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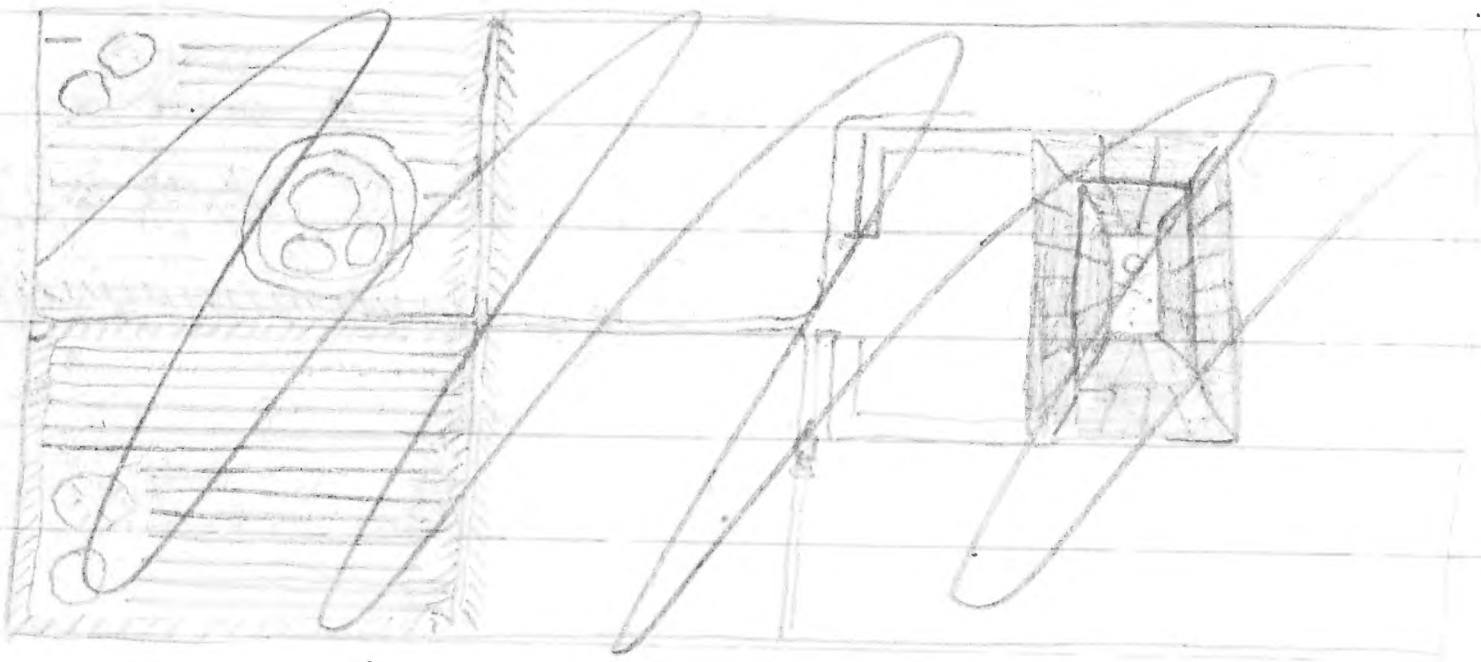
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Evening rain and a drop of six to eight degrees Fahrenheit bring a decrease from the exasperation of unseasonably heat.

At 7 A.M. we were taxied out in the company car from the Robert Dollar Bldg on Canton Rd. to the Lungwa airport of Shanghai and took off from the Whangpoo in a 4 passenger sea plane at exactly eight.

In ten or twelve minutes of following the meandering Whangpoo we reached the Yangtze and turned west. I kept searching the river for ducks and reminding myself they must have migrated weeks ago. In 1931 I flew from Nanking to Shanghai over hundreds of thousands of mallard and teal. That was in early March however just before the spring flight.

The plain of the lower Yangtze delta is lush and fertile looking beyond description. In contrast to the rolling orange flood of the Yangtze the terrain is greener than green.





The farmers may have occasionally to resort to boats when an unusual spring flood pours over their paddies but the river is miles wide and high water could have no such disastrous effects as in the mid-Yangtze provinces. It is probably welcomed for the rich layer of mud it leaves in its wake. The only cause of starvation that the fancy

Could devise for these delta farmers
 would be ancestor worship. From the
 air one notices little untilled patches in
 every field, sometimes to the detriment
 of a third or half part of the area
 available for farming. These are the
 graves of

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plunges into clumps steeply up through a forest of birch poplar and spruce in which we heard axes ringing from several quarters. Had the gradient not been so severe I could easily have imagined myself in the ~~mountains~~^{hills} of Maine, walking up ~~any~~ huffed grouse. At the top of the ~~scarp~~ scarp however we re-emerged onto desiccated slopes of puffy oak ~~which~~ the northern ^{run} slope of the valley Kamek which we ~~have~~ followed for another hour before making camp on a little flat thickly grown up with ~~rank~~^{tall coarse} dead grass. As soon as the servants (Lee + Trile) and the loadmules (4 small) came up we ~~set out again~~^{rode a few miles further} to reconnoitre the ~~upper~~^{head} basin of the valley ~~formed~~^{in the narrow throats of depth} of two great ~~glaciated~~ cirques. After an hour's ride we stopped at the foot of the cirques that head the ~~valley~~^{head} with an area of at least twenty square miles at our command, set to work with the ~~binoculars~~^{Approximately}. Three miles further east it opens up into two high plainlands which we examined at great length with the binoculars. For distances over a half mile the 16x glasses want only a ^{careful} rest to offset vibration in order to prove their value and infinite superiority over the more popular ^{more} generally useful 8x bird glasses.

Altho we saw no game I had determined to

June 4.

The schedule having been moved up an hour for the ^{season} summer, I was at the Lungwa airport at 6.30 feeling very despondent. The day-morning was fine and we cruised up to Nanking without a bump.

I saw Peck at noon and he showed me a letter he had written in answer to my wire ^{informing} ~~assuring~~ me that he had recent assurance in a phone conversation with Liu that ~~my~~ official ~~permits~~ ^{were} approval had been given my expedition and that the permits ^{would} be issued very ^{shortly} soon. The Bureau for censorship of motion picture film had ~~approved~~ inbriated it would be satisfied with the OK of the ~~Academy~~ ^{Sinica} of Mr. Wu at the Natl. museum as an accredited representative of the ~~Chinese~~ Sinica conservation in a final check with Wu

makes an evening out and at the same time which
consists of a sort of cover of wood and grassy top in
when I discovered to my dismay a deep ravine
at pasture directly below the top of the hill on
which we were sitting. Another ravine was
and red among of the Maya hunter which
containing the same.

In the evening I had to camp just where we
camp we started a bird some type from a slope of
high grass. I followed it across the crest of a
small ridge shoulder but the opposite slope was
a dense mass of pines and fir trees. I
was surprised. Just before dark I took a stand
below camp enjoying a wide meadow of sand grass
and fern but set until dark without seeing any
~~after a long and tiring day and a sleep~~

Evening has ^{in part} fulfilled the cloudy promise of
early morning. After a bright ^{still} morning
early afternoon, ^{heavy stratus clouds} overcast at about
four causing an unbelievable ^{fall} drop in temperature
accompanied by a blistering wind. The sky is again
clear at 2.30 P.M. but the wind generally clearing
is rather the tent shrouds in a fog and
blowing the fire all over the scenery.

I reassured him that I had no intention of filming native life but was only interested in photographing live game and ~~we agreed as long as he expressed himself~~ ^{willing} ~~seemed~~ he seemed perfectly content to let the matter rest.

He is even more friendly than Dr. Chien and will I think be contented with ~~ducks~~ ^{ducks} only and a few fishes & flatworms to work out.

I had no more than received at the hotel for ~~liffin~~ than Beck rang me up to say he had just received a letter from the Foreign Office and would I have liffin at the consulate?

~~An old lady was here at this hotel~~

Besides Beck and his missus a stiff pruney sort of person there were two other guests a Mrs Lin and a Miss Kendall a very remarkable old lady who used to travel in ~~Szechwan~~ ^{Szechwan} & the interior of China on her sabbatical leaves & summer holiday from school

Although we were on horse back in riding, I don't think it made a great deal of difference for the country which we traversed during the first hour (now east of yesterday's spot) has been too much disturbed by hunter's ~~random~~ ^{irregular} excursions to contain stags. In the next hour we reached the northern rim of Transit and crossing skirted the west of a high ~~mountain~~ ^{knoll} known as Tobacco. That ~~plunge~~ ^{plunged} down into a deep ravine ~~with~~ ^{with} woods on ~~an~~ ^{an} ~~east~~ ^{east} slope eventually detaching into the valley of the ~~river~~ ^{river}. To the east a succession of high ~~rock~~ ^{rock} ~~capitals~~ ^{capitals} with grass and scrub ~~characterized~~ ^{characterized} rising to shale slides and sheer jagged ~~cliffs~~ ^{cliffs} run down. The front on the west of the valley is principally spruce and ~~partly~~ ^{partly} ~~oak~~ ^{oak} ~~timber~~ ^{timber} but it has a sheer flank and shoulder it suggests an ideal snow habitat and we spent a good part of the time looking for them. The ~~timber~~ ^{timber} on the east, however, bare and uninviting as they are, are favorite feeding grounds of the deer. In one ~~corner~~ ^{corner} to which we descended the ~~Tracy~~ ^{Tracy} hunter killed some deer in one sweep - but in the summer. Signs were abundant but all very old. Now the

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teaching. She was exceedingly modest about it but she had ^{evidently} made some rough and dangerous trips for a single woman in Kwei Chow, Yunnan, Szechuan & Kansu provinces.

At this point the conversation turned on "The Good Earth" & Miss Kendall ~~made~~ ^{the most} ^{adverse} ^{I have yet heard} offered a very valid criticism: - that she missed ~~entirely~~ ^{in the book} the ^{Good Earth} light heartedness of the Chinese lower classes which chatter and humor of the Chinese peasantry; that the book was on a too unaltruistically ~~romantic~~ ^{romantic} plane.

Lin knows Mrs. Buck well & thinks it is because she is herself ^{a very grave person} ~~quite grave~~.

I think Mrs. Buck tries to personify ~~the~~ values too strenuously. Besides being the ^{creature} man of the soil, then the rich farmer & finally the weary old landowner Wang should have had ~~a~~ ^{few} ^{visions} and individual qualities which Mrs. Buck

ground is now and probably and perhaps the deer
feed lower at this season.

All day the sky was overcast with a thin
blistering ^{occasional snow flurries} east wind, but when we reached the top
of the col that surrounds the basinlands and
turned southeast to along the coast to circle
backward we were met by a fierce precipitation
that left little room for wonder that the deer
on the highlands are few in Nov. In the course of
our day what what must have occupied some houses
and must have covered 10 miles of upland at the
least we found not one ~~foot~~ track fresher than a
week old.

To get back to the valley basin we had to
climb very high ^{across} a few steep ground of cliffs
slides and ^{small meadows} ~~grasslands~~. Trace only we found deer
sign and in both cases at least a month old. Within
this area has been hunted to death or the game
departs for lower tracts at the end of summer.

Camp we found three miles above our site of
last we pitched on a small glade in the spruce forest
After a pack-up of coffee + biscuit I descended into
the ravine through a heavy golden oak wood
and hunted the glades until dark. Musk deer signs
I found in some plenty, also several snow tracks

submerged in the rice paddies. Mrs. Peck ^{assumed} ~~explained~~ with an air of rightness ~~finality~~ the headworking peasants and an unpleasant ~~and~~ the disagreeable expression of right thinking people who are perhaps justifying themselves that the disagreeable air of people who feel compelled to kill with a worthy aphorism. Anything they don't understand ^{or explained} that farmers have no time for subtlety.

Here only 6000 ft. above last night's camp are already above the range of the mountain which I should place roughly between 10 & 13 ft.

At 6 P.M. the sky is sparkling with cold stars and a light easterly wind is blowing that I can hear in the spaces the by some quirk of the topography it moves our tent entirely.

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After getting camp early after the day's march the camp is set up on a slope of 100 ft. from the surface of water. The water is very shallow and the surface is very rough. I got no breakfast but to it was near

not going north. Again it passed the ridge
with a flock of geese which we shot on the
highest part of the mountain. ~~we~~ ~~at~~ ~~last~~ ~~and~~
went half past one which flew in a steep gorge in the
NW 10 of ~~east~~ ~~head~~ ~~of~~ ~~about~~ ~~2000~~

If I am accompanied ~~with~~ ~~me~~ ~~on~~ ~~the~~
trip I am obtaining a considerable number of
ranger out of Bala. Today we scaled the rim
of the most southern basin at the base of the mountain
and at noon when we were looking down on the
lower part of the mountain range. From the
point of view of stalking today was more interesting
in the ^{morning} ~~more~~ ~~trapping~~ ~~than~~ ~~yesterday~~. We found
^{3 different} ~~one~~ ~~of~~ ~~several~~ ~~and~~ ~~then~~ ~~was~~ ~~a~~ ~~week~~ ~~and~~
the bones of 4 ^{birds} ~~birds~~ ~~travelling~~ ~~together~~ ~~perhaps~~
less or few days old. Jimmy (~~found~~ ~~the~~ ~~sign~~ ~~of~~
the ~~is~~ ~~show~~ ~~the~~ ~~sign~~ ~~only~~ ~~a~~ ~~few~~ ~~days~~ ~~old~~. What makes
the problem particularly trapping is that ~~the~~ ~~sign~~ ~~is~~
~~sign~~ ~~was~~ ~~today~~ ~~encountered~~ ~~but~~ ~~was~~ ~~the~~ ~~only~~ ~~one~~
fresh trace today encountered ^{was} of all but on the
~~was~~ ~~high~~ ~~in~~ ~~the~~ ~~barren~~ ~~and~~ ~~the~~ ~~the~~ ~~weather~~
to which we dropped down to look for your track
was ~~concerned~~ ~~with~~ ~~birds~~ ~~and~~ ~~full~~ ~~of~~ ~~very~~ ~~the~~ ~~sign~~
the deer had obviously deposited with ~~or~~ ~~with~~ ~~the~~ ~~eye~~
Then ^{disposed} ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~theory~~ ~~that~~ ~~the~~ ~~animals~~ ~~have~~
retired from the toplands to take shelter in the

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submerged in the rice paddies. Now Peck assumed the worthy air of a person called on to keep the conversation clean and explained that peasants have no time for subtleties.

In the afternoon Peck gave me the communication ^{which Peck} he had received from the Foreign Ministry ~~is exactly the type of thing what I had expected should have arrived at this time exactly this time according to the rules of official procedure.~~ ~~It is not surprising I am~~ ^{was at} ~~exaggerated~~ ~~was not surprising at all~~ ~~and only at first exaggerating~~ ~~the contents was exaggerating but only at first surprising.~~ It is exactly the type of letter one should expect at ~~this~~ exactly this stage: in other words a quibble over formalities which arrives just as you expect your requests to be granted. He must supply the additional passport photos, pay two dollars for every weapon license

... for the ^{wood} ...
... ~~... ..~~ ...
... ~~... ..~~ ...

The deer must surely be situated ...
... to another part of the range. In the front I made

... more ...
... at
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Returned ... at 4.30 ...
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... ..

The most interesting discovery. Hairs obviously from the
scalp adhering to splinters on a "cut" tree were of the
brittle and hollow like the hair of musk deer (from what
animal they exactly are not known) or the bit white tipped deer

The letter of Nov 13

May the Redoubt ...

~~May I have no saddle story to tell you~~

~~an account of the day I have to recount~~
~~saddle hunting~~
... ..
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... ..

2 dollars a head

And ~~we require~~ for passports. We must explain in detail why we require so many weapons. ~~All unnecessary & easy to do but waiting two precious~~ So two weeks have been wasted because the minister could not answer our initial letter on receipt ~~or shortly after to~~ supply ~~to~~ inform us of this through simple details.

The question of the number of weapons was at first embarrassing. I could not explain that the extra weapons were armament for an escort and if I had ~~explained the~~ ^{which} explained this alternative that is for native collectors there ~~would have been~~ the ministry would have ^{each} probably demanded ten photos of ~~the~~ ^{men} ~~men~~ we ^{would} might use as collectors, which would have proved difficult inasmuch as we haven't yet the pleasure of their acquaintance.

for several min. nothing. At last I saw a
few tracks to the SW. During character of the
slope was at a about 200 yds, in three stages
climbing in single file. The thicket was too
high for a present or setting ^{net} shot as I had to
shoot off hand. Winded ~~away~~ from the wind & also
waited ~~some~~ ^{times} firing at stern sheets
downing ^{with a low angle of entry} the shot, missed three times. The
rucksack in center. Disappeared against the side
shot ^{when I was supposed to be at} 300 yds. and it was set over. Good shooting
it certainly was not but ^{also} not very good. There are
believe not some grapes.

to guard them all down to the
speed of the

John Jay

(The name Nya is a Chinese)
Nya hon

Nov 11
a N.W. 2.E

Today we moved across the ~~pass~~
pass at the head of Lak at Chi to and dropped
down ^{precipitately} into a high glacier (?) basin known as
Toc che no, ~~the name of the basin~~ ^{is} ~~as well as~~
~~the~~ ^{submerged} ~~glacier~~ ^{dammed} ~~has~~ ^{been} ~~run~~ ^{up} ~~in~~ ^{the} ~~middle~~
and from ~~the~~ ~~middle~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~basin~~ ~~to~~ ~~the~~ ~~west~~ ~~where~~ ~~our~~ ~~camp~~ ~~is~~
across ~~the~~ ~~mountain~~ ~~side~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~pass~~ ~~of~~ ~~Lak~~
and going ~~up~~ ~~the~~ ~~side~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~mountain~~ ~~to~~ ~~be~~ ~~formed~~
formed by ~~extensive~~ ~~masses~~ ~~of~~ ~~ice~~ ~~long~~ ~~ago~~
as well as by ~~submerged~~ ~~rock~~ ~~fall~~ while
climbing about in the cliffs above to the N
of the pass in search of ~~food~~ ~~for~~ ~~the~~ ~~day~~
where tracks in a small patch of ~~snow~~ ^{finds the} ~~ice~~
indicates that they had ~~seen~~ ~~us~~ ~~and~~ ~~then~~ ~~to~~
the ~~cliffs~~ ~~we~~ ~~heard~~ ~~the~~ ~~rumble~~ ~~of~~ ~~a~~ ~~rock~~ ~~slide~~
at a great distance though we could not see it
At the ~~beginning~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~period~~ ~~of~~ ~~conspicuous~~ ~~activity~~ ~~with~~
great ~~extension~~ ~~of~~ ~~ice~~ ~~and~~ ~~cold~~ ~~the~~ ~~ice~~ ~~has~~ ~~been~~
our action must be ~~fully~~ ~~as~~ ~~active~~ ~~as~~ ~~when~~ ~~we~~ ~~were~~
agent in ~~front~~ ~~action~~ ~~and~~ ~~forming~~ ~~great~~ ~~slides~~ ~~of~~
detritus ~~tends~~ ~~to~~ ~~obscure~~ ~~the~~ ~~outline~~ ~~of~~ ~~former~~ ~~glaciation~~

After supper in the ^{which detaches westerly} camp we descended for a mile
 and a half through a fearful jungle of bracken
 and jungle of shrubs and thorns to a small meadow
 and ~~pitched~~ ^{pitched} camp in a ~~the shelter of some~~ ^{open} ~~colony~~
~~bracken~~ just below the timber line and pitching
 the tent on the shelter of ^{open} ~~some~~ ^{open} ~~bracken~~
 each fully as large as ^{a regular} ~~the~~ ^{colony} ~~colony~~ in an
 enormous summer ^{colony} ~~colony~~. After the usual light
 meal we struck up the ~~to~~ ^{to} onto the ^{winterly} ~~scarcely~~
 slope of the cañon and followed the valley down
 though climbing gradually up through a heavy wood
 of golden and pinkish oak. Scrows are evidently
 abundant for beside a number of old stumps, fresh
 tracks are found here still as they prove properly
 can be read, favorite shelter invariably under the
 base of a large rock where the more chaffy nocturnal
 animals stand for hours at a time. The floor of
 such stands is often covered with dung over a
 space of 200 square feet and as much as two feet
 in depth. When put up by dogs they invariably
 go to try against these shelters and will stand
 waddling off the attack of the dogs until the hunter
 arrives. Frequently dogs are killed at such stands
 and occasionally a native hunter approaching
 to see and failing to kill with the single



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Soupe

average size but and to see it was very thin
perhaps it is probably still some of the same
to you in that way in a word - some day the
is like most of these regions more or less
and to know it we shall have to go on further

Nov 14

Don Gordon (C. P. from
the Shattered Valley

morning

start and going forward, ~~and~~ ~~start~~ in the
~~and~~ ~~start~~ in the top of mountain
canopy with heavy ^{grey} ~~grey~~ clouds, probably
snowfall. A heavy fall would ^{have} prevented further
hunting in the region. but the clouds have come
and gone and the sun should now be casting the
underneath of ~~the~~ over a scant coat of snow
thickly enough for a full day of stalking if tomorrow
is clear. The atmosphere is so extremely dry that
evaporation as well as melting wastes away the
snow.

Retracing our steps to the piece of water we
found a little E of S and for two hours went in
and out among the moraines across a wide basin
flanked by high series as pale as limestone to a
second was st. pass which proved to be the ~~most~~ ^{most} ~~stately~~
wall of ~~any~~ ^{any} ~~east~~ ^{east} ~~side~~ ^{side} a ^{range} ~~valley~~ ^{dropping} ~~to~~ ^{steeply} ~~the~~
~~eastward~~ ^{checked} ~~by~~ the same high rock

slide a jagged ~~rocky~~ ^{crack} ~~col~~. A mile below the pass
~~Reservoir~~ joined a deep valley dropping northward in which
 our night camp lies perhaps a mile below the junction.
 While our little caravan pursued the normal descent
 we struck ~~across~~ across the corner climbing ~~into~~
 the bare grassy flank of a high ridge and descending
 to the ~~camp~~ without using gear then ~~descend~~
 thence down.

This evening we stalked down the valley
 which is not too wide to allow a ^{passable} ~~good~~ ~~view~~ of the
 glacier and creek on the opposite slope and at the
 end of our trail, ~~which consisted of a long~~ steep climb
 were met by the ~~mountain~~ ~~side~~ on the
 first level ~~found~~ to be ~~an~~ ~~open~~ ~~field~~. Tomorrow
 we will stalk the spruce woodland on the opposite
 slope and a ^{few} ~~few~~ ~~packs~~ ~~of~~ ~~deer~~ ~~are~~ ~~seen~~
 in the ~~field~~ ~~we~~ ~~are~~ ~~in~~ ~~an~~ ~~open~~ ~~good~~ ~~chance~~ ~~of~~ ~~getting~~ ~~a~~
 shot.

Nov 14

Lon Cha Son

Rest - 2500 ft. alt. hills to C.S.

Nov 15

Mungkei 750

Lab. of the Clouds

Nov 16

shoot mule deer

Nov 16

Return Rest.

