of all the family whom
I hope to see Xmas time.
Mr. & Mrs. [unclear] called and
were an addition. [unclear] drove
me home. Then radio, &c, &c.

Monday, December 19, 1927

Clear calm, cold
- Below freezing -

Xmas work in the spare time.
This P.M., I walked to the
Harvard Trust and met
Philip O. Allen, an officer, went
over my acct. to straighten a point.
Then walked home.

Later I went by electric to
visit Ethel to a Com. meeting,
a most interesting dinner, with
10 at the table, and then
came the N. O. C. meeting
of 29 members & guests.

Planned meeting.
George, Harry Spelman & I
walked home. The air
was breezy -

I found Miss Brown and
Ruth busy, at work over putting
greens over the lower story.
There is much work for
Xmas -

Tuesday, December 20, 1927

Clear & cloudy, mercury
in the Am. 6 or 7° below 32°.

This morning Miss B. & I
went in to The State House
and came away with two
copies of Foxbush's Vol. 2.
Birds of Mass & vicinity - #12.
We then went up to Live-
mont St & Mass. Ave. and
got tickets at the Fenway
where, after a good lunch,
we saw "The Harvester" a very
beautiful play.

Before going to Harvard
we put some books into the
P. O. (Xmas gifts) and the corner of
Nurse and Conover's

We have done a very ^{work} much
on the Christmas gifts and
I could have done really
nothing without the able
help of Miss Brown who
is a wonder in this work.

Wednesday, December 21, 1927

Clear mild calm

Miss B. & I walked to Harv.
by way of the Univ. visited the
Harv. Coifs. & Harv. Trust.

Then we went to Boston
and did a lot of visiting
at the large stores where the
great displays are. I never saw
so nice brilliant display in Boston.
We visited Houghton & Dutton,
Shepard & Powell, Jordan & Marsh,
Hovey, Filene, R. K. White,
and we stood some time at Git-
christ window and saw the re-
markable moving scene of
an old man at his table, with
white hair and fine features,
moving his head and arms in
a very natural manner, before
a group of boys. Then home
his children, May, Dexter & Geo,
came down and enjoyed my
radio for a good while →

Thursday, December 22, 1927

Clear & calm, mild.

Went to the library room & I
walked down to the Square.
This morning on Xmas week
then we went to Boston
and went about 7 - good
deal seeing sights. At
R. H. White's we heard some
carols beautifully sung
by a choir of girls and
boys belonging to the firm.
We got home in the early
evening and I was pretty
tired.

After supper we sat
for some time in the
music room and lis-
tened to the various pro-
ductions on the radio.
The Christmas carols, etc.
were very good. It is a
wonderful thing to
radio. Worked late on Xmas

We heard Arthur Loveridge on Capturing Spitting Coins
Blaine - Boston Soc
nat - Hist -
series

Friday, December 23, 1927

Clear calm bracing.

I have been at home all day busy over my Christmas cards. They are very numerous. I have already 148 cards and I have a job to check up carefully. It's very interesting. Recording all my cards and other gifts in my book is a job that requires care. The air is full of glacies in and that does not improve the ratio which fluctuates more or less. It can't be helped -

with Miss Brown's cash help my presents are practically all distributed.

May Christmas Day be an ideal one - So much depends on that. I shall either rain, snow, hail or sun.

Saturday, December 24, 1927

Cool, sharp, turning cold
with wind at night.

Spent the morning opening
and reading Xmas cards.
George called this morning.
We opened our Xmas gifts
a little later.

This afternoon I went up
to Mary's (3 P.M.) and she
came down with me and
May Dexter came too -
we had tea at 4 P.M. and
at 4.30 we heard Prof.
Copeland give his first
broadcasting recital of
Heavenly & portion of Dickens's
Christmas Carol.

Mary staid to supper. She
enjoyed the carrots till I
walked home with her.

Miss Brown & I then arranged the
Xmas cards and then heard Xmas
carols till 1 A.M. Wonderful!

~ Christmas ~

Sunday, December 25, 1927

Clear, calm, bracing
34° at 6 P.M.

This morning, I heard ser-
vices over the Radio where you get
the very best. Mr & Mrs. Balsor &
C Evelyn & her son, called about
12 M and we drove to the various
relations, Riverside, Milton & to
Deliver presents. "It was clear and
bracing and the drive was good -
Returned about 3 P.M.

many beautiful places along the way

Dinner of turkey, soup &c. I sat
with many a while this morning.
"Go, kids, gone away"

May Dexter called this P.M.
for a while ~

Then at 6.30 the Balsors
called again and we drove
round for 1 1/2 hrs to see the
Xmas illuminations. We
went through Belmont, Waterbury
Waltham, Cambridge and it was
very fine indeed

Later at home, we enjoyed the radio

Sun, mild, calm.

Monday, December 26, 1927

— Wonderful day —

This morning Mr. Balson called
in his car and took me to drive.
Our course was Cambridge, Somerville,
Concord, ^{inspected the new} 700 car, Chelsea
Beach (waves dashing and breaking
even on to the street) Beachmont
(big vessels sailing far out) Win-
throp, Pt. Shirley (we looked across the
gulf to the prison on Deer Isl.), & Boston
meadows, W. Somerville, Cambridge.

At home I found Mr. Stantial,
Helen, Agnes & Eileen Hopt. Taylor.
Short but nice time.

Then I hurried over to Mary Dexter's
(1:30 P.M.) to dinner. Geo. & Mary
were there. Pleasant time.
Distribution of presents after dinner.

Evening at home. Tired.
Miss Brown dined with her
relatives on Mt Auburn St. Mrs.
Balson took her to Mt. Auburn to put flowers
on Ursula's grave.

Strenuous but very interesting
day throughout.

Tuesday, December 27, 1927

Clear, calm, bracing.

This morning I called on Miss
Talmer at the Emersons.

Anna Churchill asked me to
show her my home.
She is English and I thought we
could show her my home.
Anna came to see them went off
then, worked on cards.

When I was in Miss Brown's
walked to Harw. Sq., did some
errands and then went to
the library, read and sat
through a very interesting
program which, then we
came home and for a
while enjoyed the radio.

This evening I have been
writing letters and I
shall have many more to
write.

I fear I am far from well
and I am very anxious.
The people in spirit however.

See May 20 -

Wednesday, December 28, 1927

Clear, calm, mild. 47° at 1. P.M.

