

- 1st Sept 1914 2.40. S.K.A. about the same - W. Petrie
 out for the afternoon -
- 30th Sunday Mass 7.30. S. Superior sent for to Pretoria
 S.K. agrees worse - She passed away at
 12.30 (midnight) at the Cecelia Nursing Home
 quite peacefully -
- 31st Monday No Mass - a Requiem was said at the
 Cathedral at 7 - made arrangements for
 the funeral - body taken into Cathedral
 at 12 - watched by sisters in turn -
 Sisters Grace - Eleanor Mary & Adelaide
 went over - Service at 3. Bishop
 took it - the Dean reading the Lesson -
 7 Priests were present - W. Paley - Wm
 W. Petrie, W. Ruddle carried Cross &
 Candles - 6 Motors were lent which
 took us to the Cemetery - we all
 returned to Irene by the 6.30 -
 "Mary" dismissed after Mass -
- 1st Sept Tuesday Mass 7. Requiem - W. Perciston came
 for Mary & Pauline - W. Leslie for
 Francis Waller - Cable to say that
 dear S. Etheldred was at rest -
- 2nd Wednesday Mass 7. S. Sup. in bed till after dinner
 resting - dignified in Rest -
- 3rd Thursday No Mass. S. Grace had a day off.
 Mail came in from England - Veronica
 & Theresa in to see P.
- 4th Friday Mass 7.
- 5th Saturday No Mass. Nurse went into Pretoria
 for the week end - W. Petrie for the
 afternoon - S. L. M. poorly - W. Brown
 S.A.P. - to see Superior -
- 6th Sunday Mass 7.30. S.L.M. better. Ruth came
 over in afternoon - also Gladys Mother.
 & Ellen's Mother & Sister in the morning.

Café

2 more children with Chick Ren - pox.

7th Monday No Mass - S. I. M. a "day off" - Nurse returned in the morning -

1st Vespers of Our Lady - No Mass: Solemn Eucensone -

8th Monday Mass 7. Choral. S. Ad. Commenced her rest - she & S. Supr. into town by the 8.17 train - to Cathedral for the D.S. G. Lenny Mass. S. Monica's to dinner - Prison at 2 o'clk tea at D.S. G. & returned by the Motor. A Mail from England in -

9th Wedg Mass 7. Miss Bartlett left at 7.10 for 7'burg - new Chick Ren - rem Commenced worked by S. S. Elsie R & Ad. - S. G. to town. another Eng: Mail in - S. Julian came out.

10th Thurs: No Mass.

Mr. Brown to see S. Superior.

11th Friday Mass 7. Miss T. into town for afternoon.

12th Satg No Mass. Miss Bronfalon for the week end Sisters had Festival Tea in garden ^{Kytsi's baby baptised}

13th Sunday Mass 7.30 - Plain - S. Grace in bed till Tea time - Monica with chicken - pox - 1st Vespers of Holy Cross -

14th Monday Mass 7. Choral - 5 girls made their Comm^s - S. Suid came over by the early train - S. Alice at 2.15. G. Ethelwyn at 5. all returned at 8.20 - Solemn Eucensone Procession at 6.15. Sermon by the Rev. S. Hawkes - new Rector of S. Mary's 7'burg "Myrtle" came at 12 o'clk - Mr. Nixon to see S. Supr. stayed to Eucensone. Miss Bronfalon left in the morning - W. Leslie & Mr. R. d. Bell gave us some fowls! - S. Suid slept the night.

15th Tues: No Mass - Chaplain poorly - S. Suid

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- 19th left at 8.17. Girls' pic-nic - they left at 3 o'clock - went down to river below the Cottage. all returned by 6.15. Quenson & Instruction
- 16th Mass 7. S. Ad. into town by 12.9 out at 6.30.
- 17th Thurs: No Mass. The Associates had a day off at Cottage. S. Supr. had dinner with Mrs & S. Ad. tea - they returned at 7.30 - Maudie's baby born 3.30.
- 18th Friday Mass 7. Nurse took Myrtle in to S. Monica's - Maggie dismissed -
- 19th Sat No Mass - Maggie & Stella went at 9.30 - Group of 11 into Pretoria - The new Governor Genl. Lord Buxton arrived - S. Supr. to see Mr. Nixon - 1st rains during the night -
- 20th Sunday Mass 7.30 - Miss Thompson into the Cathedral to hear the Bishop's preach - Florence, Maudie & Ruth to tea & Quenson -
- 21st Monday Mass 7. S. Olive K. into town to see the dentist - S. Matthew Malvern began to take charges down here. & Malvern Quena to sleep -
- 22nd Tues: No Mass. S. Ad & S. L. M. in Retreat. S. Supr. to see Mr. Brown.
- 23rd Wed Mass 7. S. Grace in Ret. - S. Supr. into town at 11.30 & out 2.30 - Quenson 7.
- 24th Thurs: No Mass. S. E. M. in Retreat. S. Fred came out & stayed the night - Mr. Brown to see S. Supr. S. Supr. & S. E. M. to bed early & to bed early.
- 25th Friday Mass 7. S. Supr. in bed till tea tonight & Olive (Mrs) came to stay for a few days - S. Fred went back by the motor - S. Ad. going with her to spend

