

Things I remember.

Pine forests tall + straight trees, lower branches keep being cut off so there will not be knots in wood. As trees are cut down they are replaced by little ones - do they remove the stumps?
Near the village where the Helmans lived.

Bamboo groves, dense forests of them. They are now being cut down + new cities of apartment shopping center + schools beginning to take their place.

Little Japanese farmer near the young Belgian scholar who was sharpening his knife + tools who raises beautiful Citrusanans, spider, cescade and also bonzi - just for his pleasure

Ask Katherine to get it for me

Ring culture by Frank W. Allerton
Farber -

gifts of gratitude twice a year

20,000 yen a month plus bonus 2 times a year

gyozza

Kitano - Ten man gu Shrine ²⁰⁰⁰ Sunday

Love Hotel LOVE HOTEL

Peter - April 10

Miss July 27

Natya Oct. 27

} Birthdays

Mika

Titsura

The one who lives in a thatched roof house
come on Sat night.

Monday bid goodbyes to Don & kids,
Finished packing, wrote in diary,
Watched the field in front of Kelmae
house. The rice was being removed from
dried stalks & fell into racks, with zippers!
The racks were dismantled & stalks piled
neatly. Sacks in to small trucks. Jon-Joe
& I took a walk to a small shrine with
deer in an inclosure. Maple trees beginning to
turn. Some already scarlet. Then at 11:45
Jon-Joe & I left for the city, stopped to buy
some pecorinos. I really wanted some chestnut
sweets. But couldn't find any. We had lunch
then to market (super!) to do some shopping & to
dentist where she had an appointment at 2.
We got out of there at 2:30 & raced to the station
They now have escalators so it wasn't so hard
to get up to the train tracks. Had 12 minutes.
Jon-Joe had fainted ill-leafly, I'm sure but
insisted on putting suit case on train & then
raced away. Will call to night to see. Left
suit case near door behind last row of seat so will

Cats at Helman
Mini Lisa

be easy to get off - hope fully.
My see was an isle - A + B being occupied
by an aged couple + two little girls with a
lot of empty lunch boxes + ^{empty} cans of Coca-Cola,
no man in reach except for my skin
coat. Hope I don't forget it. I didn't. Stood
at the door in vestibule so as to get off quickly.
Half of the car was occupied by school girls in
uniforms much laughter + talking. At the only
stop (Nagasaki)? A group of young men with
bags of souvenirs + straw hats  this shape. Most
of them fell asleep as soon as they sat down. Travelled
as a group, not from a school, no uniforms.

Mazaki's husband met me + we started the long
journey up + down stairs to subway. At the
rush hour. Had to take 2 subway. Fortunately
we got seats on the longer stretch but had to stand
on the second train - but only for 2 stops. Then
the long walk to Kayano's home. Poor Kayano-san
Carrying my suit case + green bag with books and his
brief case.

The mother-in-law has finished the little summer

Get info about capons for son.

Kimono's Yukatas They are adorable. Hope the girls like them. There is even one for Michie. I didn't have to take the first bath. Misa had it because she has to get up + leave early as she has an assignment of unlocking the door of her school, a big deal. To bed about 9 P.M. very tired.

Oct 19 awoke about 6 AM. but stay in room until 8 so that every one was off to school + business. Breakfast with Masako, called Joe-Joe. She did not get a ticket + she got the new car! Peter has the poison ivy all over so had to see the doctor. Nadya ^{home} I wonder why?

All of a sudden Marko said we would leave for 9:15 train so I changed in a hurry two subways + then she put me on the train. But, it was not a direct. I had to change at Shinjuku, wait 20 minutes and get the train ^{on} that gets to Ogawa-Machi where Tim Barrod will meet me. I should have arrived at 11:10 but according to the map I had not passed any of the stations indicated until 11:15 I spotted Higashimatsuyama.

Overcast

So I knew I was on the right track. Arriving at Shimmin Koen found it was the end of the line. A train man said I would have to wait until 11:58 for the train to Ogawa-Machi. So here I sat. The flagman must have told the station master because he came looking for me + gave me the same information, then a very smart young man gave me the same information. I think I should have waited until the 11 AM direct train. Poor Tim, waiting for me almost a hour. Then Policemen watching me from across the tracks

Went to experimental station where he works and to see a small paper making establishment.

