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## Preface

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## Introduction

*Collection title:* Addison, Frank

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### Frank Addison

(1885 - 1958)

1907-1914	Inspector / Instructor, Education Department, Khartoum
1916-1927	Lecturer, Gordon College
1927-1929	Inspector of Schools and Conservator of Antiquities, Khartoum
1929-1931	Chief Inspector of Schools and Conservator of Antiquities, Khartoum
1931	Retired

### Accession details

Presented by Mrs E.M. Addison, 1966

### Arrangement

1. Diaries
2. Photographic Material

### Form of citation

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The short form of citation should be GB-0033-SAD.*reference number*

Most printed references take the form: SAD.*reference number*.

To order items in the searchroom, use the collection reference code(s), derived by removing the repository code (GB-0033-), followed by the reference number. Citing the section of the finding aid is useful.

## 1. Diaries

SAD.294/19/1-36 1926 Apr 7-27

Photocopy of a diary of a journey from Karima to Dongola on board the steamer *Kerbekan* and on camel from Dongola to Halfa, written by F. Addison in the form of letters to his wife. He describes the weather and scenery en route and inspections of various archaeological sites and schools as listed below:

- SAD.294/19/1 Visit to the temple and pyramids at Jabal Barkal
- SAD.294/19/2 Stop at Merowe to inspect the extension to the museum in the company of Bond, the Governor
- SAD.294/19/2-3 Description of steamer and barges
- SAD.294/19/5 Unloading of supplies en route
- SAD.294/19/6 Arrival at Dongola and transfer to a small houseboat
- SAD.294/19/7 Visit to the ruins at Kawa
- SAD.294/19/9 Sketch map of route
- SAD.294/19/10 Inspection of granite statues on Argo Island
- SAD.294/19/11-12 Stop at Kerma - site of Reisner's excavations
- SAD.294/19/12-13 Visit to the site of an ancient quarry at Tumbus
- SAD.294/19/14-15 Arduan Island: ruins and medieval fortresses at Nauri
- SAD.294/19/17 Temple remains at Delgo and inspection of the local *khalwah*
- SAD.294/19/19 Temple of Soleb at Wawa
- SAD.294/19/20 Ancient Egyptian and Christian remains at Suarda and Gubbah Salim
- SAD.294/19/24 Antiquities on Sai Island and school inspection at Abri
- SAD.294/19/25 Temple at Amara and inspection of school at Firka
- SAD.294/19/26-27 Site of the abandoned Halfa to Karima railway
- SAD.294/19/27 Description of Akasha
- SAD.294/19/32 Ruins at Semna
- SAD.294/19/33 Remains of an Egyptian fort and temple on the island of Gezirah el Melik and British barracks at Sarras
- SAD.294/19/35-36 Arrival at Halfa

SAD.294/19/37-108 1926 Apr 7-27

Original of diary above, written in pencil

## 2. Photographic Material

- SAD.649/1/1-49 [1907-1931]  
Glass lantern slides of the Northern Sudan, possibly to accompany lecture. List of contents enclosed in box.
- SAD.649/1/1 [ca. 1920s]  
Map of Africa
- SAD.649/1/2 1907-1931  
Nile steamer *Lotus* moored at the edge of the river
- SAD.649/1/3 1907-1931  
Sailing boat on the Nile, probably Northern Province
- SAD.649/1/4 1907-1931  
Second cataract on the Nile, near Wadi Halfa
- SAD.649/1/5 [ca. 1920s]  
Map of the Anglo-Egyptian Sudan
- SAD.649/1/6 1907-1931  
Women selling baskets to passengers at a railway station, probably Northern Province
- SAD.649/1/7 1907-1931  
Camels laden with fodder near Khartoum station
- SAD.649/1/8 1907-1931  
Train in Khartoum station
- SAD.649/1/9 1907-1931  
Sailing boat on the Nile at sunset, probably at Khartoum
- SAD.649/1/10 1907-1931  
Children in front of house at Suakin
- SAD.649/1/11 1923-1931  
View of the War Office in Khartoum with the Kitchener statue in front (erected 1923)
- SAD.649/1/12 1907-1931  
View of Suakin from the mainland with the causeway leading to the Gordon gate, and Muhammad Bey Aboud's house on the left
- SAD.649/1/13 1907-1931  
Group of young men, probably Shilluk, two wearing beaded collars and armbands and a third wearing the traditional toga
- SAD.649/1/14 1907-1931  
Group of men, probably Shilluk, wearing the traditional toga and carrying spears and clubs
- SAD.649/1/15 1907-1931  
Nuba woman and baby in front of a *tukl*
- SAD.649/1/16 1907-1931  
View of Gordon College
- SAD.649/1/17 1907-1915  
Habub approaching Khartoum
- SAD.649/1/18 1907-1931  
Palm trees reflected in flooding after the rains, probably Khartoum
- SAD.649/1/19 1907-1931  
Statue of Gordon at sunset

