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Arabah el Madfunah. Jan 31^{<u>st</u>} 1st Ramadan –

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just returned from seeing Miss C off. we walked to the nearest road where the car was waiting to take her to the station. Sardic and Ahmud Abdu Sellam went with her in the car & I returned here with Ahmed Ibrahim our night guard, it is only about a quarter of an hour's walk across the desert, but at night one feels it must be miles & miles as one plods across the sand. the guard walking in front with the lantern. tonight is the new moon of Ramadan. just a thin syckle^{sic} in the evening sky.

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I must be off to bed now. lots of love to you both Your affectionate Myrtle.