I have read a good 200 Xmas cards -

Acts and Xmas work this afternoon

At 1:30 P.M. Mr. Balser & Mrs. Gould called in the car, and Miss B. & I joined them. We drove through Canton, Stoughton, Easton, W. Springfield, Springfield, Middleboro, S. Middleboro, We went to Lakeville Sanatorium in Southern to see Mrs. Geo. Gould. It is devoted entirely to tuberculosis of the lung and belongs to the State. She is niece to Miss Brown. I saw her for a short time. She is in bed and there are two rows of beds in this room, all occupied. It was a touching sight. Mr. B. & I walked a little on the grounds, well kept. Then we started back at 4 P.M. after a $\frac{1}{2}$ hr. stay. At Easton we stopped at the Dutch Farm (See May 20) and had a fine lunch - Dutch pie! Then on to Dorchester where we called on J.R.C. & Mary Curhing. Surprise! stayed a very short time. J.R.C.'s trouble is in the legs mainly. Then home 46 miles at 7 P.M. It was a lovely drive and it did me much good -

Mercury 49°, 11:15 A.M.

Thursday, December 29, 1927

Light rain during a part of today. Air mild

This morning Miss Brown & I walked over to the Gray Herbarium to deliver a package of plants that I brought home last evening from J.R.C. for the Herb. I saw Dr. Robinson & Mr. Fernald -

Then we walked down to the ward sq. for a visit to the P.C. and the Harvard Trust - then we returned home by the electric -

The P.M. was spent at home writing letters to friends who sent greetings for Xmas. It is pleasant work -

This evening we enjoyed the radio. Among other pieces we read the 2^d Act of Ibsen - and a description -
It was radioed from Chicago. To bed rather late -

42°, 8:45 AM.

Friday, December 30, 1927

Went to see a movie, called...

This first walked over to Miss
Enclush's and got a copy "Caesar",
Cicero's by the name of...

Wrote letters and then we went
to the Arena (Skating Rink) Boston, and met
Mrs. Stantial. Hello to my mother & her family.

Love to all the family, the skaters,
then we were, Mrs. S., Miss B. & I went to

the skating rink. All together

we had a very good time and a very

pleasant one. We had a very good

time and had a very good time. The

music was very good and the

dancing was very good and the

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43° - 9-15th Am

48° - 11-10 "

Saturday, December 31, 1927

Trick, very dim foggy - Calm.
Light rain in Stevens

This, Am. we went into Boston
on business of Xmas. I changed
of R's book in Trader Horn,
Graft candy at Page & Shaw and
went to C. C. & family & wife Home

Rest in the sofa till 5:30. Then
went into his room & then
went to his room on business.

The night was a beautiful light
snow & returning to get
the illuminations in
windows and on evergreens
on lawns. When there were
brilliant of many illuminations
lights - We got home by 10:30.

Had a glass of champagne at the party.
Then was with the music
and singing, much of it Scotch
at the table. The party was
good and the wine brought the
bonheur. It was a

Memoranda

**QUIT FIGHT TO
SAVE HEATH HEN**

Box on Herald, Apr. 9, 1927.

N. E. Bird Clubs Withdraw
Their Warden from Mar-
tha's Vineyard

**13 BIRDS FOUND
IN CENSUS COUNT**

[Special Dispatch to The Herald]

VINEYARD HAVEN, April 8—
The federation of New England
bird clubs has withdrawn its private
warden from Martha's Vineyard,
where for the past two years he has
been aiding the state in its fight to
save the heath hen.

This action, together with the an-
nouncement by Dr. Alfred O. Gross of
Bowdoin College, that he could only
account for 13 birds in his annual cen-
sus last week, brings the belief that
the federation has abandoned its pro-
tection of the unique bird.

Memoranda

STATE SENDS NEW MAN

For the last few days rumors have spread over the island that the state was to follow the lead of the federation and withdraw its warden here, but instead word came today that the division of fisheries and game would send another man to the island to take the place of the one removed by the federation.

"It is apparent," says Dr. Gross in his report, "that thus far our hopes of greatly increasing the number of heathens have not been realized. To the contrary, from a review of my records and a consideration of the conditions under which the counts were made for the past few years, I am inclined to believe that there has been a steady decrease since the count of 54 birds made in 1924."

Several statements already have been made in an attempt to discredit Dr. Gross, and in these evidence of friction between members of the federation of bird clubs and the state department is shown. Warden Edward F. McLeod, who has represented the state federation here, declares that the birds are increasing in numbers. In this he is supported by Clyde MacNeill, president of the Martha's Vineyard Rod and Gun Club.

On the other hand, Allan Kenniston, the state warden on the reservation, declared before Dr. Gross made his census that he did not believe there were more than 20 birds on the island. He has been in charge here for the last nine years, and no criticism of his work has been offered.

Feeling on the island is at a high pitch. Residents wish to see the protection of the birds go on. They are fearful that eventually the state will give up the fight. Many believe that a drive is on foot to kill the remaining birds for museum collections.

THE EVENING STAR,

THURSDAY, APRIL 7, 1927.

WASHINGTON, D. C.,

ERWIN F. SMITH DIES AT HIS HOME

Noted Career of Plant Scientist Closes—Work Aided Cancer Research.

Erwin F. Smith, 73 years old, who was in charge of the laboratory of plant pathology in the Bureau of Plant Industry, Department of Agriculture, and who was nationally known for his work in connection with the science of plant bacteriology, died in his home, 1474 Belmont street, last night. Death was due to complications following a stroke of paralysis Tuesday.

It was through his work on "crown gall" of plants, or "plant cancer," that many important discoveries were made in connection with the treatment of human cancer. One of the Mayo brothers, famous surgeons of Rochester, Minn., is quoted as having said that "Mr. Smith had done more for the elucidation of the cancer problem than any other man."

Scientist as Boy.

Recognized today as a leader in the branch of science to which he has devoted nearly all of his life, a member of numerous scientific organizations and a contributor to many scientific periodicals, Mr. Smith's passion for scientific research was manifest even in his boyhood days.

Born at Gilbert's Mills, N. Y., Mr. Smith first showed his great interest in plants while minding cows in a pasture. He marked plants during the day and at night went back and got them to study. Later he worked his way through high school and college. In order that his employment would not interfere with studying, he accepted a position as night watchman and guard at the Michigan State Prison.

Not discouraged over not graduating from high school until he was about 26 years old, he entered the University of Michigan and was awarded a B. S. degree in biology in 1886, and Sc. D. degree at the same institution three years later, and a Sc. D. degree from the University of Wisconsin in 1914. He also received an Ll. D. degree from the University of Michigan in 1922.