- SAD.649/1/20 1907-1931  
Aerial view of Khartoum from a biplane, showing the Blue Nile and Tuti Island
- SAD.649/1/21 1907-1931  
Railway behind Khartoum
- SAD.649/1/22 1907-1931  
View of Omdurman mosque (designed by Hunt and Barty) and main street
- SAD.649/1/23 1907-1931  
Traders and customers in Omdurman *suq*
- SAD.649/1/24 1907-1931  
Tailor at work in Omdurman *suq*
- SAD.649/1/26 1907-1931  
Sudanese man making an '*anqarib*, probably Omdurman
- SAD.649/1/27 1907-1931  
Wooden ferris wheel, probably at Omdurman
- SAD.649/1/28 1907-1931  
Typical mud housing at Omdurman
- SAD.649/1/29 1907-1931  
*Tukls* at Abu Hashim
- SAD.649/1/30 1907-1931  
Dry bed of the Dinder river
- SAD.649/1/31 1907-1931  
Daum palm trees
- SAD.649/1/32 1907-1931  
Arab men and boys on donkeys and camels near Jabal Moya
- SAD.649/1/33 1907-1931  
Nomad woman with baby on donkey, possibly Kordofan
- SAD.649/1/34 1912  
H.S. Wellcome and his entourage on camels greeting local people, during excavations at Jabal Moya
- SAD.649/1/35 1907-1931  
Camel train, laden with luggage, ready for departure; tents in background
- SAD.649/1/36 1921-1931  
Loading a police camel onto a ferry boat across the Nile
- SAD.649/1/37 1907-1931  
Group of Arab boys
- SAD.649/1/38 1907-1931  
Group of women wearing tobés, drawing water from a well
- SAD.649/1/39 1907-1931  
Group of women wearing *tobés*, carrying water in earthenware pots
- SAD.649/1/40 1907-1931  
Women selling pots in *suq*
- SAD.649/1/41 1907-1931  
Animals waiting to be watered at well
- SAD.649/1/42 1907-1931  
Bija men drawing water from well to water animals, probably Kassala

- SAD.649/1/43 1907-1931  
Bija man watering animals at well, probably Kassala
- SAD.649/1/44 1907-1931  
Car parked in the shade of a tebeldi tree
- SAD.649/1/45-46 1907-1931  
Man raising water at a *shaduf*
- SAD.649/1/47 1921-1931  
*Saqiyah*
- SAD.649/1/48 1907-1931  
Garden at Merowe
- SAD.649/1/49 1907-1931  
Sennar dam
- SAD.649/2/1-46 [1907-1931]  
Glass lantern slides, mainly Northern Sudan. Partial list of contents enclosed in SAD 649/1/1-49.
- SAD.649/2/1 1907-1931  
Arab woman and child
- SAD.649/2/2 1907-1931  
*Feluccas* moored at the edge of the Nile
- SAD.649/2/3 1907-1931  
Large thatched building, possibly a school or rest house
- SAD.649/2/4 1907-1931  
Housing at Kassala with Jabal Kassala in the background
- SAD.649/2/5 1907-1931  
Typical road in the cotton growing area, from Gedaref to Fau
- SAD.649/2/6 1907-1931  
Boys and girls seated in a school classroom
- SAD.649/2/7 1907-1931  
Boys of Malakal school football team with their teacher
- SAD.649/2/8 1907-1931  
Teachers at Berber school
- SAD.649/2/9 1926 Nov  
Eurythmics display by pupils of Gordon College during a visit by R. von Slatin, former inspector-general of the Sudan
- SAD.649/2/10 1907-1931  
Gordon College football match
- SAD.649/2/11 1907-1931  
Ruined temple at Qubba Selim
- SAD.649/2/12 1907-1931  
Boys in school classroom in northern Sudan
- SAD.649/2/13 1907-1931  
View of the Governor-General's palace from the gardens
- SAD.649/2/14-15 1907-1931  
Colossus at Argo
- SAD.649/2/16 1907-1931  
Ruins of the temple of Soleb, Halfa Province, built by Amenhotep III
- SAD.649/2/17 1907-1931  
*Felucca* on the Nile at the embankment in Khartoum

