# Church of England Girls School, Shipley 

Log Book
June 1872 to December 1905

## The Mistress [Head-Teacher]:

| Char[lotte?] Jessup | $26.6 .1872-18121873$ |
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| Ellen Roney | $162.1874-18.12 .1874$ |
| Emma Hobbs | $11.1 .1875-2.5 .1879$ |
| Emma Louise Bungay | $19.5 .1879-13.12 .1889$ |
| Ada A Rowley | $6.1 .1890-24.6 .1892$ |
| Emma Potter (nee Bungay, temporary) | $276.1892-12.8 .1892$ |
| H Uphill | $19.9 .1892-5.3 .1897$ |
| Mrs Hayward (temporary) | $12.3 .1897-2.4 .1897$ |
| Annie Penn | $5.4 .1897-22.12 .1930$ |

Note on transcription: Punctuation and capitalisation has been retained and varies greatly between the different writers. Date format and average attendances have been standardised to a common format.

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| June 26th 1872 | Char Jessup - Miss |
|  | R.L. Koe - H.M.I. |
| June $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Griffiths visited the school |
| July $1^{\text {st }} 1872$ | Two cases of Scarlet Fever reported |
| July $3^{\text {rd }}$ | Miss Griffiths visited the school |
| July $4^{\text {th }}$ | Two cases of Fever reported |
| July $5^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance low this week owing to sickness |
| July $9^{\text {th }}$ | Very wet attendance low |
| July $12{ }^{\text {th }}$ | School closed on account of sickness |
| September $9^{\text {th }} 1872$ | School reopened having been closed eight weeks through sickness and holidays Miss Pemberton visited and took the first class in a reading lesson |
| September $12^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Griffiths visited questioned the children and heard them sing |
| September $13^{\text {th }}$ | The Revd R Blight Diocesan Inspector examined the children and expressed himself very pleased. Attendance low gleaning not being over. Revd Dr Pemberton, Mrs Pemberton and Miss Griffiths visited. |
| September $16{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Revd Dr Pemberton visited and took the second class in a reading lesson. |
| September $18^{\text {th }}$ | Mrs Pemberton visited this day. |
| September $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | Lady Burrell visited the school |
| September $26^{\text {th }}$ | Lady Burrell, Mrs W Burrell and Miss Griffiths visited. Inspected the needlework and heard the children sing. |
| September $27^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Griffiths visited the school. Dr Pemberton gave a scripture lesson to first class at 9.15. |
| October 1 ${ }^{\text {st }} 1872$ | A fair in the neighbourhood, attendance low. School routine as usual |
| October $8^{\text {th }}$ | School conducted by Miss Griffiths and Mrs Pemberton the Mistress being absent on leave. |
| October 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Revd Dr Pemberton visited 9.15 and took first class in Scripture. |


| October $16^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Griffiths visited and gave a singing lesson. Mrs Pemberton visited the school |
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| October $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | On making enquiries was informed that Mary Balchin had left on account of boys upsetting her on the road. <br> Copy of Inspector's report: |
|  | Mrs Jessup was appointed in January last (the school having been closed during the previous 6 months) and can therefore hardly be held responsible for the present state of things. The standard of attainment is very low. None were presented above Standard II. The Mistress has evidently taken much pains with the reading, which is the best subject; the arithmetic is very poor. The children are very well ordered under Mrs Jessup's management. An improvement will, I believe, be effected. [signed] E Griffiths, Treasurer |
| October $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ | A very wet and rough day. Attendance eleven. |
| November $1^{\text {st }} 1872$ | Attendance for the past week very low owing to bad weather. |
| November 4 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | On enquiry was informed that Emily Linfield had left for service. |
| November ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | School routine as usual. |
| November $12{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Revd Dr Pemberton visited the school. |
| November 15 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | School as usual. |
| November $21{ }^{\text {st }}$ | Two or three cases of sickness reported. Many of the younger children absent through bad weather. |
| November 27 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Weather still very unfavourable. |
| December 3 ${ }^{\text {rd }} 1872$ | Weather still very rough attendances this day only eleven. |
| December $9^{\text {th }}$ | The school conducted by Mrs Pemberton and Miss Griffiths this week - the Mistress being at Brighton. |
| December 19 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | School closed for Xmas holiday. |
| 1873 |  |
| January $\mathbf{6}^{\text {th }} 1873$ | School reopened. Half holiday. The Revd Dr Pemberton visited. |
| January $10{ }^{\text {th }}$ | School routine as usual. |
| January $17^{\text {th }}$ | Several of the children left for the winter months. |
| January $24^{\text {th }}$ | Dr Pemberton and Miss Griffiths visited during the week. |
| January $31{ }^{\text {st }}$ | Word sent that Caroline Laker had left for service. |
| February $7^{\text {th }} 1873$ | School routine during the past week as usual. |
| February $12^{\text {th }}$ | Dr Pemberton visited during the week and took second class in reading. |
| February $13^{\text {th }}$ | Mrs Pemberton visited also Mr \& Mrs Burrell. |
| February $14^{\text {th }}$ | Some time spent in ascertaining who had taken a child's dinner. |
| February $17^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Griffiths and Mrs Pemberton visited and heard the children sing. |
| February $20{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mrs Pemberton visited and gave a garment each to eight children who had attended most regularly. |
| February $24^{\text {th }}$ | A heavy fall of snow - not one of fourth class attended. |
| February 27 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mrs Pemberton visited the school. |
| February $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance for last week very low. The roads were flooded and the children not able to pass. |
| March 4 ${ }^{\text {th }} 1873$ | Mrs Pemberton visited twice during the week. Miss Griffiths also visited. School routine as usual. |
| March 11 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Griffiths visited and brought the new reading books. |
| March 13 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mrs Burrell and Miss Griffiths visited the school. |
| March $21{ }^{\text {st }}$ | Miss Griffiths and Mrs Pemberton visited during the week. Several cases of sickness reported. |
| March $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Twelve children have left for a fortnight to work in the fields. |
| April ${ }^{\text {nd }} 1873$ | The Revd Glover and Miss Griffiths visited and heard the children sing. |
| April ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mrs Pemberton and Dr Gooddie visited and expressed themselves pleased with the order cleanliness of the children. |