Studied Plant Disease.

Mr. Smith was employed as an expert pathologist in the Department of Agriculture in 1889, from which he rose to the position he held at the time of his death.

While in the laboratory of plant pathology, he published numerous articles and research papers on diseases of bulbs, other florists' plants and numerous vegetables. Outstanding among these was a three-volume quarto monograph on bacterial diseases of plants for the Carnegie Institution of Washington.

Besides his vast work in connection with scientific research, he also translated all the sonnets of Heredia into rhymed English verse. He read articles in six or more different languages and was the joint author with Miss Florence Hedges of the translation, "Pasteur: The History of a Mind."

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CASH ACCOUNT. JANUARY.

Date.	Charities	Received.	Paid.
Jan. 13	Children's & Infants Hospital & Pacific Furniture Co	}	— 75
" "	Expenditure of Cuts, at Hortl. Hall for Infants Hosp	}	1.00
" 17	Infants Hospital, Boston	}	2.00
" 20	Camb. City Employees	}	1.00
Mar. 1	Bost. Soc. Care of Girls (bill)	}	1.00
" 3	Camb. Visiting Nurses Assoc ^{ch} 2063	}	2.00
" "	Camb. Hospital League 2064	}	1.00
" "	Soc. Prot. N. H. Friends 2065	}	1.00
" 9	Salvation Army. 2071	}	2.00
" 17	Horn Fund Comm ^{ce} non-Charitable 2075	}	1.00
" 18	Letter Carriers Remun for sick 2076	bill	1.00
" 24	Wild Hope Convention Waltham Mt Found } 2070	bill	2.00
			19 75

CASH ACCOUNT JANUARY

brought over 19.75

Date		Received	Paid
Mar. 25	Rainey Memorial Fund	2022	2 00
" 28	Maryland Falls Home	2083	2 00
Apr 5	Gray Herbarium	2107	12 00
			0 00
May 3	W. E. Wild Fl. Pres.	2132	1 00
" 9	New Orleans Relief Cash		1 00
Apr 29	New Orleans Relief bill.		1 00
May 4	New Inf. Gravelton	2135	2 00
" 14	New Orleans Relief bill.		1 00
	later	"	2 00
" 20	Mans and Soc	2159	3 00
" 23	Episc. City Mission	2161	1 00
July 23	Comb. Homes for aged People	2218	2 00
Sept 12	Rosemount B ^d Society	2235	2 00
			<u>71 75</u>

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CASH ACCOUNT.

FEBRUARY: 71.75

Date.		Received.	Paid.
Oct. 3	Camb. Welfare Union	cash 2249	2 00
" 5	Playground + R. G. Am	2257	3 00
" 17	Spang, (Mentor's Guild)	2268	2 00
" 25	W. C. A.	cash	2 00
" 26	Camb. Girl Scouts	"	1 00
Nov: 12	" Nurs. for Children	2295	1 00
" "	Amer. Red Cross (7/1000)	2274	5 00
" "	Boat. Soc (see girls)	2246	1 00
	41 West Vernon St. Boston		
" 12	Box for Miss Lipe	2277	2 00
	Reserve Fund		
" 12	Salvation Army	2278	2 00
" "	Camb. Anti-Tuberc. Assn.	2297	2 00
" "	Mass. War Memorial	2300	5 00
" 25	Soc. Procs. Franconia	2306	2 00
	Notch		
" 28	W. E. Fulton St. pt. Man	2309	25 00
" "	Camb. Hosp.!	2310	70 00
" "	Mass. Society Assn.	2313	2 00
	Total		198 75

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- Deaths -
CASH ACCOUNT. MARCH.

Date.

Paid.

HORSFORD—At Cambridge, Jan. 19, Mary Katherine Horsford, daughter of the late Professor E. N. Horsford and Mary L'Hommedieu Gardiner of Shelter Island, in her 77th year. Notice of funeral later.

DEATH OF MISS M. K. HORSFORD

Daughter of Late Professor E. N. Horsford, and Home Was at 27 Craigie Street, Cambridge

Following an illness of about a month Miss Mary Katherine Horsford died last night at her home, 27 Craigie street Cambridge, in her seventy-seventh year. She was the daughter of the late E. N. Horsford, Rumford professor of chemistry in the Lawrence Scientific School and her mother was Mary L'Hommedieu (Gardiner) Horsford. She was a native of Cambridge and had always been interested in nearly everything that pertained to the welfare of her home city and she was a generous contributor to the various philanthropies. She was a member of the First Church in Cambridge. Miss Horsford is survived by two sisters Miss Cornelia F. Horsford who lives at the Craigie street address, and Mrs. William G. Farlow, living at 24 Quincy street, Cambridge.

Miss Horsford was a member of the Society of Colonial Dames and the Chilton Club of this city; and the Hugueno Society and the Colonial Lords of Mansors, both of New York. She was a member of the board of trustees of the Gray Herbarium in Cambridge. Miss Horsford was in the habit of going each season to Shelter Island, N. Y., where the sisters had a summer home.

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FRIDAY, JANUARY 21, 1927

HORSFORD—At Cambridge, Jan. 18, Mary Katherine Horsford, daughter of the late Professor L. N. Horsford and Mary L'Hommedieu Gardiner of Shelter Island, in her 77th year. Funeral from her home, 27 Craigie street, Cambridge, at 2.30 P. M., Friday, Jan. 21.

RELATIVES ARE PALLBEARERS**Funeral Services for Miss Mary Katherine
Horsford Are Held in Cambridge**

Eight relatives served as pallbearers at the funeral of Miss Mary Katherine Horsford, held at her home, 27 Craigie street, Cambridge, this afternoon, with Rev. Raymond Calkins, D. D., pastor of the Shepard Memorial Church, officiating. The Beethoven Quartette sang "The King of Love My Shepherd Is" and "Ten Thousand Times Ten Thousand."

The pallbearers were Augustus Fiske of Providence and his two sons, Andrew and Eben Fiske; Gardiner Fiske, Harold Willis, Gouverneur Morris Phelps of New York and his son, Gouverneur Morris Phelps, Jr., and Dr. Frederick Prime of New York. Burial was in the family lot in Mount Auburn Cemetery.

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MONDAY, JAN. 24, 1927

FERNALD—At Cambridge, Jan. 23, Mary Fernald, daughter of Merritt Lyndon and Margaret Howard (Grant) Fernald, in her 17th year. Services at St. John's Memorial Chapel, Cambridge, on Tuesday, Jan. 25, at 2 P. M. (Providence papers please copy.)

