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Nov.

- Mon: 5<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.0. S.A.L. returned to D.S.G. little  
Prudence died in Hosp: S. Alice & S.A.L. to [?]  
for the week end.
- Sat 6<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.0. Miss Periton for the day. Prudence's  
funeral. S. Esyllte lost Louie in - Henry v.d.  
Dyl met with a serious accident.
- S. 7<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.30 - The Bishop came over to lunch  
& went to see the v.d. Toyl. Henry in critical condition.
- Tue: 8<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.0. Rev. M. went to see W. v.d. Park in  
Hosp - S.A.R. into town by van - poorly in Hosp.
- Wed: 9<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.0. S.A.R. in ill - H. of M. Meeting  
at D.S.G. - Rev. M. & S. An: went to it. Mr  
Ellis returned & stayed the night.
- Wed 10<sup>th</sup> No Mass. F. at the D.S.G. - S.A.R. in bed  
all day. Mr. Lighton came to stay for a week.  
Our Sale - lovely day. Stalls & Tea in  
the Garden - he took over £49.0.0<sup>(250.0.0)</sup>  
during the afternoon. all went v. well.
- Thurs 11<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.0. S.A.R. in bed. Anniversary Day  
2 minutes Silence Rest.
- Fri: 12<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.0. Rev. M. into town. Called for Mabel  
Walker - who was staying at the Tatersons.  
we stopped together. went to D.S.G.  
Rev. M. met Mr. Gordon Huntly there  
<sup>re - Marie Wilberforce</sup>  
by appointment - returned with Mabel W.  
in Van at 1.30. S.A.L. came out at 6.0.
- Sat 13<sup>th</sup> Mass 7. S.A.L. rested. Nurse went away  
for the week end to the Tatersons. Entertainment  
in Laundry.
- S. 14<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.30. Girl & baby ill at nursery.  
Mr Lighton came over in afternoon also  
Queen & Mr. Gowan - S.A.L. returned to  
D.S.G. in the Evng.
- Mon: 15<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.0. S. An & S. Prud to town taking  
Clarrie & her baby into Hosp: S. Ad: in Hospital

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Tues 16<sup>th</sup> Massy. S. E. Irene in Ret -

W. 17<sup>th</sup> <sup>no Mass.</sup> Massy 7.0. S. Ad to town with Lizzie. W. Lightin left -

Th. 18<sup>th</sup> Massy 7.0. S. A. R. in Ret - S. Adelaide left in  
the bus for Port Alfred to go to her sister.  
Rev. H. went to the College for a few days.

Fr 19<sup>th</sup> Massy 7.0. B. Ma hurt his leg.

S. 20<sup>th</sup> Massy 7.0. W. Cowie brought girl & baby  
B. Ma went into Hosp: 8

S. 21<sup>st</sup> Massy 7.0. Miss Eussor came - Missionary  
from Cape Town - W. Bishop came to  
preach. stayed the night -

Th. 22<sup>nd</sup> Massy 7.0. Miss Eussor left. S. A. R. in  
town - had few days off at the College.

Th. 23<sup>rd</sup> Massy 7.0. Irene Dreesma came in morning  
for a day & night "off" - G. An & S. M. G. both  
of Ginder over to Port Robury for the Doll  
Competition & Guide Rally. Lady Baden  
Dean Talmer came for 2 days.

Wed 24<sup>th</sup> Massy 7. The Dean celebrated - Nurse  
Alicia left for England - travelling with  
the Bp. & his family - S. A. L. came over

Th. 25<sup>th</sup> Massy 7.0. Dean left in afternoon -  
The Coopers brought Miss Kirk Caldwell  
over from the Nursing Home to stay for  
a few days

Fri 26<sup>th</sup> Massy 7.0. S. A. L. to town - S. A. R. returns  
from the College. Talbot & Nurse Alicia sailed

S. 27<sup>th</sup> Massy 7.0

S. 28<sup>th</sup> Advent Sunday. Massy 7.15. Village Ch: 8.30  
S. A. L. to & afternoon at the Houndwells.

H. 29<sup>th</sup> Day of Intercession - Massy 7.0. S. A. L. in Ret,  
Continues prayer from 6.15 - to 8. S. P. L.

T. 30<sup>th</sup> Massy 7.0. Lunch. S. Reid & Louisa took  
S. Andes. Gordon & S. George's Home. Cleveland.  
The Coopers visited one & took Miss