Nov 15 - 1887

A very hard day. Days spent from beginning
 dusk to dusk. By virtue of a few o'clock start
 and our very good horses we were on the great
 ground or better amongst the great cliff by
 sunrise east of the Gelugpa monastery (2000 ft above
 the Gelugpa monastery) hardly had we unseated
 the horses when two great shot had a few other
 our words or heard our voices fled ^{dashed} from
 under the train of the ridge and the horses the
 next instant. They were stopped some
 half way up the slope I saw my way ~~was~~ ready
 with the light but heavy before the Gelugpa
 monastery ^{fringed by the monastery}
 should a perfect white of snow. I had
 great. I had a white. I had snowed ^{the gate} in the
 much that had how long ago and since that
 forgotten to say it. It had in fact would have
 been difficult for had someone quiet but there
 in no way disturbed me from breaking down
 some of it.

The cliffs ^{we hurried down the slope of}
~~we hurried down the slope of~~
 shot and ~~had~~ ^{had} ~~with~~ ^{with} ~~great~~ ^{great}
 for more than day in the dark snow
 without great ground. Slides of rock had gone

from the opposite side in the distance the
the sun visible. The jet off water for a time
and jet broken by showers of rain, as well
the there was a little more density. Below the
cliffs ~~was~~ ^{was} a mass of ~~ice~~ ^{ice} ~~and~~ ^{and} ~~was~~ ^{was}
disseminated ~~dropping~~ ^{dropping} ~~vertically~~ ^{vertically} to the stream.
There was ~~one~~ ^{one} of the tangled ~~ice~~ ^{ice} ~~layers~~ ^{layers} ~~above~~ ^{above}
of the ~~same~~ ^{same} cliffs and very little promise to
keep on being ~~so~~ ^{so} ~~light~~ ^{light} ~~as~~ ^{as} ~~before~~ ^{before} ~~we~~ ^{we}
saw it ~~for~~ ^{for} ~~some~~ ^{some} ~~seconds~~ ^{seconds} the ground ~~for~~ ^{for} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~ice~~ ^{ice}
cliffs ~~dropping~~ ^{dropping} ~~at~~ ^{at} ~~noon~~ ^{noon} ~~to~~ ^{to} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~ground~~ ^{ground} ~~at~~ ^{at} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~foot~~ ^{foot} ~~of~~ ^{of} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~cliff~~ ^{cliff}
dropped down again to the valley ~~and~~ ^{and} ~~detour~~ ^{detour} ~~at~~ ^{at} ~~that~~ ^{that} ~~point~~ ^{point} ~~we~~ ^{we} ~~crossed~~ ^{crossed} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~stream~~ ^{stream}
& climbed up the ~~side~~ ^{side} ~~across~~ ^{across} ~~to~~ ^{to} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~top~~ ^{top} ~~of~~ ^{of} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~ice~~ ^{ice} ~~at~~ ^{at} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~foot~~ ^{foot} ~~of~~ ^{of} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~cliff~~ ^{cliff} ~~we~~ ^{we} ~~are~~ ^{are} ~~encouraged~~ ^{encouraged}. But there I sat out ~~with~~ ^{with} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~boys~~ ^{boys} ~~directly~~ ^{directly} ~~up~~ ^{up} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~small~~ ^{small} ~~stream~~ ^{stream}. That ~~for~~ ^{for} ~~down~~ ^{down} ~~from~~ ^{from} ~~some~~ ^{some} ~~time~~ ^{time} & after a ~~very~~ ^{very} ~~short~~ ^{short} ~~time~~ ^{time} ~~we~~ ^{we} ~~emerged~~ ^{emerged} ~~onto~~ ^{onto} ~~a~~ ^a ~~great~~ ^{great} ~~flat~~ ^{flat} ~~for~~ ^{for} ~~which~~ ^{which} ~~we~~ ^{we} ~~might~~ ^{might} ~~find~~ ^{find} ~~a~~ ^a ~~good~~ ^{good} ~~camp~~ ^{camp} ~~on~~ ^{on} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~top~~ ^{top} ~~of~~ ^{of} ~~a~~ ^a ~~high~~ ^{high} ~~hill~~ ^{hill} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~foot~~ ^{foot} ~~camp~~ ^{camp} ~~of~~ ^{of} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~eastern~~ ^{eastern} ~~side~~ ^{side}. The ~~ice~~ ^{ice} ~~for~~ ^{for} ~~some~~ ^{some} ~~time~~ ^{time} ~~we~~ ^{we} ~~stayed~~ ^{stayed} ~~under~~ ^{under} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~shadow~~ ^{shadow} ~~of~~ ^{of} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~ice~~ ^{ice} ~~entirely~~ ^{entirely} ~~back~~ ^{back} ~~to~~ ^{to} ~~within~~ ^{within} ~~200~~ ²⁰⁰ ~~yards~~ ^{yards} ~~of~~ ^{of} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~ice~~ ^{ice} ~~and~~ ^{and} ~~I~~ ^I ~~was~~ ^{was} ~~just~~ ^{just} ~~arranging~~ ^{arranging} ~~a~~ ^a ~~shot~~ ^{shot} ~~to~~ ^{to} ~~shoot~~ ^{shoot} ~~at~~ ^{at} ~~them~~ ^{them} ~~without~~ ^{without} ~~warning~~ ^{warning} ~~he~~ ^{he} ~~jumped~~ ^{jumped} ~~up~~ ^{up} ~~stood~~ ^{stood} ~~in~~ ⁱⁿ ~~an~~ ^{an} ~~attitude~~ ^{attitude} ~~of~~ ^{of} ~~shot~~ ^{shot} ~~at~~ ^{at} ~~them~~ ^{them} ~~for~~ ^{for} ~~a~~ ^a ~~few~~ ^{few} ~~seconds~~ ^{seconds}.

and disappeared over the crest of the camp.
 See we he certainly could not for we were screened
 by a fringe of brush through which I could not
 shoot when he jumped up. Perhaps a breeze
 variant from the prevailing wind which was fav-
 orable reached him. Perhaps the night sense
 of which time & again seem to protect the wild
 creature informed him merely that all was not
 well and he took the natural line of escape of
 mountain game ~~always~~ to be the slope that he
 might be able to not have been seriously alarmed we
 climbed up to his perch and for what days
 along the camp but his tracks disappeared
 into the brush under cover and it was too dark to
 see clearly further than 100 or 150 yards. We descended
 to the farm house in the starlight.

Batang

Nov 22

I finished my first hunt for the Batang
 goat today without success.
 Just at daylight we left the hut though not
 before a crew of woodgatherers had passed up the
 valley gathering the brush & making
 every type of charcoal & other articles

I finished my first hunt for the Belding's ground
squirrel without success.

But at about 10 o'clock we left the tent the night before
which was before a crowd of woodpeckers had poured
up the rocks, gnawing through the bark and
sounding as if they were eating. I calculated to catch
game. Twenty minutes up the valley we overtook
them a large group of women and children. In
the final hour necessary to drive all game to
some place and make a fire while it was dark
to avoid the wind and warm their bread.

~~Climbing 7000 feet above the tent we~~
~~gained the top following the talus and~~
tent at 10 o'clock we. After gaining the
crest of the camp on a ledge at last night
saw the goal we turned east and and following
down into the cliffs below we turned east &
crossed the ~~valley~~ rim of the the valley entered
stalking along a small road through ~~the~~ patches
of ~~the~~ ^{patches} ~~windbreaks~~ of young poplar and
heavier covers of them and buckhorn. Snow
tracks were everywhere but it was too late
to hope for a shot at these almost purely nocturnal

Croft explains to me god damn it to hell, having in the last two hours missed a goat & a mink due both different shots on scattered game.

beats. Croft also frequent the slopes but the descent of cliffs and the luxuriance of the vegetation obviated any chance of seeing them. At 10 o'clock we turned back toward the hut stopping for a ~~bit to set out~~ a number of goat carcasses. These trails where we ~~encountered~~ ^{found} a work very dirty indeed ~~gathering~~ ^{being} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~number~~ ^{of} people in the hills is ~~mad~~ ^{enormous} ~~and~~ ^{high} ~~the~~ ^{principles} ~~of~~ ^{of} yesterday morning is habitually visited by mink due to frequent on their ~~way~~ ^{way} ~~home~~ ^{home} ~~road~~ ^{road} ~~up~~ ^{up} & down. Jimmy explains the great number of hunters & the consequent paucity of game by the fact that there is no business in the valley whereas in fact the everyone is busy and opportunities for hunting is frequent.

Spending the early afternoon in the hills we set out again at 3:00 to repeat ~~last evening's~~ ~~our~~ ~~shoot~~ ~~of~~ ~~last~~ ~~evening~~ ~~but~~ ~~without~~ ~~using~~ ~~game~~. After a light supper we returned to

was brought in down into the valley of the upper 31
Yangtze a deep green stream winding about 100-200
yards wide engorged to the east by China to the
west by Tibet. On both banks are soldiers in Tibet
to regulate the traffic of the caravan caravans at Loh
and Soubalay and to reject all passers ^{but those}
bearing passports; on the Chinese side to protect
the villages from the robbers in the great mountain
mountain. Yesterday ~~on the eastern~~ on the slopes
of the ~~casca~~ above the position in which we
were ^{settled} 7 armed men were sighted and the women
and children fled down the valley to ^{the river} Loh. Nothing
of value is kept in the few houses above ^{Soubalay} Loh
and the crops are ^{of no value} to the robbers.
~~the same~~ ^{at} ~~Reaching~~ ^{at} Loh (Ch. ^{from} on top) a cluster
of ~~houses~~ ^{houses} ~~there~~ ^{at} ~~the~~ ^{the}
junction on the ^{shore} of the ^{river} ~~Yangtze~~ eye turned
eastward into a ^{wide} ~~large~~ ^{wide} ~~valley~~ ^{valley} and ~~then~~
down to the head of ~~the~~ ^{above} at the upper
limit of cultivation limit of arable land. The valley
above is ~~the~~ ^{uncliffed} ~~simple~~ ^{to} ~~the~~ ^{the}
~~top~~ ^{by} ~~cliffs~~ ^{descending directly in steep steps} descending in alluvial fans to the
stream.

At 3 o'clock we set off up the gorge to
search for goats. The habitat was ideal steep cliff

was already ^{planning} to take his advice, a fine goal, I suggest
 a good back. When he stopped on a distant hill top
 I took as careful aim as possible though again without
 success and missed him. ~~...~~

Camp

- 22. Chü Kundo 1 day W. Litang
- 23. Bonya Plain 2 " " "
- 24. Upper " 3 " " "
- 25. Below Shavila 4 " " "
- Shavila (pass of the Stags)
- 26. Shavik Ngo Tso 5 day W. Litang
- 27. Upper Khamok Valley 6 " " "
- Tsong Ben La (pass of the Merchant)
- 28. Bon Namok 7 days W. Litang
- 29. Mile Ting 8 days W. Litang
- 30. Balang

top and put
 on the top of the ...
 making at top ...
 successfully walk up the ...
 wood ...
 I sent Jimmy & George down back to the house
 and continued alone ... working eastward

was already ^{planning} ~~making~~ his address, a few yards, I suggest
a good look. When he stopped on a distant hill top ³³
I took as useful view as possible through my camera.



... a forest of young poplars
without which we were
unable to get up the hill. To reach
successfully, walk up the steep grassy
woodland, through dense mangrove & sponges. Accordingly
I sent Jimmy & George down back to the house
and continued alone ~~on~~ working eastward.

after a short ^{climb} onto the mt. south of our house

Climb ~~up~~ ^{up} along ~~side~~ ^{side} we look an
 undulating ~~foot~~ ^{foot} ~~path~~ ^{path} leading ~~west~~ ^{west} and
 then turning ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~shoulder~~ ^{shoulder} of the mt., south ~~along~~
 the upper slope of the granite some ~~beginning~~ ^{beginning}
~~was~~ ^{was} ~~at~~ ^{at} about 200 ft ~~above~~ ^{considering} ~~the~~ ^{depth} ~~of~~ ^{of} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~base~~ ^{base}. ~~There~~
~~the~~ ^{the} ~~slopes~~ ^{slopes} of ~~granite~~ ^{granite} fall ~~straight~~ ^{straight} from ~~peak~~ ^{peak} over
 green ~~and~~ ^{and} ~~meadows~~ ^{meadows} of ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~mountain~~ ^{mountain} to the shore line.
 These ~~are~~ ^{are} ~~meadows~~ ^{meadows} of the ~~deciduous~~ ^{deciduous} ~~type~~ ^{type} of ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~mountain~~ ^{mountain}
 Schip ~~is~~ ^{is} ~~not~~ ^{not} ~~uncommon~~ ^{uncommon}. ~~There~~ ^{There} ~~is~~ ^{is} ~~no~~ ^{no} ~~trace~~ ^{trace}
 of ~~granite~~ ^{granite} ~~outcrop~~ ^{outcrop} and ~~they~~ ^{they} ~~quartz~~ ^{quartz} ~~cutting~~ ^{cutting}
 the ~~slopes~~ ^{slopes} support the ~~usual~~ ^{usual} ~~crop~~ ^{crop} of ~~barberry~~ ^{barberry} and
 them, ~~but~~ ^{but} ~~there~~ ^{there} ~~are~~ ^{are} ~~present~~ ^{present} ~~some~~ ^{some} ~~of~~ ^{of} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~same~~ ^{same} ~~plants~~ ^{plants}
~~forming~~ ^{forming} ~~scanty~~ ^{scanty} ~~and~~ ^{and} ~~scattered~~ ^{scattered} ~~over~~ ^{over} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~mountain~~ ^{mountain} ~~sides~~ ^{sides}.

present Nov 24 after "mat" after rain

That was ~~to~~ ^{to} ~~skin~~ ^{skin} ~~him~~ ^{him} ~~out~~ ^{out} we
 not a ~~bit~~ ^{bit} ~~damaged~~ ^{damaged}. ~~Covered~~ ^{Covered} ~~him~~ ^{him} ~~with~~ ^{with} ~~leaves~~ ^{leaves}
 to ~~save~~ ^{save} ~~him~~ ^{him} ~~from~~ ^{from} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~weather~~ ^{weather} ~~and~~ ^{and} ~~(~~ ⁽ ~~himself~~ ^{himself} ~~and~~ ^{and}
~~single~~ ^{single} ~~rod~~ ^{rod} ~~around~~ ^{around} ~~on~~ ^{on} ~~his~~ ^{his} ~~back~~ ^{back}) ~~returned~~ ^{returned} ~~to~~ ^{to} ~~his~~ ^{his}
 house in ~~starlight~~ ^{starlight}. After

again Nov 26

At ~~day~~ ^{day} ~~we~~ ^{we} ~~entered~~ ^{entered} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~cave~~ ^{cave} and
 stalked ~~carefully~~ ^{carefully} ~~along~~ ^{along} ~~scanning~~ ^{scanning} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~area~~ ^{area} ~~with~~ ^{with} ~~our~~ ^{our}
 rifle ~~from~~ ^{from} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~beginning~~ ^{beginning}. ~~For~~ ^{For} ~~once~~ ^{once} ~~we~~ ^{we} ~~spotted~~ ^{spotted} ~~a~~ ^a ~~quail~~ ^{quail}
 before ~~he~~ ^{he} ~~was~~ ^{was} ~~aware~~ ^{aware} ~~of~~ ^{of} ~~us~~ ^{us} and ~~he~~ ^{he} ~~started~~ ^{started} ~~to~~ ^{to} ~~run~~ ^{run}

be able to record that I brought him down ^{neatly} ~~nicely~~
but again the range was too much for me and
I missed. Two hundred yards further we started
two goats from the bank we were traversing but
saw only their backs disappearing almost directly
over our heads.

In the evening I returned ^{alone} to the cliff into
which they had disappeared and took a stand
some four hundred feet up on the edge of a rocky
crag from which I had a fine view up and down
the ravine. A half hour before dark when
prospects seemed very dull I was roused by a
~~sharp~~ ^{short} bark, very close at hand and scurrying
in the direction from which it came spied a
goat standing on a little grassy ledge 100
yards away and slightly above me. ^{only} When he
dropped ~~down~~ ^{down} with did I realize what a
problem it would be to get him down before
dark if indeed at all for the walls of the ledge
looked absolutely vertical. However there was a ^{possible}
~~question~~ ^{dent} on a ^{by dint of many hard-fought tests,} long oblique angle and just at
nightfall full dark I reached the fallen stone
bed with the goat a ^{young} ~~fine~~ ^{back} ~~specimen~~ ^{specimen}, no
very fine trophy but a satisfactory specimen.
Now we need only a ^{strong} ~~strong~~ back and the series is

When I heard a stone slip a hundred yards distant
at the opposite side of the gorge, I was not at first
accounted as to its probable explanation. The rock
was ^{partly off} ~~the~~ ^{of} rock warmed by the sun & then
cooled and contracted by the chill of air. It was not
later however several large snags & boulders and
the rocks of the lake began to rise. Commencing to
rise. Manoeuvring as soundly as possible I
climbed a little and peered into the hole for
the corner of a poor golden oak leaf. For some seconds
I saw nothing: then ^{I made out} a black shape with a white
mark a snow slipping from the shadow and
apparently making straight for me. Under cover of
the beam of the ridge it ~~made~~ travelled a hundred
feet & then ~~was~~ I saw it was descending in the
basin. Having to land in the thickets of pebble
oak below I opened fire and had the satisfaction
of seeing the snow receive my second shot some
where in the body and when it disappeared behind a
boulder concluded I was down. Following for the
kilt I heard a shrill ~~cry~~ ^{screech} below and to
my infinite distress discovered the snow leaping
slowly into the thicket - probably the bird.

It was already too dark to follow and if
game is sorely wounded there is great advantage

in leaving it allowing it to round and slip ³⁹
up. If slowly followed it may travel for miles
and in all probability never to find. So I return-
ed north to the house slipping and sliding
six hundred feet down a pile of boulders. Tomorrow
morning we will devote to a determined search
for the game. Temperature for both on and the
quarry snow are the highest of all game and
chances are not as good as 75% percent.

Nov. 27

Sept. 27

I am lathered and torn in clothing
feeling and very painful in my arms. I am
warming and feeling very up and down.
vertical crease through back's enlargements of
a deep purple color. Having kept a
single shot of clothing a return to the house in
no important loads. Snow on and tomorrow
after an even success. So we will be off.

The following day in the morning we will
start on a journey of some kind. have been
completed we will start for Song Ka Hei to hunt
red & if possible white deer (the following day).

This morning we are half expected disappoint-
ment. The snow is gone. The 100 feet the distance

game we followed a well defined blood trail
in places marked by goat prints. The hunter
and I exchanged grateful smiles: "awa-dah"
"dicka-kum-jie" he gasped below. Our progress
was however very premature for the blood trail
grew ^{steadily} ~~scarcier~~ fainter and the we followed it to
the bottom of the ravine there he ~~ceased~~ ^{ceased} ~~ceased~~
with a maze of tracks left during the past week
and there was no further hope.

In the evening I climbed to a con-
spicuous cliff several hundred yards further
east in the gorge and again took a stand com-
manding ^{the high} the basin. A half hour before dark I heard
a ~~large~~ ~~chattering~~ ~~chattering~~ ~~chattering~~
chattering cliff man to the east and stem. Chattering
on ~~the east~~ ^{very heavy} ^{probably} ^{not} ^{over} ^{at} ^{all} on the floor of the
eastern bowl and for fifteen minutes sat tense and
expectant as some large a snow moved ^{noisily} ~~about~~ ~~through~~
in the thicket without once showing himself. After ten
minutes I no longer I tried ^{to spy him out from} every available point ~~and~~
without success and finally descended into the
bowl putting him up and away sight unseen. It
is noteworthy that the bear was noisy enough when my
presence was unsuspected as soon as the first branch
crackled under my feet, he vanished without a
sound. Descending in the ^{twilight} ~~dark~~ I put up a much better

from a grassy slope to ^{expecting} watching her for him to 41
stop & look me over as usual has characteristicly
do I holding fire until it was too late to be
account the members of the ridge for full flight then
the gathering gloom I should not have hit him
~~however~~ many went

Thanksgiving

Nov 29

A bad winter night until the early dawn
ended my plan for a deer stalk and when at
9 I had lost faith I determined on an im-
mediate return to Boston.

Our return road we covered in very fast
time ^{keeping} ~~making~~ in ^{which} I had enjoyed four
days ^{job started} most of the way and ~~arriving~~ reaching
Boston in a little over 3 hours in my own fire for
the out-bound trip. Dunder celebrated the journey
considerably by squawking ~~in a high pitched~~ ^{ferocious}
endeavour to Scree in a high pitched voice
~~when~~ ^{when} we passed ^a ~~small~~ ^{small} ~~hamlet~~ ^{hamlet} ~~in~~ ⁱⁿ ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~vicinity~~ ^{vicinity}. As he
was considerably in the rear ^{caught up to us} he ~~kept~~ ^{kept} ~~calling~~ ^{calling}
or ~~scree~~ ^{scree} ~~loudly~~ ^{loudly} ~~like~~ ^{like} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~usual~~ ^{usual} ~~calling~~ ^{calling}
calling down from the ~~flats~~ ^{flats} ~~standing~~ ^{standing} on
a flat corner.

Down

Arrived in Batsang I was astounded to learn that Schifer and Duncan had gone to New England some few days. At first I thought they must have decided to leave the buying business and go home. Then I discovered the fact that I must have had a dog and seeing a man come to an ~~arrived~~ arrival I hurried down a shore and changed.

The buying dinner was a great success. Chicken was substituted for turkey and we had ~~needed~~ carrots not a stage. To top it off Mrs. Tyler had made two big pies of Hubbard squash as good as the best pumpkin pie.

