

30 FRIDAY [30-335]

Bed all day: cold:
at Cottage

31 SATURDAY [31-334]

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1 FEB SUNDAY [32-333]
Septuagesima

Bed most of the day

ab 910 Hahn

2 MONDAY [33-332]
Purification V.M.
Candlemas. Scottish Quarter Day

245 Sri Caddis. Waileys Letter 30th on Chinese Consortium
+ my answer of 10th
(CSA laid up from 7th for operation: 2-3 weeks)

Sup with C.F.C.
Keeps in Bank

3 TUESDAY [34-331]

10. Amy at Plotge

1. P.A.C. reads my Letter 2^o to Jm. We discuss fully Jm's + Sumto's position: dangers in SA to which Marco alluded on Sunday, eg Sabotage. Also Letter to Jm drafted by Phillips, wh I have not seen, but wh I gather makes complaints about Jm's Gladness. We agree to discuss again later + meanwhile to hold back Letter - in case Jm is preoccupied with dangers to Sumto's side of Rebellion.

245 CF Campbell + B.H.C. Agenda for Thursday
+ G.L.B. They agree CFC to summon F.E. Com in order to confirm + increase SubCom - to act with ^{their} authority

430 BK Car to Gttago with H.

ab q from M.P. + H, R + Ben

4 WEDNESDAY [35-330]

Committee of Treasury

1230 Wedding Atastair B & Elizabeth C.

St Marks. N. Audley JE

230 Col J

H CF Campbell + B.G.C. Agenda for Cl Bankers meeting tomorrow.

Sup with B.G.C
Sleep in 'Pw

5 THURSDAY [36-329]

Court of Directors

1245 Cl. Bankers meeting & luncheon afterwards

315 J.L. + HCBM

345 Lnd Mayor ① With dress + takes mom's letter of 4th asking us to subscribe for War Bonds

② I knew cold water on his idea of investing his Air Raid Sub to Malaya

↳ Lpool St to Hahn

6 FRIDAY [37-328]

at 9.10 Broomie + R.

? away?

1030 D.F.

17 Wardington. Scheme C. Min. of Supply, June 3.40. He has complaints about advances wh I say sh^d. be referred to Liaison Officers. I will Enquire into any case if he gives full details. There seems some rancour

130 Tenders Sir R Hopkins + then with BGC
Catto. Lunch

330 LEP. + KOP. as to Lionel de la estate valuation. Nothing decided
LEP says wait + see

6 Lynd St

7 SATURDAY [38-327]

H in bed with Flu

8 SUNDAY [39-326]
Sexagesima
Half Quarter Day

H in bed with Flu

9 MONDAY [40-325]

abt 910 Hddm (alone)

H. with Flu at Cottage

130 Winthrop Brown (son of Wm Adams B.) Lunch & then with C.F.C. He is working on lease-land now in Lds with Karamian, formerly in Wash. Well known to L.P. Thompson.

6 Lds mayor. Letter to Times on 11. as to Empire Lds of Natl. Air Raid Distress Fund. Leaves copy of Letter. to W.H.N. for study

E.H.M. Sups

Sleep here

10 TUESDAY [41-324]

1130 Treasury H.W. approaching 60: owing to Munich & newspaper comment he sh^d. ask P.M. & Ch. if they will designate his Succ^r so that he can consult & pass on. Leaving them to elect him to continue if they choose

3 A de R. His Brother's will to be proved at £104⁰⁰. Revenue refuses to agree to £100 & requires details, such as brought total to £104. He will carry on alone & wait & see what happens. Says that Victor's £750 is now intact & that the B. Brothers show about £100 each