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- Dec: W. Fitch left after his 6 months with us  
Kirkcaldie back to Ireland - S.A.L. & Rev  
M. went over to Olifants to see the Toltemes  
Sea St Mr. Cullinan - who met us back  
Dec: 1<sup>st</sup> ~~Mass~~ <sup>No Mass</sup> 7.0. S.A.L. & G. Emmet to town in van  
led by Mr. Fletcher - nurse of Nursery came & she  
interviewed - Audrey had in Mrs. G. G. Deane took  
Oliver in & spent the night at D.S.G.  
Thurs: 2<sup>nd</sup> No Mass - Dean Talmer came to take  
our Advent Ret. S.A.L. left for Natal.  
All 6 D.S.G. Sisters came over. SAs: at  
Fri: 3<sup>rd</sup> Mass 7.30. Retreat. Lady Baden Powell  
came at 2.0. To inspect our Guides.  
Rev. M. came out of Ret for that 1/2 hour -  
Sat 4<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.0. as the D.S.G. G<sup>ms</sup> had to leave  
by 8:30 train - Dean Talmer left at 10.10.  
a sea & air - miss (Guides) at 3.30 - Janes  
\$. 5<sup>th</sup> - No Mass. Dr. Green came for Helen Beck as  
Mrs. G. was ill  
Nov: 6<sup>th</sup> No Mass. The Kwaakons returned from Mt  
at 12 o'clk. S.A. & S.A.R. to town to see Dr. G.  
little Audrey died in Hosp: funeral in afternoon  
Thurs: 7<sup>th</sup> No Mass - girl & baby came - Harri -  
Sol: Emerson  
Nov 8<sup>th</sup> <sup>in 3 days</sup> Sunday Mass at 7.0. Rev. M. to town at 12 -  
Vestral Dinner at D.S.G. Ladies Com: Meeting  
at 3 - returned with Miss C. at 5.30.  
Th: 9<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.0. S.A.R. into the Nursing Home.  
W. Soaman & Mr. Brandon Davis for the afternoon  
Fri: 10<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.0. S. Anne Louisa & G. Deane came out.  
Dress Rehearsal of the Holy Play at 7.30.  
Sat 11<sup>th</sup> Mass 7. S. Fred to town & brought S.A.R. back  
for the Nursing Home. Miss English & Miss Williams  
for the week end. No Holy  
\$. 12<sup>th</sup> Sunday Mass 7.30. G. Deane left at 12.0. The  
Sisters from D.S.G. & S.A. Louisa left in the Day

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Dec 11.13<sup>th</sup> Mass at 7.0. Rev. H. took Miss Hope into town for Christmas shopping - returned by taxi - a red girl & baby came.

Dec 14<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.0. Miss Dinnage came today for the holidays.

Dec 15<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.0. 3.45. to town & S.M.G.

Dec 16<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.0. Rehearsal of Holy Day

Dec 17<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.0. S.A.R. & Miss Logan to town. Miss Chapman heard 1<sup>st</sup> Conf. Miss Williams & Miss O'Leary

Dec 18<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.0. Miss Kirkaldie over for the day. Miss Russell & her friend W. Collins for week-end. Miss Ab. Smith & Miss Bristow for Mass - Miss Cleghane for the night

Dec 19<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.30. Miss Cleghane left. Helen Beck returned

Dec 20<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.0. S.A.R. & S. Ellis took brown dress girls to town - Miss Nightingale to day God here bef: going to Eng: Miss Russell & W. Collins left - Miss Mungo from Robert's Heights came - Sol: Evening.

Dec 21<sup>st</sup> S. Thomas - Mass with Hecens. Nurse Breome for the night - Miss Tackham & Miss James came to spend the day till 8.15. Miss Ab. Smith -

Dec 22<sup>nd</sup> Mass 7.0. Girls Confessions 10.30 - 1. Mr Barling came over to lunch & brought the "pup tax" - Girls Instruction for Mass Comm.

Dec 23<sup>rd</sup> Mass 7.0. S.A.R. & S.M.G. to town. Sisters Conf. 10.30. & 5.20. oddments & girls. Kathleen to Hoops: both feet & scalded.