In the afternoon I enjoyed the big snowfall and for several hours accompanied with Schifer. He had secured two black muntjac but had had most extraordinary difficulty with his rifle the barrel of which seems to have become twisted in the stock. He found a remarkable snow country ^{making} ~~seeing~~ in 7 days but due to the inaccuracy of his rifle failing to kill one though he struck several one of them three times. The tenacity of life that these beasts possess is truly incredible. Failing a neck shot or a wound to heart lungs liver or lungs and ^{a snow} ~~the animal may~~

Our plan ~~is~~ ^{is} have to be formulated out according to the desires of the needs of the collection that the reputation of Bal Lama with the people through his country we wish to travel with his pack animals. The trip he will full through today this morning

out

men +

Riding ahead of ~~the~~ ^{small} ~~party~~ ^{party} of 4 animals ~~at~~

westwardly road

~~at~~ ~~the~~ ~~end~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~road~~ ~~behind~~ ~~the~~ ~~Galaya~~ ~~hills~~ ~~leading~~ ~~up~~ ~~to~~ ~~the~~ ~~range~~

range

~~to~~ ~~the~~ ~~eastern~~ ~~range~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~Galaya~~ ~~hills~~ ~~at~~ ~~the~~ ~~mile~~ ~~long~~ ~~valley~~ ~~into~~ ~~the~~ ~~deep~~ ~~gorge~~ ~~to~~ ~~the~~ ~~west~~ ~~and~~ ~~it~~ ~~descends~~ ~~in~~ ~~successive~~ ~~ramps~~ ~~to~~ ~~the~~ ~~Balaya~~ ~~plain~~ ~~on~~ ~~the~~ ~~west~~. ~~The~~ ~~are~~ ~~low~~ ~~and~~ ~~a~~ ~~high~~ ~~in~~ ~~the~~ ~~the~~ ~~along~~ ~~a~~ ~~typical~~ ~~gorge~~ ~~channel~~ ~~of~~ ~~lava~~ ~~flow~~ ~~is~~ ~~seen~~ ~~at~~ ~~the~~ ~~step~~ ~~covered~~ ~~with~~ ~~various~~ ~~of~~ ~~shrub~~ ~~known~~ ~~herb~~ ~~plant~~. ~~Reaching~~ ~~the~~ ~~top~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~first~~ ~~high~~ ~~range~~ ~~we~~ ~~encamped~~ ~~on~~ ~~the~~ ~~new~~ ~~level~~ ~~to~~ ~~reach~~ ~~with~~ ~~great~~ ~~ease~~ ~~and~~ ~~poplar~~ ~~with~~ ~~a~~ ~~good~~ ~~mountain~~ ~~country~~. ~~As~~ ~~dark~~ ~~was~~ ~~gathering~~ ~~we~~ ~~reached~~ ~~the~~ ~~crest~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~mountain~~ ~~only~~ ~~a~~ ~~few~~ ~~cliff~~ ~~falling~~ ~~off~~ ~~to~~ ~~the~~ ~~west~~ ~~side~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~range~~. ~~It~~ ~~is~~ ~~already~~ ~~dark~~ ~~and~~ ~~the~~ ~~stars~~ ~~are~~ ~~out~~ ~~when~~ ~~two~~ ~~to~~ ~~three~~ ~~minutes~~ ~~later~~ ~~we~~ ~~rode~~ ~~down~~

onto a small meadow which John announced we
no longer had to be thankful for a much
deer hunter shelter we bundled a fire with ^{some effect}
I can understand perfectly how a man may freeze to
death with some fuel and matches ^{apart} but frozen
past the point of responding to the will.

Altho we had made our camp in a little
over 3 hours arriving at half past five, our caribou
came along far more slowly and it was about
nine when they ^{drooped} ballooning down ^{and} through
the last part of the day a very cold & ^{clear} ^{weather} was.

We had already given them up as lost and
were preparing ourselves for a ^{long} hungry vigil and a night of
a ^{frigid} blinding leading blowing before the fire. In an hour
however they had melted ice and broken the fire
us & themselves pitched camp and made everything
generally comfortable and everyone cheerful.

~~After sundown a still dry cold settles down that
must be several days below 0. Meat, eggs, vegetables
will freeze solid if not carefully wrapped & a drop
of tea spilled on the tent floor is ice within the next.~~

Fortunately there is ^{little} wind save just at sun-
down & sunrise so that the cold is not painful. Of course

Exchanging baskets for the morning I ^{followed} went
Wong under Ochiyo's direction down a narrow trail
through the prickly oak to a ^{grove} ~~wide~~ ^{bank} ~~bank~~ ^{stream}
on which Ochiyo wounded a serow last week. Two
~~sets of fresh tracks~~ ^{fresh} of a large tree ~~and~~
and a yearling nanny gave evidence that there
was game about but their ~~own~~ nocturnal hunt
had ended in a return to the jungle. At eight
or after when the sun was an hour high I sent
Wong back to camp returning myself by way of a
long trail down through the prickly oak in the
hope of finding a serow not yet gone to couch or
of sighting a munt deer ~~through~~ through a vista.

The forest was too dense however for either and
the carpet of dead oak leaves too noisy for
successful stalking. I found no track of serow
fresher than twelve hours old but once I thought
I heard a munt deer ~~just~~ ^{just} lightly away.

Arrived in camp I found Ochiyo in a
jubilant mood. He had killed a very large
serow nanny under difficult circumstances.
Started from a prickly oak cover she had
climbed across a burnt over slope straight into
the rising sun and had presented only a luminous
silhouette ^{serowed} ~~reflected~~ by the burnt underbrush.

According to Sumner who is as large as the screen
 buck I killed on Kanyji and according to Setofo
 weighed less in weight after skinning and was
 saved at the approximate figure of 24 lbs. in other
 words as heavy as the largest ~~antelope~~ ^{brushback} buck
 of our white-tailed herd.

In the evening we ~~went~~ ^{returned} to our request
 we both simply taking a stand ~~and~~ ^{at} the
~~stand from which Setofo had descended~~ edge of
 the jungle into which the two rivers disappear
 after last night's ramble. As shadows length-
 ened in the clearing and the amber light of
 sunset intensified the dark olive tints of the
 peckly oak, I expected at any moment to see
 the head and neck of a serpent emerge from the
 thicket. Often the hunter has this feeling. The
 ideal character of the scene, the absolute stillness,
^{almost artificial light of} the bright burning sunshine all seem to compel
 the appearance of ~~something~~ ^{game}. Unfortunately
 this man ~~has~~ ^{is} often not strong enough did
 not communicate to stay to the scene and when
 finally the last touch of sunlight ~~was~~ ^{was} ~~gone~~ ^{gone}
 beyond which peaks I saw off and hidden then
 by the ~~strong~~ ^{evening} twilight. In the ~~dark~~ ^{dark}

Perhaps with the exception of numbered arrows are scarcely ~~scarcely~~ the commonest game of these jungles. Trail tracks and signs everywhere leave no room for doubt that there have to be, and to get them are on the openings in this ^{dense habitat} ~~habitat~~ at least once every twenty-four hours. Their habits vary considerably however, though whether individuals or according to the species is difficult to say. Thus on two morning & evening stalks, Schäfer has found these animals while in the same period I have not seen one. Schäfer points to individual habit: A large cow he shot yesterday they saw at least three times in an hour of the morning. The black species he has seen twice. I think the exposure is also concerned. Whereas Schäfer was then stalking yesterday a valley slope with some shade almost all day my best cow been ^{accor-} over a sun flat exposed to the full glare of the sun from dusk to dusk. The twilight is very short and the game has not yet reached the clearing when darkness falls.

Regarding the stalk of yesterday morning I was disappointed to find the ^{first} ~~first~~ tracks of a small arrow just below my last night's seat. After sunrise a mark clear in the bush, I set across a half mile offshoot, and golden oak found to emerge on another clearing very

promising the rest is large. From the shelter of a
great boulder we could overlook the edge of the forest for
hundreds of yards ~~and to the valley~~. I returned in the
evening as well as a great area of low brush in the
clearing. Returning to this valley in the afternoon
I took a short cut (a half hour before dark) the
harriet back to the burnt ground for a last
look on before returning to camp - in daylight. A
Schäfer does not feel that the chances of killing
the black serow are at all bright and as I have no
failing believes for the side of the mt. I have been
hunting, we return to Babang tomorrow.

A. Balang

Dec 5

Black muntjac (ch. lek chit to ti ngai) are the stupidest beasts conceivable. Descending through poplar wood this morning, I found one feeding on a steep slope in thick poplar & with a few other yards away - that is to say I saw the animal for though I waited fully ten minutes for a shot the muntjac was always surrounded by tops. Finally I fired & of course missed for the smallest thing and seem to deflect the light superlight vol. but of any thickness. The muntjac though aware of us the entire time apparently, avoided the spattering of the bullet through the branches to local origin & merely

fled ~~for~~ along the slope for 100 yards & then
 commenced to feed again. The ~~again~~ ^{so} ~~was~~ ^{shaded}
 by poplar tops that I only found him after 5 min
 search with my flame in a dark smudge behind the
 screen of grey stems. Again I tried a shot but the
 result was the same & he disappeared in a patchy oak
 thicket to be seen no more. Jimmy, tell me that near
 Tachienku he missed a muntjac three times with
 his matchlock rifle, no very speedy affair and
 finally killed it with the fourth shot within a
 few rods of where it was first sighted. This
 lack of timidity is truly astonishing in an
 animal of the muntjac's size and easily
 discernible black coloring. One would expect
 the leopard to exterminate them quickly.

The view of the Batang plain, the low
 yellow Lama cloisters and the ~~minim~~ ^{minim} grounds are
 exceptional from the road by which we had ascended
 & which we presently struck on our descent. Far and
 away the most striking element in the picture is the
 4 square white walled compound of the Lamas bordered
 by stately larch cedars with ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~low~~ ^{temple} ~~angular~~ ^{bulbous}
 so reminiscent of modernistic architecture. En route
 home I took a number of photos from diff directions
 to secure an optimum viewpoint with a maximum of

detail.

Schäfer did not reach Battery until late after several hours after my arrival. En route down just a 100 yards or so beyond the point at which we parted from the land a fine goat herd descending into the cliff above the water was seen. Following the trail the animal disappeared over a ledge and arrived there almost lost in a jumble of cliff. As the sun was now high the muggins that the goat was contacted with before the party left of the mountain to bring him to his feet 100 yards below on a narrow shelf. I was still following a rough aim to tumbled over the crag and fell to the last seen of him. Vertical descent is to the cliff is out of the question and lowering themselves down around Schäfer & W. lost the exact location. The first last Bärbel who could not make the goat's indicated hints on cliff while Schäfer held tightly down the almost perpendicular cliff face to his rescue but. At 9 o'clock Bärbel turned at the first gate home from any more adventures.

As per recent custom for our side to a day of rest & waiting - the party of Schäfer & W. 20. for another stated the discrepancy goat & on the

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- Artemesia
- Cotoneaster
- Rosa
- Berberis
- Prunus
- steppe
- Epilobium

Alt.

Good

Hui mu Gon	2900
Sep-chi	3550
renew camp	4500
Camp ...	3900
dwarf blue sheep kill	3300

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highest stag track approx 5000

stage range

stag killed 4700

lowest tracks to the river

spruce 4300

poplar 4000

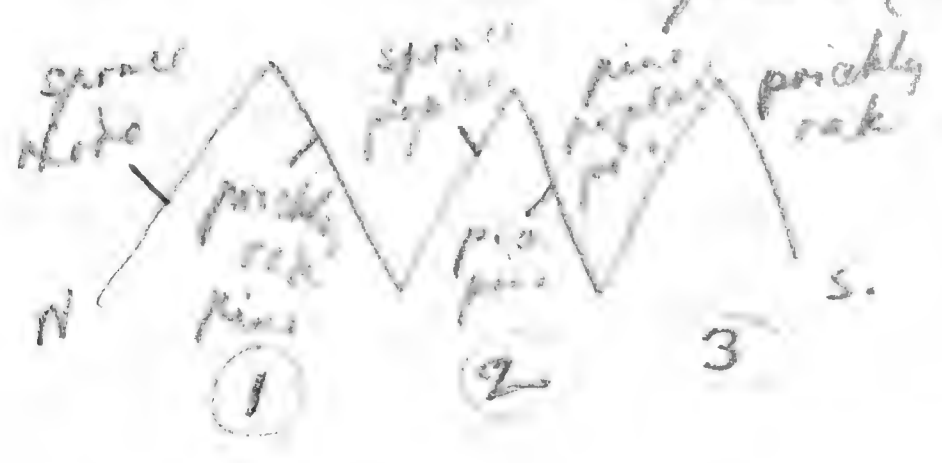
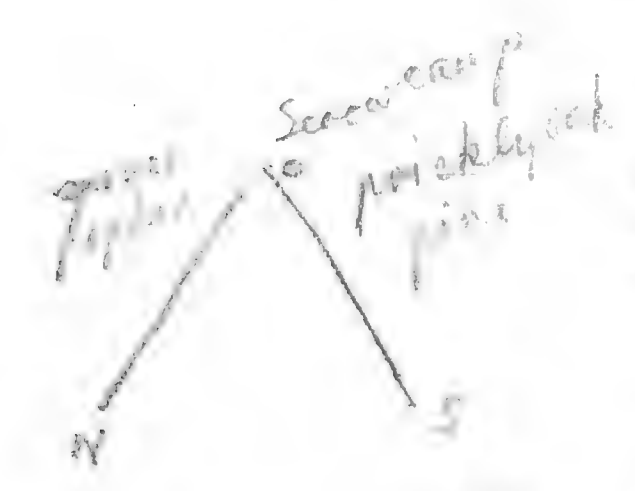
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- 8) ...
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- 10) ...

Nov 5

Dec 15 -

Babang 59

In order ^{by time} ~~wanting~~ to reach Babang in time for Luffin
Junge and I left the men to break camp and
~~repacked our pack animals in 4 hours. In Honiton~~
~~Gen. Gen. saw not a sign of the military~~
~~guard quartered there rode home at a smart~~
pace. Passing through Honiton we saw not
a sign of the military guard usually quartered
there, an absence which we jokingly set down to
oversleep. Now I have no doubt we were seen
but purposely not remarked or challenged for
rifle passage as formerly. An hour later when
our men rode by the native garrison descended
on them and peremptorily demanding a
passport to carry arms which they say we
would not be forthcoming ~~time~~ →
~~in a case~~ Dendru, Wong & Jimmy with our
firearms ^{to} in a small lobby hole sent to
Babang to obtain their release and 'allowed'
Wants to proceed with our pack animals. From
the accounts of the victims who have just returned
ed the whole action was due simply to the desire
of the Lieutenant to assert his authority and to
show the prisoners he couldn't do as he pleased

was shown next to the ... while the ... some
 was in ... & ... with ...
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 for two months ...
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Toward end of ...
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Recent row due to the refusal of a
 contingent of families in ...
 the Tao Long ... to pay ...
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 make them ... a ... of
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I am firmly convinced of the validity of animal
class. vary in important particulars in some
species. the way in larger apes - etc

Waves
Tact
Tact
shy

So Two Chang

Tse Zong Hwa Zong (family name)

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Compare our Wang quarters to
a post house



reacted like women

Wives Sheldon Ogden came in 1908

Sheldon Ogden was a member of the Communist Party

started building people's hospital in 1916

hospital founded 1917

first complement 4 families

nurses average 90 mos

cost average \$29 + 30

soft replaced Sheldon 1912

was broke out April 1932

not a part of Kang's long table

not a part of Kang's long table

Ge Siling a Betang... Aff. Com. sent in by... Work to get lost 30 years... take over... to gain support of... Betang men overthrew... S T was... arrived... killing in conjunction... of... Betang refused to play... afternoon & G.S. appealed to... severed G.S. hands off he attacked...

Return from 3 times

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- Answers
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- 1) 1/2
 - 2) 1/4
 - 3) 5
 - 4) 1/8
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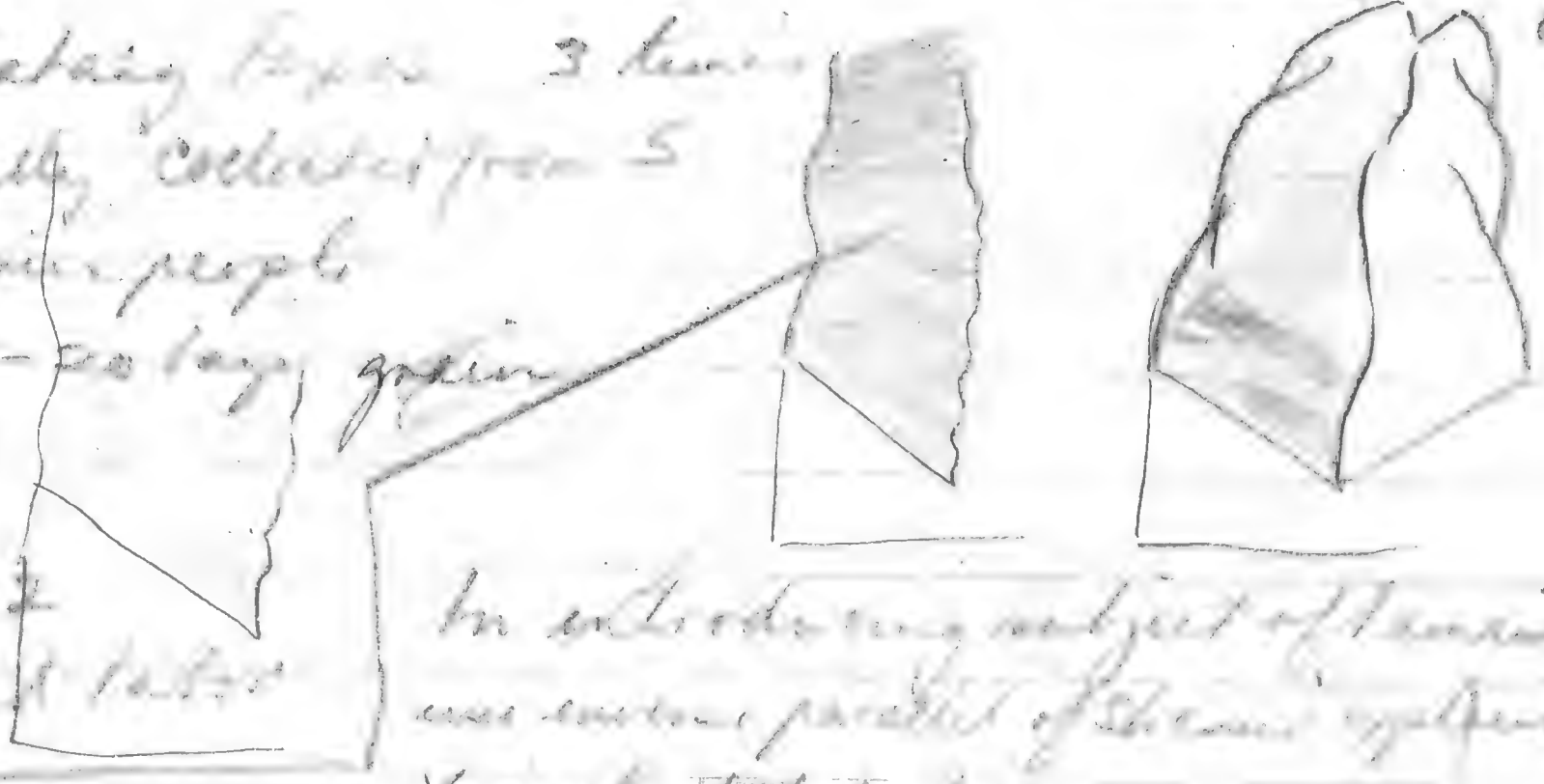
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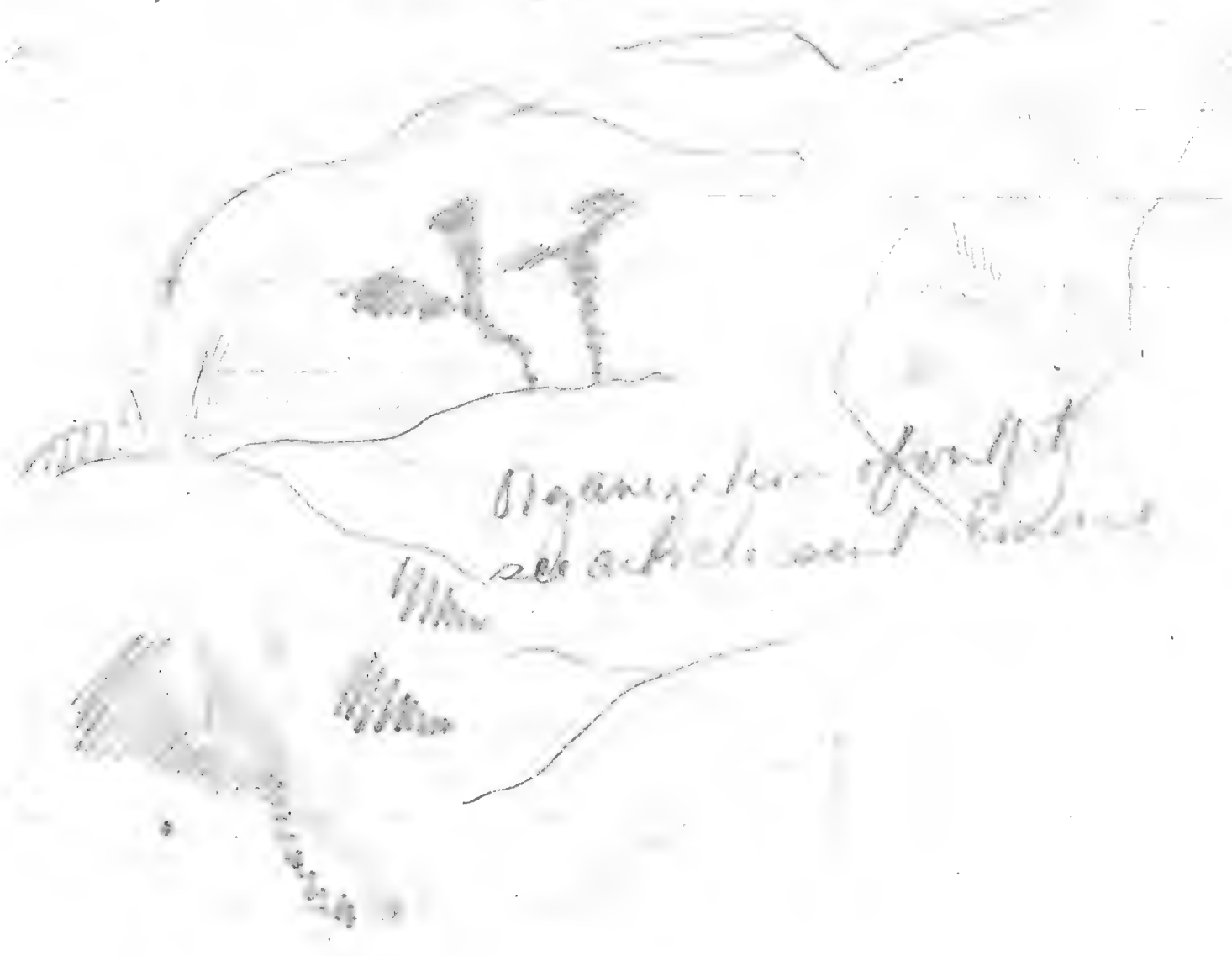
Batavia Bay 3 times

annually collected from 5 categories people

- 1) 15 - 20 days grain
- 2) 10
- 3) 5
- 4) 1 or 2
- 5) forest labor



In introducing subject of ...
was ... product of ...
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The same has ... China has retained ...
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The British the men with... would allow them nothing to eat and... them of their consequences to be applied on... alone and the foreign... ^{dared to}... again without... The... the friendly... at once issued an... their... the... to be... out...

Drum... now entered into... on... the... for the... to... as... whether... ~~last~~ of the... with... we... to... side... to... the... work... two of delay... necessary to... welcome for a short...

A deposit of 200... was necessary and... day of departure... in... of two weeks... date. However our work here has been

satisfactorily done & every week we can start 65
from spring arguments our chances of finding the
wild yak still in these fine winter plumage

Dec 14

On the shores of the Yangtze

Five nights ago we were lying in bed
some became ~~feeling very miserable indeed~~. As the
~~not yet~~ back to normal strength we are now
with the exception of Dundon enjoying peaceful
~~stomach and decent appetites~~ or rather stopped
my slightly about vomiting up the poisonous meat
of the deer of sleep. Tonight all the rest of back to
scratch with the exception of Dundon we are all
feeling relatively
comfortable.

