

Notes for speech on
Istanbul, yesterday & today.

Intro. Very informally on some as the changes I have seen in Istanbul, during long residence here before:

Body To speak about Istanbul - we all have favorite teams, for special reasons beauty, associations are dear to us.
There two: Cambridge in England
Istanbul in the Philippines.

I happened to go to Schone in 1906.

Ten tourists visit Istanbul

6 years in Schone there (explain H.G.C
there before Ammantholy)

4 Imperial mosques - one redresse by the
Sult. 4 mosques built by or for women.

1) Süleymaniye - Sian fountain 1547
Süleymaniye - Bustem.

2) Yeni Valideh - mosque place mother of
Achmet III. Stenciling 1710

3) Eseni Valideh top of his wife Selim II
1583 - built by Mohrah. Painted wooden
ceiling - surrounded by establishment
- redresse -

4) Cinili Cami 1640 - by wife of Achmet I,
sons Murad IV - Bagdad kiosk
Drehim

Grandson Mehmed IV (1642-89)

5) Sevai Pasa - 16th Century.
Halk Ketchanevi now.

These are just all over the most important
of them bring back the memory of my
youth, as a school-girl on top of Istanbul
hill.

Will speak of Turkey before 1914 - for
it was that year that began heavy changes.

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Simple life when as some one once said
"Turkey was Turkey".

Much more oriental - less publication

Clothing customs

women in black chashabs
all men in blue latices at windows
trunks in turbans rich moustaches.
begins on May 10th June etc.

Crafts or Dressmaking

cumis - minnows and - sandals.
soilip verrels
mahnas with 3 rooms
trays steamers of all nations.

Show tempo of life

Durians only 1) educators, 2) diplomats
Presidents health. cumis & Sandals
^{12 o'clock sunset} one horse carriages - tels
2 horse carriages Jockey
Early on 12 o'clock sunset - so
you had to adjust your watch
constantly. boat hits tele that
11 o'clock - might be 5 P.M.

Things we did without telephone (a)

Telephones
Cinemas
automobiles
radios

The Flag on top of the
college

Period between 1907 - 1914 - terrible wars

+ revolutions ¹⁹⁰⁸ - Counter Revolution
+ deposition of Sultan Abdül Hamid
1911 war with Italy
1912 - 13 Balkan war
1914 great war.

Then there comes me back you quit academic
life at Kirkandar.

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To conclude:

No need to tell you there are changes — they are, I expect for the best. But one has a twinge of nostalgia for the old days. I am glad to have known them & glad to have passed six happy years as a schoolgirl in "listindan."

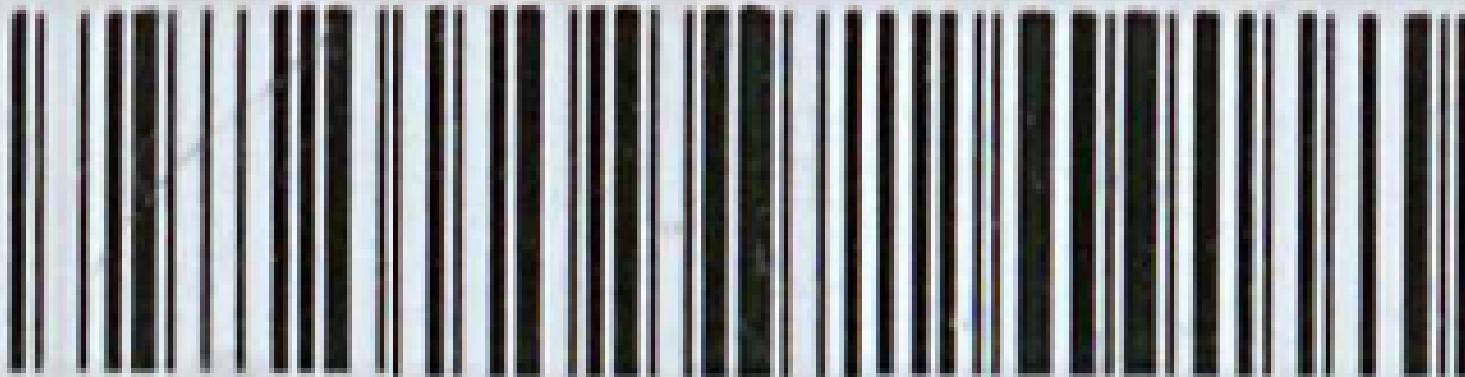
"It is something to pass one's impressionable years mind so much that is of historical & significance: there are none who remember learning in Gothic halls; in stone edifices that once housed monks or nuns; in colonial houses of the New World. But no one can remember with more enthusiasm than I do, the treasures of my schooltimes, the mazes of listindan or the Porphyrus."

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