Oct. 13, 1938

1. Shot at bead around our property, firing from Salahi at Bin mowd, road going to Museum and Nishan taxi carrying W.D. Jewish workmen to Museum.

2. Shot my way, same place, do not yet know what the shooting was about.

Two heads found in back of Damascus gate last night, belonged to two Moroccans, who had been captured in Jericho by band, their bodies found near Tel Kamin, a near Then heads in Damascus gate.

Husain Siedee Dejari, Eliffe’s landlord, shot dead last night, his body found near Ramlah. He had organized cur-strike in 1926 against the government, was a councillor of the Municipality. Arabs terrified.

Oct. 17.

Airfare toward city, which hands practically held. Continuous shooting practically from and around walls of city.

Arab school children went back home this morning.

Yesterday fired blankar corny back from school on way to Museum.

Oct. 17.

Eliffe left after lunch. Marjorie Eliffe, David + th name were due for lunch.

Oct. 19.

Airfare in Old City now for two days.

Aircraft flying round + round over the Old City. Constant machine-gun + rifle fire.

Medinahward signal again on Museum Tower. Very light. Impossible to buy vegetables. meat, eggs etc. from normal sources of supply.

Oct. 19.

Planes began flying at dawn this morning.

Diplomats + shops by planes all over Old City were immediate answer to some

Some to stay inside their houses.

I left with English evacuated from behind the wall. With no hope to return.

I went to stand Harris to buy vegetables because scared to go out

and buy + I just can’t stand being people. after all the shooting of recently.

Very small % of the foodstuffs until night. Nights very hard + Harris gate’s big family using electricity.