After Eight Hours at Zero, Mercury Starts Upward—Reaches 25 at 3 P. M.

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THE TEMPERATURE

Jan. 27/27.

	Wednes- day	Today
1 A.M.	32	0
2 A.M.	32	0
3 A.M.	31	0
4 A.M.	32	0
5 A.M.	30	0
6 A.M.	24	1
7 A.M.	20	3
8 A.M.	15	4
9 A.M.	12	6
10 A.M.	11	8
11 A.M.	10	14
12 noon	8	18
1 P.M.	7	22
2 P.M.	6	24
3 P.M.	6	25
4 P.M.	5	..
5 P.M.	4	..
6 P.M.	3	..
7 P.M.	2	..
8 P.M.	2	..
9 P.M.	1	..
10 P.M.	0	..
11 P.M.	0	..
12 midnight	0	..

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MISS ALICE WETHERBEE

Is of the efficient group arranging the lecture which Arthur C. Pillsbury will give on flower and plant life in Yosemite Park. The affair takes place in Jordan hall next Wednesday afternoon in aid of Lincoln Neighborhood House.

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At the Spitzer's shed
 I saw living specimens of
 Moose, Brown Bear &
 Beaver, Fisher Cat, Mustelid +
 Coon, Wild Otter Bob Cat,
 (W) Puma a Panther, then
 called by many names, Red Fox,
 Black Bear, Partridge,
 Snowy Owl (var. many),
 Wild Goose, Bald Eagle,
 Golden Oriole, Phalarope,
 Canada Jay, Alpine
 Goat, Sable, mink, Black
 moose? + other mammals
 Ermine, Horned Owl, Barn
 Owl, fine variety of birds,
 + 2 Wolves (3 timber) + 3
 Prairie Wolves.
 Wonderful display of
 mounted birds + mammals
 from the West -
 Constant moving pictures
 here + there of scenes in

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A fine display of the
 world in the domains of
 the Quilt.

Wonderful picture of the
 great red sunsets with
 a morning light showing
 approaching the even and
 returning light.

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VENUS HIDDEN BEHIND CLOUDS

Meets Jupiter Second Time
as Many Here Are

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7th 25th Disappointed *Jan. 6.*
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A dark bank of clouds spread over the southwestern skies last night and hid from public view the second meeting in two nights of Venus and Jupiter, brightest of all the planets. Friday evening there was a brilliant spectacle when the two planets were in approximate stellar conjunction, and appeared almost as twins. Hundreds were disappointed at sunset last night because of the gray mass of clouds.

For those disappointed, however, a spectacle just as brilliant in the skies awaits them next Sunday. This time Jupiter will have acquired another companion temporarily. Even greater interest will be centered on the conjunction of these two planets, as Mercury pays a much closer call than Venus. This time Mercury will be only eight minutes of an arc (a distance of one-quarter of the moon's diameter), south of Jupiter.

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If the sky is clear this visit will present a unique opportunity of seeing Mercury, smallest of the planets and one of the least known, not to mention the most difficult and most elusive. Their visit lasts only a few hours and then Mercury will be on his way again. Mercury, to the naked eye, is never seen as a general thing except when it is very dark.

On Feb. 24 there will be still another phenomenon, perhaps less spectacular than the other two, but none the less worth seeing. By this part of February Jupiter will have disappeared in the sun's rays and Mercury will still be fighting its hopeless and mysterious battle to keep ahead of the Sun.

Venus, on the other hand, stands high in the sky. Apparently she is alone, but on the evening of Feb. 24 she will have company—Uranus, one of the outer and slower members of the solar system.

Uranus is invisible to the naked eye, and usually of course is a difficult object to find. On this evening, however, it will be easy, although field glasses or a telescope will be needed. Simply turn these on Venus and watch for a faint star slightly to the right and above it.

This little faint spot of light will be Uranus, the first addition to the solar system since the ancients. It was discovered in 1781 by the astronomer, William Herschel. Since then we have learned that its distance from the sun is almost 20 times greater than ours. Being so far away, Uranus does not feel the sun's pull as strongly as we do. Partly for this reason it is a very lazy little planet and takes 84 years to make one complete turn around the sun.

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AMERICA'S BIGGEST BOBCAT

Bost. Trav. — Feb. 11, 1927.

**Boston Society of Natural History Has
Skin of Wildcat Larger Than Any
Known Heretofore**

Probably the largest bobcat on record was shot in northern New Hampshire on Jan. 15, by Austin H. Scott, a registered guide of Pittsburg, N. H. Having heard the Wednesday evening broadcasts by Thornton W. Burgess and members of the Boston Museum of Natural History staff, Mr. Scott wrote to Mr. Burgess, with the result that the museum has obtained the skin and skull.

Mr. Scott said the wildcat when taken was too heavy for fifty-pound steelyards, and he estimated its weight at between fifty-five and sixty pounds. The record bobcat for North America weighed less than forty pounds, according to Ernest Thompson Seton in his recent book on game animals. The heaviest heretofore at the Boston Museum weighed twenty-eight pounds.

The skull of this bobcat is nearly an inch longer than any other now at the museum, according to Dr. Francis Harper, and its dry skin is fifty-one and three-sixteenths inches long, as measured from the tip of the nose to the end of the last tall vertebra. In life, it would be forty-eight inches long. Hung beside the tanned skin of another adult specimen, it was fully a foot longer.

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It was found rather far north in New England for bobcats, but it is known that they have been spreading northward in the wake of lumbering and other operations that open up the woods. The bobcat prefers open country to forest. It feeds on rabbits, chiefly, and is not considered dangerous to man. The only case known of a bobcat jumping on a man was in Georgia, where a *Lynx rufus floridanus* clawed a hunter sitting in a blind, waiting for wild turkeys. It is possible the bobcat did not realize it was a man, scenting only the turkey. They will eat deer killed by men, but are not known to kill deer, after the manner of the cougar, a feline more than twice as heavy.

There is no reason to suppose this is a stray specimen of the "giant bobcat" (*Lynx rufus zigas*) which inhabits Nova Scotia, because that sub-species is not much larger than our own, notwithstanding its name.