~~to order to~~ As a last slim chance to justify
our camp this morning we Yang and I executed a
drive in the morning with Wang and Jenging as
beaters. Taking our stands of last evening we
sent them up the valley to drive down towards
us through the ~~thick~~ dense jungle of the ^{south}
that carpet the valley floor & affords optimum
cover for the cougars of the sambar. ~~The drive~~
~~was far more effective in terms of distance than~~
~~we had anticipated~~ Though they put out a
sambar, it by no means follows that they put

... of the plain & willows
rose up, for the road in no way... the
deer could very easily slip...
under ^{shells} of the bank escape up or down the
side. The day hunt was evidently over
and though ^{but} we had in any case to drop
down to the bottom of the canyon to cross the river
~~Schäfer~~ continued along rather than return to
the road Schäfer continued to work his way along
the slope just above the jungle clapping his hands
& shouting about with a last hope of seeing
deer while I proceeded along the road with my
gun.

Sunday... a shot...
below and I went down to investigate. Just
before disappearing into the trees of a low ridge he
shouted back that Schäfer had ~~been~~ struck but
not killed. Another...
appeared on the opposite bank of the stream &
discomolately waved us to continue ^{on} our way
with the horses. Evidently our men were
to carry home. Rejoining forces...
Schäfer told me a sad story typical of the...
ing: at 20 odd years in response to his clapping
the author of a story stood out of some...
started off from the jungle without ^{offering a} ~~pulling~~

^{shot} a target until the animal had reached the edge of the terrace above the rock. There he emerged skirting the terrace at a slow trot until I had seen of the target how he had come into the willow below. There could be no question but that he was hit & hit hard but I thought very great an hour ^{previously} Combing the ground for him without finding a trace of his blood well to follow because of the maze of fresh tracks. Rotten long land!

Descending through the lowland of the river at dusk we descended the cliffs. No good but saw none.

Tomorrow we are for ^{rejuvenate} Betang to rest, write — and bathe!

Dec 13 Camp Mwangi (name?)

Another sleepless night but a profitable one. Early in the morning I woke up in a heavy sweat — as did also Joe — and threw off the last of the fever. We also felt much better and when we had ^{accepted} our laxatives which ^{later} took effect the world seemed much brighter.

Though still very weak we went down into the terrace below in the early forenoon & I killed

Two great birds, ...

In the ^{late} morning, ...
... near the spot from which ...
... this night ...
... taking ...
... a long walk ...
... slowly descending ...
... scrambled down the slope ...
... two hundred feet ...
... a large ...
... opening of ^{the} ...
... of wild ...
... that though ...
... went ...
... through ...
... & going back to ...
... no game I heard a ...
... easily ...
... while ...
... and below ...
... an animal ...
... but ...

So to bed weary but ...
the past 2 days

^{about 1000 ft up to camp}
I decided to go to the top of the mountain. First of all
we went into the cliff with a gun. First of all
I felt somewhat ill & was used to ^{believe} ~~feel~~
the mountain was very high. I had put it on
regardless. ^{When} After a half mile I realized I had
made a bad mistake. It was the canyon had passed
on up the slope it was too late to turn back.

The terrain was typical of a part of
yesterday's terrain. The heavy vegetation was not
plentiful and must be growing slowly. The
grassy wall of the valley fell off as to the
yongly but seemed by the low the old plain
dishes of which are generally found in

break and suggest a very few signs. Step
sign was everywhere but all of it was to be

Then I was struck by the abundance of signs
& the lack of fresh tracks
gave rise to the suspicion that it has been

made by a very few animals over a very long
period of time. One was ~~common~~ only in the

stark we ^{crossed} passed the canyon valley but
found none of the signs at that time I

was still ^{hopeful} ~~of~~ finding a few signs
continued along the slope.

My instructions from Solapas who had
hunted this well of the gorge from my point

... down on an and slip by the ...
~~... the valley~~ ^{slope} Five hundred feet down ...
I heard two which "I am lost" but ~~no~~ ^{not} reply
from ~~above~~ ^{from} the Yangtze answered us. The last
ramp of the night was an agony. There we faced
our way and long grass seemed intent on ...
... with a surprising suddenness
we emerged onto an open ^{plateau} ~~highland~~ that extended
for some distance to the east ~~by~~ ⁱⁿ ~~the~~
~~direction of~~ ^{the} ~~mountain~~
... It was true ...
... but this time I had no answer from the
great distance seemingly to the east ^{subsequently} ~~of the~~ ~~mountain~~
Then we ~~arrived~~ ^{some arrived} we were in the field. The noise
showed us the skeleton of an a ...
... and we realized that we must be
~~on the fields~~ on the coast of the ridge & the further
height must represent the west and east sides
unless wrong. By repeated hollowings we found
our way down through the ... and
into camp. Only one man was asked, the man who
had been signally ... He said
and heard & answered was just "I am lost" but
the walls of the valley had absorbed the ...

Schäfer ...
Schäfer was in the last stage of ...

(As the ridge top shot toward far away a high 75
at once)

He had climbed repeatedly all through the ^{day} morning
until so weak he could not sit his horse, in
the evening aft. he lost his road ascending those
heavy rocks in the valley below had jumped a
couple of times at twenty yards but had sufficient
strength to hold the rifle in the main air neck as
it stood watching him from behind a large stone.
Reeling & climbing, unable to climb, he had
~~fallen~~ given out within a few feet of
foot of camp and lay covered in by the snow.

In the latter part of the day I had become
convinced that my horse was temporarily in danger
and I believed it to be recovered but addressing I
fell in a distressing fit of coughing and had an
other vomiting attack.

At last to his feeling weak and broken but
rejoicing in the prospect of the next day. Even this
was denied however for the pains that attacked
combined with the laceration of the day's riding
and falling to keep me painfully changing position
all night & only occasionally falling into light
fitful slumber.

4:45 PM I left Sanyang very early
left the camp for the forest

When my little hunting clock stood at seven
thirty, I was kept ^{from his feet} ~~from his feet~~ and an hour later
~~set off on the straight~~ ^{set off on the straight} to stalk an animal
sambhar (or) in walking for dinner
By leaving at 4:30 he would reach the forest of
parchly oak and the upland meadows in
yesterday found such a place. I left camp
out at dawn. Then for perhaps 20 min. of
light, there were no chance of a shot. ^{Acquiring} Some
deer would start to browse and the ^{will be}
would ^{be} ~~be~~ ^{precise among} ~~precise among~~ for ~~hunting~~ ^{hunting}; all of
this dependent on the presence of the sambhar
which seem to be in a small herd in the relatively
^{limited} ~~small~~ area one hunter can stalk. As with all
the large deer in this country, however a "shot"
would probably mean three or four an opportunity
to collect two or three animals unless that
independent unit of all large game a line day
crossed ^{the} line of fire

The most amazing part after dinner. I wanted
to learn how they had killed with their own own
game with their slow and methodical. I was
amused that they for spotted the goat in the
early morning & followed their stalk until it had
gone to couch on a small ledge. Such a kill
is to my mind the best of hunting and entertaining
as it has been very patient and well
stalking, in comparably higher than the stake of
a quick shot at a skilled animal or a single
shot in a single shot and single shot.

My friend George was with me and was amused
at our campsite below the cliff and showed
show the cliff to me and in the bottom of
I spied George stalking along scanning the ledge
for goats. When he came opposite to me I covered
behind some boulders and began to call in a
close imitation as possible to the stalking goat.
It had immediate effect and for about 15 minutes
when exploding with laughter which he continued
has for the muffled sound of his laugh I
kept him running back and forth scanning the
cliff from every angle. Finally he started
to run well below the cliff down the bank
to look up obliquely from a distance below the cliff and delivered a

tibetan was asleep and we both laughed till our
sides ached.

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Joining him I learned he had killed a goat
wounded a second on our way up the cañon. The first
a middle sized one, he shot on one of the summits he
had ridden up, and descended by ~~the~~ the easiest
suggestion of the men to camp in some old fields by
the river.

Supper brought down in the dark for us
all. There was ~~no~~ water when I rose and cast
it out on the ground an example followed by ~~me~~
a few minutes later. ~~When I saw~~ ~~him~~ ~~he~~ ~~came~~ ~~to~~ ~~give~~ ~~me~~
an explanation involving that all the ~~men~~ ~~had~~ ~~been~~ ~~in~~ ~~the~~ ~~meat~~
was a ~~bit~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~meat~~. Then we ~~had~~ ~~supper~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~meat~~,
the first of the ~~kind~~ ~~of~~ ~~meat~~ ~~we~~ ~~had~~ ~~seen~~ ~~before~~.
Like all the ~~members~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~tribe~~ he had been lean &
was in an unusual condition for wild game at this
time of year. It seemed very probable that ~~the~~ ~~lack~~ ~~of~~ ~~water~~
and ~~due~~ ~~to~~ ~~chronic~~ ~~exhaustion~~ had ~~poisoned~~ ~~me~~.

When I warned the men ~~again~~ ~~who~~ ~~were~~ ~~just~~ ~~commenc~~
my ~~third~~ ~~supper~~, ~~they~~ ~~only~~ ~~forgot~~ ~~to~~ ~~eat~~ ~~it~~.
Be that as it
may, ~~the~~ ~~men~~ ~~were~~ ~~still~~ ~~in~~ ~~the~~ ~~same~~ ~~state~~ ~~of~~ ~~mind~~ ~~as~~ ~~before~~.
The scene of a strange straggling ~~men~~ ~~as~~ ~~compared~~
by ~~the~~ ~~use~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~word~~ ~~and~~ ~~whooping~~ ~~in~~ ~~which~~ ~~all~~

parted my own part of it was apparently
not feeling but I have been working on
the continuously and never stop.

Sepuché

Dec 8

Dividing our work as usual we left the
house at daybreak Iunge going out to see
myself ascending the small valley to a good
though I expected and my time perfectly
surveyed the whole mountain including all of
the ideal hour between breakfast & noon we saw
no goal and at 8.30 the stalk was over.

The end of the great cliff proper however
mark the beginning of a very fine sandstone and
snow-covered of pucks and gold. As we
descend through this wood I found ^{the first} ~~many~~ ^{the first}
in startling abundance the indications were
that a small cave had descended ^{to} ~~at~~ ^{the}
night and sought another cave perhaps across
the valley. Above the first steep ramp of pucks
and we emerged on a series of open meadow-
types which the mt ^{again} sloped up ^{to} ~~the~~
steeply up then thickets of poplar & birch to
high pine woods. After walking ^{to} ~~the~~ ^{to}

noise, I sent Vinny back to camp and for an hour
 or so wandered about as silently as possible through
 the forest and trees as far as I could see and
 snow spots. I found a place, but I was not particu-
 larly for sambar which I had seen across the river
 as another habitual occurrence was evidenced by
 well worn ^{well} paths on the tree
 trunks made by the dogs while passing their routes
~~of~~ from the west.

When the sun was high I gave up the search
 and returned to the valley by a dry flood ^{season} gorge.
 That day I had a shower in the rock and was
 surprised to have the bits of powder an ideal
 bed for ^{unfortunately} ~~me~~. The bottom of the gorge was heavily
 carpeted with dry leaves ^{while} the slopes and
 abundant stones which on the sides of the river
~~made~~ ^{it} ~~impossible~~ continued to make a white
 streak out of the ground. The gorge was extremely
 interesting ^{however} as a decided study. Goral
 came frequently into the stream dropping their sign
 side by side beside that of mink deer. Snow used
 both water and lower channel as a cover for
 account a descent of the river, though I was surprised
 not to find ~~more~~ shells under the boulders in the
 gorge. Just at the river mouth on the upper slopes
 were sambar harts also coming down the ^{bank} ~~bank~~

track of a big dog.

Returned to camp the same I arrived. I
waited 2.30 then the dead horns of the animal lay
until 2.30. Taking Jimmy who is beginning to
resent the hunt and his invaluable presence
I climbed up to last night's ^{camp} ~~camp~~ & kept an
~~open eye~~ ^{open eye} but without sign of game.

Schäfer had had better success than the
day was still young but they had spied down a
small band of sheep ~~feeding~~ ^{feeding} in the
grove. ^{As} The sheep ~~were~~ ^{were} obviously also aware
of them ~~but they~~ ^{so they} ~~waited~~ ^{waited} to await their ^{probable} ~~certain~~ ^{probable} flight
before getting up for shot. The distance was great

however and the sheep ~~jumped~~ ^{jumped} & ~~ran~~ ^{ran} was
the consequence of sudden ~~start~~ ^{start}. The
sheep had come and shortly afterwards
evidently under the impression that the hunters were
also sheep. When they disappeared ⁱⁿ ~~in~~ a small

channel Schäfer ~~jumped~~ ^{jumped} took a shooting vest
& knocked over a ~~large~~ ^{large} ~~can~~ ^{can} when he climbed
to the top of rock & point. The animal is a
fine specimen weighing only 2 lbs against 10 lbs
for a mature ram of the same with horns a horn
spread of 2 lbs against 2 lbs 8 inches for the

between
in narrow right foot mud walls ~~in the narrowest~~
place furnishes an ideal passage for a fire to fire
Shelton's horse was killed turning a corner where
the road dips back into the valley to cross a
flood channel.

At Huan Ma Lien we had coffee in a house
on the roof of a building. It was just a building
that the people use to store their things by a bridge
leading up the valley. However the water has been
two nights before the meat coming away by the
river. There is also no more water of the river
so that the bridge is safe for any attempt on
our part.

The top plateau

Reached Yunchi a short time later Jeng and I

started our horse and riding up the valley in the
evening light. A half mile up ^{turned} south and
climbed ^{into} the rocky cliff face above the cave
in which I wounded the serow. Crossing the
stream I continued up the valley for a short
distance before taking ^{one of a series} of 30 ledges with
clats and in part by using the
lower shrouding. After a climb of only a few
hundred feet I could survey the surrounding
face of the next ledge, reached on which I
killed a goat on my last trip as well as

The rock face that towers above the lower ledge series of ledges and the cliff across the stream

For three quarters of an hour my watch was unimportant but then it is to a sharp eastward breeze extremely warm rather uncomfortable. Clothing is a difficult problem. In some swimming watches. The ascent to each vantage is usually, strenuous & is often retarded by the late afternoon sun. The work is a good sweat with clothing, not half adequate to keep off the chill breeze that springs up with dusk.

As usual action came from the least expected quarter the ^{very} center of the valley. That continued for sixty yards above my stand before reaching the shore of the stream. I found close by the ^{characteristic} small gap in the wall the point of emergence. In position ^{just} the head & neck of an animal reared out of the water like a dolphin. I was down in ten minutes in vain I waited for a better shot. Without a aim I went back into the water and I was

was no more. ^{They} made a stand very high in the cliffs, but had seen no game. He had said he would see the animal. He had said he would see the animal very nearly in the bushes.

Dec 19

Batong

As we sat at our writing in the ^{evening} ~~morning~~ of the morning one of our workmen came running upstairs to tell this morning in the warm sunlight - that

This morning as we were seated writing and scanning envelopes on the ^{our platform one of the} roof, ~~and~~ a ~~plane~~ flew upstairs up the station in high excitement to announce and jabbard ^{and that you would} something ~~that~~ go over to town to see some spectacles ^{the} we could not make out what we were to hear very fine to see

the by mission grounds to Bat-

~~any~~ ~~that~~ ~~we~~ ~~could~~ ~~not~~ ~~make~~ ~~out~~ ~~what~~ ~~we~~ ~~were~~ ~~to~~ ~~hear~~ ~~very~~ ~~fine~~ ~~to~~ ~~see~~ ~~the~~ ~~by~~ ~~mission~~ ~~grounds~~ ~~to~~ ~~Bat-~~ ~~ong~~ ~~run~~ ~~to~~ ~~Batong~~ ~~the~~ ~~hospital~~ ~~there~~ ~~around~~ ~~about~~ ~~a~~ ~~large~~ ~~crowd~~

Ma Tien Chang had arranged a ~~re-enactment~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~1932~~ ^{the} ~~siege~~ ~~in~~ ~~order~~ ~~to~~ ~~secure~~ ~~photographs~~ ~~to~~ ~~show~~ ~~the~~ ~~folks~~ ~~back~~ ~~home~~ ~~in~~ ~~China~~ ~~and~~ ~~to~~ ~~give~~ ~~him~~ ~~an~~ ~~idea~~ ~~of~~ ~~what~~ ~~it~~ ~~was~~ ~~like~~ ~~at~~ ~~the~~ ~~time~~

Mr. F. C. had arranged a ~~re-enactment~~ of the most spectacular engagements of the 1932 siege in order to secure photographs to show the folks back home in China and to give him an idea of what it was like at the time. He runs a developing shop in Tachien

Dadling

The end of a short rough trip moderately successful and fine sport. I came to this tributary valley of the upper Yangtze to get goral and sheep. The last named I haven't seen hair of and I only killed one goral, tho I will have one last go at them tomorrow daybreak before returning to Batang. The best sport I have had with snow killing one very fine specimen three days ago a big buck black as an ac. of spade with a fine white mane, wounding a female last night for which we searched high & low all morning without success and getting up another tonight the right specimen.

The buck was a great surprise springing from what I was seeking in goral cover with a skull that of alarm half a bottle half a pint at the top of the gullies and rock slides. That is to say the cliffs are shallow basins thickly grown up with poplar and golden oak trees some shrubs looking very much like orange trees. The main — I have spotted some goral and — page — goral habitat

is below in the steep cliffs & on the walls
of the snow cornice. The next eve. I devoted to
a good stand in the grassy cliffs across
the valley but last night I climbed to the rim
of another basin only a few hundred yards
from the one in which I killed it. Just as
just at dusk was rewarded by the sight of
a black sheep slipping down the snow below.
Unfortunately I had to fire offhand without
rest and quickly so that my shot was not
fatal. This morning we found a good blood trail
for only a few hundred yards and then so little
that we lost it in a maze of tracks made dur-
ing the past few days. This eve. I again
went to the top of the cliffs and in a similar
basin heard a snow fox over a quarter of an
hour tho the cover was so heavy I could see
nothing

(groggish but of face, multicolored orbits & endures)

The dust was passed ^{over} of this as you would have
seen a ~~man~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~same~~ ~~kind~~ ~~as~~ ~~the~~ ~~specimens~~ ~~presented~~
were slight interesting. One ~~was~~ ^{was} ~~which~~ ~~was~~ ~~found~~ ~~near~~
which was a cabinet in the grave yard and ~~was~~
~~an~~ ~~antiquarian~~ ~~reproduction~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~same~~ ~~kind~~ ~~as~~ ~~the~~ ~~specimens~~ ~~presented~~
~~to~~ ~~modern~~ ~~science~~ ~~was~~ ~~very~~ ~~short~~ ~~on~~ ~~a~~ ~~piece~~
of some ~~university~~ ~~that~~ ~~weight~~ ~~less~~ ~~than~~ ~~the~~ ~~specimens~~
in Kansas, Kiangwan, or Canton.

Beking

Dec 18

Before retiring last night we received a
call from the messenger carrier of the game warden
office to inquire whether we any ^{could} ~~would~~ ~~help~~
to mend the ~~to~~ ~~last~~ ~~specimens~~ ~~of~~ ~~our~~ ~~specimens~~ ~~which~~
has recently refused to supply ~~some~~ ~~of~~ ~~our~~ ~~specimens~~
messages. He they can still be received on battery
power. We regretted - very much regretted that
we were just planning a drive to Hamington -
that none of us had any knowledge of things
electrical.

This morning we had a messenger ~~with~~
request delivered in person by the radio operators
and he still protesting that radios were beyond our
Ken Sanger & I agreed to at least look at the
machine. Chase and particularly interested at

have the feeling that the foreigners in all knowing
a court of last appeal, ^{and that} as tribute to the abilities 91
and wisdom of the missionaries.

As reported to me, only the winding apparatus
was not functioning and was machas taking care to
let up the tubes. The trouble was obviously in the
Syrans. This they took apart for us and we
were able to show them that what they had feared
was the trouble was not at all the real source of
difficulty, though what that source actually was
we did not discover. After endless muddling about
with the innards of the machine we taped up a
few strands of wire ^{from the coil} that I judge that might be
causing a short circuit and had them put it to-
gether while the assembled crowd smiled a knowing,
pleasant smile as to any "about their own devices."
These foreigners are a clever set. At last the parts
were reassembled and the crank man sat down
in the saddle for the great experiment. Amid bated
breath I watched. Just for a moment the
deal registered no response a look of edified
disappointment expressed every face a slight
sigh, a murmur that we had been worth the time &
trouble, we all went away, half-joking that
we had broken the damn thing!

Looking back over our series of measurements of the specimens so far taken we find that ^{also refer specimens} whereas an adult male and female of the blue sheep proper weighed ~~respectively~~ 143 and 96 lbs respectively, corresponding measurements of the dwarf race weighed only 83 and 50 lbs. About the horns we are in some disagreement. On the basis of a large head claimed by the natives to have been carried by a dwarf blue sheep as well of a big one which Schöffer saw & missed to argue that the little race carries as large horns as the big blue sheep. To this contention I am opposed on the grounds of a single ratio which seems to me proof conclusive to the contrary. One of the horns killed by ~~him~~ ^{him}. The horns of a ram killed by Schöffer ^{himself} ~~himself~~ as closely as we can compute 5 or 6 years ^{old} had a spread of only 16 in as over against 27 in spread of a ram of approximately the same age I killed near Tach. The ratio of $\pm 6 : 16 :: \pm 6 : 27$ ~~seems to~~ ^{clearly} indicate to me the fact ~~is~~ ^{is} that the race should logically (the horns are exceptions in the animal world to the contrary) carry.

Dear Dave

I told you not long ago that I considered Tril! an undesirable type and now I must write you to let him go. I take the opportunity to do it by letter as I realize you are fond of the boy and I don't wish to have a misunderstanding with you on the subject.

Don & Don got on the subject of his eating money with me and before they were through Wong and Jimmy had chipped in each his version. The men resent it and I am no longer willing to have this demoralizing influence in the outfit.

To cite only a few instances: on the 21st he took cigarettes from my box. In Tachicola he bought only two cartons of cigarettes, yet he smoked them the entire way to Badang & then sold them in good to him, whose it is not difficult to conjecture. In ditang he stole from me 6 cakes of face soap & 2 tubes of tooth paste. For the bit fork of my rifle he paid only 5 p. for the entire transaction not 25 p but 20 only. There are certainly only a few detected instances of a constant petty thievery.

The job of coming him out is yours, as you have known him so long & besides will understand how to do it gently.

Darling

We are encamped in a sunny & pleasant spot in it would be possible to find within 50 miles of Batabo. At this the moon is, we would normally be writing down & enjoying a night between the morning & evening hunt. There are no doubts today however. The outfit is stricken with an illness, presumably probably from a dwarf that they are all sick. I myself before last. I was the first to show it up for several after supper & perturbation in a very strong at the time then in from the first. It was very, very, very at the time: three or four people & hooping in air on. In the morning we all felt a little nauseated & rather weak but as the days job consisted only of a long ride up the higher camp and I was did not feel - her with her own was 1 of the own job was ^{ride keeping up & team to go to} slope above the river. We find a rd of which I was told to follow it over. The ride to camp as I thought a few or so to get over a not too difficult terrain. When we had started for a quarter mile I realized my cover I was so much weaker & more shaky than I had been slipping off cliffs. per James my hunter trailed along with a sharp for I felt I was not able to follow him.

up but couldn't sleep all night for pain & delirium?