| April $9^{\text {th }}$ | Mrs Pemberton and Mrs Burrell visited the school. |
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| April $10^{\text {th }}$ | School closed for Easter holiday. Miss Griffiths visited the school. |
| April $20{ }^{\text {th }}$ | School reopened. Attendance good. |
| April $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | [Log book signed by R.L. Koe - H.M.I.] |
| April $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Word sent that Charlotte Evans who was admitted last week would be required at home 'till after harvest to keep house - her mother being employed in the fields. This child is over nine years of age could neither read nor write and had to be put with the infants. [Signed] C Jessup |
| May $1^{\text {st }} 1873$ | On this day the children are accustomed to carry out garlands consequently the attendance was very low. |
| May $\mathrm{n}^{\text {nd }}$ | Mrs Pemberton visited the school. |
| May $5^{\text {th }}$ | Six children absent through illness and one for want of shoes. |
| May ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | School routine as usual. |
| May $13^{\text {th }}$ | Coolham Club. Seven children only presented themselves this morning - the school was closed for the day. |
| May 19 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Four children left till after harvest their mothers being employed in the fields. |
| May $21{ }^{\text {st }}$ | A week's leave granted to Ann Hart, Mary Linfield and Emily Wells, to attend on their mothers who are sick and unable to do for themselves. |
| May $26^{\text {th }}$ | Ann Hart returned after a week's leave. Four more children required at home while their mothers are employed in the fields. |
| May $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Word sent that Charlotte Evans (admitted only the week before) would not return till after harvest her mother having to work in the fields. This child was over nine years of age and could neither read nor write. |
| June 2 ${ }^{\text {nd }} 1873$ | Whitemonday (sic) a holiday given. |
| June ${ }^{\text {rd }}$ | On this day the school was conducted by Mrs Pemberton - the Mistress being unable to attend to her duties. |
| June $4^{\text {th }}$ \& $5^{\text {th }}$ | School conducted by Mrs Pemberton and Miss Griffiths - the Mistress being unable to attend through indisposition. School routine as usual. |
| June $9^{\text {th }}$ | Mrs Wells called stating her daughter would not return for some weeks on account of her health. |
| June $12^{\text {th }}$ | Revd Dr Pemberton visited and took the second class in a reading lesson. Jane Adams aged eleven years a good useful girl in school left for service. |
| June $16^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance good. |
| June $18{ }^{\text {th }}$ | A very very wet day attendance very low. |
| June 19 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Revd Dr Pemberton visited 10.30 and spoke to MJ Penfold who played truant on $17^{\text {th }}$ inst. |
| June $23^{\text {rd }}$ | The Mistress being absent on leave the school was conducted by Mrs Pemberton. Emily Milham returned. Sarah Linfield returned after several weeks absence to assist attending on her father who was very ill. |
| June 25 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Revd Dr Pemberton visited the school. |
| July $2^{\text {nd }} 1873$ | Louisa Baker not able to come to school for a few weeks not having any shoes. Sarah Short required at home for fortnight. |
| July $8^{\text {th }}$ | Mrs Pemberton visited the school. |
| July $11^{\text {th }}$ | Emily Botting required at home to attend on her father. |
| July $14^{\text {th }}$ | Sarah Short returned after a fortnight absence. |
| July16 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Maud and Amy Wright left their parents having removed. |
| July $21^{\text {st }}$ | Sarah Short left school being required at home. |
| July $25^{\text {th }}$ | School closed for six weeks - Harvest holiday. |
| September $8^{\text {th }} 1873$ | School reopened after six weeks holiday. Attendance 14. Several of the parents called saying their children would not be able to come to school for two or three weeks harvest not being over through wet weather. |


| September $16^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance this week rather higher but still low, many of the children being in the fields gleaning. Miss Griffiths visited the school. |
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| September 22 ${ }^{\text {nd }}$ | Several of the children returned this week, attendance very fair. |
| September26 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Griffiths visited during the week. School routine as usual. |
| October ${ }^{\text {nd }} 1873$ | Two parents reported their children could not attend school for want of clothes. Mary Goacher aged nine years returned from service and was readmitted after several months absence. Ann Goacher readmitted this week her mother promising to send her regularly. |
| October $6^{\text {th }}$ | The Mistress being absent on leave the school was conducted by Miss Griffiths. |
| October $8^{\text {th }}$ | A very wet day attendance low. |
| October $10{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Ditto |
| October 13 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | A very wet morning. |
| October 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Griffiths visited and questioned the children. |
| October 15 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Griffiths visited, heard the children sing. |
| October $16^{\text {th }}$ | The school was examined by the Diocesan Inspector and half holiday given. Present - Lady Burrell, Miss Griffiths, Mrs C Burrell and Miss Hubbard. The Revd H Gorham and Revd W Hunt. |
| October $20^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Griffiths visited and practised the children in singing. |
| October $24^{\text {th }}$ | The Mistress was absent through a death in the family. Many of the children absent picking acorns. |
| October $29^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Griffiths visited and gave a singing lesson. |
| October 31 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ | A very very wet day only seven children came. No schooling in consequence. |
| November 3 ${ }^{\text {rd }} 1873$ | Mary Ann and Emma Goacher taken off the register the mother having stated they had no clothes or shoes and she could not send them during the winter. |
| November $10{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mary and Ann Goacher (Broomers Corner) taken off the register as they had only attended 3 or 4 days since their readmission a month ago and their mother on being spoken to respecting their irregular attendance sent word she should keep her children at home when she pleased. |
|  | Copy of HM Inspectors Report 1873 <br> The older girls passed very fairly in Standard III, but the younger ones are not proportionately advanced, owing, in some measure, to their very irregular attendance. <br> Desks very poor, Needlework good. <br> New desks should at once be provided. <br> Mrs Jessup will shortly receive her Certificate. (Article 59, New Code) <br> [Signed] Eliza Griffiths, Treasurer |
| November 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Nothing of importance occurred. School routine as usual. |
| November 20 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance good. School routine as usual. |
| November 25 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Griffiths visited and practised the children in singing. |
| November 28 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | School routine as usual. |
| December ${ }^{\text {nd }} 1873$ | Miss Griffiths visited the school. |
| December $4^{\text {th }}$ | The Revd H Gorham visited and questioned the children on the Church Catechism. |
| December $8^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Griffiths visited the school. |
| December $9^{\text {th }}$ | Ann Goacher presented herself this morning. The Mistress refused to readmit her till Lady Burrell had been informed of their very irregular attendance and of the rude message sent by the mother when requested to send them more regularly. |
| December $11^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Griffiths visited the school and gave a singing lesson. |
| December $12^{\text {th }}$ | School routine during the past week as usual. |
| December $15^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Griffiths visited the school and inspected the needlework. Attendance this day very fair. |
| December $18{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Griffiths visited, addressed the children and closed the school for the Christmas holidays. |