The bobcat or wildcat is bay in color and is to be distinguished from the Canada lynx or lucivee, which is gray, and which averages not quite so large. The bobcat (*Lynx rufus*) has subspecies all over the United States, Mexico to the tropics, and in parts of British Columbia and Nova Scotia, though not in New Brunswick. The *Lynx canadensis* is found over most of Canada and in the northern border States of this country. The two species are seldom found in the same place.

MONDAY, FEB. 14, 1927

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BROOKS ADAMS, LAST OF FAMILY, DIES IN BOSTON

Descendant of 2 Presidents
—Had Been Confined
to Bed for Year

BACKED INITIATIVE AND REFERENDUM

Was Recognized Authority
on International Law—
Son of C. F. Adams

Brooks Adams of Quincy and Boston, great-grandson of John Adams, second President of the United States, the grandson of President John Quincy Adams, and the last of the sons of Charles Francis Adams, United States minister to England during the civil war, died yesterday morning at his winter home, 33 Chestnut street, this city.

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Author, lecturer, lawyer and student of economics and history, he was a distinguished son of one of America's most distinguished families, and through a long life upheld with dignity the name of that family. He was 78 years old.

CONFINED TO BED FOR YEAR

His death followed a long illness. Early in 1925 he went to Europe in hope of regaining his strength. For a year following his return, he was confined to his bed at the Adams homestead at 135 Adams street, Quincy, with the exception of two months at the Quincy Hospital, where his case puzzled the physicians. About four months ago he was brought to his winter home in this city. A month later his wife died, and since then he gradually grew weaker.

Funeral services will be held at the First Parish Unitarian Church, Quincy, tomorrow at 2:30 o'clock, and the Rev. Fred Alban Well, minister of the church, will officiate.

Brooks Adams was born in Quincy on June 24, 1848, son of Charles Francis and Abigail Brown (Brooks) Adams, and spent his youth there. In 1870 he was graduated from Harvard with the degree of bachelor of arts. After a year at the Harvard law school he went to Geneva as secretary to his father, who was then serving as arbitrator on the Alabama claims under the treaty of Washington.

INTERNATIONAL LAW EXPERT

Mr. Adams was admitted to the Massachusetts bar in 1873 and practiced law in Boston until 1881, when he turned his attention to writing and lecturing. He was a lecturer at the Boston University law school from 1904 to 1911; was regarded as an authority

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on international law, and had a law office at 54 State street until his death.

On Sept. 7, 1889, he married Evelyn Davis, daughter of Rear Admiral Charles Henry Davis and sister of the wife of the late United States Senator Henry Cabot Lodge. In 1898 he was frequently mentioned as a possible Democratic candidate for Governor. In 1914, during the world war, he and his wife were visiting in Europe and their friends were anxious regarding their whereabouts, but they returned safely, after a two months' trip.

Mr. Adams's home was the old Presidential manse on Adams street, Quincy, which was bought after the revolutionary war by his great-grandfather, President John Adams, who died there on July 4, 1826. John Quincy Adams also lived in the house many years.

Brooks Adams was a member of the Massachusetts Historical Society, the National Institute of Arts and Letters and other societies of learning. His writings include "The Emancipation of Massachusetts," "The Law of Civilization and Decay," "America's Economic

Supremacy," "The New Empire," two chapters in "Centralization and the Law," "Railways as Public Agents," "The Theory of Social Revolutions," "Emancipation of Massachusetts—the Dream and the Reality," and numerous articles and addresses.

He was a delegate to the Massachusetts state constitutional convention in 1917, where he was a strong advocate of the initiative and referendum.

One of his last public appearances was in the chapel of the First Parish Church in Quincy several years ago, when he made an address on "The Laird Rams." Students of civil war history came from many parts of the country to hear this intimate discussion of the crisis which almost brought on a third war between the United States and Great Britain. Mr. Adams was able to disclose many intimate details of the affair through knowledge gained from his father, who was minister to Great Britain at the time.

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ADAMS—In this city, Feb 13, at his home, 33 Chestnut st. Brooks Adams, in his 70th year. Funeral services at the First Parish Church, Quincy, on Tuesday, Feb 15, at 2:30 P M.

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**FOURTH INTERNATIONAL
SONG CONTEST**

SYMPHONY HALL

February 22, 1927, 3 P.M.

Seven nationalities competing
Prizes awarded by the Governor

SPANISH DANCES TABLEAUX

Tickets \$2.20, \$1.65, \$1.10 and 50 cents

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Courtenay Guild of Boston, president of the Apollo Club since 1904; president of the Handel and Haydn Society since 1915; president of the Harvard Musical Association since 1921.

(MAGNET)

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Date. It relates to the two ^{receptions} ~~receptions~~
of Father & Mother

" Charles Deane

This miniature is the original on
ivory. It represents my father Charles
Deane, at about 23 years of age.
Father was born Nov. 10, 1813

" died Nov. 13, 1889

The frame was presented me by my
brother Charles -
Mary H. Deane.

Helen W. Deane

This miniature is a copy of
the original on ivory -
This is a colored photograph painted
by Miss Elsie Pulcher of Chicago,
Dec. 1905, and represents my
mother, Helen W. Deane, at
about 18 years of age. We do not
know the artist of the "original"
miniature, which is owned by
Chas. S. Deane

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Mother was born March 6, 1819

" " died April 23, 1897.

This beautiful copy was given me by my brother Charles".

Mary W. Deane

Charles Deane

This miniature is a copy of the original on which it represents my father Charles Deane at about 23 yrs of age -

Helen W. Deane

This copy in miniature is from the original -

This relates to my two copies. W. Deane

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MONDAY, MARCH 7, 1927

DEXTER—At Cambridge, on Sunday, March 6, Lucy Waterston Dexter, in her 85th year, widow of George Dexter, and daughter of the late Charles and Helen W. Deane. Services at Christ Church, Cambridge, Wednesday, March 9, at 10 o'clock.

MRS. LUCY W. DEXTER DEAD

**Native of Boston, Resident of Cambridge
and Had Been Abroad Thirty Times**

Mrs. Lucy Waterston Dexter died at her home, 76 Sparks street, Cambridge, on Sunday, in her eighty-fifth year. She was born in Edinborough street, Boston, on May 22, 1842, and was the oldest of the six children of Charles and Helen (Waterston) Deane. When quite young her parents moved to Cambridge, and at the age of thirteen she became a pupil of the well known school of Professor Agassiz.

Later, her father built a residence at 80 Sparks street and from that house on Sept. 17, 1868, she was married to George Dexter of Cincinnati, O., and they made their home in Cambridge. Mrs. Dexter had five children, four daughters and one son, of whom the son and two daughters died in infancy.