Drying boards lean on a stand that is heated. Three large sheets are brushed up on three boards by the time the third one is on. The first one is dry, quicker than the sun, especially when there is no sun.

No problem on the way home. Masako met me ^{at station} + home, rather tired so had a short nap until Tetsuro came to call me for dinner. To bed after wonderful bath.

"Mrs Patri, please come down."

no longer
Caustic Soda & ~~wood~~ ash

Mojo fibers in ^{soda ash} ↑
is boiled

Persons should write to re Masabou books

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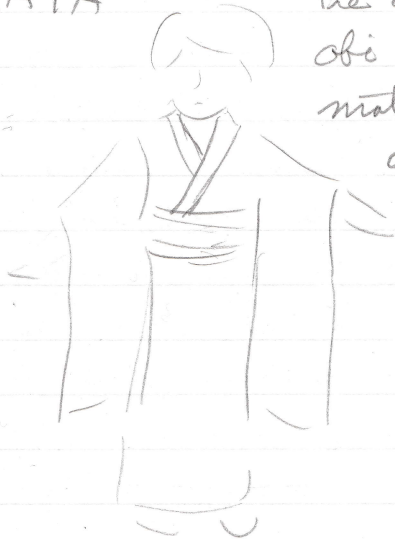
Freer Museum

Andrea Bardegn
I have his address
Helen H. Ellery London

Richard Fladiss - wood cuts
from Boston he lives in same town as
Timothy Barnett. has been in Japan 7 yr - Japanese wife
teaches english.

Kimono close from left to right
YUKATA

tie in back & put an
obi of different color or
material over ties & make
a bow in the back



Raining -

We left for Ueno Park where Mr. Mrs. Ibagame book binders, are. We had met the Englishman with a Spanish name, and he came along. I had two sheets paper for him. We had tea & sweets. Ibagame - son has grown stouter because he does much sitting, has arthritis in him. He has done some hiki & drawn designs which he had cut into wood. There as 25 (?) in a set to be sold as a unit. I want one only.

Morako bought a set & gave me one of the prints. Ibagame did the Calligraphy. Then Mrs. Ibagame sewed a couple of books. does them so fast. Must try her method. When working with silk the corners are treated differently so the silk won't ravel. It was still raining

tried to get a taxi but no go no tools
X a local subway that took us to central station. Huge - millions of people. To a department store where we had lunch, bought some babas paddles to mix paste, short pcs of brocade, changed money, bought lens, a cake for dinner & back to house, met feet etc. After a short rest one of Morako's assistants went with me to buy saws for Patin boys, Not exactly what I wanted but its hard to make people understand what I want. Bought

a computer for 12⁰⁰, sumi stone, ink & brush.
Began to pack. Will send some by mail.

Had a party for my going away. Mari
Pat, Tim Barrett. Beer & hor'deums in
family room, Then a beautiful dinner with
spanish wine. Then cake & tea and talks
until 9:30. My last Japanese bath.

Oct. 21st packed box to send home by sea some of my
winter clothes that I never used! The day is beautiful
sunny almost hot. So I couldn't even wear
my grey outfit to leave. Maceko & I went to
mail at post office. Bought a African violet for
Mrs. Koyano. She had bought sashes for all the summer
Kumono. Bright colored ones. We had lunch & dressed
but it was too hot so kept the grey slacks on & the
only blouse I have, fortunately it was clean.
Mozalao had to go to Tetsuo's school for a meeting so
left before I did. The taxi had been ordered for 2 PM
but arrived at 2:30, no harm as plane will leave at
5. Cost \$15⁰⁰ thought it would be about 20⁰⁰. Shopped
& bought Nippon Cognac, films 550 yens & a few pines.
Finally off! Good dinner, crazy film, "Family Plot"

Send ~~it~~ rocks for Oka's gang
write to hell about masako's training with Oka.

Silb for Mama - San (from Italy)

Lings for Titus + Oloson's grand daughter
+ Mika

Soda spray for Mahao

Xerox of something from AIC or IIC meeting

Have Peter Water write and attach that Morales',
goals would be very important to the field of
Conservation. Where - to whom address the
letter.

Yamato Mingee-ya
next door to
Maruzen

