

27 THURSDAY (58—308)

- 107 WKW. names for Embargo Com^{tee} of Directors.
 1230 Parker + Malcolm Hogg (Union B of Australia) see my P+C cable to Leaking
 + KOP. of today. as to purchase of UBA by B of N.S.W.
 230 R.H. Beaud. he will send note of what he telephones to Hugh Kim Madrids (see 25)
 (Unit 6 m. proceeds to be used for debts due here, as per memo 24)
 315 Goldsmiths, Britton + ENT general
 345 Butler. at Bessborough's request - a candidate as his personal helper at C.F.B.
 Subject to personal likings between him + B. to languages -
 + to money I advise him to take the job, if offered. - Later
 he might collect £6000 a year on my behalf to maintain C.F.B. 5 yrs
 5 Worley. will send 2 names for Embargo Com of wh one may be chosen: also as
 to German Bonds - see letter WKW

28 FRIDAY (59—307)

- 130 Tenders Sir P Phillips
 245 Bradbury. 1. Tobacco Lic^{se}. OK for new Chinan on March 17 2 Bankers Sub^o to C.F.B. apply
 to him for £2500 3 Embargo Com. he will serve
 330 M. Hely Hutchinson: Chinese B'holders Com: Complaints fr NY + Paris that they have been
 ignored + consideration given only to Stq Bonds. I say they have been
 free to co opt members from other ~~cont~~ countries + remedy lies in
 Com^{tee} hands. They will consider: I need not act in any way.
 + Penn Astell + ENT. as to Capital arrang^{ts} of King + Shaxson - as a L^d Co. Proposals
 are too heavy + provide for no Reserves or increase of Cap. Then
 will consider & come again

operative Society

29 SATURDAY (60—306)

First Quarter, 9.28 a.m.
 s.r. 6.48, s.s. 5.39

MARCH 1 Sunday (61—305)

1st in Lent. Ember week
 S. David

B.G.C. 12 - 4.30 at Kodge

30 Days—April 4
60 Days—May 4
90 Days—June 3

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2 MONDAY (62—304)

- 1230 R.H. Brauch. Thomas Fraser "good high-class Scot" (recommended by W. Orley, secret for Embargo Com. as Insurance Repres^y.)
- 1.15 Guy Kinderley & CFC. or to complaint for release at Madrid of conditions for advance in Ldn agst goes to B of Spain. conditions include payment of debts here with proceeds - we agree only, possible makeshift answer.

3 S.M.T.

3 TUESDAY (63—303)

- 10 Miss Scarlett.
12. Eversdon. 1. Oceanic 2. S. Saville (with KOP) we agree to clear up position
3. Rmail. He wishes 500^m shares & no more: also management By arrangement I write to Treas^r about our advance to Oceanic - today.
- 3 Leese. his troubles with Rothschild's position over Egyptⁿ. Tribute loans of 1891 + 1894 + payments in gold.

430 Lady Harrow, Tea party

4 WEDNESDAY (64—302)

Ember Day

Committee of Treasury.

- 130 Alness. Lunch: explains am + French attitude to ward Chinese Court & differences within the Court to be discussed at meeting tomorrow. He asks no questions & I give no advice.

Addis Ab. - anxious that position of Consortium sh^d. be recognised & maintained

- 3 Needham. Director for District in Clearing Com. He will ask Beckett's advice as to Kennet - Balfour of B: M. Campbell - we agree to pass J. Brauch & D. Rodh.

430 L^d Mayor at Mansion House

545 Ch Ex at Board Rm esp SARA & Revaluation

5 THURSDAY (65—301)

Court of Directors.

