Foreword

to

Grace Parlin Davis', "Rolling Down to Rio"

Two months before her death, Grace and her husband, Wilbur, flew down to Rio de Janeiro.

Because of her colostomy, it was necessary for them to take with them, cases of sterile water, drugs, and irrigation equipment which she refers to in her Journal as "Zeke and Zadie."

We include these excerpts from her Journal as evidence of the magnificent courage and delightful sense of humor she maintained to the very end.