| December $24^{\text {th }}$ | The management of the school is handed over to the Revd H Gorham [signed] Henrietta Burrell, Eliza Griffiths Treasurer |
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| 1874 |  |
| Feb $16^{\text {th }} 1874$ | Commenced duty as Mistress this day. The school is reopened after having been closed since Christmas. Sixteen children present. [signed] Ellen Roney. [She adds later on $17^{\text {th }}$ April] - In the following note dated Feb $16^{\text {th }}$ The Mistress has omitted to state that she has had 13 yrs experience as a teacher. 12 in Poor Law schools and 1 in National Elementary and that she sat for certificate in December 1873. |
| February $18^{\text {th }}$ | Ash Wednesday. Children attended church in the morning. Attendance 21 |
| February $26^{\text {th }}$ | Very wet. Only 7 in attendance. |
| March ${ }^{\text {th }} 1874$ | Average Attendance this week 31. I find the children orderly and attentive. Reading of elder children good. Arithmetic weak throughout the school. Miss Griffiths and the Rev H.S. Gorham visited this afternoon and heard the children sing. |
| March $13^{\text {th }}$ | Examined the several standards. With a few exceptions among the younger children all do fairly in Reading. Not so many passes made in Writing and in Arithmetic there is yet much to be done. |
| March 20 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Average attendance for the week 33. School routine as usual. |
| March $23^{\text {rd }}$ | The Rev Glover visited the school. |
| March $30^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance this day 41. The Rev H.S. Gorham visited the school. |
| April ${ }^{\text {nd }} 1874$ | School closed for Easter holidays. |
| April 13 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | School reopened after holidays. Attend. very good, considering the state of the weather. Mr \& Mrs Gorham visited. |
| April 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Griffiths called in the forenoon and Mrs Gorham in the afternoon to inspect needlework. |
| April 16 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | [Log signed by W.H Crocker H.M.I] |
| April $16^{\text {th }}$ | The Mistress has received a notification from the Ed. Department that her examination on $9^{\text {th }}$ Dec 1873 was passed successfully and that she has gained a place in the Third Division of the class list. |
| April 20 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev H.S. Gorham visited and gave the Scripture lesson to the 1st division. |
| April $24^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev H.S Gorham gave Scripture lesson to the lowed division of the school. |
| April $29{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev H.S Gorham gave Scripture lesson to the $1^{\text {st }}$ division. Attendance lower this week. |
| May $1^{\text {st }} 1874$ | 18 children present in the morning. A holiday given in the afternoon. |
| May 4 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev H.S Gorham visited and catechised $1^{\text {st }}$ division. New Reading Books for $1^{\text {st }}$ and $2^{\text {nd }}$ standards have been provided. There are now two sets for each class. The children are making a little visible progress in arithmetic. |
| May $8^{\text {th }}$ | School routine as usual. |
| May $12^{\text {th }}$ | Coolham Club. Two children only put in an appearance. School closed for the day. |
| May $13^{\text {th }}$ | [Written and signed by Rev Gorham] The Inspectors Report dated May $12^{\text {th }}$ states the following to be the results of the examination held on the $16^{\text {th }}$ April 1874. <br> Average Attendance for Past Year 38 <br> Number presented for Examination 14 <br> Number Passed - Reading 11, Writing 10, Arithmetic 7. <br> Copy of Report: <br> "The premises are to be refitted. Miss E Roney was appointed in February and under her management the School will I hope improve. Arithmetic very weak. Order good". <br> No grant is payable as the School has not met 400 times in the course of the year. (Article 19) <br> Signed, Henry S Gorham Secretary |
| May 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Ascension Day. Children attended church in the morning. A half holiday in afternoon. |
| May15 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev H.S Gorham visited and gave the Scripture lesson. |


| May 21 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ | Lady Burrell with friends called at the school. Emily Mills absent three weeks, will be required at home for some further time. |
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| May 25 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Whit Monday. Holiday. |
| May $29{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance lather low. Mothers at field work keep their girls at home. |
| June 4 ${ }^{\text {th }} 1874$ | The Rev H.S Gorham visited and gave Scripture lesson to upper division. |
| June $8^{\text {th }}$ | Mrs Gorham visited the school. |
| June $12^{\text {th }}$ | School routine as usual. |
| June $17^{\text {th }}$ | A very wet day. Seven children present. |
| June 18 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Weather fine. Attendance 38. |
| June 19 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev H.S Gorham visited and gave lesson to upper division. |
| June 25 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | School routine as usual. Attendance low today owing to the weather. |
| June $29{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev H.S Gorham visited, occupying the time set aside for religious instruction by short service, it being St Peter's Day. |
| June $30{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Mistress absent on leave in the afternoon. The school conducted by Miss Thorns. A needlework day. |
| July $6^{\text {th }} 1874$ | School routine as usual. |
| June $10{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance low owing to weather. The younger children are improving in Arithmetic and Reading. Geography lesson instead of Music. |
| June $13^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance low. A village gala day. 19 present in afternoon. |
| June 17 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mistress absent on leave. School conducted by Miss Thorns. |
| June 24 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | School work as usual. A few children have left for the harvest. |
| June 27 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | A very wet morning. Only 5 children present. |
| June 28 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | School closed for Harvest Holidays. |
| June 29 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Termination of Teacher's engagement [signed] E Roney Mistress. |
| September $7^{\text {th }} 1874$ | Commenced as temporary Mistress this day. [signed] Caroline Thorns |
| September 11 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | A very wet day, only five children present. Attendance low all week. |
| September 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev H.S Gorham visited and catechised upper division in the morning. 24 children present. |
| September $18{ }^{\text {th }}$ | School routine as usual. Average attendance this week 28. |
| September 22 ${ }^{\text {nd }}$ | Only twenty children present in the afternoon it being Coolham Fair day. |
| September $25^{\text {th }}$ | Weather fine. School routine as usual. |
| October 1 ${ }^{\text {st }} 1874$ | The Rev H.S Gorham and friend visited in the morning. |
| October ${ }^{\text {nd }}$ | A very wet day, eight children present, not one of fourth class attended. |
| October $5^{\text {th }}$ | Mrs \& Miss Morton visited in afternoon. School hours changed from two till half past four to half past one to four during the winter months. |
| October $7^{\text {th }}$ | A very wet morning only three children present. |
| October 16 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | School routine for the past week as usual. |
| October $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | Average attendance for this week 30. |
| October $26^{\text {th }}$ | Rev Gorham visited and catechised upper division. |
| October $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Ann Hart a very useful girl in school left for service. |
| November 2 ${ }^{\text {nd }} 1874$ | Fanny Linfield readmitted she promising to come regularly. |
| November 6 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Average attendance this week 32. Weather fine. |
| November ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Rev Gorham visited and catechised lower division. |
| November $16^{\text {th }}$ | Sarah Heasman returned after a month's absence through measles. School hours changed from half past one till four to one till half past three as the parents complain their children are dark home. [sic] |
| November 20 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | School routine as usual. |
| November 24 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev H.S Gorham visited and gave a geography lesson. |
| December $1^{\text {st }} 1874$ | Charlotte Nicholson returned after six weeks absence having had no shoes to wear. |


