

at 834 Hahn

1 FRIDAY [121-244]
St. Philip and St. James

- 1030 Latham reports on his meeting with Sam Beale & group as arranged by James and ES! a E.S. following Lathams visit here on 17th
- 1130 JHW see 29th as to my visit to:-
- 12 Selborne at M.F.W.
- 130 Catto Burma & Ceylon
Tenders R.H. & later
- 33 Slade (see April 3) He is willing to go ahead & to employ me. Therefore Rufus & Eukine come in with KOP. I introduce them & leave the 3 (Ex KOP.) to discuss business & satisfy one another after 10 mins they part to meet again on Tuesday, & Eukine will keep in touch with KOP.

b Liverpool St to Hahn

2 SATURDAY [122-243]

3 SUNDAY [123-242]
4 after Easter

45 834 Hahn + JL

4 MONDAY [124-241]
Bank Holiday, Scotland

B G C away

3 WAWERR. JAD. DENT. R. Partington agreed
to consider

[Boq B: Scotland all last week: I wait to hear about
Walsham on his return. Tel. N. B. of N3]

CFC Inps.
Sleep in Bk.

5 TUESDAY [125-240]

1030 R. Munro (see 30th) Goodbye: Scotland tonight: Canada tomorrow

1130 Oscar Holson. agrees to allow publication of Bk: 30th words: of his
Fin Notes: to sell c 2/6: Royalty 4000 copies 2½
will agree Extracts sent to him + square N-Chron

115 Savoy. Lunch by SM Bruce to Dr. Ewatt. Australian minister & visitor

330 C F Campbell. agenda for Bk's meeting on Thurs.

415 Kennet. I prepare him for invitation to be Chairman of Com on Concentration
of Bk's: Gen Bus: Indust Bus. - I give him privately
a list of possible names (wh are not all right) + he reads
reference to Lord President's council by Ch

5 Bk Car to M Pottage + JL

dr 9. At Car + JL

6 WEDNESDAY [126-239]

Committee of Treasury

- 1030 Lowday: from Princeton for visit: optimistic +: rather dangerous.
But talk about the Republican Party tames him and fits
him to go to DEN next day
- 230 Rufus + KOP (see 1st) Woolworth Shares sold in agreement with Kade: to be
held for 6 months + no publicity. He will confirm in a letter
+ KOP will confirm with Kade
- 330 Tel. Elizabeth. G B alone in Edinburgh. A N B will telephone her tonight:
mean while do nothing + decide nothing.

Sup with Effie
Sleep in Banks

7 THURSDAY [127-238]

FHSB operation in Edinburgh - game

Court of Directors

1245 Bkew Meeting + then 130 lunch

230 Balfour of B (see apr 15th) his talk with Walsham on 17th

430 P A Cooper + John Rogers (see apr 13)

6 Lpool St

ab 834 Hdum + H

8 FRIDAY [128-237]

Bq Caway

1130 Treas^r H/W

1215 Lowell. Richmond Terrace

1300 Jenkins. Sir RH

Lunch. Calto

315 Ashfield. Vacancy on CPJB? Hayworth or Revers in favourite but
 I say he is international: object sh^d. be interest of and
 in London: Civic pride

415 Olaf Hambo. Balshack to ACB

b Lpool St to Hdum

9 SATURDAY [129-236]
 Half Quarter Day

10 SUNDAY [130-235]
 Rogation Sunday
 5 after Easter

ab 834 Hahn + JL

11 MONDAY [131-234]
Rogation Day

- 1045 Wm Goodenough ① Burbridge for Transport Bd (son) ② Cromwell Indust^{ry} Sec^y Co. Enquiry Littlewood to Jod 7th via ERP. Whose nominees are Lederer (Midland) + Wallace (Chanc)?
- 12 Transpens. Islandsgers for m of Production - payroll of Lowell
- 120 A.R.D. ES + WKW. (Secret) he approves Latham's plans + promises to help with Wright + Neilson if required. till 330
- 4 Goodenough above ① Burbridge entirely overshadowed by his Father at Harrods + unknown elsewhere ② Cromwell I.S. Co no information available: Lederer + Wallace not known to be connected

Sup Red House 7.30

12 TUESDAY [132-233]
Rogation Day
Coronation King George VI (1937)

- 10 Miss S. (with JL: pick her up at Good St 9.30)
- 12 C.F. Campbell 1. Concentration 2. RH to KOP 6th Business retained by John Cook Son - doesn't go to Grindlay? He will let me know
1. WKW. ~~Later he does not object~~
- 230 Stanley Adams. Cooks transfer to Hays Wharf all settled + Bill will be unopposed on Thursday ② He will redraft paras 3 + 4 of Note enclosed by his RH to KOP on 6th - wh he admits we misleading. (see C.F.C above)

