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January, 1949

Sun
16

Pacific Paradise

Mon
17

Tues
18

Wed
19

Thurs
20

Fri
21

8: Leyden, party
(Gottfried Reinhardt)

Sat
22

5: Dr. Hacker

Memoranda

3E

Working: 23

Fast, chapter
of the Dr. Williams
journal

Reading: Tues
Mason, Shaver
The Young Lion

(with a note
of admiration
in the
invitation)

Robert M. Mearns
The Service
The Service
The Service

Telegram from
Bridgwater: "Ross & Co."
"Service"

Sat
23

Memoranda

Working:
last chapter
of "Dr Wank:
punch".

Reading:
Gwynn Shaw,
"The Young Lions"
(with a mixture
of admiration and
invitation);

Robin Maughan,
"The Servant"
(talented, but
immature; too
short; somewhat
dried-out.)

January, 1949

Sun
30

Cable from F.

Mon

E off to
31 Mount Hood, Oregon,
with Eva.

Tues

February

1

11⁰⁰ Dr. Pendergast :-

5.30: Korda

Wed

2

Dinner guests: Heinrich,
Friedrichs, Horkheimer,

Thurs

3

11 Dr. Pendergast

6

Christopher - Bill

Fri

4

Go home
over weekend

Sat

5

Memoranda

Working
last

chapter

"Wendepunkt"
(All week)

→: Wisdom tooth extraction.
Most unpleasant

" M. Agiz M. S. M. S. - tala

→ : Promising, but not binding

Reading: "Secret"

Snow, Silent Snow

by Conrad Aiken (in the
collection "The World Within")

February, 1949

Sun

6

Mon to call Hoskisson,
with 2. M.: to "Nann's"
concert - "Barnum's VII"

Tues

8

10: Lotti's wedding
["Trangum"]

Wed

9

Thurs

10

9.30: De Prentiss

Fri

11

1: Hoskisson
(lunch)
Colo.

Sat

12

At Christopher's,
with Harold -
released from camp.
Evening with Gold
Hans Hae party; at home
dull.

Memoranda

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WORKING
(Chapter XII,
"In Wundt's Department")

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February, 1949

Sun 7th: at Christopher's
13 with Harold, Billie.
Dinner with H.
Ltr, to Siodmak party
with Charlie Focht.

Mon

14

Tues

15

Long ltr from
F.

Wed

16

Tea guest:
Ltr with Lindt.

Dinner guest:

Robert Nathan, Dietrich
with wives.

Thurs

17

9.30: Dr. Prude
10.30: oculist
(eye-glasses)

Fri

18

10: Dr. Stout
(skin treatment)

Telephone with E: saw
him, at Timberline Lodge.

Sat

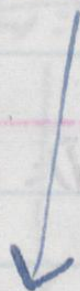
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Golo, over ocean.
Evening with Harold
and friends. X

Memoranda

Finished
"Der Wendepunkt"

Conversations



Finished conversations.
Long letters to
D. Landblad (Stockholm)
F. (with manuscript)
Letters to Zoltan Korda,
Baroness Bruckner,
Vicko, E. etc.

Letters to Hans Reiser,
Benzmannsdorff, Horst,
Saliter (with old "De
Quinary" essay) etc.
Answered questions
about situation in
USA, for "Welt am
Sonntag"

February, 1949

Sun

20

Mon

E park.

21 Lunch guest: Eva.

Tues

10.30: D: Stout

22

Wed

23

Thurs

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Fri

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Evening with Harold,
Christopher, Bill etc.

Sat

Dinner guests:

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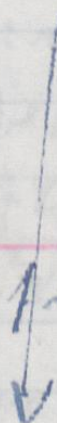
Salka Viertel,
Adornos

Memoranda

Finished contribution
to Willy Haas symposium.
Correcting (partly
rewriting) Masha novel.
Notes (novel: religion).
"Vorwort"
to Quinto Anthology



[Notes: ↓ novel I
[Reading: "The Headless
Hammer" by Truman
Capote: rather anty and
famous...]