Now the whole of us are about on a par. Weak as
kittens & unable to eat anything but soup & water rice.
* To improve the fare Schepel & I dragged ourselves out
yesterday & got 3 pheasants (I am going into another day)
A man from the kitchen returned to bathing for laxative
which I hope will prove our salvation and soft foods.
Last night we both had fever & again could not sleep.
So today we are accordingly weaker. The doctor says
we tonight I pray & tomorrow we will be on the mend.
We had but be for a week of time at these attitudes
would spell gain to two very promising young chaps.

and develop of the mission. With his wife & 101
Mr. & Mrs. [Name] he began active work in an attempt
even of the [Name] [Name] if not open hostility. Through
the years the [Name] of the [Name] family, changing occasionally

for leave or even removed by death, worked patiently
and unselfishly [Name] [Name] the [Name] of
the people, [Name] [Name] and bringing a few to
their own belief. Land was bought, [Name] [Name] &
one by one the chief buildings of the [Name] [Name] [Name]

~~Discipline. Then the [Name] [Name] due to economic
circumstances at home the mission [Name] [Name] [Name]~~

~~its [Name] [Name] To us on this side of the world the
presence of one more or less [Name] in good [Name]~~

~~China some of little [Name] but to the few [Name] [Name]
familiar [Name] an [Name] life in a [Name] [Name]
which they [Name] [Name] [Name] developed [Name] [Name]~~

~~In 1931 the [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name]~~

~~I am [Name] of "homicide" life [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name]~~

~~tragic. The [Name] [Name] withdrawal of support
however was [Name] [Name] to the [Name] that~~

~~attended [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name]~~

~~invested [Name] and withdrawing. Those [Name] [Name] [Name]
left the [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name]~~

~~From the [Name] and the [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name]
the [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name]~~

old warhorses of the British who had been called 153
to Kany to aid in the capture of the Shensi men he
gathered about him a large contingent of local men and
by a long drive overthrew Wang Tzu-fu (heut 3rd)
disarming 3000 local soldiers in addition ^{procurement} in conjunction
with a similar action on the part of the British ^{5 days or so} ~~with~~
with regard to a second soldier's quarrel at
Yenching in Tientsin. The disarmed soldiers were then
packed off down river to Yunnan.

(and eventually extending it to the whole of the
whole of the north, ground part of the day)

After 24th in the night at Yenching, however,
the British were refused to leave the area to the
Tientsin ^{the British} ~~the British~~ a further expedition by
~~called for a~~ ~~large~~ ~~number~~ ~~of~~ ~~local~~ ~~troops~~ ~~against~~ ~~the~~ ~~back~~
of local soldiers. Some later threat was made a further
expedition to ~~unsuccessful~~ ~~appealed~~ ~~to~~ ~~the~~ ~~local~~
authorities in Tientsin ~~was~~ ~~not~~ ~~to~~ ~~be~~ ~~for~~
~~an~~ ~~expedition~~ ~~to~~ ~~be~~ ~~sent~~ ~~to~~ ~~the~~ ~~area~~
attack on the other side of the river from the
Tibet to his support a ~~more~~ ~~substantial~~ ~~force~~ ~~of~~ ~~local~~ ~~troops~~ ~~at~~ ~~the~~ ~~disposal~~
force of local troops at Hanoi.

For two weeks the British maintained a
partial occupation of the city, but the defence was
soon abandoned when unable to force
victory on the other side of the river, and the

Bathing

Mail fast Sing Ka Hsi

Nov 3

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The mail service remains an impenetrable mystery. Every mail now brings letters from some part in the most startling order. Mail of July arrives here a week after mail of late August.

To augment our chance of obtaining a good series of hung lutz as well ^{as} to secure if possible a specimen or two of the far rarer tai lutz we have furnished a Chinese rifle to a native of Sing Ka Hsi three days to the north and offered ourselves of different sums for different game, thus 400 for a hung lutz day and 50 for tai lutz, 200 for a kind of wood species and 250 for a sambar stag. Later if we have the good fortune to obtain hung lutz here, we plan an extensive trip to Sing Ka Hsi to stalk tai lutz.

The sores on my feet are apparently no closer to healing than a week ago. No sooner do the sores dry than inflammation sets in again and they must be opened and softened.

Babing -

Foot tracks -
staying up -

Jul 11 Nov 7

At long last on feet soon on the road to recovery. The men are coming from the woods out instead of sealing themselves out and sitting up around campfires toward the north.

Tomorrow I am off to parallel Babing's road across the dry country. With me I am taking a horse manny, the hunter called 'Sage', also Sammie, Doc & Toke and six sled mules for our camping equipment. I plan to be gone until I kill a dog or ten days - but expect; By experience I have found ten to twelve days to be the limit for maximum efficiency of our crew.

When the long ka the hunter returns as he promised to do within 14 days we will form a strong hunting party and make a determined shot on Long ka the & Deco Denta at finding his tracks.

Batang

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Dec. 27

In a rather exciting manner we sailed to
E.G.S.

I wonder if I will ever experience a *Kwan*
without feeling a ^{sharp} relief when the banquet and
the starting dice. Even in remote Batang where
I expected to manage a *Kwan* dinner they after
prolonged consultation we eventually ate our way
through three ~~separate~~ + ~~more~~ ~~and~~ ~~more~~
~~pieces~~ with the end we ate our way through no
less than three dinners of major proportions, each
of them a ~~mountain~~ piece of the culinary art, distinguished
ed by a delicate sauce of brandy, hard purpura &
mince ~~and~~ crowned by a flaming plum pudding.
Needless to say we paid the table of ~~rather~~ ~~rather~~
* ~~rather~~ ~~rather~~ in full.

On Christmas eve as is custom ~~to~~ ^{to} hold our
family ~~feast~~ ^{celebration} I kept our ~~real~~ ~~Christmas~~ ~~tree~~
~~over~~ ~~the~~ ~~tree~~ ~~which~~ ~~has~~ ~~been~~ ~~decorated~~ ~~with~~ ~~papers~~
flowers (but I paper) apples, ^{popcorn} ~~more~~, colored bird
skins and ~~ornaments~~ ~~and~~ red Chinese candles. After a
~~supper~~ ~~of~~ ~~fruit~~ ~~and~~ ~~spirit~~ we had a
Kwan tree decorated with gaudily colored paper
flowers, ^{but} ~~and~~ ~~popcorn~~, colored ~~birds~~
and illuminated by the light of red Chinese candles.

After a sumptuous dinner we set out on
a looking of home and about had a dinner
smoking another cigar while we drank a bottle of
E. & W.

In the morning we were joined by two
to separate ourselves at last in a house with two
sides. Although the weather was so fine we
could not resist two plates of vanilla ice cream
with which the experiment was.

Yesterday we spent the day in
until midnight. The wedding of Mr. & Mrs. [unclear] was
held at 11 A.M. (between 10 and 11 A.M.)
cockcrow, (12 M. and 2 P.M.) promised to be of especial
interest and at 11 P.M. we sallied forth to attend the
ceremonies. At the house of the bride a large
reception attended by the friends of both parties
but, as ^{by the way} house of Mr. & Mrs. "under" side were seen to
lead the bride to the house of the groom. As
befitted the occasion and their rank they were
gorgeously attired in robes of silk & velvet trimmed
with broad bands of marbled fur. Under the robes
which they cast carelessly back for the sake of
convenience in the stuffy smoky hall room they
wore tunics of white silk and waistcoats of blue
with embroidery of gold.

When we arrived the first course, ~~which~~ 109
~~was~~ comparable to the dinner of nuts, fruit and
sweetmeats had already been consumed but we were
given place of honor at the bridal board and plied
with mien (noodles doused in meat soup) and hot
barley wine. If we should have become intoxicated the
hosts would have been certain we were enjoying ourselves
and accordingly the attendant who was standing close
a man of rank walked on like a hawk stopping
swiftly to refill the little silver cups from which we
drank if we so much as sipped the wine.

At exactly 1 AM. the bride came down stairs
attended by her ladies-in-wait and the ceremony started
in earnest (see letter to B. D. Dec 24 for details).

The wedding is again on the quiet so though
we can receive only the most confidential reports as
to what they discussed the trouble to be or how
they repaired it. Accordingly I sent Cannon from
the following message this evening.

"Letter Nov 28 received. Please disregard
messages concerning money at your discretion
arrange payment by check.

Babang

Dec 19

The arrival

to mail today without telling from London with a pertinent note from Cunningham. He has received the additional 1000 ft. of my film which in July to amplify the amount 200 feet I bought for Shanghai to photograph birds of sea and land in Kokoer. He inquires how we want it sent in evidently not aware of our intention to start work early next month. I am seriously worried as to how I am going to get the film in as get it back some as to whether we shall be able to obtain money in Lydenbo as so Handley promised in Sept. by the British Museum. The kindness of the museum is as rather helpless & ^{we} can only hope Cunningham has managed to get the money as has accomplished some tangible result with Lydenbo that will merchants at other Lydenbo correspondents. He always writes "am working on the matter which is small comfort" to me whose venture is dependent on his success. When I agreed to the arrangement which at present stands to be as essential to my contract suggest me he should have arranged a careful plan whereby the money was to be sent into Babang under a small amount of money.

Schäfer left today for the upper valley of the
Mili Ting to hunt sambar. I shall stay here until
matter concern themselves a little.

But.

Dec 20

Duncan arrived this morning from Mili Ting
to ask for mail & coffee & to inform me that Schäfer
had bagged a sambar hind early in the early hours,
though he knows details of the kill.

In the afternoon we closed two deals
which Duncan has been negotiating for some days.
The purchase of 3 small cattle from the Bonda
family for the purpose of a price of 5500 and of a
~~small cow~~ ^{belonging to} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~same~~ ^{family}
for 500 & both sums to be paid in
Rachicli by Cunningham. Though both parties
were still in conversation our decidedly share of
cost by this arrangement.

But.

Dec 21

My anxiety over the ^{imp.} plan, the money for
Kekone and the question of obtaining the permit
in time for an early start ^{invited} ~~dece~~ me to arrange ^{today}
with Duncan that he should start for ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~same~~ ^{same} ~~place~~ ^{place} ~~to~~ ^{to}
Narrow ^{before} ~~with~~ a letter to Cunningham.

I requested him to send the film, the supplies from
Chung and 5000 ^(the add. 5000 payment of to be awarded in Sylek) to Selang by coolies who
be loaded with 35 dja in order that they ^{may} if
possible double the amount of washing
to do on the road out. The way from Takt as
far as Selang is ~~considered~~ free from brigands
and in receipt of Cunningham's were to the effect
of "all good shipped" we shall send over a packet
for you and to Selang in order to bring the
money safely across the dangerous ~~area~~ of
the two Swatons and the Tamm ~~area~~. In the
event that ^{Cunn} ~~we~~ ^{we} ~~are~~ ^{are} able to arrange payment
in Sylek and I requested ^{him} ~~him~~ to send an
order of 1000 of cash.

By his letter I am preparing our date of
departure by those weeks at the least (from Jan 2
to Jan 24) but the map film is of ~~great~~ ^{great} im-
portance and we shall be comfortable in ~~the~~ ^{the}
having sufficient ~~cash~~ ^{cash} money for the journey to
Kokanad

Pat.

Dec 33

Vunge returned ^{yesterday} ~~today~~ in triumph from
Mala Tug. Two hours after daybreak ~~he~~ ^{he}
he killed a big sambar stag on his first walk
over above M. T. He could see only ^{that} a head and

at 200 yds but he shot it down in a week
shot. He says it would be a very good present.

My former present arrived this morning in the
shape of a letter from Emma & a note from Cunningham
informing me that we need have no fear in proceed-
ing to Hyderabad, that a satisfactory conclusion to
his negot. with a view to purchase for payment
of 12,000 in that line was expected. It is regret-
table his letter did not arrive before my last visit
but the other information to that ^{with this plan} ~~was~~ ^{was} quickly
would be a kind post.

Batavia (Cont'd from p 43)

Nov 29 Dec 4

waterworks can be accomplished at the smallest
expense

Batavia

Nov 23

A large & recently grown in New Guinea
location our proposed stay here in Batavia is
which has a little further to the north. An
immense amount of fine woods are headed by
the family of the King of the island, refused
to pay the customary taxes in kind of any
-kind of batavia and other managing the
policy of the Gov. Ch not to batavia which is very prejudicial

unless essential the name should be
~~determined~~

dispatched a company to go to
collect the tax on the other side the settlement. The
~~the result of the expedition was of course~~
settlement. At the approach of the soldiers
of course to the settlement
open and killed a ch. who was returning to
Bosang and not after the burning of the settlement.

The result of this injudicious expedition
~~to create~~ which was ~~principally~~ principally
due to the desire to establish a
a ~~disruption~~ disruption was to create a ~~very~~
situation with serious potentialities which had
only been an unimportant occurrence. The clan of the
Chun by King Mansung has been transformed into
a ~~manor~~ manor from a delinquent into a lawless
marauder & the ~~in~~ in large degree prepared to prevent
it. The ~~only~~ ^{chief} hope of a prompt solution to the
difficulty lies in the conviction of some
the chief priest of the Red Yellow Sect. In the
Tamaury reside monks from all the adjoining
regions and certainly many of them are
men of Songka // Deo Dinto ~~and~~ ^{assault} assaults
of the Dinto property. This ~~is the~~ ^{is the} ~~reason~~ ^{reason}

~~probable that Ba Lama will be able~~

Through such channels Ba Lama exerts an enormous influence over surrounding areas and thanks to his personal prestige & reputation for honest dealing he is often enabled to ^{settle} ~~settle~~ ~~successfully~~ border disputes.

Tomorrow I am off again, this time to Sch & Dhabala on the ^{shore of the} Yangtze to hunt goats & stags & sheep. Schäfer ^{is} leaving ^{with} the Draga hunter who killed the saunter to ^{collect} ~~hunt~~ manure & skins of goats. In a week we will return to organize our party for the trip to Hsueh-shan. We have also a invitation from Hsueh-shan to discuss his on Hsueh-shan.

Be

Dec 28

A wire was received from Cunningham today: "Three thousand dollars Sytkurdo". At a decent rate this will amount to 20000 thousand roubles & should additional funds prove necessary we will double the offer to raise it on Chengde as the main financing. So the worst of our worries are over.

Dec 31
 1915



Unmistakable of Sangara according to F.H. 1915

- tea
- coffee
- sugar
- candles
- fruit

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Mudras (?)

Ayam

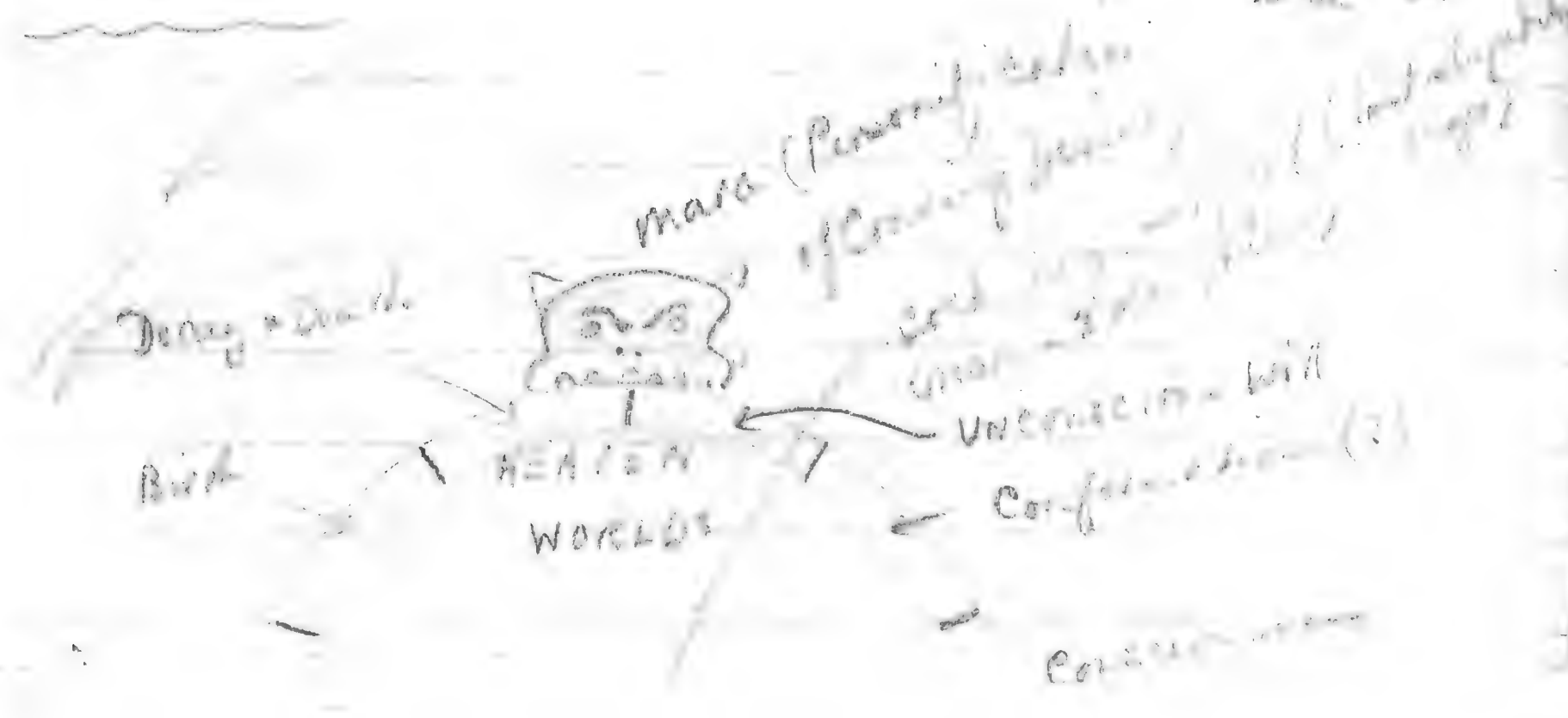


ADDI BUDDHA
SHANA DORJE

Nam Nang
201 Dhyani Buddha

Identify Avalokitesvara, Arisana, Ananda,
Amitakha, Ashvaghosha, Boodhi-ku, Kanishka,
Nagarjuna, Sangha, Gampo, Unem Khin, Bhikshuni,
Pemi Sambhava, Trong Khapa, Sarat Chandra Das,
Baba, Dorje Kagme

Refine: Lanka, depre dnt origin, kelani
Kama, anicca (anitya), dukkha, anatta, anatta
Samsara or Sanyasa, Nirvana, Pari
nirvana, araham, pali, sangha, Mahayana,
Tantra, Vajrayana, Dzogchen, Tantra system
Dorje, Tulku, Gelugpa, Nyingma, Karma
Chakras, yidong, Tsarpa, Bali. "Jung Beddhai"
Dhyani Mahatma, Dhyani



Explain supernatural and material life in the
 prajnaparamita, Tangyue, Kangyue people, and
 enlightened heart.

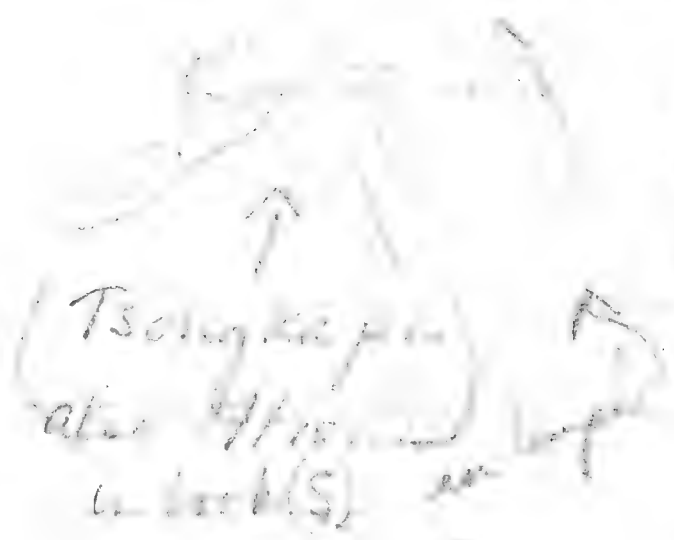
Muñtas (?)

Agam



ADDI ISUANTA
SANA UBAE

Nam Nang
Nal Dhyani Sathic



(Tsongkapu)
also known as
in book (S)



One of the 5 Dhyani S.

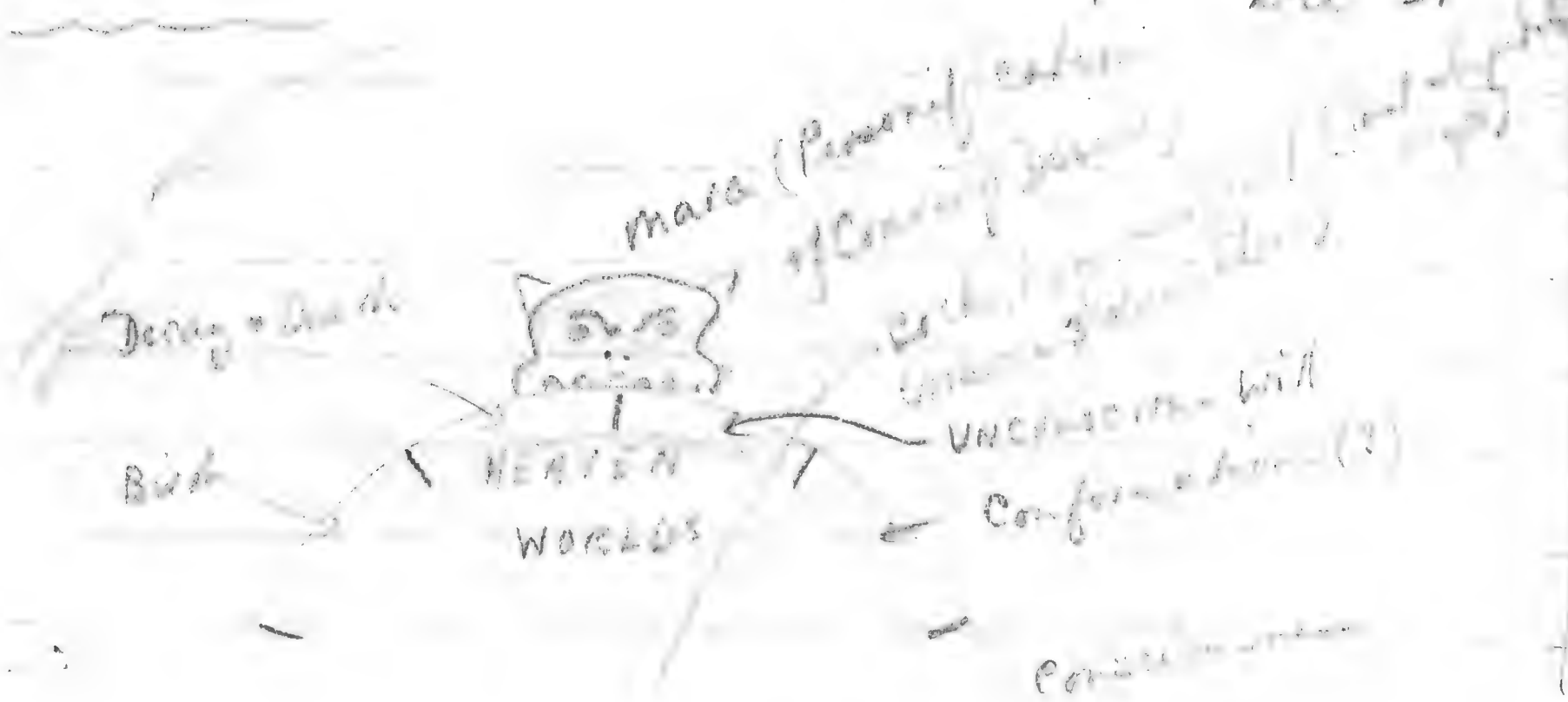


Both Tsongkapu +
Uants have



... customarily a white shaggy hat

Dec 31



Explain supernatural book application. Upanishad
 prajnaparamita, Tanggus, Ronggus, people, and
 entangled events.