S. ab to MP with JL. BR Car

13 WEDNESDAY [133-232]
Rogation Day

ab-q. + H. BK Cur

Bq Caraway

Committee of Treasury

11. Aug P. Brandt. leaves Bal sheet (to acb)

230 C F Campbell. thinks that paras 3 & 4 of Note sh. be modified
See Adams y' day: seems on right lines now3 Balfour of B. ① Read & agrees my letter of q' to Walsham ②
arising from dinner last week. CFC, McKenna, Noton
Barclay. + some of 1922 Com wants agreement of C Aho
on ^{10%} Cash Ratio + on Control of Cr by Treas - to be
published - I will consider.330 H. HCBM + Editor how deal with announcement of
Concentration of Bq. as to future govt reception
for unwelcome Comtee

Sup with Editor.

Sleep in BK

14 THURSDAY [134-231]
Ascension Day

Court of Directors

230 Ellen Oliver M-S + acb. to welcome concentration when announced
private

3 Other Barmy 2 Sun Pots + D. D. D.

315 I.L. - HCBM. STM same as y' day

345 Ivan Spens EHL for ammunition Com. Need fact. a month
tel

6 Liverpool St to H'don

at 834 Hahn + H

15 FRIDAY [135-230]
Scottish Quarter Day (Whitsunday)

1030 Est Leves as member (1) Ammunition Com (2) Concentration Com. He promises
Loyalty to Kempt: cooperation with Com: consideration for
the Victims - I give him origin + names -

1145 Reith: Fate, undeserved but hard. No work: no money: misery, whither?
Walking up + down hill 1. o'clock.

130 Teachers. In RH
Catho Lunch

330 Helmut Schroder. Adherent + A B P (p) - a nasty mess: dominated
by the bus (Mildred + Fletcher) supported by Allen + Warder

6 Liverpool St

16 SATURDAY [136-229]

Miss Lamont goes
to spend weekend with BGC

17 SUNDAY [137-228]
Sunday after Ascension

at 834. Hahn + JH

18 MONDAY [138-227]

B. L. Conway

- 1115 Treas. H.W. ① WB vice Faulkner for Petroleum Dept ② F.O. rejoining
 itself ③ Hyndley out ④ Welgwood a BPC affairs
- 12 No. 11. Ch. Ex ① RH will lead agt's the Americans ② Baile no change now poss.
 post-war Nationalism or Govt. app^{ted} Court or Pub Utility Co.
 No use to consider yet but last night be only useful escape
 as some change probable according to post war politics
- 1245 Catto. Malay & obligations
- 230 Latham R.B. we repeat someone's verdict in favour of Latham's scheme.
 Latham to decide next step on leaving from Beale. to
 bring in some James at same time as Neilson
- 430 Tel: Hyndley has resigned. But resignation refused by PM. He agrees to
 withhold it till announcement of Fuel Plans after election.

up with CFC + Hyl.

Sleep here

19 TUESDAY [139-226]

- 10 Tel. W.B. at Petroleum Dept: a kiss on return after 3m. to almost status
- 1130 R.B. Guinness to tell me the rough treatment by M.R.W. of Subject + Swiss
 Delegation: I say inevitable M.R.W. is difficult. They contact
 Neutrals, over all other Depts + B of C. Useless for me to ^{wed 3}
 intervene unless on procedure, which he does not want.
- 12 WKW + ERP + K.O.P. R. to be reduced.
- 3 CF Campbell. Read there answer in H of C and names. Will warn BBA
 tomorrow will talk on Thurs Times. Tel. Herald. Fin News + Times
- 330 R.B. Pearson ① Reorgan of S Ex ② Read as above & will make a statement
 on Thurs pm to Press
- 4 Abel Smith - Acc. H. acc. Com^m. Read as above & will send tomorrow Accept
 of Statement to Press for Thurs pm

5 B. L. Conway to MP + H + R

20 WEDNESDAY [140-225]

abg. Bk Car + Jc.

Committee of Treasury

1030 Milligan. Tomorrow's answer in H of C on Concentration: will support with Press app. of Com^{tee}. Covers Indust as well as General bus

1. R-H

230 R.B. Pearson (see 19th) further to Reorgⁿ of S.E. external perhaps as well as internal

3 Sulzer (Head of Swiss Trade Delegation) 55 mins: long but friendly complaint of attitude of M.G.W. towards Swiss. I say its inevitable + proper. + w^d be supported by F.O. if he went there - as he intends, failing, a compromise

No E!

