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## Preface

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#### Introduction

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#### Accession details

Presented by Mr Moir, 1971

### Arrangement

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#### 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* .

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#### 1. Articles

SAD.635/7/1-21 1971

Article by Moir entitled "Irrigation on the Nile", describing the work of the Egyptian Irrigation Service (SAD.635/7/1-5); King Fu`ad's tour of Upper Egypt in 1922 (SAD.635/7/5-6); the Aswan dam (SAD.635/7/6-9); Moir's transfer to the Irrigation Service in Upper White Nile (SAD.635/7/9); setting up the discharge site at Nimule with W.D. Mackintosh (SAD.635/7/11-13); Malakal and environs (SAD.635/7/13-15); Veveno-Pibor scheme (SAD.635/7/16); surveying Pibor with W.D. Mackintosh (SAD.635/7/16-17); experimental dredging and earth bank building (SAD.635/7/18-19); wildlife (SAD.635/7/19-21)

## 2. Photographic Material

(i) Egypt

SAD.632/15/1-12 1922

Photographs of Kind Fu`ad's trip to Upper Egypt, Batiana and Nag Hamadi:

SAD.632/15/1-3 1922

King Fu`ad arriving on the steamer S.S. Arabia during his visit

to Upper Egypt

SAD.632/15/4 1922

Crowd of people awaiting the arrival of King Fu'ad at Batiana

during his visit to Upper Egypt

SAD.632/15/5 1922

King Fu`ad passing through the Nag Hamadi railway bridge on

board the steamer S.S. Arabia during his visit to Upper Egypt

SAD.632/15/6 1922

Group of Arab camelmen on a bank of the Nile awaiting the

arrival of King Fu'ad during his visit to Upper Egypt

SAD.632/15/7 1922

Crowd of people at Nag Hamadi waiting outside a sugar refinery

decorated with flags and lights for the visit to Upper Egypt of

King Fu`ad

SAD.632/15/8-9 1922

Arab men on camelback at Nag Hamadi during King Fu`ad's

visit to Upper Egypt

SAD.632/15/10 1922

Camel wearing a decorated saddle during King Fu`ad's visit to

Upper Egypt

SAD.632/15/11-12 1922

Man riding on a horse wearing a decorated bridle during King

Fu`ad's visit to Upper Egypt

SAD.632/15/13-20 [c. 1914-1923]

Photographs of temples at Philae and Luxor, Egypt:

SAD.632/15/13-16 1914-1923

Partially submerged temple at Philae

SAD.632/15/17 1914-1923

Avenue of sphinxes at Karnak

SAD.632/15/18 1914-1923

Valley of the Kings at Dar al-Bahari, site of the temple and tomb

of Queen Hatshepsut and the tomb of Tut Ankh Amen

SAD.632/15/19 1914-1923

Ramesseum, Thebes

SAD.632/15/20 1914-1923

Temple ruins, with the obelisk of Queen Hatshepsut on the right,

Karnak

SAD.632/15/21-28 [c. 1914-1923]

Photographs of Nile boats in Upper Egypt:

SAD.632/15/21 1914-1923

Man furling the sail of a *felucca* or *quyasah* on the Nile in Upper

Egypt

SAD.632/15/22-23,25-27 1914-1923

Feluccas or quyasahs sailing on the Nile in Upper Egypt

SAD.632/15/24 1914-1923

Quyasah carrying a cargo of water jars on the Nile in Upper

Egypt

SAD.632/15/28 1914-1923

Ferry boat sailing on the Nile in Upper Egypt

SAD.632/15/29-34 [c. 1914-1923]

Photographs of Nile banks, including near Luxor and Sohag:

SAD.632/15/29 1914-1923

Animals watering on a bank of the Nile, Upper Egypt

SAD.632/15/30-31 1914-1923

Palm trees on a bank of the Nile, Upper Egypt

SAD.632/15/32 1914-1923

Palm trees on a bank of the Nile near Luxor

SAD.632/15/33 1914-1923

Large house on a bank of the Nile at Sohag

SAD.632/15/34 1914-1923

Village on a bank of the Nile

SAD.632/15/35-40 [c. 1914-1923]