Cable from F.



Finished "Vorwort"
to Quinto Anthology

February, 1949

Sun

27 Afternoon: with E,
musical party at
the Rimskeys. Pianist
Murch playing Bach etc.
Amusing old lady: Huxley's
mother-in-law.

Mon

28 Evening: "Närr",
Marzuses: N. reading
his Wagner Lecture (for
Chicago).

Tues

March

1 9.30: D. Prudden
Evening: Party chez nous

Wed

Written, Open
2 Letter to Marzusa
George (re Schulze-Wilde).
Notes (article). Cable to
Korda.

Thurs

3

Fri Telephone with Korda

4

Go to, over weekend.
Dinner guest: Huxley's
[The Molotov-Vishinsky
Sensation]

Sat

5 7. Laistings (dinner)
(party, with Marzuses
etc.)

Memoranda

Completed "Vermont."
Notes (novel).
Revising Marsha msat.
(tedious job).
Letters to Hirsch, Ralph
Friedman.

Notes for article ("The
Ordeal of the European
Intellectuals"). Excerpts
from Kegan's essay in "
Kundstam."
dinner guests: French
Consul, Gottfried Rein-
hardts, Prince Lanya;
later joined by about
20 others: including
Christopher G. Peter
Watson, Mrs. Sielmark,
Lustig, the Leydens,
Charlie Fought etc. -
French Consul singing songs.

Working
"The Ordeal of the
European Intellectuals
(outline)" [and
Marsha
revisions]

→ Drinks at Eva's,
with Eva Boy-Hobogen.

March, 1949

Sun Evening 2. Reading
63 short new chapters
5.30: Korda,
G. H. Lawson

Mon Letters to F.
7 Petr Vozzka.
Reading "The Nation"
Krist (for novel).
Telephone with Harold (Long)
Tues Letters to Davis, (Dear)
8 Income Tax Collector.

Dinner: Speyer, with
Eva, Hilde Katze. Sp.
reading from novel.

Wed
9 Lunch guest: Mrs.
Katze

Thurs

10 8: Christopher (dinner)
with Gottfried Heim = Mr)
hardt, Salua etc.

Fri

11 5.30: Dr. Hacker
Dr. Menning (at)
Tafelberg.

Sat

12 E. back from
Palo Alto. Yonjo.

Memoranda

Notes (essay and novel).

Reading, Cummings, "The Enormous Room."

Notes (essay and novel).

Started essay.

Making revisions.

Notes (novel). [Bandy
Lair]

"Ordeal"

Evening: Lecture of
Eleanor Roosevelt -
with Z. introducing her.

Letter from Hirsch (rather unpleasant). Answered.

Reading, Kafka's Diary's
Cummings

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March, 1949

Sun 5: (with E), met
13 Edward Roditi.
at Santa Monica.

9: Night walk with Eva.

Mon Letters from F,
14 Mittler, Herb. Cable
to F., letters to Mays,
Tomaski, etc.
Evening: movies with E.

Tues

15 Lunch guest, "Närr."
Walk with him.

Wed Cable from
16 Zoltan Kovacs:
negative.

Thurs 10: D: Stout (with M)
17 4: Fritz. (with E)
Cable from Hirsch. Letter
from Baerwald

Fri 5: Heinrich
18 5.30: Christopher

Sat
19

Memoranda

4E

Working, "Ordeal."

Letter to Konni

Reading, Eliot poems;
"Essential Unity of all
Religions;" "Michael Kohlhaas."



Finished "Ordeal"
article

March, 1949

Sun

20

7. : Flight N. Y.

Mon

21

New York ("Bar")

12.30 : Dr. Henry ...

7.30 : Toamsk...

Tues

22

11 : Bernhard

4.45 : ~~Hood~~

5.45 : Lobby

B. d. v. x

Wed

23

Flight N. Y.

Amsterdam ...

Thurs

24

Amsterdam

Hotel Amsterdam

Met by F. (Christopher L.)
at the air field.