4 Pulbrook & Lloyd. Same as Milligan above: read draft answer for tomorrow in H of C + promises support of new Com + no tick marks

430 Ellen same as above

530 IL + HCBM

6 E.S.

sup with Ruby
Sleep in Bank

21 THURSDAY [141-224]

Court of Directors

17 announcement in H of C of Com in 3 panels

1215 Sec Inst. B^d meeting. Crangmyle Gladstone Roman

1245 C.F.C. Burma Malay payment of \$ debts

220 Ellen Oliver & abs

315 Treas^r Horace Wilson ① A.B.P. ② J.H. Williams and C.J. Harbrow and several others

6 Liverpool St to Edin

22 FRIDAY [142-223]
Easter Law Sittings end

B G C away

at 9. Her car to Banks

1015 Lord Mayor: privately: the next L Mayor falls to be a Jew (Pollitzer) & the 2nd in order likewise (Samuel): Wth they be wise to elect a Jew? I say NO. I report to HCBM with reasons: e.g. bails for Hitler: Black markets:

11 Sir Nigel Campbell, friendly: complaints of apathy & opposition in B Trade to suggestions of Export Councils:

12 Ch Ex. N^o 11 ① NLC above ② L Mayor above ③ Malaya & c payment of \$ m L: he will lead papers again & discuss before he decides: see him? Tuesday

130 Jensen Sir R. H. & then Malaya etc

4 Milligan: will give 2 names for Com besides his own & will supply all other names & details

6.18 Victoria to Kemming

23 SATURDAY [143-222]

St. Clare



24 SUNDAY [144-221]

Whit Sunday
Ember Week
Empire Day

Kemming

pm Sennocks. AE & LB

am / Church. Address by

Waldron Smithers

25 MONDAY [145-220]
Whit Monday. Bank Holiday

S^t Clare

at Kensing 840 - but missed
+ "Sennocks 913. instead

26 TUESDAY [146-219]
Whit Tuesday
Queen Mary born, 1867

- 3 RB Pearson (see 20) He does not yet know how SE, as a united body, will be made to stand: its limitations & freedom: its power of Negotiation &c &c. He sh^d. first devise a united Plan of Reorgⁿ: then take advice privately about it: 'neat'. Some House: Bankers &c: then see if & how it can be carried out eg Pub Utility Corp - wh^o w^d. probably need an Act. I am at his service. He will consider Prop. S. Exchanges & come again. He sh^d. remember that the whole question of Organisation may be raised directly or indirectly to the Kewlett Com^{tee}. also $\frac{1}{2}$ Com mem

5 BK Com to MP + JL + R

MAY 1942

31 Days

9. Bkcar + JL

27 WEDNESDAY [147-218]

B & C away

Committee of Treasury

130 Winthrop Brown Lunch. no time for talk

3. To James Sir Christopher Needham - very friendly, chatter for $\frac{1}{2}$ an hour330 To James + ES. ① Latham + Beale. Beale + Wright.
? Lever. ? Evans. ? Nielson

530 EHM

630 ES.

ANB sent for to see
FRSB in Edinburgh

Donald Somerville sups

Sleep in Bank

28 THURSDAY [148-217]

Court of Directors

(FRSB operation 930 am
in Edinburgh)

230 Ellen O Martin Smith + A.C.B.

4 Treas? Ch Ex. Debts of State + Pub Authorities in H Kong, Malaya
+ Burma. Memo from green aide-memoire of 26th

6. Liverpool St + JL

Cancelled

~~JL to Edinburgh after dinner at the~~
Sleep in Bank / Asopla

at 834 Hahn + R

29 FRIDAY [149-216]

1030 Morse (Hongkong, Bk) + Fisher: Hongkong & Singapore = Shanghai
+ Malaya: est' advances + deposits.

1130 Sir C Addis. Hand him the papers about Stamp Biography, + invite him
to do lecture on Banking, direct with Dudley Stamp: He takes
papers, will consult with H.A. Henderson + let me hear

12 W. White: Kennet Com: Scottish Bankers: Angus Campbell now on Board
of Martins: a great + absurd mess by RBS!

3 EB Kadenacy

4 ERP+ES so

6 Liverpool St

30 SATURDAY [150-215]

31 SUNDAY [151-214]

Trinity Sunday
Union Day, South Africa