430 P.M. car to Cottage. alone

alt q. with Joyce to be alone

11 WEDNESDAY [42-323]

Committee of Treasury

He in bed at Cottage

11. Dr. Fenech: Czech Finance Minister: + CFC. most intelligent & hopeful about future but too great a realist to foresee or admit any true union in E. Europe - beyond Customs (& Economics?)
- 130 In Thomas Rye. LMS Ry. Lunch with GMB & EHM about accommodation at Barlaston
- 215 By Day. will sound Mallon, without names, whether Joyner w^d agree to publish cheap Edition of Elements & distribute it, generally, but especially among Hoops
- 245 In Guy Frank: shrunken: hesitating: slow. Wants a job, after over 2 years illness, but not fit for much: tho' cleared
- 4 CF Campbell. Read letters from + to McKenna & approves answer to Supplementary. also advances for J.R. Certe
- 430 FRSB. Beaver has given to Am. Cable Co direct circuits over cables & wireless to Dom^s & Colonies. Loss to C.W. \$2500⁰⁰ per. I say, Wilshaw sh^d. Discuss with Stewart & perhaps W.S. Morrison.
- Sup with BGC. Sleep in BR

12 THURSDAY [43-322]

Committee of Directors

- 1030 Tel. Grand (Dorchester) he wishes me to apply "somewhere" for a job for Denis Mackail: M.O.I. not mentioned: wrote today
- 3 Stanley James cancelled: accordingly, to Brian Brackin

6. Liverpool St to Hahn

at G.S. Buxborne: Thorough

13 FRIDAY [44-321]

12 CF (Campbell) & G.S.B. Reports meeting y'day of full F. Ex. Com.
of wh he gives G.S.B. (secretly) minutes. G.S.B.
says entirely satisfactory

130 Tenders R.H. Perhaps Reduce Y8 to Y16 Com. on Gov. Loans to
Bks + Sxchange

Cable to John Martin via Dominion
Office as to support of a Dutch paper
by Barclays + Standard Bks.
Enquiry ^{made} to B.R.H. app'd by G.L.

b. Lpool Bk to Alderm

14 SATURDAY [45-320]
St. Valentine's Day

15 SUNDAY [46-319]
Quinquagesima

910 from H d h m + R.
(arr. 3/4 hour late!)

16 MONDAY [47-318]

- 130 Warren Fisher. Lunch. & general talk. Quick & reasonable - mine so than usual. Wants only a step up for Miss Culhane
- 245 ERP. has seen Basil Sanderson, who is gladly available for (govt
- 315 Sir Campbell Stuart (see FRSB on 11th about which he knew nothing) Beaver just tutted in but circuits were essential because of US Army, air + Navy going to many places, e.g. Persia. Cable & W. must & will agree leaving Revenue loss to be adjusted later. CS here for month. Then perhaps to see Smuts & Curtin, who have both visited him

Sup with CFC }
Sleep in Bault }

17 TUESDAY [48-317]
Shrove Tuesday

Left open watch with D. J. W.

11. Treasury H. J. W. 1 1/2 hours: Note to M. H. P. of awkward points
- 130 G. D. H. Cole + Nicholson Lunch & with E. H. M. about Social Security & Nat Council of I.S.
- 3 CFC and BGC (1) Com. on War Issues to be somehow redressed to placate Ch. B., who fears criticism in H. of Commons. He makes suggestion of 1/8 to 1/16 to Best Pickers (2) He will enquire as to practice of cashing cheques by Branches, without passing thro' Customers %

430 Bk Car to MP Cottage

at 9. Bk of India + H

18 WEDNESDAY [49-316]

Ash Wednesday

Committee of Treasury

11. L. E. Peppitt. Change of articles of Central Mining

230 G. C. Nickerson: long general joint

330 In Edw. Wilshaw (my invitation: at request of Campbell Stuart, whose name not mentioned) long & bitter complaint about methods & fact of opening ^{circuits} ~~circuits~~ Kres. Empire to U.S. Cos: Loss of Revenue - damage to Imp. interests eventually. No Censorship. I tell him its war time: he must make a virtue of Necessity, or claim goodwill of H. J. W. on Friday