Sep. 1914

- 1st Sat a few days at the D.S.G. - Reports - girls v. troublesome -
- 2nd Sat No Mass. Miss Bliss over for the day.
- 3rd Sunday Mass 7. Choral - Mr. Walters came over to see S. Supr - stayed to breakfast & dinner -
- 4th Monday No Mass - S. Emily, Monica & Miss Murray came out by the 9.50 train - S. Supr in to Pretoria at 12 - H. of Mercy meeting at the Bishop's Home at 2.45 - S. Supr returned by the ^{Boys} motor - arrived back at 6 - in time for the Solemn Memory & Procession - Chaplain heard girls' Confessions.
- 5th Tuesday Mass 7. Choral - Rosa & Mona made their 1st Comm - The three girls made theirs too. All kept S. Grace took black dress girls & 3 men with S. Olive to tea at the Cottage - no court yard tea as girls were on "Silence" - S. E. M. into D.S.G. for pic-nic & night
- 6th Wednesday Mass 7. S. Supr into town by the 12.12. dinner at D.S.G. - old girls meeting - S. Supr - S. E. M. returned by the 6.0 P.M. train
- 7th Thursday No Mass - S. E. Monica returned by the 8.17 train - Miss Murray left at 12. Martha returned to Mr. Teatley. "Susanna" & "Winifred" arrived - S. E. R. in Ret -
- 8th Friday No Mass. Clergy Synod - S. Grace into town - Maude's baby baptised. S. Grace returned at 6.30.
- 9th Saturday Mass at 7 - had a Sisters' Conference at 2 - S. E. M. into Pretoria for a few days - Miss Cozens into ?'burg for the day -
- 10th Sunday Mass 7. plain "Synod Sunday" - S. Supr

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to Maternity Home to make arrangements
abt. Rose Stevens - Nurse in by 12. She
& S. Supt. had dinner at S. Thomas's &
returned by the 2-10 - The Griffiths' maid
& a friend came to see over the
house - Anson's bar down here & from
house - W. v. d. B. to see S. Supt.

13th Tues:

Mass 7 - The Bishop & Mr. Furse brought
over Lady Buxton (the new Governor Genl's
wife) to see the House & Nursery -
They had morning tea here & left
abt 12-15 - Lady B. most gracious &
took a keen interest in the work.

14th Wed:

Nurse into town for a case at S. Thomas's
Mr. & Mrs. Griffith left the Whyte's Cottage
Mass at 7. The Chaplain moved into the
Whyte's house - Mr. Cope brought
Wimpred back & took Thelma
with her - Nurse came out for
a short time & returned to S. Thomas's
at 12 - S. Grace into town to stay
a few days at the Furses -
Nurse returned in the evening.

15th Thurs:

No Mass - Emma & Lily into town shopping &
took mail letters -

16th Friday

Mass 7. Mr. Brown came to see Supt. Irene's father
came to see her - just returned from Australia -

17th Sat:

Mass 7. S. Supt. had intended going to town pre-
-vented by people coming - Nurse out at case.
sent Mrs. Doullers in with letters. She
went to her sister for the night -

18th Sunday

Mass 7.30. Choral. 3 black New girls
made their Com^s - Wimpred's baby was
baptized at 3 o'clk - Florence - Ruth,
& Ada to see - had steam -

Oct.

- 19th Monday No Mass. Chaplain went away for a few days - S. Supt into town Sat. Morning to see Mary & her baby - better ill - she returned at 2.30 - went to see Mr. Cooper re. Sale on 14th Nov.
- 20th Tues: No Mass - Mr. Cope brought Thelma back & took Winnipeg back for 2 months.
- 21st Wed 21st No Mass - S. Supt. to see Mr. Whitworth re. setting of Eggs - Elizabeth Jacobson came to nursery - to engage nurse -
- 22nd Thurs. No Mass. Mr. Walters to town for the day.
- 23rd Friday Things serious here - probable civil war - Mass 7. S. Supt. came out for the afternoon - returned by 7.0 - nurse called up for Elizabeth Jacobson.
- 24th Sat No Mass - little Mary poorly. Elizabeth's baby born - Miss Ellis came out for the day -
- 25th Sunday Mass 7.30. Choral -
Veda Lotea -
- 26th Monday Mass 7. S. Grace returned. S. Supt. to Government House. to talk over meeting with Lady Buxton for Miss Horne - General Bollea went off with troops against Beysers the traitor - stricter Martial Law. S. Supt. returned at 7. Information class -
- 27th Tues: No Mass. little Mary ill - serious trouble among the Boer Generals - 3 leading a rebellious army.
- 28th Wed Mass 7. plain - Miss Kope out for day - Mr. Walters into town for 2 days - Sisters had tea together in the Garden. Mr. Cope brought Winnipeg back. Mary & Thelma ill -
- 29th Thurs No Mass. S. 2. M. in Pet. Susanna had to go to 7th bay for Court care - Wardens

Nov:

Came for her - Susan out of Hos: went to S. Monica's for a few days. Florence Marshall came over -

30th Friday Mass at 7. S. Supr. in Retreat -
Conti Class. W. v. d. Berg called re. Sale -

31st Sat^y No Mass. S. E. M. into to see Dr. Sanders. she returned at 1.14. with S. Guid. - 1st Vespers 3-15 of All Saints - Solemn Eucensory & Procession at 6-30 - Mr. Jixen came up. Chaplain heard girls confessions at 5-15 - little Harry ill.