After Mr Dexter's death in Santa Barbara, Calif., in 1883, whither he had gone for his health, Mrs Dexter and her two daughters lived in Cambridge making frequent trips to Europe. Mrs. Dexter travelled extensively in her younger days and had been to Europe thirty times.

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The eldest daughter, Helen Ruthven, married Richard Faber of Funchal, Madelra, and died in London in 1919. Mrs. Dexter is survived by a sister, Mary H. Deane of Cambridge, and four brothers, Charles E. Deane and Ruthven Deane of Chicago, and Walter Deane and George C. Deane of Cambridge; and by her daughter, Mary Deane Dexter who resides at the home at 76 Sparks street. Ever since her marriage, Mrs. Dexter had been a parishioner of Christ Church, Cambridge.

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9, 1927

MRS. LUCY W. DEXTER BURIED

Funeral of Widow of George Dexter Is Held in Christ Church, Cambridge

Services for Mrs. Lucy Waterston Dexter, widow of George Dexter, were held this morning in Christ Episcopal Church, Cambridge, the rector, Rev. Prescott Everts officiating. Mrs. Dexter died Sunday in her eighty-fifth year.

Under the direction of Richard Wingate three hymns were sung: "Ten Thousand Times Ten Thousand," "Jesus, Lover of My Soul" and "For All the Saints." Burial was at Mount Auburn.

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~~SUMMARY OF CASH ACCOUNT.~~

TUESDAY, MARCH 8, 1927

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DODGE—At Belmont, suddenly, March 7, Frederic Dodge, in his 80th year. Funeral services at the Belmont Unitarian Church, Thursday, March 10, at 2.30 P. M. Relatives and friends invited. Please do not send flowers. Burial private.

RETIRED JUSTICE DEAD

Judge Frederic Dodge of Belmont, Harvard '67, Was Appointed to U. S. Circuit Court by President Taft

Judge Frederic Dodge of 81 Clark road, Belmont, retired justice of the United States Circuit Court, died Monday of apoplexy at the age of seventy-nine years. Born in Cambridge in 1847, Judge Dodge was graduated from Harvard in 1867, and two years later was admitted to the Massachusetts bar, practicing for thirty-five years as a lawyer in Boston. In 1905 he was appointed by President Roosevelt to the United States District Court, and in 1912 President Taft appointed him to the United States Circuit Court. Judge Dodge leaves a daughter, Mrs. Robert N. Miller of Washington, D. C.

Though he retired in 1918, Judge Dodge the following year served in his most noted case, when he sat as master in the litigation between the trustees of the Christian Science Publishing and the directors of the Christian Science Mother Church.

The funeral will be held Thursday at 2.30 P. M. from the Belmont Congregational Church (Unitarian) and burial will be at Mt. Auburn Cemetery.

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MOURN JUDGE FREDERIC DODGE

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Funeral Services for Retired Justice of Circuit Court Are Held at Belmont Unitarian Church

Formal adjournment was taken by the United States Circuit Court of Appeals today in recognition of the funeral at Belmont of Judge Frederic Dodge, retired justice of the court. Judge George H. Bingham and Judge Charles F. Johnson of the Court of Appeals, with Judge James M. Morton and Judge John A. Peters of the Federal District Court, were present at the service.

Services were held in the Unitarian Church, with Rev. Henry Wilder Foote, D. D., officiating, assisted by Rev. Percy T. Edrop, D. D., of All Saints Episcopal Church. Richard G. Appel played organ selections including Chopin's "Funeral March," Karg-Elert's "O God Thou Holiest," Bach's "Rest Thee Softly" and Handel's "Largo."

Members of the bar were present in large numbers with official delegations present from three of the bar associations. The Bar Association of the City of Boston was represented by Frederick P. Fish, Winthrop H. Wade, Odin Roberts, William D. Sohler and Norman W. Bingham. The delegation from the Middlesex Bar Association was composed of Hollis R. Bailey, John G. Brackett, Robert P. Clapp, George L. Mayberry, Samuel L. Powers and Amos L. Taylor. Representing the Massachusetts Bar Association were Fred Homer Williams, Damon E. Hall, Fred T. Field and Frank W. Grinnell.

Ushers were Francis H. Kendall, Damon E. Hall, Seth T. Gano, John J. Frenning, William Underwood, Oliver Wellington, Torrance Parker and Theodore Hoague. Burial was at Mount Auburn.

MEMORANDA
 Letters and Flowers

Date

from friends in the Dallas area
 of July -

W. C. Lane	Letter
Miss E. P. Hammett	"
Some Williams	"
Mrs. B. A. Robinson	"
J. A. and John	"
Henry E. Booth	"
Sup. Mrs. J. L. White	Card
Mrs. Cogswell	"
Pauline Hayes	Flowers
J. M. & Mrs. W. W.	Letter
Miss Hope	note
Miss [unclear]	Letter
Miss Ray	Card
Josephine Dunster	Card
Mrs. L. C. Cornish	Flowers
Evie D. Williams	"
Harris Greenough	"

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TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1927

SERVICES FOR BROOKS ADAMS

Funeral of Author, Last of Four Grand-
sons of President John Quincy Adams,
Is Held in First Parish Church, Quincy

Funeral services for Brooks Adams of Boston, essayist and historian and the last of the four grandsons of President John Quincy Adams, were held this afternoon in the First Congregational Meeting House (Unitarian), Quincy, the burial-place of his great-grandfather, President John Adams, and his grandfather, John Quincy Adams.

The service was conducted by Rev. Fred Alban Weil minister of the church, and Rev. Howard Key Bartow, rector of Christ Church (Episcopal), Quincy, to which Mrs. Adams, who died a few weeks ago, belonged. There were no honorary pall-bearers and the ushers were the regular ushers of the church, Carl Homer, head usher.

Mr. Weil recited a prayer, followed by The Lord's Prayer and an organ response. The second prayer was by Mr. Bartow, and the Scripture reading by Mr. Weil. The congregation sang "Lead, Kindly Light." The prayer by Mr. Weil preceding the benediction took the place of a eulogy. Both at the beginning and end of the service there were organ selections by Francis Snow of Trinity Church.

Burial was in the family lot at Mt. Wollaston Cemetery, in the grave next to that of Mrs. Adams, and also near that of his father, Charles Francis Adams, Lincoln's minister to England.

SUNKEN SHIPS

Mar. 19 —, 1927 Boston
To the Editor of the Transcript: Irving Trout.