One to
Peavess
brook

Sup. all D. G. M. B.
Sleep here

19 THURSDAY [50-315]

Committee of Directors ^{at 5.0}

M. H. Parsons } one after another: in turn
1730 Chamberlain } on Rise in Salary of
Dalton } gratuity, passed today

1730 Josiah Wedgwood Lunch

230 Ellen & Martin Smith and A. C. B.

330 In Ch. Innes & Chichton (Mere Bk of India) we discuss position of Bk, as far as known & agree to adjourn till early March - as to credit worthiness and possible dividend

6 Lpool St to Hldhm

20 FRIDAY [51-314]

at M. Potters 9.15 + 8c in car
to Pledge. Then
Lunch at Harrods

at Victoria 2.18. to Kew

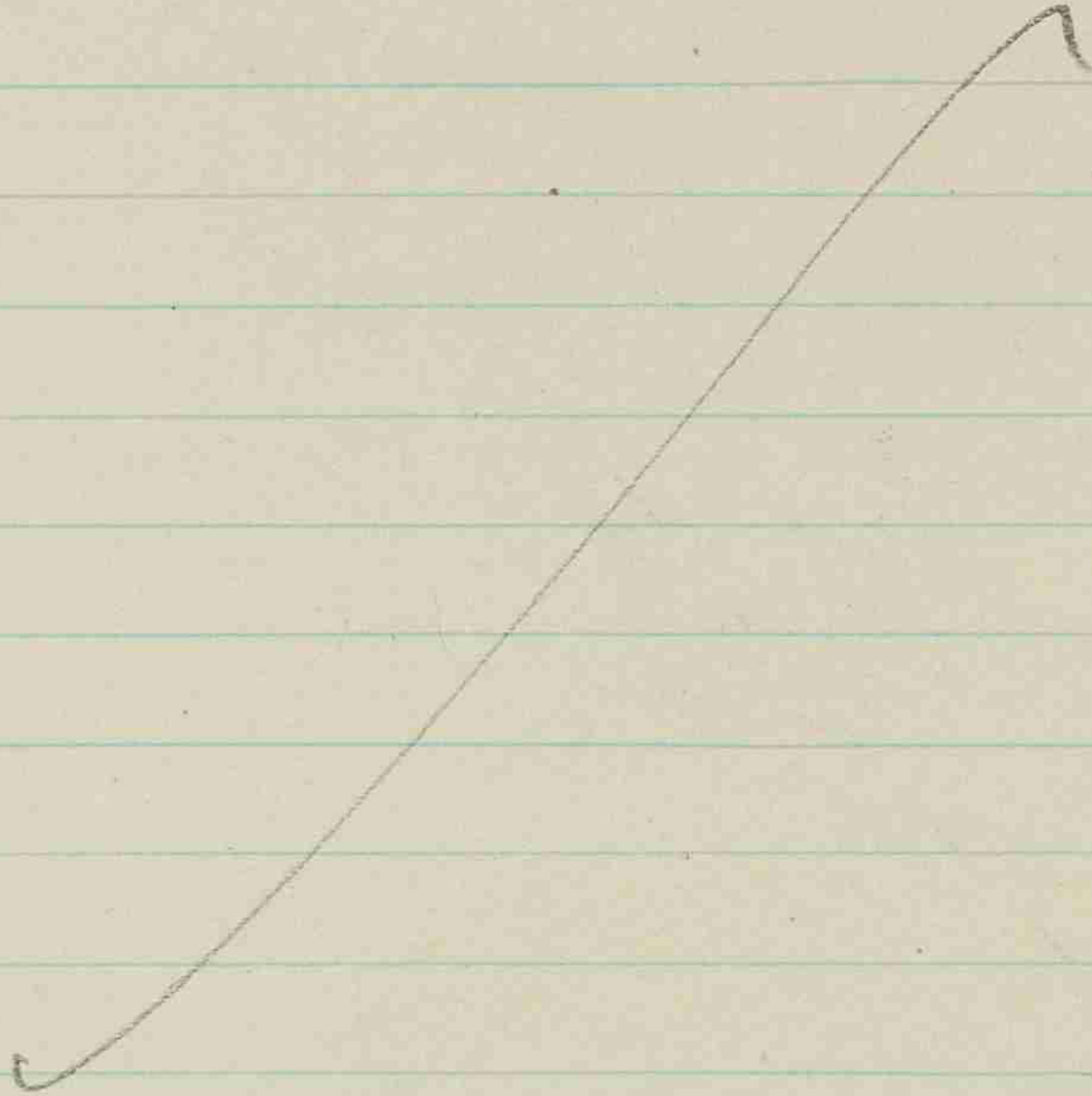
21 SATURDAY [52-313]