Fri

25

12 : Blits (publisher)

1. Hirsch

(discussed rents
"Wendepunkt")

Sat

26

7 : F. , Rimor, Chr.
Late.

Memoranda

Combigan Plaza")

3.30: Angoff, Vansell
g: Liest, M. Alw (with
1: Konar; Gremford

7: Kesten

x 9.45: Kennedy, Tomski
reading in notes:

: Gove Vidal, "The City
and the Pillars"
(not a very good book)

1 cable to M. - Dinner
with Chd.; then with
Bermann, Turt. et al.;
then walk, bars.

Henk, x

Working, "Wunderkammer"
notes, revisions.

Evening, with Chd.,
Inj. Hub: x

Cable to Heinrich, Colo.
Working, "Wunderkammer"
revisions.

March, 1949

Sun 1. 30 : Chn. 4 :

27 5 : Hank x Adler

Ymji. 6 : F. Rim., Hirsch
Late, with chd. again
quarant.

Mon

28 1. 10 : Departure for
Paris

Gustav

Tues

29 Paris, Hotel des
Saints Pères

Arrival at 5 PM.

Wed

30 3. 30 : Nagel Land
Gerty Agosh

6. 30 : Mops

Thurs

31

11 : Tacet
8 : Artte Koll

4 : Buber (agut)

7. 30 : Themistokles
Hortis (join)

Fri

1

April

11 : Hortis, Johan.

12. 30 : Leonor Firi

With Oesau, menses
"Les Parents Terro. Nles."

Sat

2

1. Mops

Memoranda

Letter to Z. j mines
to Mops etc.
Finished "Wunderpunkt"
conditions; also
Marsha new: sions.

→ Morning, office (Hisse
French Consulate. (F.)
Afternoon: Dr. De Groot.
Later, with F. Howe; dinner.

Evening with Mops:
they ate (Boul. Haussmann)
dinner at "Golt Jean";
dropped by at Dr. Merkin's.
— Wire to Davis. — Late

Reading: Cocteau
"Lettre aux Américains"
("plein de choses"
but satis factory...
Notes (moult)

by young Swiss John
Diederich (Hepu) from Basel
Good morning, etc.

→ Diersen: changing money.
→ Lunch at Spitzing's.

Evening: Theater des Mathurin
"Haute Surveillance"
by Jean Genet.

F.: leaving for
Marseille

April, 1949

Sun Mansville Hotel
3 Seeing J. B. at
Lunch. Dinner. Day
alone. Movies.

Mon Two more meetings
4 with J. B. Left M.
in the afternoon. Met
Davis at Camm's. Dine
d with her, then bus

Tues Caynes - sur - m
5 with Hotel Caynes.
Davis. Walks i
shop. Davis, back to Camm's.

Wed
6 ?
[not so good]

Thurs
7 ?
[...and it
tried it
again...]

Fri D. K. H. H.
8 Later with Carlotta
Fabian, S. S. H.,
other women.

Sat Trip to Mansville
9 Evening bar
in Camm's. Night
at the "Norvil Hotel"

Memoranda

Notes: article on
Contrast's "Letter"
and "Amirizari"
(for "Zero").

Finished reading
"The Pillar City and the
Pillar." Not a good
book.

trip to Cannes.

Wrote to family, F. -
Letters to F., March,
Burdwald.

Reading: Ralph
Freedom "Divided" -
not a good book either,
alas...

With Denis to Cannes.
Night at the "Normal
Hotel."

Reading: Pierre
Frederick "Mont
Berlin": rather
cautious.

April. 1949

Sun Cannes : moved

10 to the Pavillon
Madrid
(dry la countess
midm)

Mon Not so good

11 Day alone.

Dinner with Donis
(her).

Tues With D., to see

12 that strange old
financier, Mater.
Call from Sforzino
(Antibes). - Evening, with

Wed Morning, M. Mater.

13 - Mail : Zanbrow,
Horch, etc.
Evening with Donis,
Bruno v. Salomon.