1st Nov. Mass 7. Girls made their Comm^o.
All S. P. Court yard tea at 3-45. Ruth Adams Gada came - Eucensory 6-15. Vespers of the Dead (sung) immediately afterward.

2nd Nov. Mass 7. Requiem - S. Guid left by
All Soul's Day the 11.50. Nurse & Bruyer went by the same train taking little Mary to Hosp: - S. E. M. in bed for a week to rest nerves! Procession to the Cemetery after tea. - "On the Resurrection Morn". Sing from Chapel to gate. "Litany for the Deceased" en route to cemetery & at the graves -

3rd Tues. No Mass. S. Grace in Retreat. S. Superior into Pretaxia by 2.10 out by 5.12. to see S. Monica's & the building next door - Mr. Brown's child baptised.

4th Weds Mass 7. S. Ad. in Retreat. More serious news abt. the T. Million -

5th Thurs. S. Supr. to see W. v. d. Berg & Elizabeth Lambert. No Mass. Archdeacon /agers came to see S. Supr. - about the work & Finance Committee - He lunched with the Chaplain - S. Supr. into town at 2.10. to see the Bishop - re - S. Monica's

Nov.

decided to give it up - moving to
the new building next to it -
All P.S. tea at S. Monica's - S. Supp
brought Susan back - she had
been in Hosp: S. Elsie in Ret.

6th Friday Mass 7. Mr. Griffith came in
a sermon to hear Associate's Confer-
ence.

7th Saty No Mass. P. Supp to Mr. Nixon re-Sale.
S. Grace took black dress girl
to the cottage to tea. A man
came & removed 3 white Ant's
nests from our garden -

8th Sunday Mass 7.30 Choral. - S. Grace
poorly in bed. Miss Bliss ^{not hardly}
for the week end. - S.E. M. in Ret. ^{has had a}

9th Monday Mass 7. Miss Bliss left at 12. S. Supp
to see Mr. Cooper re-Sale. S. Grace
in bed poorly - S. G. out by the
2.30. I returned at 7.10 - S. Ad. Gony
with her to see abt. Maugle for Land
Nurse had a days rest in bed

10th Tues. No Mass. The 3 Associates & P. Supp
to T. B. B. B. for Collection -
received £23.8.10 - returned
at 7.10 - S. Grace in bed -

11th Wedy Mass 7. S. G. still poorly - Miss
Hope came out for afternoon -
"Monica" had her birthday party
Irene dismissed - Theresa into the
dentist with Marion Alice

12th Thurs. No Mass. Nurse phoned to Dr. Sander
abt. S. Grace - Miss Hope came over &
brought things for the Sale -

13th Friday Mass 7. Some mending & preparing

Nov.

- for the Sale - sent a good deal to Mr
 14th Sat^y Coopers
 no Mass. John took things down to
 Mr. Cooper's - busy arranging the
 stalls - Miss Buxton & Miss Mitchell
 came here first - went with S. Supr
 to the Sale - all went off very
 well & we made £32.0.0 - open
 from 2.30 to 6. Stall holders: Mr. Cooper
 the Tra - Mr. Nixon - Smeeth - Mr. Whyte - Children
 things - Mr. Barnett - plants - Jane Funn
 children's toys & dolls - Miss Cozens & Mr
 Daddworth & Fanny Shupp -
 15th Sunday Mass 7. Lucia made her 1st Com^m S. Grace
 still in bed.
 16th Monday no Mass - busy getting straight after the Sale.
 S. Supr. into town by the Motor for the night
 S. Grace up for a little while.
 17th Tues: Mass 7 - S. Superior returned at 1.6 -
 S. Hugh. birthday party at the Nursery - for past
 birthdays - Hugh. Fanny & Louisa -
 S. Docta came. Rosamond. Matron Emma.
 little Christopher v. ill. D. O. came out
 to see him in the evening -
 18th Wed^y no Mass. Chaplain into D. S. G. to
 keep in the Vaccinations till Friday
 Elsie Andrewatha came over for the
 afternoon - before leaving Pretoria to
 go to S. Michael's Wantage. "Spring
 Clean at the Nursery" - little Mary
 died in Hosp: -
 19th Thurs no Mass. S. E. M. went on to town to
 make arrangements abt. little Mary's
 funeral. she brought the body out
 at 1.25 - the Chaplain came by the

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