Photographs of Nile bank protection and river training, Upper Egypt:

SAD.632/15/35 1914-1923

Engineers discussing anti-erosion measures with land owners

to protect cotton crops growing on Nile banks

SAD.632/15/36-40 1914-1923

Stone being used as an anti-erosion measure on a bank of the Nile in order to protect cotton crops growing on Nile banks

SAD.632/15/41-46 [c. 1914-1923]

Photographs of canal regulators, Sohaggia canal, Ussufi canal, Asyut barrage and Ibrahamieh canal, Egypt:

SAD.632/15/41 1914-1923

Basins discharging at the Sohaggia canal regulator

SAD.632/15/42 1914-1923

View of the Sohaggia canal head regulator

SAD.632/15/43 1914-1923

Regulator on the Ussufi canal

SAD.632/15/44 1914-1923

View of the Asyut barrage

SAD.632/15/45 1914-1923

View of the Asyut barrage, showing the Ibrahamieh canal head

regulator

SAD.632/15/46 1914-1923

Canal regulator gates with winch

SAD.632/15/47-51 [c. 1914-1923]

Photographs of Aswan dam:

SAD.632/15/47 1914-1923

View of the Aswan dam, looking downstream

SAD.632/15/48 1914-1923

View of the Aswan dam with the reservoir full

SAD.632/15/49 1914-1923

Locks on the Aswan dam

SAD.632/15/50 1914-1923

Lock gates on the Aswan dam

SAD.632/15/51 1914-1923

View from the Aswan dam, looking downstream towards the first

cataract

SAD.632/15/52-60 [c. 1914-1923]

Assorted photographs, Upper Egypt:

SAD.632/15/52-53 1914-1923

View of the Nag Hamadi railway bridge over the Nile

SAD.632/15/54-55 1914-1923

Egyptian Government motor car being guided onto a ferry across

the Ussufi canal in Upper Egypt

SAD.632/15/56 1914-1923

Camels pulling a plough through a field in Upper Egypt

SAD.632/15/57 1914-1923

Egyptian Irrigation Department launch sailing on the Nile in Upper

Egypt

SAD.632/15/58-59 1914-1923

Steamer sailing on the Nile in Upper Egypt with Lord Allenby,

High Commissioner, Egypt, on board

SAD.632/15/60 1914-1923

Irrigation House, Beni Suef, Upper Egypt

(ii) Sudan

SAD.632/16/1-13 [c. 1923]

Photographs of the Nimule expedition:

SAD.632/16/1-3 1923

Local porters carrying baggage and equipment during an

expedition by members of the Sudan Irrigation Service to Nimule

to set up a discharge site

SAD.632/16/4-5 1923

Local porters bathing in a stream during an expedition by

members of the Sudan Irrigation Service to Nimule to set up a

discharge site

SAD.632/16/6 1923

Local porters taking a rest during an expedition by members of

the Sudan Irrigation Service to Nimule to set up a discharge site

SAD.632/16/7 1923

Rest house on the road to Nimule

SAD.632/16/8 1923

Riveters and chainmen standing next to a discharge boat, during an expedition by members of the Sudan Irrigation Service to

Nimule

SAD.632/16/9 1923

Riveters and chainmen launching a discharge boat, during an expedition by members of the Sudan Irrigation Service to Nimule

SAD.632/16/10-12 1923

Rapids near Rejaf

SAD.632/16/13 1923

View of Rejaf hill from across the river

SAD.632/16/14-18 [c. 1923-1939]

Photographs of Pibor-Veveno precise levelling:

SAD.632/16/14-17 1923-1939

Donkeys carrying equipment across a river during precise

levelling work on the Pibor and Veveno rivers

SAD.632/16/18 1923-1939

Dry bed of the River Pibor during precise levelling work on the

Pibor and Veveno rivers

SAD.632/16/19-29 [c. 1923-1939]

Photographs of dredging:

SAD.632/16/19 1923-1939

Grab dredger, possibly Upper Nile Province

SAD.632/16/20-21 1923-1939

Grab dredger attached to a steamer, possibly Upper Nile

Province

SAD.632/16/22 1923-1939

Hydraulic dredger attached to a steamer with an A-frame on the

right, possibly Upper Nile Province

SAD.632/16/23 1923-1939

Hydraulic dredger attached to a steamer, possibly Upper Nile

Province

SAD.632/16/24-25 1923-1939

Hydraulic dredger discharging mud, possibly Upper Nile Province

SAD.632/16/26-28 1923-1939

Bucyrus excavator clearing earth during the construction of the

Sennar dam

SAD.632/16/29 1923-1939

Dredging on the River Pibor

SAD.632/16/30-38 [c. 1923-1925]

Photographs of the construction of Sennar dam:

SAD.632/16/30 1923-1925

View of the Sennar dam during construction, showing the

excavation of the foundations

SAD.632/16/31 1923-1925

View of the Sennar dam during construction, showing a railway

wagon poised on the edge of the gantry

1923 SAD.632/16/32 View of the Sennar dam during construction, showing the gantry on the right 1923-1925 SAD.632/16/33 Railway trains on the Sennar dam during construction SAD.632/16/34-38 1923-1925 View of the Sennar dam during construction SAD.632/16/39-45 [c.1923-1939] Photographs of steamers: SAD.632/16/39-40 1923-1939 Steamer, Nasir, taking on fuel at a wood station on the White Nile, probably Upper Nile Province SAD.632/16/41 1923-1939 Steamer, the Fayum, at a landing stage SAD.632/16/42 1923-1939 Steamer sailing on the Nile SAD.632/16/43 1923-1939 Motor launch *Livingston* leaving Nimule for Lake Abert SAD.632/16/44-45 1923-1939 Egyptian Irrigation Department stern-wheel steamer, the *Egypt*, with buffing fenders fitted to the bows SAD.632/16/46-61 [c. 1923-1939] Assorted photographs: SAD.632/16/46 1923-1939 View of the Governor-General's palace at Khartoum with the Elfin, a side-paddle steamer, moored on the Nile 1923-1939 SAD.632/16/47 Tree-lined avenue in Khartoum SAD.632/16/48 1923-1939 View of the White Nile bridge at Kosti SAD.632/16/49 1923-1939 Men unloading a camel from a ferry boat 1923-1939 SAD.632/16/50 Interior view of S.B. Moir's house SAD.632/16/51 1923-1939 Irrigation Service staff, possibly including S.B. Moir, sitting in a rowing boat on the River Pibor taking discharge readings SAD.632/16/52 1931 Royal Air Force float plane flying between Bor and Yirol SAD.632/16/53 1923-1939 Jabal near Nimule SAD.632/16/54-55 1923-1939 Crossing on the River Aswa SAD.632/16/56 1923-1939 W.D. Mackintosh, Sudan Irrigation Service, holding a young buck 1923-1939 SAD.632/16/57 W.D. Mackintosh, Sudan Irrigation Service, sitting next to a

road to Nimule

bicycle on a bridge made from wood and grass matting on the

SAD.632/16/58	1923-1939 Woman carrying a basket on her head and holding a baby in her
CAD C20/40/50	arms, probably Equatoria
SAD.632/16/59	1923-1939
	Four men with elaborately-styled hair, probably Equatoria
SAD.632/16/60	1923-1939
	Man wearing a necklace and feather head dress and carrying a bow and arrows, probably Equatoria
SAD.632/16/61	1923-1939
	Man wearing an ivory bracelet and necklace and a feather head dress, probably Equatoria