

of course that of B. Russell. He knew only
about Econ.

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for Mrs Barnes

to Brian McGinness.

1. I am quite confident that payments were made

2. The bracketing sentence at end of your para 1

seems to confirm this.

3. I got in touch with ^{school} friend of mine, brother, Joseph Solomon Benbich.

Don't know whether still alive. Saw ^{him} about a dozen years

ago. ^{One of most} distinguished persons I have known. Absolutely

3. Payments after war would have been impossible.

American currency completely blocked.

Top mathematician & maths physicist. Offered fellowship at

Trinity Cambridge. At prepared to go out to dig in Palestine -

afterwards Ted Arp. His husband & sought by advice as

to what to do with the rest of his life. I don't know what

he ~~was~~ did do.

5. I know Whitehead very well. His son was also

school boy friend. Falsified his age and joined air force

when he was ^{only} just seventeen. Was sent ~~after~~ to France

after little more than 3 months training - ^{we} ~~they~~ were more

naïve in World War I; ^{he} ~~was~~ well, ~~they~~ had to be; even

situation was more desperate than in World War II - and

was almost immediately killed.

6. Whitehead was "at home" after dinner once a week

when he became professor at the College of Science & Technology,

in Cork. Kensington - later incorporated in London University -

and I went regularly, ^{- I was always in London during the vacation -} when there was something very important

to present me.

7. He was a very charming & sweet person. He had none of

nothing of Bloomberg; I think that he rather disliked
Bloomberg. So one met just the run of professors or
students at the college, and some teachers. He had a very
unhappy French wife, but ^{to the extent that} ~~he was~~ a little bit of a
shut out - not much so - it was social rather than
intellectual shunning. But social lights hadn't the faintest
idea that Whithead was a person of any importance. The
consequence was that his wife's gatherings ^{consisted of} ~~were~~ pretty dull people

3. But I always made an effort to go because
Whithead himself was such an interesting man and a
great character. I always enjoyed going over there very much
indeed.

4. I don't recall his ever saying anything about the