| December ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Average attendance 23. |
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| December $11^{\text {th }}$ | School routine as usual. |
| December $16^{\text {th }}$ | A very snowy day. Only seven present. |
| December $18{ }^{\text {th }}$ | School closed for Christmas holidays. |
| 1875 |  |
| January $11^{\text {th }} 1875$ | School reopened, 33 girls present. Miss Emma Hobbs commenced her duties as Mistress. The School Fees are raised to twopence for the lowest fee - a reduction being made where more than one child in a family attend together. Rev H.S. Gorham catechised the school grouped. [sic] [Initialled H.S.G.] <br> Commenced duties as Mistress. I have had five years' experience as a teacher in a National Elementary School, resided for two years in Brighton Training College \& sat for Certificate in December 1874. [signed] Emma M Hobbs. |
| January $15^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. H.S. Gorham visited, and gave Scripture Lesson to lower division. Arithmetic is very weak throughout the school, and the writing of all the classes is poor. |
| January $19^{\text {th }}$ | Mrs Gorham called in the afternoon to inspect the needlework. |
| January $21{ }^{\text {st }}$ | The Rev. H.S. Gorham and Mrs Burrell visited the school in the afternoon. |
| January $22^{\text {nd }}$ | The Rev. H.S. Gorham visited, and gave Scripture Lesson to upper division. |
| January $25^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. H.S. Gorham visited, and occupied the time set apart for Religious Instruction by a short service, it being St Paul's day. |
| February $2^{\text {nd }} 1875$ | The Rev. H.S. Gorham visited and gave a Scripture Lesson to upper division. |
| February $5^{\text {th }}$ | Average attendance for week 33. |
| February $10^{\text {th }}$ | Ash Wednesday. The children attended church in the morning. |
| February $16^{\text {th }}$ | Mrs Gorham visited the school in the afternoon. |
| February $19^{\text {th }}$ | An improvement has been visible this week in Arithmetic, but the spelling of all the classes needs great attention. |
| February $24^{\text {th }}$ | A holiday given in the afternoon owing to the bad weather. |
| February $26^{\text {th }}$ | Weather still very bad. None of the children present. School closed for the day. |
| March 2 ${ }^{\text {nd }} 1875$ | A very wet day. Only one child present. |
| March 5 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Average attendance this week only 21 owing to bad weather. |
| March 9 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Only one child attended owing to bad weather. |
| March $15^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. H.S. Gorham visited the school in the morning and catechised the upper division. |
| March $25^{\text {th }}$ | School closed for Easter holidays. |
| March $30^{\text {th }}$ | School reopened. Attendance 24. The Mistress has received a notice from the Training College Brighton, stating that her examination on December $7^{\text {th }} 1874$ was passed successfully, and that she has been placed in the Second Division of the Class List. |
| April $1^{\text {st }} 1875$ | Mrs Gorham visited the school in the afternoon and heard the children sing. |
| April ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. H.S. Gorham visited the school in the morning. |
| April ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Only 18 children present, owing to bad weather. |
| April 16 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Emily Longhurst returned to school this week, after being absent more than two months through illness. |
| April $22^{\text {nd }}$ | Only 14 children present owing to bad weather. |
| April $27{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mrs Money visited the school in the morning and heard the children sing. |
| May $6^{\text {th }}$ | Ascension Day. The children attended church in the morning. A holiday given in the afternoon. |
| May $11^{\text {th }}$ | Coolham Club. A holiday given. |
| $17^{\text {th }}$ | Whit Monday. Holiday. |
| May $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance good considering the weather. Average for the week 32. |
| June $4^{\text {th }} 1875$ | Ellen Botting left school being required at home. Three cases of sickness reported this week. The Revd. Money visited the school in the morning. |
| June 11 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Several children absent through sickness this week. |