Paralytic - a new calculation

Ajya



ADDI TSUNGPA
SHANA UJWE

Nam Nang
no 1 Dhyani Buddha



(Tsongkapa)
also Hisha
L. book (S)

One of the 5 Dhyani's.



Both Tsongkapa &
Chamba have
the same mudra
position
perhaps both of
them

Chamba



Chamba (Bot. temple)
(Great ")

मूर्ति
() 3 heads



Nam Cho Ma

Chandika
with 3 heads



Trang Kapa
+ Chamba

Damba Ko



A Goddess embodying many deities (of Jap. affil.)
 gave me to him!

Shantsen - showing of hands

Agam offering blood in a bowl to an idol



static



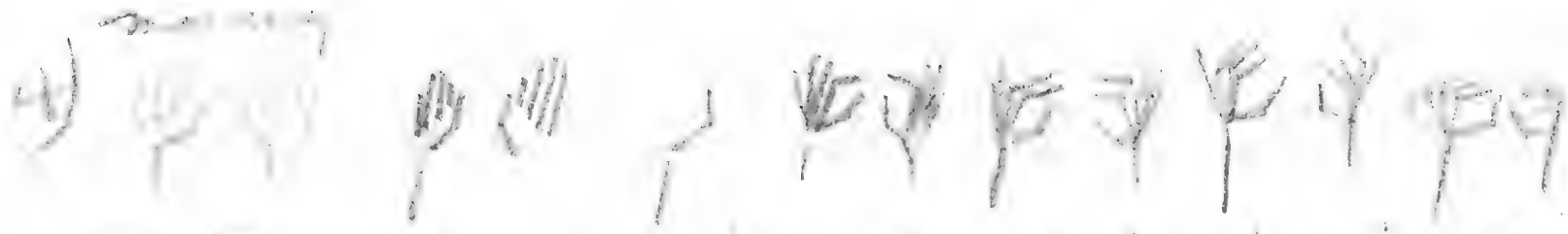
Budh. washing idol's feet

right hand bowl
 left hand paper for burning
 offerings



Biti - signifies placing a vessel on the idol's head

unfolding hands upturned



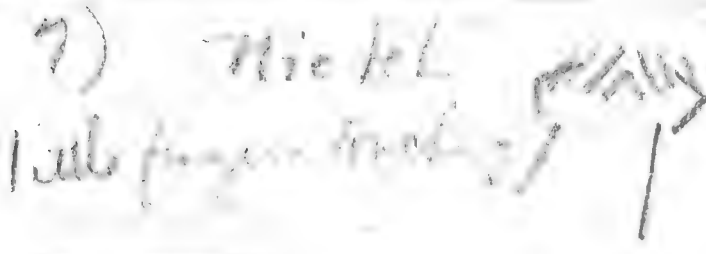
4) Dubik - hands together thumb back in fingers
are folded in in pairs beginning with index
"offering water to idol's feet"



5) Alleged "offering" to the idol
"idol's eyes"



6) Great offering presented to the idol
state of the idol



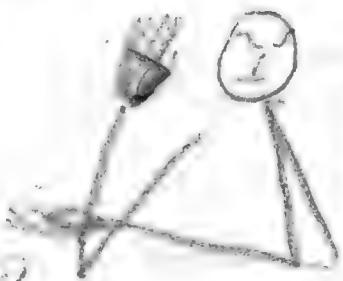
7) Nickel offering food to the idol
idol

8) Feet seen movement, left hand held in left
right hand a large to eight men. ~~sketching~~
icing ball



right hand remain
does + ignari + out in duty
pass, returning movement sketch - offering of all some water
to idol's ear. ~~sketching~~ At close of these 8
movements down crystal - to pen to secure

9 (1) (Zrupah)



offering a mirror to the body of the idol so he can see himself

Hand out

10. Shobah idem no 8

11. Bentib hands idem no 6 meaning, offering sweet smelling water to nose of idol

12. Rasah : hands idem no 7 offering food to mouth

13. Bakhah : offering clothes to body



According to old parent

Form of ritual for Nam Chi Ma

4) (Dubit) hand clenched with upwards 2nd finger only extended

4) (Allobit)



Common lat - the berries necessary to seed a man's fields.

Handalika

Right hand lying in the left left hand lying in the right

Chengya
Chata



Jritha



Chengya

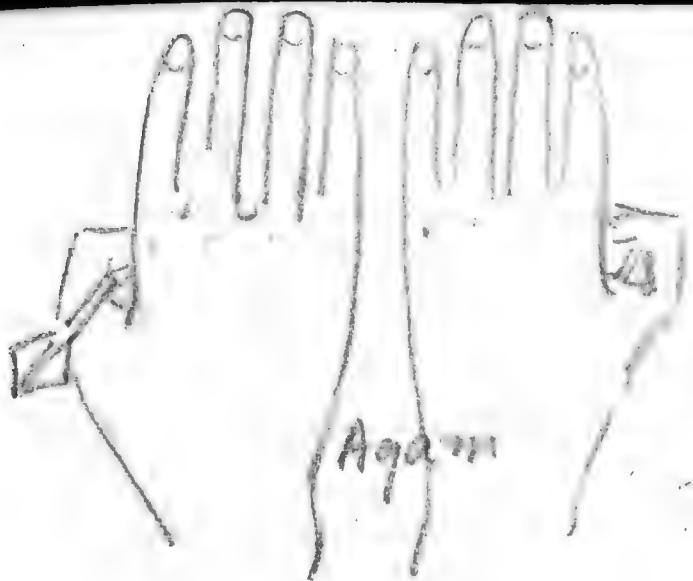


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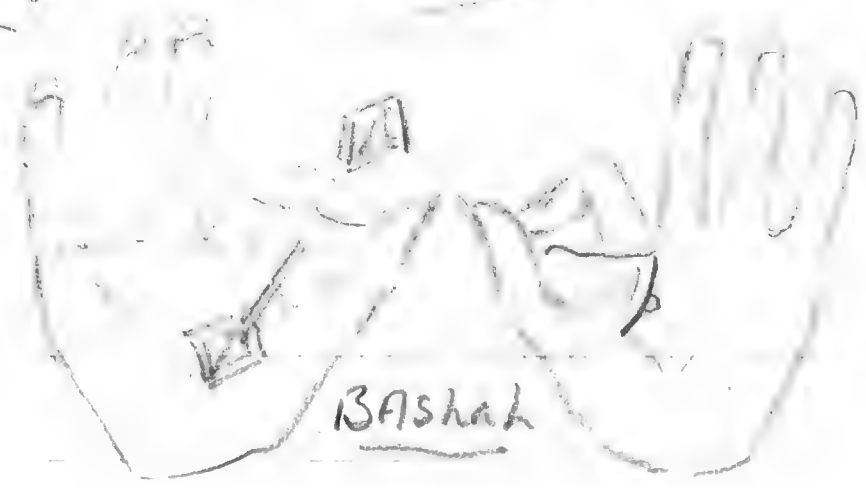
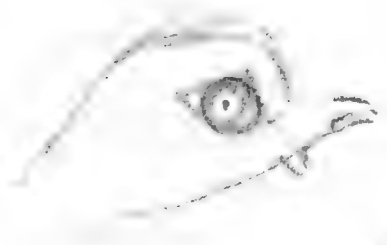


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Alloged



Alloged (ritual for Namche Ma)



Dobish (" " " ")

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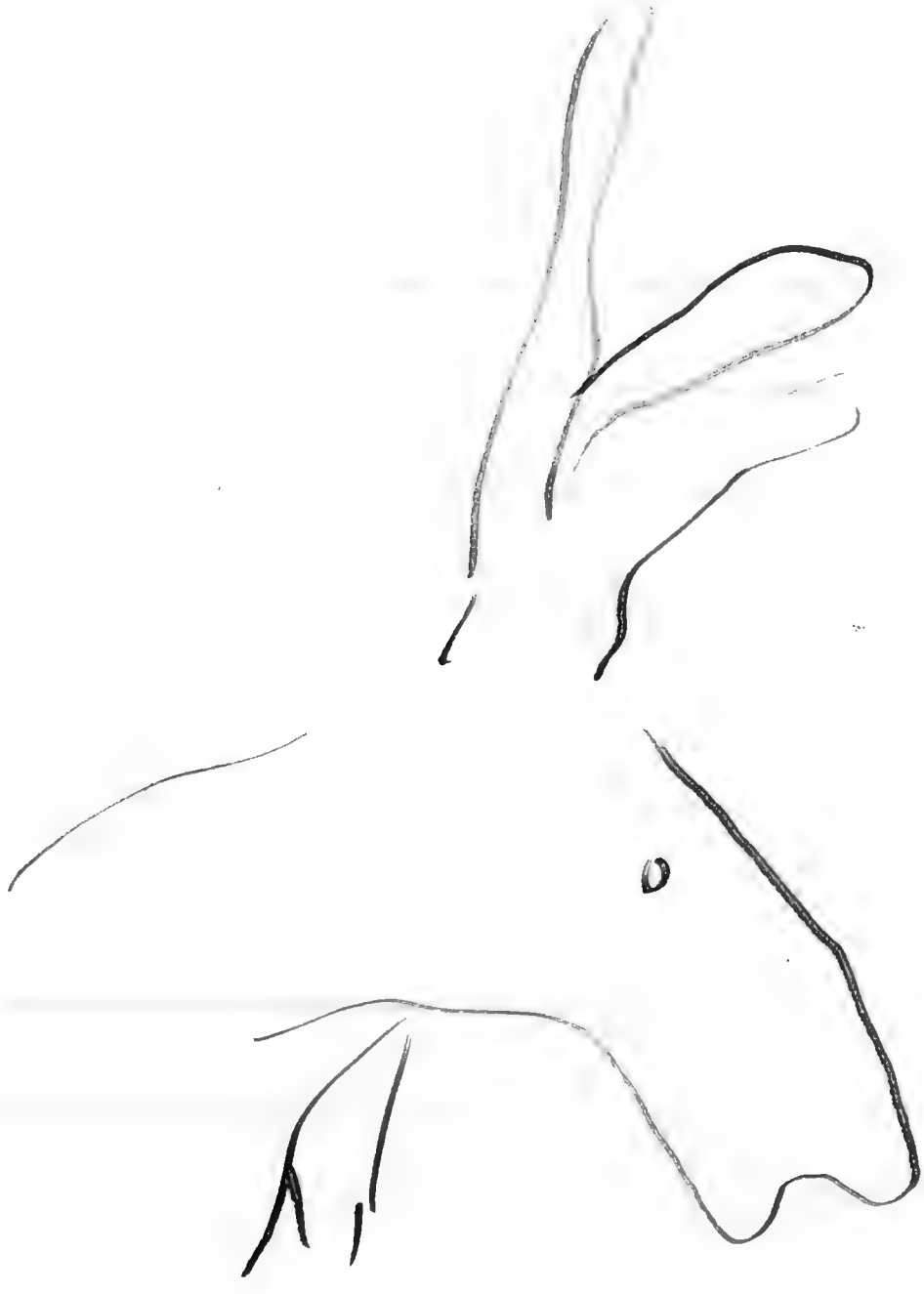
Polygamy the marriage of one woman and
 two or more men is always found in a state
 of barbarism but ^{invariably is} ~~usually~~ ^{found in} ~~found in~~
 Indeed the most common polygamous families are
 but a very small minority and seem to represent an
 (adjustment to ^{the} ~~the~~ ^{particular} ~~particular~~ conditions of life as a people
 rather than to general economic circumstances (as
 usually implied). Rockhill asserts that it is a
 characteristic of the ^{Barbarian} ~~Barbarian~~ people
~~of the North American continent according~~
 with chattel property, there not many liquid assets
 whereas among the "nomads people" of the North
 coast their wealth in cattle and horse ^{stock}
 if ~~the~~ ^{chattel} property the custom is almost unknown.
 More particularly even

The custom of ~~one woman~~ ~~on the~~ ~~disposal~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~property~~
~~limited to one wife~~ ^{known} ~~is~~ ~~not~~ ~~known~~ ~~as~~ ~~multifarious~~
 Polygamy among all the ~~tribes~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~North~~ ~~American~~ ~~continent~~
 uncivilized is only held above approval by a few
 and the tribes ^{a fact which} ~~and~~ ~~not~~ ~~refusing~~ ~~to~~ ~~accept~~ ~~a~~
 conscience college professors of college and university
 as well as many ^{arrests} ~~points~~ ~~to~~ ~~the~~ ~~principle~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~
 for systems that nature the other side of
 felt over ~~the~~ ~~fact~~ ~~that~~ ~~it~~ ~~is~~ ~~in~~ ~~the~~ ~~order~~

Both polygamy and polyandry that biologically
 inverse mating of one woman and two men are
 well known features of the marital relations, though
 the former occurs far more commonly than the latter.
 In general, primitive or some civilized peoples enjoy as
 many women as their wealth and social status
 allows. In Tibet polygamy, monogamy and polyandry
 may also be ascribed to economic reasons.
 The usual family is monogamous. The ^{bailed of the} small tending
 farmer of the valley, with the women of the district, he
 is hard put to it to provide maintain a decent
 living to keep the small team of oxen and
 and his family.

(biol. anomaly)
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 of biological law, namely, as woman mated with two
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 a decent living to keep the small team of oxen and his family.
 says that "man is improperly polygamous". A
 very rich landlord of the ^{Cham} ~~Cham~~ ^{of the} border
 of the border ^{himself} ~~himself~~ ^{of himself} ~~of himself~~
 as do the men of most primitive races with the
 same. It suggests that the ^{of the} ~~of the~~ ^{of the} ~~of the~~
 governing the expenses of the small farmer in

man of respect in family but small means
taken on a bed room. And may if daughter or
two taken with. Or officer who would for some
may ^{take} have another wife or man may see and servant
as come.



Batang 30 p - 1 fact

Libang 40 p

Tachulu 40

Chinglu 60

Perona - 40 - bought every year 10/20

Zachow - Tachulu - 100,000 50,000

Sing Jorkundo buy 20,000, 8000

half via Sincij half via Tachulu.

kung lutz 1000 p Dry Tach - zachow

" " 100 p velvet

bei lutz several thousand 200 p Dry Tach - zachow

" " 800 p velvet " - "

a good bei lutz in early velvet 1000

5 x 6 months (ch. best

Camp 30 Bajik Shik

Jan 20

Half the town turned out to see us off,
& all the Bunde had requested that for the
customary bait or favored ^{at least} ~~liberation~~ it was
ready for us when we reached the hot springs.

Mrs Ogden said goodbye to us a few hundred
yards outside of town. In spite of her independ-
ence and the fact that she is on terms of
unusual friendship with the people she was a
sandy pathetic figure as we rode on.

The party turned out to attend our de-
parture in not so friendly a spirit; somehow
the Bunde heard of our purchase of the stolen
field glasses and they stopped Duncan on the
road near Bakong. They brought with them 200
R. with which to buy back the glasses and
made a rather ugly scene.

Half the town turned out to sing us out lining the sides of the road as far ^{as} the compound of the chief priest and holding up cups of milk & wine to cheer us on our way. As Mr. Dunc had expressly requested that his friends forego the custom of hail or farewell feast it was ready for us when we reached the hot springs. Mrs. Ogden bade us goodby a few hundred yards outside of the city. In spite of her unusual understanding of and friendship with the people she was very very sorry to see us go and made a full length picture standing alone on the occasion we rode away.

One party turned out to attend our departure in not so friendly a spirit: - men of the Banda family who had somehow learned of our purchase of the stolen beer. Meeting Dunc as we on the street they stopped him here and afterwards in the courts of the chief priest where Dunc was the mayor and a great number of people were gathered to sing us off made a rather ugly scene. They had brought with them the beer with which to buy back the glasses but in vain.

develop

ed we inform ~~them~~ ^{develop} the identity of the
person from whom we had purchased them,
a secret which we had no intention of giving
away.

According to good custom the caravan
did not get on an appearance to load up
until almost noon. Such good looking ~~men~~
invariably ~~attended~~ ^{attended} by the wild ~~men~~ in
and then on an exception, in which
to the usual irregularity of just ~~sums~~
(explained by being male, most of them) the
bevalding number and descent of ~~sums~~
& reports ~~made~~ by the ~~men~~ in the
weighing & matching of the cases to ~~make~~
up well balanced ~~loads~~ the ~~men~~ ~~are~~
further befriended by a great number of people
who know we were giving up housekeeping
and were come to ~~gather~~ ~~and~~ ~~put~~ ~~to~~ ~~test~~ ~~the~~
papers, ~~part~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~load~~ ~~and~~ ~~general~~
just ~~as~~ ~~might~~ ~~have~~ ~~been~~ ~~thrown~~ ~~into~~
the discard.

Instead of getting up at ~~mid~~ ~~day~~
as on our ~~way~~ ~~we~~ ~~3~~ ~~months~~ ~~ago~~ we turned
into the ~~hauled~~ of Ba Si Shih at ~~stopping~~

before 4.30. Here we are comfortably in - 135
stalled in a small store room and warmed by
a ~~tray~~ of charcoal. We will in such lodgings
as these for many a long day to come. However
we would gladly have dispensed with them in
favor of a camp at Bon Temo where we
could have crossed the ~~pass~~ ^{Tau Boto} tomorrow; as it is
now we will ^{have to} camp tomorrow ~~above~~ above
Bon Temo the following day cross the pass.
It is the old army game. The caravan which
is paid by the day makes short stages.

Ganna Doye - Camp 32 Jan 21

✓
"Understanding to a mountain man you know
not what the sun doth mean". Altho I never
completed the stanza of which ~~the experiment~~ the
~~first two lines~~ ^{Composed} written years ago this rather
unpretentious statement of fact formed the first
two lines of a poem ~~written~~ ^{written} as last
day of today on a foggy and rainy day
I have almost forgotten the poem. ~~Composed~~ ^{Composed} years
ago ~~the~~ ~~idea~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~poem~~ ~~of~~ ~~which~~ ~~the~~ ~~first~~ ~~two~~ ~~lines~~
~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~poem~~ ~~is~~ ~~now~~ ~~under~~ ~~the~~ ~~care~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~range~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~mountain~~
shadow of the range without ^{the} ~~the~~ ~~benefit~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~benefit~~

The party left the Agency ~~at 10:00~~ ^{at 11:00} and over
 the frozen stream
 can withstand the strain of yak travel very long
 passages but for a journey and the road is ^{quite good}
 back, like the mountain. Every few minutes for
 over an hour small contingents of the cavemen
 which numbered several hundreds forced us up
 on the road bank. Wudging along like animated
 copper a company of soldiers passed us. Scarcely
 they and lightly, shot they ^{indistinctly} faces were set in the
 line of suffering endured on the bitterly cold heights

At ^{abandoned} ~~the~~ plantation an hour
 short of our night's bivouac I gave over my horse
 to ~~some~~ and stalked the woodland above the
 road ^{unsuccessfully}. After an hour's rest in camp
 I ^{checked} ~~set out~~ up a shallow valley crossed a
 low ridge and found myself on the edge of an
 ancient glacial valley through which a small
 stream now a solid ribbon of ice meandered
^{in a narrow}
 across a mile long meadowland. A cursory survey
~~of the meadow~~ led close contact with the traces
 of ^{remains} ~~of~~ an animal of indeterminate date digging
 in the open meadow. At first I thought it was a wolf;
 then it sprang over the ground and I realized
 it was a lynx catching mice. Proper stalk there

Anderson only his head visible, subjected me to a prolonged searching and with a bound disappeared behind a small rise in the ground to be seen no more.

Schöfer returned after dark with a blue sheep ewe.

Do Lung Do Camp 33 Jan 22

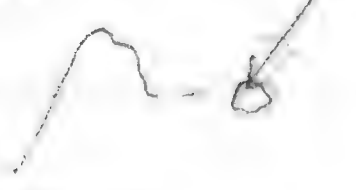
Back over the Tsa Tsa in the ^{unexpected} warmth of windless air & a strong sun. The ascent to the pass which lies ^{of} entirely along a gently undulating mountain side & below high walls presents an interesting study of glaciation. The narrow wall is ^{deeply} ~~cut~~ ^{cut} by ^{deeps} ~~cut~~ ^{cut} ~~into~~ ^{into} a series of ~~sharp~~ jagged ~~corners~~ and ~~beaks~~ ~~which~~ ~~the~~ ~~mountain~~ ~~faces~~ and hanging valleys ~~formed~~ ^{formed} by sharp jagged ~~beaks~~. Very evidently the ~~mountain~~ ~~faces~~ have never been cut by glacial ice. The slopes are straight and unbroken marked only by wide ~~striations~~ ^{striations} & ~~scars~~ ^{scars} & chipped off by the attraction of pure sunlight and night cold.

The view to the east is from the crest of the pass ~~the~~ ~~mountain~~ ~~to~~ in striking contrast to the ~~range~~ ^{range} of ~~granite~~ ^{granite} behind ~~country~~ ^{country} ~~is~~ ~~striking~~ ~~contrast~~ ~~to~~ ~~what~~ ~~is~~ ~~seen~~ ~~to~~ ~~the~~ ~~west~~. A great mass of ~~granite~~ ^{granite} startlingly different ~~country~~ ^{country}. ~~Great~~ ^{great} ~~masses~~ ^{masses} of ~~granite~~ ^{granite} or ~~dolomite~~ ^{dolomite}.

The opening
near up in white crease and twisted of natural's
grounded and structure.

most of the limestone ranges and levels of rocks
of the ... Devonian shale it is highly
probable the mts. form a part of the Hercynian
fold system ^{up} lifted 2 million years ago in ...
time. ... should I prove to be ...
or ... limestone from the ... it
could ... prove ... that the
mts of ... their altitude suggests ^{uplift} from
an extension of the main tertiary ...
building movement. Strongly in favor of the theory
that ^{an} uplift of the ancient Alps is the
most likely of the ... such as is found in the ...
the ... of the Alps has already taken
place when the ...
limestone so that the beds are ... about the
... deposited limestone ... further
each movements have come to ...
may be in ... However the details of
geological ... ^{physiography} ...
metamorphism in these mts is ... conclusive

Volcanic window
Porphyritic granite



Coloured
fossils

weathered yellow in many places

old granite

hydrochloric
acid



evidence of a Devonian origin. I took some speci-
mens of the rock for possible identification at home.
No important things I could find no fossils such as
coral which Gregory found near Litchfield.