Thurs

14

K. Thernistoplis Hortis -
Mythra Oiseau: met
then after dinner, Zanbrow -
Ban.

Fri Letter from Nebel,
wired him. - Also

15 from Horch, Hirsch.

8 : Donis : dinner (her);
movies (French in jeuet).

Sat Day quite alone.

16 Long evening
walk.

Memoranda

Letters to Michlin,
Mott, Monic, Hawk,
them into letters.
Notes (novel): rather
important.

→ D. - Casino: won on the
19. - Letters to F.
Gedim, Steinberg, Bubw
itz. - Notes (novel).
Started reading, "The
Naked and the Dead."
Working, Cortezan
review. Notes (novel):
rather important: late
at night with the help
of some stuff...

Notes (novel): exciting.
Cortezan article: dull.
Reading: "Mout à Berlin"
"The Naked and the Dead."

"Nachbarnwerkung"
(to "Wunderpunkt"). -
Cortezan article.
Not enough.

Blurb for "Wunderpunkt."
Cortezan article. - Late
at night, novel notes,
quite exciting: with the
help of...

April, 1949

Sun Eastw Sunday...

17

Evening with Doris:
dinner here; Casino
(lost).

Mon

18

1st: Spangino (Lund)
with Mike Audilbert
Evening with Doris and
Bruno v. S.

Tues

19

Themistokles - John.
Dinner at this place, at
Golfequin.

Wed Mail: Gedim;

20

wide from F.
- Evening with D.:
"summer ga" - bad.

Thurs Mail: Blity (A'and
E.

21

- Evening with D.:
Casino (lost).

Fri Sleepy - Talking

22

too much.
Evening with D.
Dinner here. Walk.

Sat Another bad,

23

sleepy day - Has
to be changed. +
Contrast, and arrive
from F! Retained zone.

Memoranda

... That tedious Coetzee
review ... and, late
at night, novel notes,
in a euphoric state ...

Coetzee article.

Novel notes.

Reading: "Mont à
Berlin" and "Pierres
essays" (in "Lit. and Pol.")

Finished that silly
piece, "Year Coetzee
and America"
at last!

Letter to F. L. SOS (my
for money!) Long
letter to Hirsch. Also,
to Gedin, Naqel. -
Re-written, "Wunderpunkt"
blank.

Letters to Kahn,
Kennedy, Langman:
Schmidt (Berlin). -

Notes. Outline (novel).

Letters to Burkhardt,
Horch, Taouell (see
Notes).
Outline; notes (novel)

Nothing. - Finished
reading "Mont à
Berlin" by Pierre Fré-
rix. Quite impressed.
Curious resemblance to
my own plans.

April, 1949

Sun A little better...
24 With D., walk;
movies (depressing and
silly French film about
miners); "Zangar Bad"

Mon Raining day... Mail
25: Horch (with
Slattery) (Pharmazette)

Tues Mail: Mops F.
26 To see the post of-
fice (to pick up
no. oddies, from F.)
- Late with Bruno v. S.

Wed The usual lunch
27 that with Mr. Norton
the other client here:
Evening with D.:
"Zangar Bad" Casino.

Thurs Big mail: Michel
28 Cabot Viro's suicide
death! J. F. Hirsch
Nagel, etc.

Fri Feeling low, low,
29 low... completely
knocked out, un-
able to do anything.
Evening with Doris, Bruno.

Sat Low, low... a little better
30 depression. In spite
of it Doris - Bruno have
at least guests - Evening
at Jean's - G. & family.

Memoranda

Started, in a van-
nest, "THE LAST
DAY"

Chapter I. (How often
3 pages (written!))

(...: not
writing, but
struggling...)
Letter to Dr. Henry
Burke-Stevens, Harb.

Reading, "The Naped
and the Dead." Yes,
it's quite a book!...

(...: more
struggling but writing)

It's no good: has to
be started all over
again...

Letter to Mops.