Dec 24<sup>th</sup> Mass Eve - Cullinans came over with toys. Vespers 5.0. (New figures in crib - old ones given to village Ch: ) Supper 5.30. Sol. Men: & Pro: 6.30. Nocturns 10.45. Midnight Mass 11.40 & 4 Com:ts

Christmas Day. Mass village Ch: at 8. a few letters sent. The Nursery Tree at 11.30 - Rec: 2-15. Vesp: 3.0

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Sunday 5.30. Dinner 6.30 - 50 present.

Dick & Nellie came for 2 nights.

\$. 26<sup>th</sup> Thurs 7.30. Suny. - Sal: Sundry & Procession  
S: Stepha at 6.30. to sermon - Carol Lee: at the village  
Ch: at 7.45 - v. good - 8<sup>th</sup> & 9 girls went -

Mon: 27<sup>th</sup> Thurs 7.30. all the Nixon family came  
S: John over - W. Mrs & Ruth in Miss Mills' Cottage - Mrs 2.  
at our Cottage. Tree in Suny - The Chaplain &  
W. Nixon helped with the presents &c.

Thurs: 28<sup>th</sup> Thurs 7.30. Drums. girls present - Miss Birch  
H. Inocent came over for the baby of Clara's baby & stayed  
the night. W. Soames came over too for the  
night. S. Alice & S. Irene came - Holy Play -

Wed: 29<sup>th</sup> Thurs 7.30 - Nixon - W. S. Miss Birch left -  
S. Annette left for Eng: S. Alice going to East  
London with her. Miss Mills married to W  
Coates at Capetown Cathedral.

Th: 30<sup>th</sup> Thurs 7.30. Release of Play -

Fri: 31<sup>st</sup> Thurs 7.30. S. E. J. & Miss Ab. Smith to town - Miss Hall  
brought up a girl from Capetown & stayed 4 or 5 days  
little Tap died of bilious fever - The old Testa  
ment Tableaux. v. good - Murray girls rej -

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Jan. 1<sup>st</sup> Thurs 7.30. Suny. - Lorie left. W. Mrs. Coates arrived.

\$. 2<sup>nd</sup> Thurs 7.15. (Hermes) Village Ch: 8.15 - Miss  
Ab. Smith left by the Grey train -

Mon: 3<sup>rd</sup> Thurs 7.0. Nurse Cull & her friend N. Farman  
arrived - Girls dance in the Suny -

Tue: 4<sup>th</sup> Thurs 7.0. Rev. M. & S. Irene to tea at the  
Rondavels - (latter went on to town.)

\$. Sch. Treat at Kwaastons at 3.30. Rev.  
M. went. S. Margt's Supper party at 7.0  
Mrs. Marshall arrived at Mrs. Coates -

Wed: 5<sup>th</sup> Thurs 7.0. W. horseman came & - Chapel  
Princess Alice. Lady May & Lady-in-waiting

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noted our 9 staged Tea. Sol. Friday  
& Procession.

Th: 6<sup>th</sup> Lunch Mass at 7.30. Father's Mass (see

Epiph: at 4.0. Miss Hope in bed all day.

Fri: 7<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.0. S.A. Down & S. An. sailed from the  
Cape. on the Windsor Castle. Miss H. in bed  
Variety Enter: in Evng - v. good & amusing

Sat 8<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.0. Miss Walpole & Miss Holmes  
came - also St. Mary (Deph:) brought  
Maggie Vogts - (one of our children born here 1911)

S. 9<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.30. Mr. Coates' more tea party. Mr  
C. went to Rhodesia in afternoon - "Freda"  
left - Booty ill & died at 9.15.

Mon: 10<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.0. S.M.G. to town. Miss Bridge for  
the day. Mr. Marshall & Mr. Coates to  
Durban. S.E.K. a day off.

Tues: 11<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.0.

Wed: 12<sup>th</sup> No Mass - S.E.D. had day off. Mr. Gordon <sup>Jan 11th</sup>  
came to see Rev. M. - Sol: Praeson & Instructor

Th: 13<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.0. Miss Holmes & Miss Dineage left.  
S.A.R. day off - S.E.K & S. Irene went over to  
Olifants Batteries for the after: in the motor bus  
trucks came for our Chapel enlargement.

Fri: 14<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.0. S. Rosette day off. Mr. Coates =  
= to and fr. Durban - Miss Brown & Miss Stapleton  
came. S. Irene returned to D.P.G. - S.M.G. for the night

Sat 15<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.0. Miss Vermatt came for week R. end.  
Miss Stapleton speaks to the Guides at 6.0.

S. 16<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.30. Fr. Downton. CR. celebrated -  
The Chaplain went to Olifants.