Mount. color the same we found the first
birds looked by those men who say a sketch of a form
of a ~~very~~ ^{separate} ~~is~~ in question. In the level
parklike valley at the foot of the ~~the~~ principal limestone
massif ~~was~~ were those ^{teats} ~~teats~~ and below in
the great valley that descends from the Cordillera.

roads impractical for burden animals. Thus 143
to reach Derge, we have ^{at this season} only two roads open
to us: one departing from the main Tachienku
Ling highway, just to the east of the Cavila ~~the~~
and leading west then long to the ^{at Sanya}
Batang-Derge highway, and an alternative ^{a very}
^{roundabout} road leaving the Tachienku rd. two days ^{back}
^{west} of ~~the~~ and leading s.w. to Nyasong (Chaulu)
thence via Kanyu to Derge. By these routes, we
could probably reach Derge in 12 or 13 days
~~for the case is a long one~~ but the stages
would necessarily be very long and hard on the
animals. Also it has been traveled many times
before. The road from Singka-tsi has never been
traveled by foreigners and may prove very interest-
ing.

Last night the mercury dropped to ^a low ~~with~~
record for our journey ^{and in the} $-3^{\circ} F$, tho' I think we had colder
nights in the highlands of the Batang stage country. My
sleeping apparatus bedding voluminous tho' it is
lost in fact a little toward morning & I woke
~~at~~ ^{slightly} ~~the~~ ^{shipped}. How our men sleep at all in their
scanty bedding is a mystery. I suspect that ~~the~~ ^{the}
~~from~~ ^{habitual} ~~the~~ ^{the} early morning start ~~and~~
of caravans can be ascribed as much to the early

shall be returning to the more commonly known
season: an early stop in order to allow for some
several days of daylight hours. (The Hunter's Bay)

The days long the second time traversed
had been the first which is unusual. The high
points of the 10 odd miles are the piling out of
the limestone half-way up the valley the 11 miles
to be continued in a southerly direction and the
presence of an ^{in the valley} ~~unusual~~ species of ~~cedar~~ ^{cedar} at
which many species of birds were feeding when we
passed before of notable appearance. ~~Some~~ ^{birds} ~~traced~~
to and a very sweet and game was ~~seen~~
feeding on the ground here.

The night's camp lies among some ~~large~~
on a hill.

The days journey was not an interesting
one on the whole. As a rule the individual days
are more interesting the second time ^{than the first} ~~than the first~~ ^{than the first} ~~than the first~~
the road as a whole & can study the details in the
light of past knowledge. ~~Thus the today's journey~~
~~was an unusually~~ ~~it~~ ~~on~~ ~~several~~ ~~interesting~~
points ~~lead~~ ~~out~~ ~~on~~ ~~the~~ ~~road~~ ~~up~~ ~~to~~ ~~the~~ ~~7~~ ~~o'clock~~ ~~to~~ ~~day~~
we remarked the ^{the first} ~~first~~ limestone outcrop (above Gawa)
Dooje) ~~through~~ ~~which~~ ~~you~~ ~~can~~ ~~see~~ ~~the~~ ~~mountain~~ ~~is~~ ~~disposed~~
Continued beyond the granite piles of the

upper top land in the great massifs to the east 145
of Japan. This limestone seems to pass away to
the southeast and doubtless is continued in the
outcrop which Duncan tells us he has seen N. of
Atunty. It extends however 5 miles to the north of
the Gemmett encampment at Goding Da on the
western side of the valley. To the east is granite &
more granite.

The fruits of an unknown species of cedar
from an unusual station of the western slope of
the valley. They harbor a rich bird population
gathered to feed on the seeds (notably *Myiarchus*
canadensis). Undergrowth is principally dwarf shrubs
is scant and the slopes of cedar and grass are
very poor in game — a few musk deer and
~~to the west~~ There are a few musk deer,
and they occasionally come down into the
cliffs below the limit of timber.

"On the mirrored Rock" is a very romantic
name for a very black precipit. Boulder and
ice, some brown grass, and ~~charred~~ ^{withered} ~~looking~~ dwarf
shrubs ~~growing~~ climbing the granite
leaves a glow to the ~~surrounding~~ valley the charred
look of an ~~abandoned~~ ~~character~~ of the landscape.
The ^{poor} ~~meadow~~ ~~abundant~~ at 10⁰⁰ F. before morning will

~~devils are full a little more inclined to~~
~~sympath~~ ^{by abandoned} An autumn ~~also~~ ^{was} ~~campment~~ of the
Washis had ~~Washis~~ upland camp where the
Washis ^{now} had built shelter of yak dung & herded
these animals at night. ~~was~~ ^{was} ~~still~~ ^{over} a long
period of time was still smouldering and had
not half consumed the ^{left} ~~part~~ of yak chips. When
we reached it the sky had become overcast &
a bitter wind made the warmth of the fire
very welcome. ~~Smell~~ ^{Smell} of the smoke ~~which~~
The caravan men wished to halt here for
the evening but we forced them on for one that
half way & made camp in a small ravine that
promised greater immunity from the wind than
our former camp at the head of the Washi
plain a short distance further down

High Alt. Den 4300 ft Camp 36
Low 26
Type of camp plain

Today marked our first day in new
country. It ~~was~~ ^{was} brought more excitement than I
had ever for many a day. To start things off
properly we ~~had~~ ^{had} ~~to~~ ^{to} ~~start~~ ^{start} ~~up~~ ^{up} ~~with~~ ^{with} ~~wounds~~
in the hind legs. ~~Washis~~ ^{Washis} had evidently tried to
harass them but ~~we~~ ^{we} ~~got~~ ^{got} ~~them~~ ^{them} ~~out~~ ^{out} for

their pains. We had our own animals but we
were kept ~~at a distance~~, but it is
always a question whether ~~to~~ ~~allow~~ ~~the~~ ~~animals~~ ~~to~~ ~~be~~ ~~driven~~ ~~to~~ ~~the~~ ~~point~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~mountain~~ ~~side~~ ~~or~~ ~~not~~.
We ~~kept~~ ~~the~~ ~~animals~~ ~~to~~ ~~be~~ ~~driven~~ ~~to~~ ~~the~~ ~~point~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~mountain~~ ~~side~~ ~~or~~ ~~not~~.

In order to ~~secure~~ ~~game~~ ~~of~~ ~~any~~ ~~kind~~ ~~we~~ ~~were~~ ~~kept~~ ~~in~~ ~~need~~ ~~with~~ ~~twenty~~ ~~eight~~ ~~hungry~~ ~~fellows~~ ~~and~~ ~~by~~ ~~the~~ ~~fact~~ ~~that~~ ~~we~~ ~~had~~ ~~in~~ ~~constant~~ ~~need~~, Schöpf & I rode about at the
cajavan with two Gnomes to show us the state
Pigeons swarmed up and down everywhere
in hundreds and I once shot a couple of them
I bagged a bird and shot as it came over
a pool of water by the side of the mountain. They
are much like large rappers. Both the
deaf & dumb shot were seen with us so
the one named it. Just when I approached &
flew a good 100 yards before settling in a
window where I was perched it off like a sparrow
shot. Riding farther I saw a pale almost
white animal disappear in the dense of the
wood and discerned that it was a wolf. When
visible for flaring under the tongue of the
it but without success.

Two days ^{to the site} N.E. of camp, which we
 may ^{crossed} ~~with~~ the ^{S.W. way} ~~road~~ of the Banya (or now Nya)
 plain we turned W. and from the road
 crossed a low saddle into a high mountain.
 For a mile we rode beside a deep lake flanked
 by limestone walls and looked light under
 seven or eight inches of ice that covered
 under the spreading south of the sun with
 a hollow booming not unlike the distant
 "thunder of led down." Then we dropped sharply
 down to a long neck of the Banya plain
 which we ^{traversed} ~~crossed~~ further east on our way
 crossing one of the highest mountains that
 descend to the sea of Japan we ^{pitched camp} ~~camped~~
 on the side of a black summer forest. Virtually
 we are encamped on an acrobatic dangle with
 the advantage of not having to dip out of camp to
 find food. The ^{top} ~~top~~ ^{is} ~~is~~ quite ready.

Two hours N.W. of camp we turned W. from
 the saddle ^{to} ~~to~~ a low saddle where
 For a half mile etc This
 sketch of ^{from the Banya} ~~from the Banya~~ ^{is} ~~is~~ ^{the} ~~the~~ ^{upper} ~~upper~~ ^{part} ~~part~~
 the lower & middle reaches of which
 was traversed en route from Wang to Banya in Oct.

Sierrone camp 37

Van 26

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From Litang to ~~the border of K. K. Ho.~~
~~west of the camp~~ a ~~continuous~~
plain. Below the summit ~~is~~ a ~~mountain~~
of ~~the~~ ~~mountain~~ it is ~~replaced~~ into a ~~valley~~
~~mountain~~ ~~range~~ ~~of~~ ~~at~~ ~~least~~ ~~5~~ ~~mi~~
a ~~continuous~~ plain ~~which~~ ~~is~~ ~~cut~~ ~~by~~
range. At Litang the plain is ~~about~~
5 miles wide. ~~It~~ ~~is~~ ~~roughly~~ ~~4~~ ~~mi~~ ~~wide~~
then ~~it~~ ~~is~~ ~~narrowing~~ ~~gradually~~
it ~~is~~ ~~more~~ ~~or~~ ~~less~~ ~~the~~ ~~same~~
as the ~~Sierra~~ plain probably 4 miles
across at its widest point. Like a lake we
find it ~~is~~ ~~filled~~ ~~with~~ ~~ice~~ ~~and~~ ~~snow~~
when the ~~ice~~ ~~is~~ ~~down~~. Each a ~~page~~
is ~~and~~ ~~perhaps~~ ~~the~~ ~~same~~ ~~as~~ ~~the~~ ~~we~~ ~~had~~
no opportunity to explore the plain thoroughly
to the west to the ~~Sierra~~. To carry out the
sense of a ~~plain~~ the ~~Sierra~~ ~~is~~ ~~bound~~ ~~to~~
the plain have the quality of ~~Sierra~~ and
the ~~Sierra~~ seem to join the plain ~~is~~ ~~less~~
abruptly than ~~Sierra~~ ~~is~~ ~~the~~ ~~we~~

^{yesterday}
In morning a storm with precipitation ~~in~~ ~~the~~ ~~night~~.
Tonight we have reached a high altitude
take the upper end of the plain and are
pushed up on the hill ^{a steep hillside} the bottom again
on a plain descent.

After struggling ^{up} through purple
dawn clouds, the sun shone ~~in~~ ~~the~~ ~~noon~~.
~~Through the morning the wind blew~~
~~strongly from the N. but in the evening~~
~~subsided~~

The undulating beauty of the plain was
the magnificent view of the heavy ~~mountain~~
into a grey ~~dark~~ ~~wind~~. ^{after a} ^{series of} ^{attempts}
to pitch a tent ~~was~~ ~~not~~ ~~successful~~ I dug
out our ^{double} ^{envelope} ~~tent~~ ~~and~~ ~~erected~~ ~~it~~ ~~with~~
~~some~~ ~~effect~~ ~~and~~ ~~got~~ ~~it~~ ~~up~~. It arrived ~~the~~ ~~day~~
It had arrived ^{from the post} ~~the~~ ~~day~~ ~~and~~ ~~I~~
~~slipped~~ ~~our~~ ~~equipment~~ ~~and~~ ~~found~~ ~~it~~ ~~had~~
~~been~~ ~~exposed~~ ~~with~~ ~~it~~. ~~There~~ ~~was~~ ~~one~~ ~~very~~
~~serious~~ ~~flaw~~: the ventilator at the top is
^{not} ~~closed~~ ~~by~~ ~~the~~ ~~4~~ ~~tent~~ ~~poles~~ ~~which~~ ~~make~~ ~~it~~
~~necessary~~ ~~to~~ ~~leave~~ ~~the~~ ~~door~~ ~~open~~ ~~with~~ ~~no~~ ~~nullifier~~
~~the~~ ~~chief~~ ~~purpose~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~tent~~ ~~to~~ ~~the~~ ~~consequent~~
~~necessity~~ ~~of~~ ~~opening~~ ~~the~~ ~~door~~ ~~nullifier~~. The ~~enveloping~~
~~warmth~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~air~~ ~~cushion~~ ~~formed~~ ~~by~~ ~~the~~
~~double~~ ~~envelope~~ ~~between~~ ~~inner~~ ~~outer~~ ~~envelope~~.

An hour before the caravan was loaded, Vung & I set off down the plain in the direction of the days march. My shooting continued to ~~be most abundant~~ following in the tradition of yesterday I started two gazelle bucks at less than 100 yds with perfect aim missed both. Bad shooting is a frequent failing with me but this was incredible. ^{They, up to a chief} ~~When we~~ ^{examined} the blow it was for the point that it had again shifted and at 100 yds was shooting a foot low. We adjusted it to the inch and in the late aft. after my ~~long~~ ^{long} ~~staid~~ ^{staid} of the day, I ~~had the satisfaction~~ ^{had the satisfaction} of knocking over two good bucks. ~~As one of~~ ~~them fell in a couple of days~~
 Like any tool made for fine work, telescopic sights must be cherished and treated with a consideration that is beyond the consideration of our gun barrels. Under the conditions of our rough hunting it is inevitable they should occasionally require readjusting but without them our success would be cut in half ^{without} ~~from~~ ⁱⁿ the frequent ~~shots~~ ^{shots} a half the satisfaction of shooting.

Let me utterly dead but - Six women

rules of holding out to our [unclear] &
in the [unclear] of the gate constitute a day of labor
for which [unclear] a [unclear] in [unclear]
adequate [unclear] ^{Wages} [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]

Levy 38

Van 27

Last night our [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]
conclude to request [unclear] to [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]
If they had ^{not} been ^{out} [unclear] to the [unclear] [unclear] of
half this fee [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]
have left without a [unclear] - your - leave. Altho
they were quite correct in their ^{assertion} [unclear] [unclear]
How do you [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]
as well as they, they had ^{unwisely} [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]
^{unwisely} [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]
them to their [unclear].

At eight o'clock the day was clear
and still, at ten clear and windy, at noon
or shortly after overcast and bitter: such
seems the daily rhythm. Five hours in the [unclear]
from seven until noon; then the wings and
wings of clouds that sail [unclear] across the
morning sky gather into a heavy blanket &
the wind penetrates to the bone. At evening
the sky gradually clears ~~to it~~ [unclear]

upland valley men are always at hand
as scouts and show knife blades planted on
the road above the entrance that you may be
guilt he may expect a visit. I had then
the ~~one~~ found at hand and consequently ~~the~~ ^{during a half hour before the} ~~the~~
~~shots~~ ^{shots} ~~went~~ ^{went} out and the air surrounding
with smoke from above the valley, I
thought a robber band was on. ~~They~~
~~then~~ ~~the~~ ~~men~~ ~~was~~ ~~on~~ ~~the~~ ~~mountain~~ ~~side~~ ~~and~~ ~~descended~~
the ~~valley~~ ~~some~~ ~~distance~~ a few hundred yards
behind ~~the~~ ~~mountain~~ ~~side~~ ~~the~~ ~~men~~ ~~were~~ ~~mounted~~ ~~on~~ ~~the~~ ~~hills~~
to join the cavalcade we had all men ^{mounted} ~~going~~
down from the hills as if to attack, but ~~the~~ ~~men~~
~~were~~ ~~at~~ ~~least~~ ~~two~~ ~~hundred~~ ~~yards~~ ~~from~~ ~~our~~ ~~file~~
^{When} (they had ~~the~~ ~~men~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~tribe~~ ~~coined~~ ~~the~~ ~~men~~
to party, presently we were being escorted
down the valley by a dozen ^{shaggy} ~~men~~ ~~on~~ ~~horse~~ ~~back~~
fellow poorly clad in sheepskins but each
armed with a ch. military rifle. These prepared
the hills laterally ~~around~~ ~~our~~ ~~camp~~ ~~and~~ ~~then~~
we reached ~~our~~ ~~camp~~ ~~in~~ ~~a~~ ~~few~~ ~~hundred~~ ~~yards~~
above ~~the~~ ~~hills~~ ~~to~~ ~~the~~ ~~encampment~~ ~~and~~ ~~all~~ ~~of~~ ~~them~~
joined our party & withdrew. ~~They~~ ~~camped~~
a few hundred yards above their encampment

in a yelling jostling horde. To all intents ~~and~~ ^{purposes} superficially they are very friendly ~~but principally due to their interest in~~ ~~the foreign man's efforts & if possible acquire~~ ~~them of the same.~~ ~~Except they have succeeded~~ but more out of interest in our belongings & an obvious desire to possess themselves of the same than from any love of our company. ^{would be highly inadvisable} It is ~~impossible~~ to boldly drive them out of camp; we can only police our efforts as closely as possible and when we observe ^{abandoned} them slipping a tent pin into the fold of ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~western~~ ^{the} tarp, it away from him as gently as possible. These little games of hide & seek are all in a spirit of fun but there is the possibility of a more serious attempt that would come in the early morning ~~morning~~ hours. The men ^{apparently} feel the possibility of a such danger to be long & are planning watches for the night.

We have been to Camp 39 Jan 28

to the country. This morning our nominal friends reappeared in full armed panoply & even stronger force than yesterday. They were come with the ^{the} ~~the~~ idea of exacting tribute for passage across their country and altho we only gave them 100 they made up their fee to a respectable

compensation by ~~pulling~~ ^{pulling} odda and ends. Tent
pins, wire, etc., ~~felt~~ ^{felt} and sundries etc. A
silver belt buckle, a lot of ~~other~~ ^{other} ~~things~~ ^{things} ~~were~~ ^{were}
tent pins disappeared into their capacious satchels
as they stood about in ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~camp~~ ^{camp} such things
mythical as deflating ~~the~~ ^{the} pneumatic mattresses
or regulating the steam in the pressure cooker. ~~Then~~
time our men ran about ^{the camp} on a ~~purpose~~ ^{purpose} attempt to get
safeguard the things under their ~~charge~~ ^{charge}. ~~But~~

~~then~~ About two narrow ~~to~~ ^{to} ~~be~~ ^{be} ~~called~~ ^{called} ~~by~~ ^{by}
the disputed valley of ~~two~~ ^{two} ~~streams~~ ^{streams} ~~gradually~~ ^{gradually}
to the NW for from the normal ~~meander~~ ^{meander} to a ~~join~~ ^{join}
junction with a ~~similar~~ ^{similar} valley ~~and~~ ^{and} ~~joined~~ ^{joined} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~4~~ ⁴
or ~~5~~ ⁵ miles below the ~~meander~~ ^{meander} to a ~~similar~~ ^{similar}
low ~~country~~ ^{country} ~~at~~ ^{at} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~height~~ ^{height} ~~of~~ ^{of}
~~about~~ ^{about} ~~100~~ ¹⁰⁰ ~~feet~~ ^{feet} ~~more~~ ^{more}
~~substantially~~ ^{substantially} ~~lower~~ ^{lower} ~~to~~ ^{to} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~town~~ ^{town} ~~and~~ ^{and} ~~precisely~~ ^{precisely}
~~east~~ ^{east} ~~of~~ ^{of} ~~Long~~ ^{Long} ~~ka~~ ^{ka} ~~the~~ ^{the}. Below the ~~confluence~~ ^{confluence} of the
two streams ~~water~~ ^{water} ~~is~~ ^{is} ~~by~~ ^{by}
~~between~~ ^{between} ~~stream~~ ^{stream} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~crowded~~ ^{crowded} ~~with~~ ^{with} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~sand~~ ^{sand} ~~thorn~~ ^{thorn}
and ~~wild~~ ^{wild} ~~rice~~ ^{rice} ~~and~~ ^{and} ~~thorn~~ ^{thorn} ~~and~~ ^{and} ~~willow~~ ^{willow}.

If today has proved to be our hardest stage.
A ravine to a steep pasture on the side of the ravine
surrounded by cedar forest. Duncan & Sidapa ~~reached~~ ^{reached}
preceded us were warning themselves ~~to~~ ^{to} ~~be~~ ^{be} ~~careful~~ ^{careful}
large ~~for~~ ^{for}

in long ^{and short} terraces. Across the bottoms a
 shadow stream hidden by willows & can then
 meanders down to a confluence with a quintessence
 stream flowing S.E. and disappears ^{over a deep valley} ~~to the east~~
 between ^{high} ~~in a narrow~~ ^{valley} ~~valley~~ that ^{leads} ~~leads~~
^{more steeply} to the village and precisely east of
 Sing Ke Hoi. In the face of a howling wind we rode

^(about 2 miles) descended down the valley of Dongka, passed the
 confluence and ^{ascended} ~~followed~~ ^{up} the sister valley ^{again} ~~about~~
 8 1/2 ^{9 1/2} miles before turning ^{us} into a narrow
 ravine, clothed with ^{hardy} ~~the~~ ^{cedar forest} which we lost no time
 in plunging ~~for~~ ^{into}. The day's journey
 had been miserable, tortuous ^{for} ~~to~~ ^{the} ~~land~~ ⁵
 miles. Alternately I rode & walked ^{numbed} with
 cold & weariness. The warmth of the blazing
 cedar logs was truly balm in Gilead

through which the road ascends to the plain we
 must cross tomorrow. ^{under a leaden sky} ~~but~~ ^{at} ~~then~~ ^{the} ~~first~~ ^{sub} ~~sub~~ ^{sub}
 was played the same flake of the ^{slippery} ~~from~~ ^{mid} ~~morning~~ ^{of} ~~all~~ ^{dark}
 down across the grass country. ^{the} ~~part~~ ^{the} ~~remnant~~
 encampment life there was ^{idle} ~~nothing~~ ^{of} ~~the~~ ^{surface} ~~to~~ ^{the}
 sluggish crawling of our mule train across the
 endless dead-brown waste. Alternately I rode &
^{walked} ~~walked~~ to restore circulation in my legs ~~and~~ again
 when the pain from a stitch in my side grew too
 intense. At Longkong ^{our} ~~then~~ ^{Aden} pointed up the

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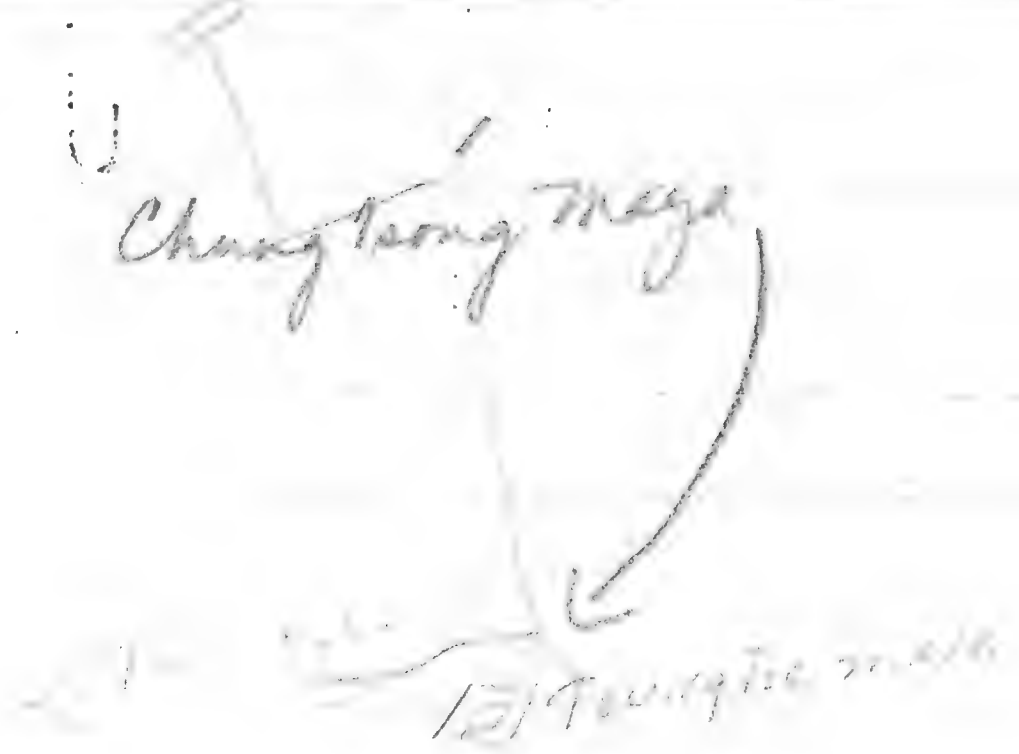
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Chung Tsong Maya



of location on the map, we pulled off
 sudden steeply down and found ⁱⁿ ourselves
 the open mouth of a deep snowy valley.
 We were not used to snow, predicted another
 region. Not a word of what we were given
 either the top or the long sweeping outlines
 of the high ^{one more} high walls
 and ranges of Tibet's barren range.