S^E Clare

22 SUNDAY [53-312]
1 in Lent. Ember Week

23 MONDAY [54-311]

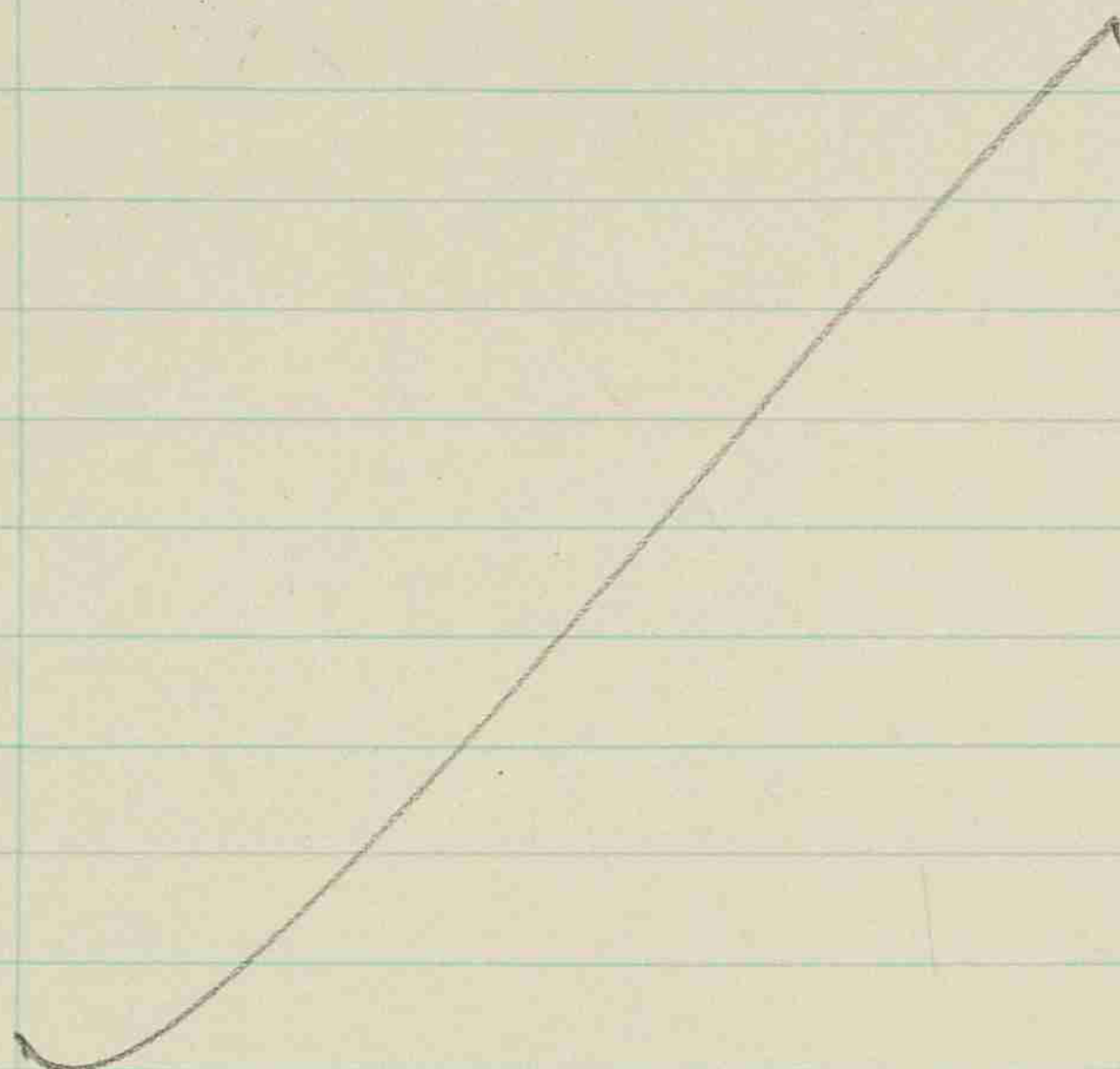
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24 TUESDAY [55-310]
St. MatthiasTHE BANK OF ENGLAND
LONDON