SAD.649/2/18	1907-1931 Embankment road in Khartoum
SAD.649/2/19	1907-1931 Tennis court with palm trees behind, probably at Khartoum
SAD.649/2/20	1907-1931 Aerial view of temple ruins at the foot of Jabal Barkal
SAD.649/2/21	1926 Nov R. von Slatin, former inspector-general of the Sudan, during a visit to Gordon College
SAD.649/2/22	1907-1931 Unidentified archaeological site, northern Sudan
SAD.649/2/23	1907-1931 Pyramids at Nuri
SAD.649/2/24	1907-1931 Pyramids near Jabal Barkal
SAD.649/2/25	1921-1931 Excavations at the pyramids of Meroë
SAD.649/2/26	1907-1931 View of the Governor-General's palace from the east
SAD.649/2/27	1907-1931 Relief carvings at the entrance to the Lion Temple at Naqa
SAD.649/2/28	1907-1931 Kiosk at Naqa
SAD.649/2/29	1907-1931 Frank Addison in uniform, holding his pith helmet
SAD.649/2/30	1907-1931 Row of columns at the Meroitic site of Musawwarat es Sufra
SAD.649/2/31	1907-1931 Addison's servants with a British child (possibly Addison's son)
SAD.649/2/32	1907-1931 The Amun temple at Naqa, built by King Natakamani
SAD.649/2/33	1907-1931 Cross-section of pyramid
SAD.649/2/34	1907-1931 Women selling baskets to passengers at a railway station, probably Northern Province
SAD.649/2/35	1907-1931 Unidentified brick-built building, northern Sudan
SAD.649/2/36	1907-1931 Policeman overseeing a group of men digging, possibly prisoners
SAD.649/2/37	1907-1931 Jabal Barkal
SAD.649/2/38	1907-1931 Men working on a broken down truck
SAD.649/2/39	1907-1931 British official's house and garden, surrounded by palm trees, northern Sudan
SAD.649/2/40	1907-1931 Large static diesel engine, possibly a generator

- SAD.649/2/41 1907-1931  
*Saqiyah*
- SAD.649/2/42 1907-1931  
Children marching into school, northern Sudan
- SAD.649/2/43 1907-1931  
Car on road, northern Sudan
- SAD.649/2/44 1907-1931  
Transporting a camel and a donkey across the river on a ferry boat
- SAD.649/2/45 1907-1931  
Unidentified river
- SAD.649/2/46 1907-1931  
Man leading camels along a track in the Batn al-Hajar
- SAD.650/1/1-8 [1907-1931]  
Miscellaneous uncaptioned glass lantern slides:
- SAD.650/1/1 1907-1931  
Row of shops in *tukls*
- SAD.650/1/2 1907-1931  
Boy scouts on parade, probably Khartoum
- SAD.650/1/3 1907-1931  
Truck parked in front of a brick-built house, probably a British official's residence
- SAD.650/1/4 1907-1931  
Large thatched building on the banks of a river
- SAD.650/1/5 1907-1931  
Crowd at a village on a riverbank, viewed from the deck of a steamer
- SAD.650/1/6 1907-1931  
Bundles of flags on tall poles; mosque in background
- SAD.650/1/7 1907-1931  
Brick built house
- SAD.650/1/8 1907-1931  
Long thatched building, southern Sudan
- SAD.650/2/1-5 [1907-1931]  
Miscellaneous uncaptioned glass lantern slides:
- SAD.650/2/1 1907-1931  
Aerial view of Khartoum with the Governor-General's palace in the centre facing the Blue Nile
- SAD.650/2/2 1907-1931  
Aerial view of Khartoum, with the Governor-General's palace centre and the Blue Nile bridge joining Khartoum and Khartoum North
- SAD.650/2/3 1907-1931  
Aerial view of Khartoum
- SAD.650/2/4 1907-1931  
Habub approaching Khartoum
- SAD.650/2/5 1907-1931  
*Felucca* on the Nile, northern Sudan

- SAD.650/3/1-8 [1907-1931]  
Assorted glass lantern slides, mainly northern Sudan:
- SAD.650/3/1 1907-1931  
Tree lined embankment at Khartoum
- SAD.650/3/2 1907-1931  
Palm trees
- SAD.650/3/3 1907-1931  
Nile steamer, the SS *Sudan*
- SAD.650/3/4 1907-1931  
River Nile
- SAD.650/3/5 1907-1931  
Road leading to the Gordon statue, during flooding
- SAD.650/3/6 1907-1931  
Group of women and children, northern Sudan
- SAD.650/3/8 1907-1931  
Group of men and boys in front of *tukls*, northern Sudan
- SAD.650/4/1-9 [1907-1931]  
Glass lantern slides of antiquities in Northern Province:
- SAD.650/4/1 1907-1931  
Ruins of the temple of Soleb, Halfa Province, built by Amenhotep III
- SAD.650/4/2-5 1921-1931  
Pyramids of Meroë
- SAD.650/4/6 1907-1931  
Entrance to temple at Jabal Barkal with hieroglyphics carved into stone on the left of the doorway
- SAD.650/4/7 1907-1931  
Columns of an Egyptian temple near Delgo
- SAD.650/4/9 1907-1931  
View of the great temple of Amun, seen from Jabal Barkal