| June $18{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Several children have left this week for the summer months being required at home while their mothers are at work in the fields. |
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| June 27 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Revd Money and Mrs Money visited the school in the afternoon. |
| July ${ }^{\text {st }} 1875$ | A very wet day. Only 19 children present. |
| July $6{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Revd. H.S. Gorham visited the school in the morning. <br> Copy of Inspectors Report made subsequent to his visit April $2^{\text {nd }}$ : <br> "The school was without a certificated teacher from July to Christmas when Miss Hobbs Joined. Order good. Instruction pretty fair. Needlework good. No alteration has been made in the fittings as things are in abeyance till the new Scheme is settled". <br> No Grant is made for the five months of the late school year during which the school was without a certificated teacher. (Article 17 (d).) The ninth supplementary Rule should be strictly observed in future. <br> Signed Henry S. Gorham <br> Manager and Secretary |
| July $15^{\text {th }}$ | A very wet day. Only 10 children present. |
| July $16^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance still very low owing to bad weather. |
| July $22^{\text {nd }}$ | School treat. Holiday given in the afternoon. |
| July $30^{\text {th }}$ | School closed for Harvest holidays. |
| September $15^{\text {th }} 1875$ | School reopened after holidays. Attendance low, only 9 girls present. Mrs Burrell visited the school in the afternoon. |
| September $21{ }^{\text {st }}$ | The Rev. H.S. Gorham visited and occupied the time set apart for Religious Instruction by a short service, it being St Matthew's day. |
| September $27^{\text {th }}$ | Three of the elder girls have left for service. |
| October $5^{\text {th }} 1875$ | Mrs Gorham called in the afternoon to inspect the needlework. |
| October 11 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. H.S. Gorham visited the school in the morning. |
| October 19 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The school was examined by the Rev R Blight, Diocesan Inspector. |
| October $25^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. H.S. Gorham visited the school in the morning. |
| November 5 ${ }^{\text {th }} 1875$ | School hours changed from half past one till four to one till half past three during the winter months. |
| November 10 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | A very wet day. Only 6 children present. |
| November 19 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance improved. Average for the week 31. |
| November $26{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mrs Gorham visited the school in the afternoon and heard the children sing. |
| December $3^{\text {rd }} 1875$ | Very wet. Only 5 children present. |
| December $10^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance low all week owing to bad weather. Average only 6. |
| December 17 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | School closed for Christmas holidays. |
| 1876 |  |
| January 3 ${ }^{\text {rd }} 1876$ | School reopened after holidays. 25 girls present. |
| January ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | School inspection |
| January10 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. H.S. Gorham visited the school in the afternoon. |
| January24 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mrs Gorham visited the school in the morning. |
| January $29{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Copy of summary of the Inspectors report on the school made subsequent to the inspection made on January $7^{\text {th }}$ : <br> "As only nine months have elapsed since the last inspection the school seems to be making good progress in respect of instruction though the Arithmetic of the third standard is only moderate, and the reading of the elder girls should be more intelligent. The discipline is good. Suitable furniture and apparatus are to be supplied when the school building is finished" signed, Henry S. Gorman. Secretary. [written in the hand of Rev Gorman] |
| February $3^{\text {rd }}$ | The Rev. H.S. Gorham visited and gave the Scripture lesson. |


| February $17{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mrs Gorman visited the school in the afternoon. |
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| February $18{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Average attendance this week only 16 owing to bad weather. |
| February $25^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance still very low. |
| March $1^{\text {st }} 1876$ | Ash Wednesday. Children attended church in the morning. |
| March 6 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mrs Burrell visited the school in the afternoon. |
| March $14^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. H.S. Gorham visited and gave the Scripture Lesson. |
| March $20{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mary Newman returned to school, after being absent for two months through illness. Mrs Gorham visited the school in the afternoon. |
| March $30^{\text {th }}$ | Mrs Burrell visited the school. Charity Newman and her sisters withdrawn from the school, the mother objecting to their punishment for untidy appearance, after the children had been cautioned respecting it. |
| April $3^{\text {rd }} 1876$ | The Rev. H.S. Gorham visited the school. |
| April 13 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | School closed for the Easter holidays. |
| April 17 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | School reopened. Attendance 27. |
| April $24^{\text {th }}$ | Mrs Burrell visited the school in the morning. |
| May ${ }^{\text {st }} 1876$ | Attendance low, many of the children absenting themselves to carry out garlands. |
| May $12^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. H.S. Gorham, Mrs Gorham and the Misses Broadwood visited the school in the afternoon and heard the children sing. |
| May $19{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Average attendance for week 36. |
| May 25 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Ascension day. The children attended church in the morning. |
| June $5^{\text {th }} 1876$ | Whit Monday. Holiday |
| June $13^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. H.S. Gorham visited and gave the Scripture Lesson to the lower division. |
| June $14^{\text {th }}$ | The refitting of the Girls' Scholl was commenced today. The girls are to receive instruction in the boys' room until the work is completed. Time table revised. |
| June $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | Attendance low owing to wet weather. |
| June $26^{\text {th }}$ | The girls removed to their own room. |
| July $5^{\text {th }} 1876$ | The Rev. H.S. Gorham visited the school in the morning and gave the Scripture Lesson. Mrs Gorman visited in the afternoon. |
| July $11^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. H.S. Gorham visited the school. |
| July $21^{\text {st }}$ | Attendance lower this week Average 35. |
| July $28^{\text {th }}$ | Mrs Burrell with friends visited in the afternoon. School closed for Harvest holidays. |
| September 4 ${ }^{\text {th }} 1876$ | School reopened after holidays. |
| September $5^{\text {th }}$ | Mrs Burrell visited the school in the afternoon. |
| September8 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | School treat. Holiday given in the afternoon. |
| September $12^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. H.S. Gorham visited and gave the Scripture Lesson to the upper division. |
| September $13^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. H.S. Gorham, Sir Edward Campbell and Mr Bristow visited the school in the morning. |
| September 21 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ | This being St Matthew's Day, the Rev. H.S. Gorham visited and occupied the time set apart for Religious Instruction by a short service. |
| September 29 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Three children admitted this week. |
| October $4^{\text {th }} 1876$ | The Rev. H.S. Gorham visited in the afternoon. |
| October 10 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | A very wet day. Attendance low. |
| October $18{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The school was examined by the Rev. R. Blight, Diocesan Inspector. |
| October $27^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. J Norton visited and the Scripture Lesson to the upper division. |
| October 30 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Captain Burrell, the Rev. J. Norton and Mr Vincent visited the school in the morning. |
| November 6 ${ }^{\text {th }} 1876$ | Mrs Burrell with a friend visited in the afternoon. |
| November $15^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance low today owing to wet weather- 24 children present. |
| November $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | The Rev. J. Norton and Dr Gravely visited. |
| November $27^{\text {th }}$ | Many of the children absent in consequence of the bad weather. |
| December $8^{\text {th }} 1876$ | Mrs Smithers visited the school in the afternoon. |