Letter to Nelly (the
widow); Bibi. - Notes
(about and articles) -
which isn't much...

2 (RIEN!)

2 (RIEN)

May, 1949

Sun Rain ...
1

Mon Rain - ^{Mail: Ken =}
^{(Moby, Moss,}
^{Hutchins.)}

2 Afternoon, with D.,
at Francesca's, the
photographer's. Pictures
taken.

Tues Rain ... the
weather being about
3 as miserable as
my moral and physical
state ... - Evening, with
D., visited Böhm (garage
owner) and his mother.

Wed 4 With Doris to Nice:
taken with her daughter
Bouquet. Arrived on
sund.

Thurs Nice.
5 Clinique St.
Lux:

Fri
6

Sat
7



Memoranda

RIEN ... 8

[Decided on canoe] (Letter to T.)

RIEN ...
unable men to read.
consuming large quantities.
il faut en finir ...

RIEN ...
décidément, il faut
en finir ...
(Letter to Angott.)

Later, at Guan - /es-
Pins, with the Cedins.
- Letter to E.

Beginning of
"désintoxication"

Second day:
very bad
Teas.

Third day:
very weak &
depressed.

May, 1949

Sun

8

5E

Mon

9

Doris visit.

Letter to E.
Mielin (London).

Tues

10

Longer talk with
Dr. Bourgeois.

Wed

11

[Bad night
insomnia]

Mail: Hingth, Leungon
Schmidt-Verlag etc.

Thurs

12

Feeling definitely
better.

Wine from E. Mielin
(London).

Doris visit.

Fri

13

Slightly better; lot
of walking in the
garden. - Afternoon:
Bruno v. Salomon visit.

Sat

14

Afternoon & evening
Nice: quite pleasant!
Bain de Vapour, x; dinner,
etc.

Memoranda

5E

Fine day:
a little better.

Walk in the garden
talk with other patients.

Reading, "The Heat
of the Day" by Elizabeth
Bowen. (How
beautifully written!)

Reading, TIME Magazine
Letters to Dr. Henry

Dr. Grod C Desch-Vander

Reading, "The Heat
of the Day." - Letters to

F. Hing, Harold

(Christopher J. H. Jacob
Tomsk, M.D.)

Letter to Willy Lustmat;
publisher Jacob. (very
short). - Notes (short
story n.) - Started German
version of Coctan article.

Notes (short story, etc.).
German version of Coctan
article. - Reading "The
Heat of the Day."

German Coctan article.
- Notes. - Letters to
Judith Decker, Herb
(Amsterdam)

May, 1949

Sun

15

Return to
Cannes (Paris-Ron
Madrid)

Dinner, evening with Doris.

Mon

Rain... Wine from

16

Gide ("regrets...");
letter from Hork. - Bank
("Tomorrow" money);
shopping - Evening: cine -

Tues

17

Louis, staying over
night. - Afternoon,
inj. (a minor relapse)
g: Doris ("Pianist")

Wed

18

Letter from Mercha
(Paris).
Evening, walk; later
with D. Met Thomastokis
with friend.

Thurs

19

Rain... Mail: E,
Duke Kl., Worn. Kahn.
With D.:
21: Chopin Recital.
- With Maggie in
unforgettable

Fri

20

10: Louis (Zangui - Bar)

Sat

21

Memoranda

Letters to Dunkel Kl.,

Nebel, E-M., Angoff.

Buchwald; wire to Gide

(Nix). - Finished

reading "The Heat of the

Day."

Reading, "The New Yorker";

"Notes sur Chopin" (Gide). -

Working, Cocteau article

(German). -

ma (Stroheim: "Signal")

xx } Letter to Mops

(sending her what remains

of "the stuff" - or most of

it...) - Reading, Eliot

("Sweeney"). - Letter from

M. L. L.

Working (Gide), Cocteau

article (German).

Reading, Gide, "Notes

sur Chopin."

Finished, corrected

Cocteau article (German);

Letters to Schütz, Hark,

Hirsch.