Th: 17<sup>th</sup> Mass 7. Miss Stapleton. Miss Vermatt & Miss  
Brown left. Rev. M. & S. Smid to town in van

Fri: 18<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.0. Mr. Burton to 9<sup>th</sup> for day.

Sat 19<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.0. Rev. M. & S. Smid started for Mr. Soana

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at 8.30. in W. Braden Davis Motor D<sup>s</sup> she sent  
over. S. E. D. returned in bus. Rev. M. Clark on

Th: 20<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.0. Miss Short & Miss Tate to stay

Fri: 21<sup>st</sup> Mass 7.0. Rev. W. M. returned with Mr  
Coames also stayed the night - also Rev. R  
Guinham at Rondavel for the night.

Sat: 22<sup>nd</sup> Mass 7.0. W. S. & Rev. G. left in the  
morning - W. Wiseman came to Chapel

S: 23<sup>rd</sup> Mass 7.30. Miss MacRae came to  
stay - Mr. Harold Thompsons motor her over.  
Rose Steven & baby for the day. Chaplain left  
in bus for Grace Dean - Clergy Ret-

Mon: 24<sup>th</sup> No Mass. Nurses Cull & Lareham left -  
S. A. R. & Miss Bristol to town in van.

Tue: 25<sup>th</sup> Cow. S. Paul. No Mass - Staff Brown Men  
girls had break of pie - vic on the rocks  
Rev. M. S. M. G & S. E. D. went with them -  
W. Taet & Sheila Beckham to marry tea -  
The Dean came over -

Wed: 26<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.30 - The Dean - He left in afternoon  
S. E. D. very poorly.

Th: 27<sup>th</sup> No Mass. Miss Cozens to town to pay bills.  
Rev. M. to town at 12 - W. D. G. & send Cull  
for Council Votes - returned 6.30. S. E. D. in bed

Fri: 28<sup>th</sup> No Mass - S. E. D. better trip in afternoon -

Sat: 29<sup>th</sup> No Mass - The Chaplain returned at 8 -  
Deard Girls Conf at 11 - W. Wiseman  
came re. Chapel bindings - Ida Anderson  
returned - W. Coates to 7 bus.

S: 30<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.30. Choral - G. Emily C.P. to stay  
G. Ursula & G. Pauline for the day. They  
left at 8.25. also Miss Tate & Miss Short.

Mon: 31<sup>st</sup> Mass 7.0. S. Mary Con: H. Ellen Clemency  
arrived at the Cape from Eng: S. E. D. to

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Coames who stayed the night - also Rev. R  
Graham at Rondavel for the night.

Sat: 22<sup>nd</sup> Mass 7.0. Mr. S. & Rev. G. left in the  
morning - W. Wiseman came to Chapel

S: 23<sup>rd</sup> Mass 7.30. Miss MacBurgie came to  
stay - Mr. Harold Thompsons motor her over.  
Rose Slough & baby for the day. Chaplain left  
in bus for Grace Dean - Clergy Ret-

Mon: 24<sup>th</sup> No Mass. Nurses Cull & Laxham left -  
S.A.R. & Miss Bristol to town in van.

Tue: 25<sup>th</sup> No Mass. S. Paul. No Mass - Staff Brown Men  
Girls had break of pie - vic on the rocks  
Rev. M. S. M. G. & S. E. D. went with Miss  
Mrs. Taft & Sheila Beckham to morning tea -  
The Dean came over -

Wed: 26<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.30 - The Dean - He left in afternoon  
S. E. D. very poorly.

Th: 27<sup>th</sup> No Mass. Miss Cyens to town to pay bills.  
Rev. M. to town at 12 - W. D. G. & send call  
for Council Votes - returned 6.30. S. E. D. in bed

Fri: 28<sup>th</sup> No Mass - S. E. D. better sleep in afternoon -

Sat: 29<sup>th</sup> No Mass - The Chaplain returned at 8 -  
Deard Girls Conf at 11 - W. Wiseman  
came to Chapel binding - Ida Anderson  
returned - Mr. Coates to 7 bus.

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G. Mauda & G. Pauline for the day. They  
left at 8.25. also Miss Tate & Miss Short.