From the summit of the ^{mountain} we had a
 perfect view of the great snowpack which lies
 to the westward of the confluence of the long
 Ka the river stream. In the day of the day
 the snow is white & the peak named
 Chung Tsong Maya Tung Tsong Maya. Even though
 the given name is Chung Tsong Maya and the
 position of the large snowpack of snow
 etc. is different, it is remarkable to find it so

The map at all the same time the altitude is
is 2000

The road led steadily northward
as is also the direction of the valley - which we
are engaged to do the descent being about 1000
which would cross the Batang to ...
order to cross the ...
to ... range ... of the valley ...
drops down to ... which has been ...
city ... of the ...

Camp 20 → a little N.E. Polypodium: 8000-8500 ft
Sama (Red Soil) ...

Another wonderful day at the ...
com ... the end ... in all ... of the ...
... ..

The day was one of those so frequently
met with in the Chinese lowlands - mist had
given us very far as one sets off on horse back.
... passes then the afternoon ...
Finally just before dark we were in the
... ..

The morning's road led up two wonderful
forests of cedars & ... to a double
peak the second height of which was 16575
ft above sea level the altitude of the ...

Just covered for many ~~the~~
~~south~~ ~~side~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~mountain~~
side of the mountain side for many years
the mountain side for many years
The side of the mountain side for many years
The side of the mountain side for many years

the county ~~the~~ ~~mountain~~ ~~side~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~mountain~~
east side of the mountain side for many years
the side of the mountain side for many years
the side of the mountain side for many years
the side of the mountain side for many years

In the ~~mountain~~ ~~side~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~mountain~~ ~~side~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~mountain~~
Some became visible ranges widely
of small hills in the valley below. In the last week
we dropped ~~down~~ ~~the~~ ~~mountain~~ ~~side~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~mountain~~

After a final sleep ~~in~~ ~~the~~ ~~mountain~~ ~~side~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~mountain~~
forest we reached the house of the ~~mountain~~ ~~side~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~mountain~~
of George Henry. He installed us in a new room
of clean deal boards intended for a ~~mountain~~ ~~side~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~mountain~~
chapel. It is by far the cleanest ~~mountain~~ ~~side~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~mountain~~
have occupied since leaving Tachienlu

Thanks to the availability of splendid lumber

The descent from the pass to the hamlet of Sama tho it entailed a drop of only 3200 ft. proved to be a long aft.'s ride. After an initial drop of five or six hundred feet - which I paralleled on a long snow run: five or six feet on the boot - the road levelled out and ^{for miles} lead n. along the flanks of the ridge, we had just crossed being altitude very gradually. Had the sky not ^{been} so clear & a chill wind blowing, the view from the road would have been magnificent. Accompanying our line of travel in the west a tremendous pack of luminous marches between the valley of Sama & the Yangtze. Due south a high snowmass without doubt - two peaks mark the heart of Dese Dumba

on the hills which only need to be rolled down the mt. into place, the houses are all extra large, that of the master a colossus, in point of height the largest any of us have ever seen. Like all the houses windows are small & few a part which at ^{night} ~~day~~ with the ^{massive} ~~decided~~ ^{massive} ~~solid~~ ^{solid} ~~foundations~~ ^{flat} ~~roof~~ ^{protrusion} given the house the appearance of a fort

Camp 42

Shoda Tany

Jan 31

A very short day to a meadow camp
 in the valley S.W. of Shoda. The animals told
 those of the lower and one was showing the
 wear and tear in flesh and some of cut
 mountain grass. (The grass ^{in the meadow} ~~was~~ ^{was}
 not been cut this season and when the carmen
 men found it they began pulling it together
 saying that ~~the~~ the stay was only 4 days etc.

As usual when leaving a comfortable bed
 we were not away until after 10. The lower meadow
 is presents an interesting ^{amazing} color scheme:
 west of the stream which we have not seen
 descended red brown stand on fields of red clay
 to the east however and fields are the usual
 dust grey. The bluffs to the west of the stream
 look as if formed of the red sandstone so
 common on the east of the province but the color
 seems to be due to red iron oxide acting upon
 the limestone.

Below the village the stream enters a deep
 land forested valley. An interesting feature of
 the bottom in the presence of ~~many~~ ^{many} ~~them~~
 some brown shales did coincide with the lower

In contrast to ~~the same~~ ^{the} sandstone which 167
 crowd the ~~shores~~ ^{banks} of the steep stream and, in
 this ~~part~~ ^{part} ~~of the~~ ^{which} ~~stream~~ ^{is} ~~an~~ ^{an} ~~arrangement~~ ^{arrangement}
 of ~~various~~ ^{various} ~~types~~ ^{types} ~~of~~ ^{of} ~~rocks~~ ^{rocks} ~~as~~ ^{as} ~~seen~~ ^{seen} ~~in~~ ⁱⁿ ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~vicinity~~ ^{vicinity} ~~of~~ ^{of} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~mouth~~ ^{mouth} ~~of~~ ^{of} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~river~~ ^{river}
 the ~~rocks~~ ^{rocks} ~~of~~ ^{of} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~valley~~ ^{valley} ~~and~~ ^{and} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~river~~ ^{river}
 are entirely ~~covered~~ ^{covered} ~~with~~ ^{with} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~pattern~~ ^{pattern} ~~of~~ ^{of} ~~rocks~~ ^{rocks}
~~seen~~ ^{seen} ~~in~~ ⁱⁿ ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~vicinity~~ ^{vicinity} ~~of~~ ^{of} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~mouth~~ ^{mouth} ~~of~~ ^{of} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~river~~ ^{river}

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 you see houses of ~~down~~ ^{down} ~~there~~ ^{there} ~~is~~ ^{is} ~~color~~ ^{color} ~~there~~ ^{there} ~~in~~ ⁱⁿ ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~country~~ ^{country}
 the valley ~~open~~ ^{open} & meadows ~~do~~ ^{do} ~~not~~ ^{not} ~~show~~ ^{show} ~~any~~ ^{any} ~~of~~ ^{of} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~same~~ ^{same} ~~color~~ ^{color}
 slopes. There have been some we call it
 belt & as the day goes on still young Schaper

and I struck up onto the steep west of camp.

Trunks of trees that were plentiful but gave itself very scarce. After an hour's climb I stopped on the steep bank of a spruce clad ridge. I had the very unpleasant experience of leaning on a snowbank and suddenly ^{on} an open slide across the valley without seeing it.

Selager found plentiful ^{to} some extent ⁱⁿ the ^{mountain} but also decided ^{to} go ^{to} a ^{camp}.
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Danna Tan Camp 112 Feb 1

The length and gentle gradient of the valley we are descending is extraordinary. For very high altitudes on the Sierrita it would be unusual but ~~in the~~ actually on the banks of the Yangtze it is out of the ordinary. In the short steep valleys we have ^{hidden} ⁱⁿ ^{the} ^{mountain} ^{side}. For a total of ^{about} ¹⁰⁰⁰ ^{feet} ^{down} ^{the} ^{valley} ^{down} ^{and} ^{at} ¹⁰⁰⁰⁰ ^{ft} ^{level} it leads ^{away} ^{northward} as if with no intention of joining the Yangtze.

Today we did a good ^{day's} ^{work} ^{to} ^{the} ^{valley} ^{of} ^{Danna} ^{Danna}. We were no more than fairly encamped than ^{we} ^{found} ^a ^{just} ^{some} ^{of} ^{the} ^{best} ^{of} ^{our} ^{travels} ⁱⁿ ^{the} ^{valley} ^{of} ^{Danna} ^{Danna}. We were no more than fairly encamped than ~~we~~ a picturesque ^{caravans} ^{of} ^{seven} ^{or} ^{eight} ^{men} ^{under} ^{the}

passed by a ^{very} ~~large~~ ^{big} banner surrounded by the Chinese. 169
character and up at a gallop. It was a Chinese
postal inspector and he went returning to
Beiping from a town ~~some~~ ^{about}
the village of ~~the~~ ^{what} where he had established
many ~~large~~ ^{small} ~~postal~~ ^{stations}. (cont'd p.)

Sho Tang - Camp: 4th - Feb 2

up with the first pale streaks of dawn.
~~In view of the lack of grass ^{at the camp} the animals~~
~~we had decided to go ^{stop at} from the point of~~
~~pasture and allow the animals an hour of grazing~~
~~before going on to reach the pass. ~~however~~ ~~plans~~~~
~~in unknown country are made.~~ The caravan men
are seemingly as anxious as we to reach Beijing
and they reckon ^{ed} that from a camp on the north
side of the pass we could go to town in a day.
So much for plans: in unknown country they
are made to be broken.

From seven until one we climbed traveled
steadily and climbed slowly. Truly this is the
country of the long valleys. The ravine we ascend-
ed was narrow walled, heavily forested, far
ahead we caught occasional glimpses of a
high limestone barrier and as how succeeded

inspecting local postal stations and establishing
new ones. We will be able to mail letters. But
God knows what will become of us. At night
Derge, Tseka, & under other ^{Chang} ~~names~~ ^{names}
that we came from (including Lhatse &
Shustunda) we poured a shower of rapid questions
on him. The answers were like a waterfall from
the high cliffs: Many could have, and I believe
the deer he talked about having which eliminated
Abhimanyu's point. The ~~point~~ ^{point} ~~was~~ ^{was}
was he described as in great plenty. In the
Sasha a ~~part~~ ^{where} ~~of~~ ^{sup} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~mountain~~ ^{mountain}
more than was wanted there for coffee beans.

We covered him the speed of light. From day to
stage he "diversula"; a runner ^{always} ~~in~~ ^{to}
impress ^{food} ~~was~~ ^{best} ~~and~~ ^{to} ~~be~~ ^{to}
and of ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~best~~ ^{best} ~~animal~~ ^{animal} ~~was~~ ^{was}
available, there is no talking at long hand day
and his word is law. A distance for which we
require six or seven days to cover in fact. After
a fifteen minutes devils piss-pally to question
answers he rode away to sell himself for the night
in the Chinese seat toward a high the valley.

Tonight we are without meat. ~~When~~ ^{we}
~~we~~ ^{we} ~~arrived~~ ^{arrived} ~~at~~ ^{at} ~~night~~ ^{night} ~~there~~ ^{there} ~~is~~ ^{is} ~~no~~ ^{no} ~~meat~~ ^{meat} ~~to~~ ^{to} ~~be~~ ^{be} ~~had~~ ^{had} ~~by~~ ^{by} ~~us~~ ^{us}

to buy milk. He returned saying simply that 173

One usual inquiry for milk was met by the answer that there was none to be had in the valley and that a household came with a load of hay to buy medicine for his cattle. Of fifty all were dead but 4. The symptoms described - hemor. & blood in the feces - sound very much like amoebic dysentery.

We are encamped on a wide flat beside the stream. Grass there is none for sheep & goats have been here before us. Tomorrow's pass of no known altitude and distance is a problem that the caravan may prefer to solve by a very early start or halt in the first meadow below the pass to allow the mules an hour's grazing.

Feb 3 Camp 45.

Today's pass was not according to Hoops. After an hour or half of easy work along a narrow heavily forested ravine we turned that gave no indication but that a long steep climb would be necessary to cross over the limestone walls ahead, we turned abruptly west and following a short ascent crossed a low saddle. As we approached the crest the truth of the information that the country ^{north} west of

The pass was under snow became apparent. We encountered low drifts and a high wind. Driving fine snow in long "flakes" from the peak to the south west. On the east of the pass we met ^{fall face of the} ~~in~~ ^{the} snow. However a twenty mile descent brought delivery from low level exposure of high mt. terrace. Except near the pass the snow was not deep. On the north slopes it was more entirely gone off the in the valley so on the north slopes it lay deep enough to cover the grass and ferns growing.

Northwest and south the valley led down very, very gradually. After a descent of four hours we had only dropped one of four to five at the foot valley. The men wanted to call a halt and saying that their mules were worn out. Noje who was ahead with one pack animal was not so high in the valley would necessitate a very long day to cross. Gazy & we persuaded him to travel another hour or two to a small meadow. Fine grass in some valley there is none. Every meadow ^{has been} trampled down by the animals of passing caravans & the yak sheep & goats of the villages.

According to boys were not too low fish. Rungkh

The first stage left out of Rungt. Water off to 195
postal inspector Chang who made the journey from
that Rungt to Trench ~~of~~ which will total 15
hours of steady going about pace in one day. On ~~the~~
part we feel rather relieved to find the distance so
great; ~~as~~ it removes any night march crossing
the pass quite ^{for} day we could never have made Rungt
in a day from a camp below the pass. From now
after for some hours down the valley it seems
probable we shall have another day's march
before us to reach Beizi

Feb 4 Camp 46 Beizi

To the caravan the stage into Beizi proved
only slightly longer than ^{normal} ~~the~~ ~~stage~~ ~~at~~ ~~the~~ ~~end~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~stage~~ ~~and~~ ~~camp~~
was broken at 8.30 ^{just before pole} ~~at~~ ~~the~~ ~~end~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~stage~~ ~~and~~ ~~camp~~
the wide ~~end~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~st.~~ ~~ground~~ ~~and~~ ~~the~~ ~~new~~ ~~school~~ ^{at Beizi}
where we found quarters ~~at~~ ~~the~~ ~~end~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~stage~~ ~~and~~ ~~camp~~

Breakfast ~~was~~ ~~at~~ ~~8.30~~ ~~AM~~. Though we were
before ^{the animals set} ~~at~~ ~~8.30~~ ~~AM~~ ~~we~~ ~~did~~ ~~not~~ ~~start~~ ~~until~~ ~~9.30~~ ~~AM~~
away by ^{during the night} ~~wandering~~ ~~in~~ ~~trails~~ ~~back~~ ~~up~~ ~~the~~ ~~road~~ ~~to~~
Trench a mile or two in a pretty good progress.

After an hour's ride down the valley we passed
the hamlet of Rungt, the first stage ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~stage~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~stage~~
dignified by a real house for ~~the~~ ~~travellers~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~
type we encountered at Lama & Densu.

Such a vast business was probably in every part
repute with the people for card game & other amuse-
ments ~~who must stop here at the command of the~~
~~at must stop~~ ^{there} with their Chinese masters
must either try for some other thing or to
go elsewhere.

Below Rungit, the road ~~is~~ ^{crosses} a wide stream flowing
westerly and north westerly down from the high
steeps and follows the banks down to Buij. The
valley is broad & open for most of its distance
and plantation but the slopes are plain, covered
by grass as hamlets. Pigeons were feeding ^{by hundreds} on the
rice which has not yet been turned toward us
for the new crop and we shot ^{a large} number of days
against the mountain days that are beginning to
beat us. Game killed at least 30 planning to
make a supply & take them on the road but if I
know our independent Chinese they will not last
two days.

Many houses in pine winter plum trees were
swarming in the river & after a long chase
down stream I killed a bear. The black and
white of which was collected stood in need &
had Jimmy retrieve it with his horse as it

from the N.W. wall of the valley. Lamas there are
between two and four hundred according to individ-
ual estimates. The robes of many if not all of the
lamas are stained a fair bright blue - a fair
cardinal red - than the dull common or faded
greenish color usually seen. I doubt that this
has any reference to their sect which probably so far
is limited to a few small sects. It can however
probably be due to some of the different sects.

~~How we obtained the sheep for the~~

Feb 5 3500 m. Camp 46 Beijing

A great day both ^{travel without} welcomed
and by ourselves and ^{as a gift} ^{lay to} ^{best} ^{supply}
of tannin butter and horse feed as well as to
patrik and mend ^{part} ^{part}

~~At Yungtso we perfectly~~

~~we had a~~ we have had

our first glimpse of Chinese civilization yet not
accompanied by merchant interpreters. A poor devil
of a Chinese magistrate a young ^{young} ^{begotten}
fellow of 25 or 26 is stationed here under sentence of
a year in a tremendous debt of a building which
has been converted into a yamen. To reinforce his
authority he has a Capt. & 35 soldiers. These ^{the postmaster} ^{the}
servants, etc. make up a total Chinese garrison
of less than 50 individuals. They live here for

a year surrounded by a hot pop of several 179
thousands, bunched for a full year from the grey, plain
of the street, the tea shops, & the opium rooms so
dear to the Chinese heart. The soldiers many of whom
are half-bred, are moved about from borderpost
to borderpost, Kanyu, F. Dewo, Bergu, Jinnak, if
fortunate 7000, 8000, or 9000. The magistrate if
he has succeeded in raising sufficient graft over
& above the minimum of the official tax required
of him by his authorities, will buy another post
in one of the places mentioned or if he has been
particularly acute may have raised sufficient
cash to bid successfully for a magistracy further
east in the province.

The power of the official and his garrison ~~is~~
over the local people is an unquestionable fact
It is based I suspect on the exhibition ^{dealt out} ~~dealt out~~
by punitive expeditions from his garrison
should have befall any of these representatives.
In routine matters the official dealing with the
country people are help hand's impossible. Thus
the passage of the postal inspector is heralded
and is called for the people bidden to make
straight the way. If the visiting official has
come to find fault with ^{the} animals or the condition

be unobtainable, we ~~could~~ will be able to 183
buy milk frequently and will ~~also~~ have herds
of game and breeding water fowl always with us.

A more difficult immediate problem than
that of our own diet is become that of the horses.
One and all they have ^{waxed} ~~become~~ ^{razor backed} ~~shaggy~~ &
lean haunched. ~~It seems to benefit them~~ Their
daily feed bag of barley seems to benefit them
little. Grass and lots of it is what they need
and never find on the close cropped meadows
where we camp. Whenever possible we buy hay but
never in sufficient quantities. Against the
long grind of day in day out travel the best
summer grass will not keep horses in perfect
condition.

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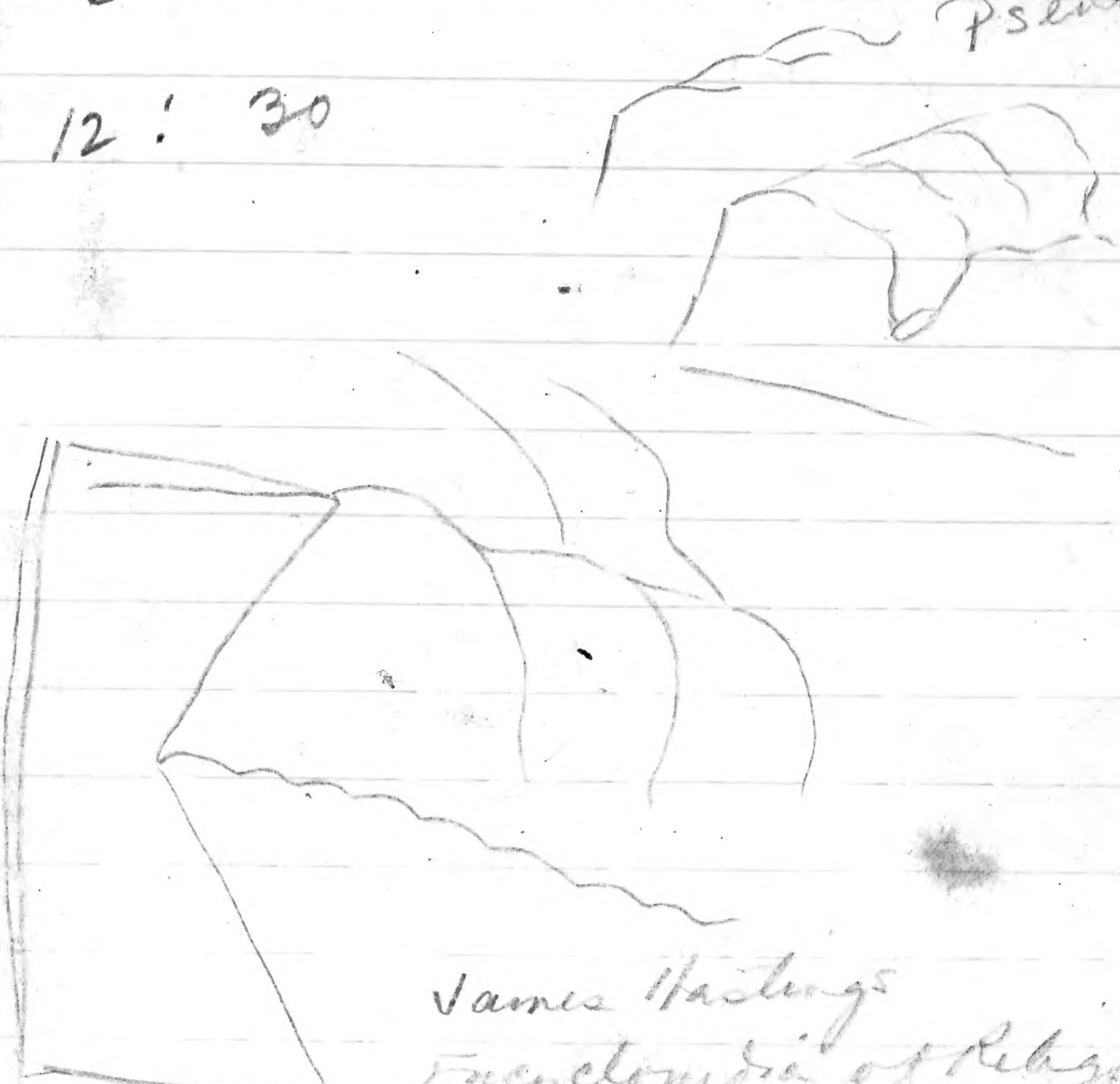
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