| December 15 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | School closed for Christmas holidays. |
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| 1877 |  |
| January $\mathbf{1}^{\text {st }} 1877$ | School reopened. Only 13 girls present owing to bad weather. |
| January ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | School inspection |
| January $19{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance low all week. Average 28. |
| January $26^{\text {th }}$ | A very wet day. 13 children present. |
| February $2^{\text {nd }} 1877$ | Attendance improved. Average for the week 32. |
| February $8^{\text {th }}$ | School closed, the Mistress being absent with leave, on account of the death of her father. |
| February 19 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | School reopened. Attendance 38. |
| February $26^{\text {th }}$ | Copy of Summary of the Inspector's Report made subsequent to the Inspection held on January $9^{\text {th }} 1877$. <br> "The School is in a good condition in respect of Discipline and Instruction in the elementary subjects". [signed] Henry S Gorham Secretary <br> The Subjects taken under Article C. 1 were: - Needlework and Grammar ( $1^{\text {st }}$ Division) for Standards II - IV |
| March 8 ${ }^{\text {th }} 1877$ | Mrs Thorns with friends visited the school in the afternoon. |
| March $16^{\text {th }}$ | Average for the week 35. |
| March23 ${ }^{\text {rd }}$ | Several cases of sickness reported this week. Attendance much lower. |
| March $26{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mrs Burrell with friends visited in the afternoon. |
| March 29 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Two children admitted this week. School closed for the Easter holidays. |
| April ${ }^{\text {rd }} 1877$ | School reopened. Attendance 32. |
| April 11 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | One girl admitted. |
| April $20{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Two children admitted. Average for the week 40. |
| April $26{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mrs Gorham visited in the afternoon and examined the needlework. |
| May $1^{\text {st }} 1877$ | Attendance low, many of the children being absent carrying garlands through the village. Rev. H. S. Gorham visited. |
| May $10^{\text {th }}$ | Ascension day. A holiday given. |
| May $16^{\text {th }}$ | Mrs Gorham visited in the afternoon. |
| May $18{ }^{\text {th }}$ | School closed for Whitsun holidays. |
| May 28 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | School reopened. Mrs Gorham visited in the afternoon. |
| May $31{ }^{\text {st }}$ | The Rev. H. S. Gorham visited and gave the Scripture Lesson. |
| June 4 ${ }^{\text {th }} 1877$ | One girl admitted. |
| June 11 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance improved. Average for week 44. |
| June $22^{\text {nd }}$ | Attendance much lower - many of the children kept at home while their mothers are at work in the fields. |
| June $29{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. H. S. Gorham visited the school in the afternoon. |
| July $6^{\text {th }} 1877$ | Many of the children absent this week through illness. |
| July $9^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. H. S. Gorham visited and returned the School Pence to those children who had made sufficient Attendances to be presented at the last Inspection. |
| July $16^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance very low owing to bad weather. |
| July $25^{\text {th }}$ | Mrs Gorham visited in the afternoon. |
| July $27^{\text {th }}$ | School closed for Harvest holidays. |
| September 3 ${ }^{\text {rd }} 1877$ | School reopened after holidays. Attendance 28. |
| September $7^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. H. S. Gorham visited in the morning. A holiday given in the afternoon on account of the School Treat. |
| September 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Two children withdrawn, as their parents have left the Parish. |
| September 18 $8^{\text {th }}$ | Mrs Burrell with a friend visited the school in the afternoon and examined the needlework. |
| September $21{ }^{\text {st }}$ | This being St Matthew's Day the Rev. H. S. Gorham visited and occupied the time set apart for Religious Instruction by a short service. |
| September $24^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. H. S. Gorham with friends visited the school in the afternoon and heard the |


|  | children sing. |
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| September $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Several of the elder girls have left for service this week. |
| October $1^{\text {st }} 1877$ | Two children admitted. |
| October $10^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. H. S. Gorham visited the school in the afternoon. |
| October 17 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The school was examined in the morning by the Rev. R. Blight, the Diocesan Inspector. A holiday given in the afternoon. |
| October 18 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | St Luke's Day - a short service conducted by the Rev. H.S. Gorham was held during the time set apart for Religious Instruction. |
| October19 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. H. S. Gorham visited in the morning. |
| October $25^{\text {th }}$ | A very wet morning - 21 children present. |
| October $29^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. H. S. Gorham visited and gave the Scripture Lesson to the upper division. |
| November ${ }^{\text {st }} 1877$ | Mrs Gorham with friends visited in the afternoon and examined the needlework. |
| November 9 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance very low this week. Average 25. The children were kept at home in consequence of bad weather. |
| November 13 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mrs Burrell with friends visited in the afternoon. The Rev. H. S. Gorham visited. |
| November $16^{\text {th }}$ | Mrs Burrell visited the school in the afternoon. |
| November 22 ${ }^{\text {nd }}$ | The Rev. H. S. Gorham visited in the morning. |
| November $26^{\text {th }}$ | Word sent that Mary Venn who has been absent eleven weeks will be obliged to remain at home some further time through illness. The Rev. H. S. Gorham visited in the afternoon. |
| December 5 ${ }^{\text {th }} 1877$ | Mrs Burrell with friends visited the school in the afternoon. |
| December $8^{\text {th }}$ | Several of the children absent this week through illness. |
| December $11^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. H. S. Gorham visited and gave the Scripture Lesson to the upper division. |
| December $14^{\text {th }}$ | School closed for the Christmas Holiday. |
| December 31 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ | School reopened. Attendance 32. |
| 1878 |  |
| January ${ }^{\text {st }} 1878$ | The Rev. H. S. Gorham and Mrs Gorham visited the school in the afternoon. |
| January ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Two children withdrawn this week as their parents are leaving the Parish. |
| January $11^{\text {th }}$ | Several children have been absent this week through sickness. |
| January $14^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. H. S. Gorham visited and gave the Scripture Lesson to the upper division. |
| January $18{ }^{\text {th }}$ | School Inspection. |
| January $24^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. H. S. Gorham visited the school in the afternoon. |
| February $1^{\text {st }} 1878$ | Two children admitted this week. |
| February $7^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. Cooper and Miss Nailard visited in the afternoon. |
| February $14^{\text {th }}$ | A very wet day. Only 8 children attended in the morning. A holiday given in the afternoon. |
| February $15^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. H. S. Gorham visited the school in the morning. |
| February $22^{\text {nd }}$ | Attendance higher this week. Average 37. |
| March $1^{\text {st }} 1878$ | A very wet and stormy day. Only 15 children present. |
| March 6 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Ash Wednesday. A holiday given. |
| March $7^{\text {th }}$ | A copy of the summary of the Inspector's Report, made subsequent to the inspection held on January $18^{\text {th }} 1878$. <br> "The discipline is very good and the children are well and carefully taught". <br> Signed Henry S. Gorham. March $8^{\text {th }}$, Secretary. <br> The subjects taken under Article 19 C. 1. were:- <br> Grammar and Needlework - Standards II and III <br> Needlework and Outlines of History of England to Norman Conquest - Standards IV and V |
| March 12 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mrs Burrell visited the school in the afternoon and examined the needlework. |
| March $22^{\text {nd }}$ | Attendance higher this week. Average 40. |
| March $25^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. H.S. Gorham visited and held a short service in the time set apart for Religious Instruction. |
| March 29 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | A very wet morning. Only 7 children attended school. |