Mon: 31<sup>st</sup> Mass 7.0. S. Mary Conn: H. Ellen Clemency  
arrived at the Cape from Eng: S. E. D. to



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Jan 31<sup>st</sup> down - Miss Bristowe leaves. S<sup>o</sup> Conf. aft. The  
Tues 1<sup>st</sup> Mass 7.0. Boma left after 6 years service  
Carnark came - as a temporary help.  
Sol: Masonry & Processions.

Wed: 2<sup>nd</sup> Candle Mass 7.0. Blessing & Distribution  
7.9 Perf of Candles - Proc: Lilies at Festival Tea  
at the Cottage. S. Mary Com: arrived  
at 6.0 - by a sp: train so no one was at  
Station to meet her. all had supper  
together in County Room - very wet day

Th: 3<sup>rd</sup> Mass 7.0. a girl & her baby from Capeton

Fri: 4<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.0. Rev. M. & S. M. C. on vac to Com  
returned at 1. o'clk - Miss Broughton to stay.

Sat: 5<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.0. Our Festival Gathering of  
Friends in afternoon - 42 came - tea  
3.30. Sol: Vespers at 4-15 - A girl arrived  
from Kroonstadt - she sent her in to the Detention

S: 6<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.15. Village 8.30. Louisa went to see  
Gordon at S<sup>o</sup> George's - Grace Broughton left.  
W. Mr. Dang to tea - also 2 G. D. A. girls  
& Annetta & Lydia Bartlett to see Rev. M.

Mon: 7<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.0. Dr. Russell to see abt. Louisa.  
G. Smid to Supper with W. Coates.

Tues: 8<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.0. Rev. M. in Retreat for 2<sup>nd</sup> day.  
The Balling's came over at 2 o'clk.

Wed: 9<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.0. G. Smid in Ret. Prize-giving at  
D. S. G. = S. G. J. & Rev. M. then went in  
at 12.0 CR for it & out at 6.30.

Th: 10<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.0. S. G. J. in Retreat. Louisa &  
Connie to town. Miss Brazier came -

Fri: 11<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.0. Rev. M. had supper & slept at W. Coates

Sat: 12<sup>th</sup> No Mass. Miss Taggart & Miss Pelour for the day.  
Girls Conf. - a man "heroboy" applied for part

S: 13<sup>th</sup> Septuagesima - Mass 7.30 -

- Mon: 14<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.0. S.E.R. Miss Ogens to town - Barling  
 Came over re - Ruthven (the Bull). Wesley  
 Came over. decided to engage him -
- Tue: 15<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.0. Rev. M.D. Miss Ogens to Thury by  
 the 7.10 train - Shopped. Saw all the  
 Street Collection - House of M. Meeting at  
 3.0. a good one - 10 present - W. Gingham  
 motor'd us back - The played at Tondavel
- Wed: 16<sup>th</sup> No Mass. pumps went wrong -
- Thu: 17<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.0. W. Gingham in Ret. till Sat 9 -  
 Mrs Callinan came to engage Louisa  
 as Cook - S.E.R. in Retreat =
- Fri: 18<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.0. G. Rosette & G. Emily in Ret. Man  
 out to see to the Temp - G. Alice came  
 out for a few hours. G. Felicity in the Surf-  
 Louisa went to Mr. Henry, v.d. Bus for few days
- Sat: 19<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.0. Rev. R. Gingham. G. Felicity in  
 Ret = Wesleyby came - Mr. Caruack  
 left - W. Carver came to join W  
 Gingham at Tondavel - Enrollment  
 of Guides at 6.30 -
- Sun: 20<sup>th</sup> Mass 7.30. Rev. R. Gingham. the Chaplain  
 at Olifaunt - Mr. Carver & W. Gingham  
 left in afternoon - Mr. Whitstead to see Black
- Mon: 21<sup>st</sup> Mass 7.0. S.M.C. went to the Cottage for  
 a week's rest - Connie Smith left after  
 her fortnight's holiday here - G. Rosette  
 passed with Cold - went over to the Cottage
- Tue: 22<sup>nd</sup> Mass 7.0 - Louisa left (after 8 years) to  
 go to work with Mrs Callinan at Olifaunt.  
 S. Rev. letters, up in afternoon -
- Wed: 23<sup>rd</sup> No Mass - Chaplain at D.P.G. very bad  
 storm - S.A.R. + Mrs C. to town - Mrs. Charles to Kemberly  
 last from 12-45 till nearly 6.0
- Thu: 24<sup>th</sup> S. Matthias - Mass 7.0 hymns only. S.M.C. in Ret.

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