- 130 Here from Vienna - Lunch
- 245 Penn, Astell + GNT (See 28th) further discussion as to Krug + Sharson Co. cap may be £150 cum pref £150 n.d. - then will come again
- 315 Goedomiths Tritton + GNT. esp as to Spain: acc^t not being met: renewals will not be taken here + sh^d be avoided. Also China
- 4 Sir Arthur Norley. I give him paper on German indebtedness - Off 4. See my letter to WKW - m^y for himself + WKW. + in confidence
- 515 Please. he will suggest a name or 2 as Bank go on "Embargo" Com^{tee} (See Bradbury's letter of 1st refusing for himself)

6 FRIDAY (66—300)

Ember Day

11. Jarvie. I explain delay in promoting SARA: it depends on Bill + date of Act. Parl^{ts} too congested now to allow any forecast. Ch agrees (on 4th) we make no attempt now to advance, but when date of Act can be foreseen he will ask us to raise Cap for certain date. He agrees to wait in suspense until he hears - no alternative
12. Edelstein 1 same as above. he agrees to wait + go ahead whenever asked
2. Mention Cravens is for sale. I may tell EB, he w^d like to see the papers

430. Victoria to Basle + C.F.C.

7 SATURDAY (67—299)

Ember Day
s.r. 6.33, s.s. 5.50

came over?

Basle

8 Sunday (68—298)

2nd in Lent. ○ Full Moon, 5.14 a.m.

Govt meeting 11 am
" " 4 pm

30 Days—April 11
60 Days—May 11
90 Days—June 10

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9 MONDAY (69—297)

Basle
Board meeting 10

Sandgrube for supper

at Basle 11.30pm with CFC

10 TUESDAY (70—296)

arr Victoria 3.30 pm

and
straight
to
Bauck
until
7 pm

11 WEDNESDAY (71—295)

Committee of Treasury.

245 Sir Ch Needham + Barclay. They leave over choice of Director for Ch. House Com
between Balfour, 12 Campbell + Kennell (see 4th) - in that
order of preference. 2 They leave 1936 figures of District
PRK + Secret Reserves

330 LA Walters. I agree he sh^d. offer Resignⁿ for Dec House Com on Monday.
2 He hopes Meinertg will be asked to join BOB Board - his
Midland PRK connection makes his claim more difficult

430 Rothschilds, 2, Arnoux. my letter to ELP of 10th. They will send me a
memo as to facts - for Whitehall to consider

12 THURSDAY (72—294)

Court of Directors.

1230 WkW. he will advise me as to sub: for Trust accⁿ for C.F.B

1. Glendyne: Australia: Page is here: Menzies + Reading to come: & bent on Fresh loan here to provide stg for imports. Whither?
3. Gochsmith, Triton + ENT.

4. Lord Weir in Whitehall (govt) defence proposals & methods. 2 hours

13 FRIDAY (73—293)

12 H.A. Andrew. Doxford's Shipyard: Pref. held by Sam House (750) other shares by K. (500) obstinate + difficult visitor! See file

130 Tenders Sir F Phillips

3 Sloan Coll. Bankers Trust + Shepherd? courtesy

4 H.A. Lawrence. Payment perhaps by V.A. of £1 mil lent in 1927-32

5 Leggath.: Nat Bk of Scotland: he agrees with Royal Bk - then letter 11th as to expediency of Beardmore having gone to Lifford.
I ask him to consult with Whyle, whether they shall each purchase £15^m of income debts, acquired from Lloyd's to total of £150^m. I do not press him

630 To St. Clare

14 SATURDAY (74—292)

s.r. 6.17, s.s. 6.2

Bed

15 Sunday (75—291)

3rd in Lent

Bed

7 pm Plodge

30 Days—April 18
60 Days—May 18
90 Days—June 17

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16 MONDAY (76—290)

(Last Quarter, 8.35 a.m.

1130 Board meeting S. Jere Estates

1230 R. C. N. & Jacobsen Lunch

3 S.M.T.

430 B. Hornsby, Drexel & K.O.P. Improved final offer for Lloyd's for ASAB. B.H. wishes to avoid any call on B shares but we agree new positions must go to Com (Hyde & Hildrew) & then to Pool with some recommendation.