| April $5^{\text {th }} 1878$ | Three children admitted this week. |
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| April ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. H.S. Gorham visited in the morning and returned the School Pence to the children who were present at the last Inspection, and had given satisfaction to the Managers during the past year. |
| April 18 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mrs Gorham visited the school in the morning. School closed for Easter holidays. |
| April $23{ }^{\text {rd }} 1878$ | School reopens. Attendance 34. |
| May $1^{\text {st }} 1878$ | Attendance today very low, the children having carried garlands through the village according to their usual custom. |
| May $10^{\text {th }}$ | Two children admitted this week. |
| May $17^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance very low during the last week. Average 15 . The children are kept at home while their mothers are at work in the fields. Several also absent through illness. |
| May $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | A very wet day. Only 7 children attended school in the morning. |
| May $30{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Ascension Day. The children attended church in the morning.. |
| June $7^{\text {th }} 1878$ | School closed for Whitsun Holidays. |
| June 17 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | School reopened. |
| June $19{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mrs Gorham visited the school in the afternoon and brought some needlework for the children. |
| June $26^{\text {th }}$ | Word sent that Emily Wood, who has been absent eight weeks will be required at home some further time, while her mother is at work in the fields. |
| July $3^{\text {rd }} 1878$ | Sarah Parsons (no 24) withdrawn and sent to service. |
| July $12^{\text {th }}$ | Three children absent this week through sickness. |
| July $15^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. H.S. Gorham visited the school in the morning and catechised the upper division. |
| July $26^{\text {th }}$ | School closed for Harvest Holidays. |
| September $2^{\text {nd }} 1878$ | School reopened after Holidays. Attendance 33. Two children admitted. |
| September $12{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. H.S. Gorham visited the school. |
| September 13 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mrs Burrell visited in the afternoon and heard the children sing. |
| September 18 $8^{\text {th }}$ | A very wet day. Only 8 children present. |
| September $233^{\text {rd }}$ | A fair in the neighbourhood. Attendance low. |
| October $1^{\text {st }} 1878$ | The Rev. H.S. Gorham visited the school in the afternoon. |
| October $3^{\text {rd }}$ | The Rev. H.S. Gorham visited the school in the morning and gave the Scripture Lesson to the Upper division. |
| October $4^{\text {th }}$ | Two children withdrawn this week, their parents having left the Parish. |
| October $11^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance very low during the last week owing to bad weather. Average 24. |
| October 18 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The school was inspected by the Rev. R. Blight, Diocesan Inspector. |
| October 22 ${ }^{\text {nd }}$ | Mrs Gorham visited in the afternoon. |
| October $25^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. H.S. Gorham visited in the morning. |
| November $1^{\text {st }} 1898$ | The Rev. H.S. Gorham visited in the morning, occupying the time set apart for religious instruction, by a short service, it being All Saints Day. |
| November $8^{\text {th }}$ | Very wet. Only 26 children present. |
| November 11 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | School closed, the Mistress being unable to attend through illness. |
| November 18 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | School reopened. Mrs Gorham visited in the afternoon. |
| November $25^{\text {th }}$ | Mrs Burrell with friends visited in the afternoon and heard the children sing. |
| December $6^{\text {th }} 1878$ | The Rev. H.S. Gorham visited the school in the morning. |
| December $12^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. H.S. Gorham and Mrs Gorham visited the school in the afternoon and awarded Prizes to those children who had made the greatest number of Attendances in the past year. |
| December $13^{\text {th }}$ | In consequence of the deep snow only 5 children attended school in the morning. |
| December 20 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | School closed for Christmas Holidays. |
| 1879 |  |
| January $\mathbf{6}^{\text {th }} 1879$ | School reopened. Attendance 28. |
| January $17{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Many of the younger children absent this week through sickness and in consequence of the |


|  | bad weather. |
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| January $20{ }^{\text {th }}$ | School Inspection. |
| January $31{ }^{\text {st }}$ | Attendance improved this week. Average 35.4. |
| February $4^{\text {th }} 1879$ | Mrs Burrell visited the school in the afternoon and inspected the needlework. |
| February $6^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. H.S. Gorham and the Rev. R. Savage visited the school. |
| February $14^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. R. Savage and Captain Burrell visited in the afternoon. <br> Copy of the Inspector's Report made subsequent to the Inspection held on January $20{ }^{\text {th }}$ 1879. <br> "The discipline is excellent and the school continues to be very well taught. The writing of the first Standard is too small". <br> [signed] Michael H. Bristow Secretary <br> The subjects taken under Article 19 C.1. were:- <br> Geography and Needlework for Standards II and III <br> Needlework and Outlines of English History from the Norman Conquest to the accession of Henry VII - Standards IV and VI. |
| February $21{ }^{\text {st }}$ | A very snowy day. Only 25 children present. |
| February $26^{\text {th }}$ | Today being Ash Wednesday the children attended church in the morning - a holiday given in the afternoon. |
| February $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. R. Savage visited the school in the afternoon. |
| March $7^{\text {th }} 1879$ | Many of the children absent this week through illness. |
| March 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Two children admitted this week. |
| March 21 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ | Anna Parker (No 97) withdrawn and sent to service. |
| March $26^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. R. Savage visited the school - a very snowy day. Only 13 children present. |
| April $4^{\text {th }} 1879$ | Mary, Ellen and Alice Cover withdrawn this week as their parents are leaving the parish. |
| April 10 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | School closed for Easter Holidays. |
| April 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | School reopened. Attendance 27. |
| April 18 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. R. Savage and Mr Bristow visited the school in the morning and returned the School Pence to the children who had passed in the last Government Inspection held Jan $20^{\text {th }}$. |
| April $25^{\text {th }}$ | Two children admitted this week. |
| May $1^{\text {st }} 1879$ | Attendance low, many of the children being absent from school carrying garlands through the village. The Rev. R. Savage visited. |
| May ${ }^{\text {nd }} 1879$ | Termination of Teacher's engagement. [signed] E. Hobbs. Mistress. |
| May $19{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Commenced duties this day. I had been five and a half years as teacher in a Public Elementary School and sat for certificate December 1877. School reopened after fortnight's holiday. Forty eight children present. [signed] Emma L Bungay |
| May $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | School visited on Tuesday by Mrs Burrell and Rev. H. S. Gorham. Seven children admitted this week. Average attendance 49.2 |
| May 30 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | One child admitted on Monday. On Tuesday the attendance was very low. 13 present morning, 19 afternoon. Rev. H. S. Gorham visited the school Wednesday morning. Average attendance for week 34.7 |
| June $6{ }^{\text {th }} 1879$ | The attendance still very low owing to the weather. Mrs Gorham visited the school Thursday afternoon. Average attendances 34.8 |
| June $13^{\text {th }}$ | A very stormy day on $11^{\text {th }}$ therefore the attendance was very low, 7 present in the morning, 11 in the afternoon, this caused the average so low which would otherwise have been very good. Average attendance 37.4 |
| June $20{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Monday very stormy, few children present, remainder of week attendance very good. Average 41.8 |
| June 27 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | One child admitted and one readmitted this week. Wednesday very stormy, few children |