25 WEDNESDAY [56-309]

Committee of Treasury

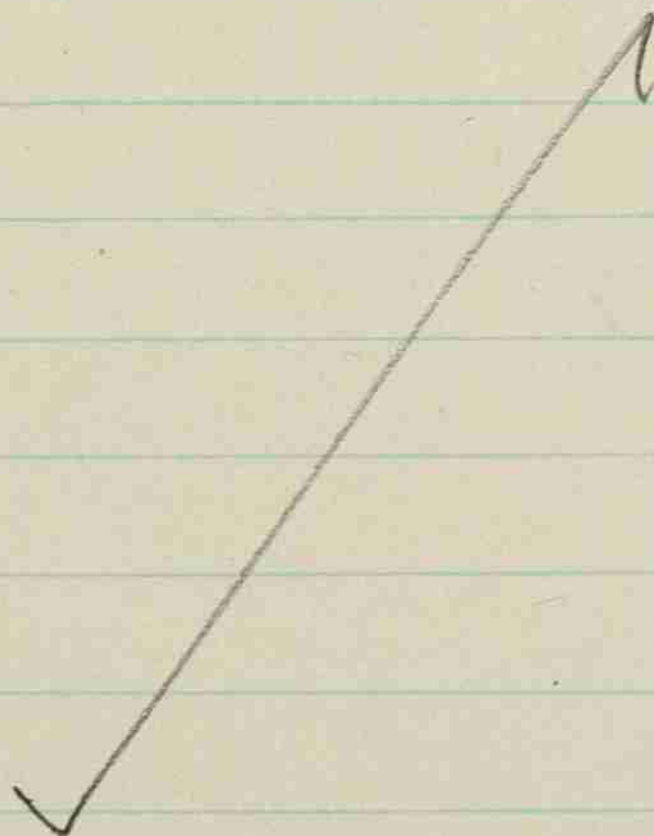
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26 THURSDAY [57-308]

Court of Directors

at Kewring 2.13 train
at Victoria 3.5 Car to M. Cottages



ab 95 Portborne

27 FRIDAY [58-307]

11. Leigh Wood (+ Golder Eastern Bk) I talk cooperation & consultation among all Eastern Bks - in view of happenings & dangers in Pacific - No promise asked or given: seems most willing (see Tues.)
12. CF Campbell. Ask him to bring Grantham, Chairman of Chartered Bk + talk on above lines: rather sticking:
- 1245 Langford James: wishes to cooperate in all respects & glad to attend meeting with Chairmen of each Bk
- 240 Grantham (Chartered Bk) introduced by CF Campbell: rather proud but glad to consult & cooperate. will attend on Tuesday with others
- 330 Moore (Hongkong Bk) Satisfied with his position: glad to come to meet Chairmen of Eastern Bks.

b. Liverpool St to Adhm

28 SATURDAY [59-306]

1 MARCH SUNDAY [60-305]
2 in Lent. St. David