5.15 Patrick to say that he has share in private Co for distribution of Films = not concerned with management wh he leaves to Lindenberg

17 TUESDAY (77—289)

S. Patrick. Bank Holiday in Ireland

12 Other Barry: Sun & Launce C. Corp. I may say to Lever that B.H. owes the £700 + will discuss their future apart from £2000. No need to investigate details of Sun Agreement?

130 Launce Gayet. Lunch

3 A.W. Davies (Somerset House) Hopkins Letter of 10th on Saxford. I lend him Note rec'd for Andreas, wh he will return with his changes needed to make up true picture

4 Sir Guy Grant. General. Leaves Bal sheet &c - given to E.M.T.

18 WEDNESDAY (78—288)

Committee of Treasury: absent

1130 Leave at Buck Palace

3 Chiluit Pool (from Feb 25.) all B.H. + Read Rowley, K.O.P.

19 THURSDAY (79—287)

Court of Directors. + General Court

1. Balfour of B see Needham's letter of 18th + my answer of this a.m. He agrees Beadmore as far as he knows Directorship w^d be welcome. Await Monday.
2. Lever see my notes 1. L.C.C. bondholders Court + Sun Guar^{tee} 2. Greek Debt Gov^t + Non Gov^t.
4. Walter Taylor, Phillips + Hy C - see Note by Hy C as to Wfdland + by myself as to general question of Can. Newspaper.

20 FRIDAY (80—286)

Vernal Equinox

- 12 Leggath. Not Bk Scot. see 13th: we discuss suggestion he sh^d. purchase £15. Beadmore Inc. Deb + I explain all reasons. In the end he will ^{consider with Board} ~~decide~~ ⁱⁿ 2-3 weeks see my note
- 1245 Bradburn. Chairmanship of Ch. House Com. ? Bk C. New Sec vice Sykes ac - meet again Wed. next
- 130 Tenders in R.H.
- 3 Robert Humphrey, ENT. L. Merch Bk - + Harter See Travers note Continue as at present with gradual liquidizing.
- 4 W Whyte - He will consult with Leggath + with his Board + give answer in a couple of weeks as to purchase of £15000 Income Deb of Beadmore. See my green memo of today.
- 5 To bed at Prodec

21 SATURDAY (81—285)

s.r. 6.1, s.s. 6.14

22 Sunday (82—284)

4th in Lent

30 Days—April 25
60 Days—May 25
90 Days—June 24

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23 MONDAY (83—283)

● New Moon, 4.14 a.m.

- 1030 R B Pearson. Embargo Com. wait till Wed, when ^{new} Ex Com will have met.
He will accept for himself or suggest another Representative
- 11 Austin Harris - glad to be member of Embargo Com. - of wh. Pease has given details
- 12 Penn + Astell + ENT. See 5th - further discussion as to Cap + Reserves etc
- 130 H B Butler (lunch) 120 Geneva
- 330 Koc + Baranski, Bk Polski, + CAG

815. Bruce. Dinner to Page Deputy P.M.

24 TUESDAY (84—282)

Mohammedan Era 1355 begins

11. Balfour of B. see my note to Sir CH Needham.
- 1130 R B Pearson. more about Embargo Com
- 12 Sir Stephen Demetrius. Ch of Commerce. is keeping the sec quiet & to be pres^d for another 18 months probably, & attends C.F. Bd regularly; approves Besborough; all going well.
- 1 Bernard & Hanbury-Williams for lunch
- 3 Sir Harry Peat, H J Sanders - produce regis + discuss Bal sheet of + BQC } Goschen + C

25 WEDNESDAY (85—281)

Annunciation of B.V.M.
Lady Day (Quarter Day)

Committee of Treasury.

11. KGoschen + HJQ. as to Bal sheet + future. I give some queries wh Ken with answer before my general scheme decided. (Based on Peat 24th)
- 130 Koc + Baransky + CAG. I advise them to make no attempts to raise a loan here. Lunch. Mkt most unfavourable + Embargo likely to block a good country
- 3 Bradbury. see note for C/J Apr 1st as to arrange for Cl House Com 1936-7.
- 4 Cochran (fr US Embassy, Paris) BQC + HJC - general
- 445 R B Pearson. as to Embargo Com. His Com unwilling to permit membership
- 6 Chqn

26 THURSDAY (86—280)

Last Court of Directors. of East.

