

met him & we drank coffee & talked nothing  
through an interpreter for half an hour. There  
was no question of being awed by him, actually  
I plan to be very rough with him in certain  
eventualities, but we are anxious to please if  
possible.

When he had gone I called on  
the free French delegate & drank more coffee & then  
attended a conference at which plans for putting  
people in bags were discussed. Tomorrow I'm  
going on a two day tour of part of my area &  
at the week end hope to attend the Arab uses at  
Klein by Son, some 200 miles to the East on the Equator.

I've just approved the plans for  
surrounding & surrounding this village - very inf and  
a patrol of camels - great fun & everyone hoping  
it will be a success.

All the children must be growing  
past recognition. Ruth speaks of finally jumping  
up the can type - I just can't picture it.

I am really flattered that Gwyneth &  
Owen were pleased to be remembered - also to  
get authentic information as to the name of your  
youngest son. I hope poor old David is shaping  
well, I always thought you were both marvellous  
with him. It is good to hear of you  
seeing my nice wife every now & then & of the  
children playing together.

With kindest regards to you both,

Howard