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| | June | 14 | Windhoek |
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| | | 16 | Left Windhoek, arrived road toward Gobabis |
| Sunday | " | 17 | Arrived Okarukandovi, Fritz Metzger's farm. |
| | | 18 | Okarukandovi |
| | | 19 | Left " , arrived Summerdown, met Mr. McIntyre, arrived Epikuro Reservation |
| | | 20 | Took water at Otjinene. En route via Eiseb. Camped 5 miles beyond Epata. |
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| Sun. July | | 1 | " |
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| | | 3 | " <u>Bushmen arrived.</u> 5 men in addition to our 2 guides |
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| | | 7 | Gautscha. Thin thuma shot springbuck. |
| Sunday | " | 8 | " <u>Women arrived.</u> |
| | | 9 | " I observed cooking, etc. Bob began observing implements. |
| | | 10 | " I learned names. Had Picanin 1 hour. E. had children draw. Bob photographed implements. |
| | Wed | 11 | " We took day off. In evening Bushmen danced. Eric shot 3 kudus. |
| | | 12 | " I observed. Bob, John & E. photographed implements. I had Picanin 1/2 hour. Mr. McIntyre had conference with Bushmen. Punished /uma. Rationed meat. |
| | | 13 | " Took day off. <u>Fritz arrived</u> and Dr. Charles Koch |
| | | 14 | " Bob, Fritz and I took names & relationships of Bushmen. |
| Sunday | " | 15 | " <u>Werf was built.</u> Mr. McIntyre left with Picanin and Dr. Koch for 10-day trip. |
| | | 16 | " Took day off. Eric shot an ostrich and a kudu. Rationing abandoned. |
| | Tue | 17 | " Filmed dance in a.m. Hunting in p.m. |
| | | 18 | " Fritz and Bob interrogated /uma. I photographed. L and I moved up to sleep at werf. |
| | | 19 | " Photographed bead making. I went gathering veldkos with women. Mr. McIntyre returned from Winella road and Cigarette. Only 5 days. |
| | | 20 | " Filmed water carrying at baobab tree. At night /ee!Kay's <u>ceremony.</u> |

- July 21 Gautscha. Trip to get poison grubs. Shot a kudu. In p.m. painting. Mr. McIntyre and Dr. Koch left for Aha Mountains.
- Sunday " 22 " Filmed bridal ceremony. Burned area around camp. Carey took over O.C. Commissariat job.
- 23 " Filmed medicine men's ceremony & boys' initiation.
- 24 " Land portraits of everyone for identification. Eric shot a kudu.
- 25 " Mr. McI. & Ch. Koch returned from the Aha. John photographed portraits. I took names of extra people. I dressed wounds. Bob, pipes.
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- 28 " Fritz came with me to interrogate and photograph ornaments, in a.m., 2 hours. Mr. McI. left to go out via Cigarette & Winella Rd. Ch. Koch, Nicholas and Christophe with him. Eric worked on casts.
- Sunday " 29 " I worked on presents. Bob & Eliz. on teeth.
- 30 " Eric finished casts. Shot a wild pig. Others packed, worked on cars. I worked on presents. We presented our gifts.
- 31 Departed from Gautscha at 11. I dressed wounds for last time in a.m. Travelled 29 miles. Escaped fire.
- August 1 Travelled in sand 4½ miles in 6 hours. Then down Noma Omarumba and camped.
- 2 Cigarette. Dodge frame broke. Travelled till late to S'Amangeigai. Met Dr. Koch who waited for us there.
- 3 Ch. Koch & Fritz Metzger started ahead and reached Grootfontein. We camped on Winella Road.
- 4 Nuregas late morning. Sargent de Koch told us of the Farm Begas. Spent afternoon there with Mr. Prinsloo with giraffe and Bushman graves. Reached Grootfontein at 8 p.m.
- Sunday " 5 Grootfontein. Nord Hotel. John & Ch. Koch took Fritz to
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- 9 Departed Grootfontein 4 p.m. Camped beyond Tsumeb.
- 10 Namutoni at 11. Then a hard day in sand.
- 11 A hard day in sand through Ovamboland, through kraals. Arrived Ondangua at 5. Stook in road waiting for Mr. Cloete till 5:45. Arrived Oshikango at 10:30.
- Sunday 12 Oshikango
- 13 Mission at Omupandu. Ar. Ongiva or Pereira de Eca at 5. Camped.
- 14 Pereira de Eca, Fort Rocardos
- 15 Noulila. Chefe de Poste, Fernandez Simões.
- 16 " Trip to kraals - so.west
- 17 " Dance
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- Sunday, Aug. 19 Noulila. Trip to farm of Señor Jaõa Marcelino,
Calveque, Huila
- 20 " L.K. Señor Duarte and I photographed Vadimba and
Vahinga
- 21 " With Señor Simões with Mudombondola people.
- 22 " Left for Forte Rocadas. War dance en route
Muhumbe
- 23 Forte Rocadas
- 24 " " Crossed river. En route to Ruacana
Falls and Chela Mountains
- 25 En route to Ruacana Falls
- Sunday 26 Ruacana Falls
- 27 En route to Chitada. Caught in brush fire in afternoon.
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over 50 degrees of our horizon and upwards 1/4 of
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- 28 Arrived Oncocua. Chefe de Posto Administrator A. C. de
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- 29 Walked to Mutues kraal, 20 kilometers from Oncocua.
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