- 11 PM at No 10
 130 Cadbury Lunch
 3 H Andree. I give him copy of "C" rec^d for Davies - showing Pref Share value of 144. He is to consider
 4 Koc Baranski + CAG. I advise them, as they have stayed so long on gold at great sacrifice, to make no sudden change now - for the public in Poland is totally unprepared. CAG has note
 5 Pearson + Wilkinson - urging latter to accept membership of Embargo Com if invited: Duty of SE Com to advise Ch Ex - either directly a Reg membership of Advise Com

27 FRIDAY (87—279)

- 17 CRND. signatures
 1 JWB Case - future of El House Com: see Bradbury 25th
 130 Tenders Sir R Hopkins
 3 Sir Ch Needham - my letter of 24th - he will see Balfour of B
 330 Culliffe - came at to K G + H K L on 25. He agrees to proposals on ship of 25/3 ✓
 430 A A Jamieson. League Nations Pension F^o to open % with BIS + hold gold. OK
 5 H Andree. Dir. Dordrecht Ship Yards - on behalf of his brother + to discuss "C" Bal Sheet (see 26th). He says price of £140 for Pref is ^{valuation} ridiculous: I say it follows from his own Bal Sheet: I say owing to this value of £140 I can't take 1/25. He rather agrees + goes away to meditate.
 630 To M Haslam

28 SATURDAY (88—278)
s.r. 5.45, s.s. 6.2629 Sunday (89—277)
Passion Sunday
First Quarter, 9.22 p.m.

Rodge 7 pm

30 Days—May 2
60 Days—June 2
90 Days—July 1

MARCH—APRIL, 1936

3rd & 4th Months

30 MONDAY (90—276)

- 10 Miss Scarlett
17 Sir C. Schigman leaves Bal Sheet. to ~~the~~ his office
230 S.M.T.
330 Sir Peter Bask. so poor, so poor: so many dependents. offered by Jinali seat on Board of Hirm. Austrian Sugar Factory. high standing, Pres. fr 20^m pa. - see C/J minutes of apr 1.
4 Terestchenko. Claim of Nat City Bk for \$500, advanced to him in Russia in 1918. actually \$170^m. advanced. I will consult Rink
450 Presentation to E.M.H. + Lady Harway

1015 Ruby's Party

31 TUESDAY (91—275)

- 11 Election of Governors
1130 Guy Dawman. agree to resign fr Chairmanship of Cravens + I. and I. + will take the steps himself. I tell him C.B.G. will succeed him in both
117 Deput. fr 3 First Class Clerks. M. S. Kelly. Said season agt then being excluded fr Treas. automatically. E.M.H. + B.C. pres. agree to refer to Staff Com.
1. Penn Astell + E.M.H. see 23. further as to Cap + Reserves
245 Peter Taylor. will write a definite proposal for his part time services with Nfld. for several years at a stated figure (25000 pa)
430 Dr. Andrew see 27*. Offer to pay £50 (instead of £25) for the Prof Shares in Dorfordo. see Hopkins Letter Feb 27 + encl. from Somerset House, wh lets out their position
530 Walter Brown Hurst + Fraser. to answer my letter of y'day. See Note as to their plea of guilty - given to B.C.

APRIL 1 WEDNESDAY (92—274)

Committee of Treasury.
Election of Directors

11 and 4

- 3 Worley. as to contribution by Ins Co Ass. to C.F. Fund. He sees no real trouble + does not wish my letter of request withdrawn
430 E.W. Ganson. Some talks and what is Howson to do after Prison? (no matter what appeal may result in) I say go far East or far West - never show his nose in London: he can + sh^d. have no moral standing + is not welcome here, ever.