Date.

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There seems to be some doubt as to how far ships sink in the seas. I believe an analysis of the problem will help clear up any doubt in the minds of your readers who know not whether to believe the writer of an article in the Transcript of March 10, who stated that upon reaching a certain depth a sinking ship would stop and float, or a contributor to your columns in yesterday's Transcript, who stated that sinking ships will reach bottom.

The only knowledge necessary is an understanding of densities and Archimedes' principle that the lifting effect on a submerged body is equal to the weight of the displaced liquid. If the body weighs more than its equal volume of water, it will sink; if it weighs less, it will float on the surface; if it weighs the same, it will stay where placed. Thus it is seen that the only way a sinking ship would reach a point where it would float submerged, is when the volume of water it displaced would equal its own weight: this means that the sinking ship must have reached water of its own average density, a density which is considerably greater than the density of water at the surface. But does there exist any appreciable density difference between surface and deep water? No. Even at the greatest depth at which soundings have been made—about 31,000 feet at a point between New Zealand and the Fiji Islands—the difference between the surface density (1.0252) and the bottom density (1.0286) is slight. This small increase in density is due to the decrease in temperature (water has its greatest density at 39.2 degrees F) with depth, the increase in salinity and slightly on the compressibility, for water is practically incompressible.

In view of the above facts, it is certain that none of the ocean liners, whose average density we know to be several times greater than that of water, even at a depth of 31,000 feet, will stop sinking until they reach the ocean bed, thus

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making the conclusion of your recent contributor correct. But a case wherein the writer of the confounding article would be correct can be easily imagined. If the ship were of the old wooden type and had a cargo of low density bulk, such as cork, an average density of say 1.0276 would be probable. If then this ship were to sink in water of a depth of, say, 25,000 feet, it would stop sinking and float at about 5000 feet, provided in sinking it lost none of its cargo; then it could be carried hither or thither by deep ocean currents. However, an occurrence of these circumstances is sufficiently rare to hardly justify the article of March 10. A very slight increase in average density (say 1.029), would cause it to float much deeper (12,000 feet).

An interesting consideration of sinking craft is what happens to a sinking submarine which has lost the means of rising to the surface. When it has reached 6000 feet, the force on every square inch of its surface is 1.2 tons; if it reaches 30,000 feet, this force on every square inch increases to six tons. If the resistance of the shell is such that it cannot stand this pressure, the submarine will be crushed before reaching bottom. I believe this could be demonstrated by watching a fresh egg—a bad one will not sink—go down a long glass tube filled with water; if the column be high enough—say about ten or fifteen feet—the egg will be cracked before reaching bottom, thus paralleling the case of a sinking submarine. Of course if a submarine is flooded, it will sink rapidly to the bottom, no matter how deep, for then it would be like dropping a piece of steel in water.

The writer is glad to say that it is rare indeed that one finds in the columns of the Transcript articles which violate well-established laws of science; and even if there was a slip in the article on a sinking ship, the remarkable accuracy with which it gave its readers the proceedings of the American Academy for the Advancement of Science recently, outweighs this slip ten times over.

FRANK E. LA CAUZA

Cambridge, March 18.

Date. *Transcribed from Mar 23, 1927*
 SARGENT—At Holm Lea, Brookline, Tuesday,
 March 22. Charles Sprague Sargent, in his
 86th year. Funeral at St. Paul's Church,
 Aspinwall avenue, Brookline, on Friday,
 March 23, at 2.30 P. M. It is requested that
 no flowers be sent. Burial private.

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PROF. SARGENT'S FUNERAL IS HELD

Boston Herald - Mar. 6/1927.
 Many Prominent Men Attend
 Brookline Services

The funeral of Prof. Charles Sprague Sargent, for many years head of the Arnold Arboretum, who died Tuesday at "Holm Lea," Brookline, was held yesterday afternoon at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Brookline. The Rev. William I. Clark, rector of the church, and the Rev. Dr. Elwood Worcester of Emmanuel Church, officiated. The full choir of the church, under the direction of William B. Burbank, organist, sang "Abide With Me," and "Go Forward, Christian Soldier."

The honorary pallbearers were Henry S. Hunnewell, John E. Thayer, Paul Dana, Ernest H. Wilson, Francis Appleton, William C. Endicott, Winthrop Sargent, Charles E. Stratton and Frank G. Webster. The active bearers were employes of Mr. Sargent, two of whom had been employed on the estate for more than 50 years.

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The ushers were William C. Endicott, John S. Ames, Herbert M. Sears, Henry Lyman, Arthur L. Devens, Daniel W. Weeks, C. C. Auchincloss and Harvery S. Cushing.

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Spread over the casket was a covering of cillvias, a flower of the amaryllis family which Prof. Sargent imported from South Africa several years ago, and which won a gold medal when first exhibited. These flowers, cut from the greenhouses at "Holm Lea," were to have been exhibited at next week's exhibition of the Massachusetts Horticultural Society.

There was a large gathering of friends and associates in the church. Among them were Bishop Lawrence, A. C. Burrage, president of the Massachusetts Horticultural Society; Theodore Havemeyer, president of the New York society; Nathaniel Kidder, former president of the Boston society; Gen. Clarence R. Edwards, Senator (Gaspar C. Bacon, former Mayor Peters, Ernest B. Dane and Theodore G. Bremer, Brookline selectmen; Roger Wolcott, Richard C. Floyd, Paul M. Hubbard, Charles H. Stearns, James F. Quinn, James B. Shea and many others.

Burial was in Walnut Hills cemetery, where private committal services were conducted by Dr. Worcester.

HOPPIN—On May 23, Eliza Mason Hoppin, daughter of the late Rev Nicholas and Elizabeth Mason Hoppin. Funeral services will be held at Christ Church, Cambridge, Mass. Monday, May 30, at 2:30 P. M. *Post. Herald. May 30, 127.*

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Executors of will of Mary Dexter

DITTO PROBATE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

Cts.

Date.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of LUCY W. DEXTER, late of Cambridge, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by George C. Deane and Mary D. Dexter, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, without giving a surety on their official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the twelfth day of April, A. D., 1927, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Cambridge Tribune, a newspaper published in Cambridge, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, John C Leggat, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-first day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven.

LORING P. JORDAN,

(26-2-9)

Register.

Cambridge Tribune
Mar. 26, 1927

Mr. Smith was indentified with numerous scientific societies and work as follows:

He served as associate editor for

Date.

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the issue of about the first 25 volumes of Centralblatt fur Bacteriologie, was a contributor to the first edition of the Standard Dictionary, served as a trustee of the Marine Biological Laboratory at Woods Hole, Mass., for three terms; was awarded a certificate of honor by the American Medical Association in 1913 for an article on cancer in plants, served as an executive member of the Council of National Defense, was a member of the National Academy of Sciences, serving as chairman of the botanical section for three years; a member of the American Philosophical Society, was a fellow of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences, president of the Society of Plant Morphology and Physiology, 1902; president of the Society of American Bacteriologists, 1906; president of the Botanical Society of America in 1910, and of the

American Phytophal Society in 1916.

In addition he was a life member of the American Pomological Society, a member of the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis, a vice president of the American Association for Cancer Research in 1924 and president in 1925, was a life member of the American Association for Medical Progress, an honorary member of the mycological section of the Russian Botanical Society and a member of the Association of the German Central Commission for Cancer Research and Control.

Services Saturday Morning.

Mr. Smith belonged to the Arts Club of New York, the Cosmos Club of this city and was a member of the memorial executive committee of the Arts Club here for erecting a peace carillon in Washington. He also was

an incorporator of the National Carillon Association.

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Mr. Smith was twice married. His first wife was Miss Charlotte M. Buffelt, to whom he was married in 1893, and who died in 1906. In 1914 he married Miss Ruth Annette Warren of Springfield, Mass.

He is survived by his widow.

Funeral services will be conducted in all Souls' Unitarian Church Saturday morning at 11 o'clock. Rev. U.

G. B. Pierce will officiate. Interment will be private.

Realizing the difficulties had by many young men in getting a college education, Mr. Smith had aided many in getting to college.

Boston Transcript

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 20, 1927

PARKER—At New York, April 19, Alice Gray Parker, wife of Edmund M. Parker of Cambridge. Funeral at Saint John's Memorial Chapel, Beattie street, Cambridge, at 2 P. M. on Friday, April 22.

DIES ON RETURN FROM ABROAD

Mrs. Alice G. Parker, Wife of Edmund M. Parker, Boston Lawyer, Had Long Lived in Cambridge

The news has been received here of the death in New York Tuesday of Mrs. Alice Gray Parker, wife of Edmund M. Parker, a Boston lawyer, whose home has for some time been at 63 Sparks street, Cambridge. Owing to ill health Mrs. Parker went abroad last June and much of her time while away was spent in Italy. While on her way home, accompanied by her daughter, Rosalind, she was taken seriously ill and as soon as she could be taken off the steamer in New York she was hurried to a hospital, where she passed away.

Mrs. Parker was a native of Boston and her maiden name was Gray. Following the death of her father a number of years ago her mother married Professor John Trowbridge of the Harvard faculty.

Besides her husband Mrs. Parker is survived by another daughter, Mrs. Lloyd Thomas of Providence, R. I.

During the World War Mrs. Parker was especially active in community work and as a member of the Special Aid her services were invaluable in arranging for meetings and securing speakers. She was an attendant at St. John's Memorial Church, Cambridge.

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Saturday Sept 22

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Boston Herald Died May 31/27

ABBOT—In Cambridge, May 30, Edwin Hale Abbot, in his 93d year. Funeral services at the house, 1 Follen st. Wednesday, June 1, at 3 P. M. Burial private. Please omit flowers.

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List of poisonous plants given to Prof. J. L. Saunders for his wife who writes for the Cambridge Tribune

Bomium maculatum

Rhus Vernix

Toxicodendron

guercifolia

Scium cicutaefolium

Atropa Belladonna

Sytlacea decandra

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BOSTON HAS WARMEST NOV. 15 IN 25 YEARS

READING OF SIXTY-EIGHT DE-
GREES WITHIN TWO DEGREES OF
RECORD FOR DAY OVER FIFTY-
SIX YEARS

Against a normal maximum tempera-
ture for this season of the year of fifty
degrees, Boston enjoyed today a sum-
mer-like sixty-eight. In the records of
fifty-six years only one Nov. 15, that of
1902, was warmer, and by only two de-
grees. At the Weather Bureau early this
afternoon, it was ventured that this
slight deficit might be wiped out before
the afternoon and evening records of de-
clining thermometer readings were com-
piled.

The cause of it all is a high pressure
area that has been central over the At-
lantic coast States for a few days. A
southwest wind has done the rest. Pre-
dictions for tomorrow are that the wind
will blow from the northwest, and out
there zero and ten below temperatures
are reported from Manitoba. It went
down to twenty-two in Kansas this morn-
ing, and in northwestern Texas the day's
rise began at thirty. Boston's minimum
for the last twenty-four hours was fifty.
Accumulated heat of seventy-five degrees
for the half month, compares with eighty-
six for half of October.

Forecasts of a cold wave are not to
be believed, however. "Much colder"
may be predicted and realized without
going much below the normal mean for
the November season. "Mostly cloudy,
with some rain, and getting colder," is
the ticket for tomorrow.

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30th. Green's Transit

Nov 16, 1927

TODAY IS THE WARMEST NOV. 16 EVER RECORDED

MERCURY CLIMBS TO 72 DEGREES
BY NOON, BEATING LAST YEAR'S
HIGH BY ONE DEGREE

Today was the warmest Nov. 16 of which the Boston Weather Bureau has a record, exceeding by one degree last year's high for the day. By noon the thermometer, starting from a low last evening of 50 degrees, had climbed to 72 degrees. Previous to last year the record high occurred in 1897 when the mercury registered 68 degrees.

The clear, warm weather is still due to the area of high pressure which has moved eastward. Today its center is in the Atlantic Ocean and its passing will be marked, the Weather Man says, by rain tonight and possibly Thursday followed by cooler weather on that day and a decided drop in the mercury by Friday. A storm area lies to the westward, forming a trough which extends from Quebec to Louisiana, while a secondary storm area is developing in that State. There has been rain in the lower and snow in the upper Mississippi valley and heavy rains, running from 1.4 inches to 3.5 inches, have fallen in Arkansas, Louisiana and Tennessee. It was below zero in southwestern Canada, in the vicinity of Manitoba last night, while it has been around 20 degrees above from west of the Mississippi to the eastern slope of the Rocky Mountains. This morning's temperature in Chicago was 34 degrees.

Mercury outside of my window
in the shade at 2 P.M. 76°

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Sun.

Earliest setting

Dec. 4-14 4.28

Latest rising.

Jan. 1-7 7.30