|  | present. Average 39.9 |
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| July $4^{\text {th }} 1879$ | Tuesday a very stormy day, no children at school. Thursday also stormy, number present in the morning seven, afternoon eleven. Average for week 37.2 |
| July $11^{\text {th }}$ | Monday a very wet day, very few children present. Rev. H.S. Gorham visited the school Friday morning. Average 37.5 |
| July $12^{\text {th }}$ | One child admitted on Monday. Attendance better this week. Standard $V$ received their forst lesson in Proportion. Average 49.9 |
| July $25^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. H.S. Gorham visited the school this morning and held a short service during the time set apart for Religious Instruction it being St James's day. Average attendance 45.6 |
| August ${ }^{\text {st }} 1879$ | One child admitted this week. The average attendance is higher this week than it has been before. Average 50. |
| August $8^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance not so good this week as several of the elder children have to stay at home while their mothers are hay making. Average 46.7 |
| August 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | School closes today for Harvest Holidays. Average attendance 53.3 |
| September $26{ }^{\text {th }} 1879$ | School reopened on Monday. Half-holiday on Wednesday for School treat at Knepp Castle. Attendance very low as the harvest is not over. Average 28. One child admitted on Tuesday. |
| October 3 ${ }^{\text {rd }} 1879$ | Very few children present on Wednesday owing to the rain. Average for week 32.3 |
| October $10^{\text {th }}$ | One child admitted on Monday. The attendance has been very good as most of the children have returned to school. Average 51.4 |
| October 17 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | School routine as usual. Attendance very good. Average 54.8 |
| October 24 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Two children admitted on Monday. Average 55.2 |
| October 31 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ | On Tuesday Rev. H.S. Gorham visited the school and held a short service during the time set apart for Religious Instruction. Average 54.1 |
| November $7^{\text {th }} 1879$ | Mr Scrase School Attendance Officer visited the school Thursday afternoon. The attendance was rather low on Wednesday $5^{\text {th }}$. Average 54.5 |
| November 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Registers not marked on Monday afternoon as the school was inspected by Rev. R. Blight, Diocesan Inspector. Average attendance 55.6 |
| November 21 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ | The attendance was very good the beginning of the week but the snowy weather prevented many from attending Thursday and Friday. Average 41.7 |
| November $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Most of the younger children absent all the week owing to the weather. Average 21.6 |
| December $5^{\text {th }} 1879$ | The attendance rather better this week but many of Standard I and Infants absent. Average 32.3 |
| December $12^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance better. I find improvement in the Grammar of Standards II and III. The upper standards are still very backward in that subject. Average 41.5 |
| December $19^{\text {th }}$ | School closed today for Xmas Holidays. Mr Scrase paid a visit on Tuesday to look up the absentees. Average 46 |
| 1880 |  |
| January 9 ${ }^{\text {th }} 1880$ | School reopened on Monday. Attendance 47.5. Two children absent the end of the week owing to measles. |
| January $16^{\text {th }}$ | Several children absent owing to the severe cold. Average 41.6 |
| January $23^{\text {rd }}$ | The attendance very low. Several fresh cases of measles broken out among the children. Average 31.7 |
| January $30^{\text {th }}$ | Several children still absent with measles. Average 30.6 |
| February $6^{\text {th }} 1880$ | Attendance still low. No fresh case of measles. Average 34.3 |
| February $13^{\text {th }}$ | Four children have returned who were absent with measles. Weather has been very stormy many younger children absent. Wednesday being Ash Wednesday registers not marked in the morning as the children attended church. Holiday in the afternoon. Mr Scrase paid a visit on Friday. Average 28.3 |
| February $20{ }^{\text {th }}$ | School closed today for a fortnight as nearly all the children have measles. Monday and Thursday no child present it being very wet. Average 15.3 |


| March $12{ }^{\text {th }} 1880$ | Reopened school on Monday with an attendance of 20. Average 20.3 |
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| March 19 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance is higher this week. Very few infants present. Average 32.4 |
| March $25^{\text {th }}$ | Week ended today it being Good Friday tomorrow. Rev. H.S. Gorham attended the school every morning and held a short service during the time set apart for Religious Instruction. Average 42.7 |
| April ${ }^{\text {nd }} 1880$ | Attendance has not been so good aas Friday was a very stormy day. Average 35.5 |
| April ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance has been higher this week. One new child admitted. Sent home Barbara Sadler Thursday afternoon as she complained of being unwell and she died the same night. Average 41.6 |
| April $16^{\text {th }}$ | Two new children admitted this week. Notice received of examination. Attendance not quite so good. Average 40.3 |
| April $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | One child admitted on Monday. Mr Scrase paid a visit this afternoon. Average 49.2 |
| April $30{ }^{\text {th }}$ | School year ends today. Three children absent from school through sickness. Average 48.5 |
| May ${ }^{\text {th }} 1880$ | School examined in reading on Wednesday by H.M.I's assistant. No. present 52. Began new registers on Monday. Thursday a holiday was given it being Ascension day. Average 47.2 |
| May $14^{\text {th }}$ | Very few children present on Tuesday it being Coolham Club Day. School inspected by Mr Green on Thursday. 51 present. Average for week 38.8 School closes today for Whitsun Holidays. |
| May $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ | School reopened on Tuesday. New timetable first used. Four new children admitted. Average 42.5 |
| June 4 ${ }^{\text {th }} 1880$ | Attendance good till Friday when owing to the wet weather many were absent. Readmitted on child. Average 40.6 |
| June $11^{\text {th }}$ | Copy of the Inspector's Report made subsequent to the Inspection held on May $13^{\text {th }} 1880$. "The order is good and the results of the examination are creditable. The Infants, however, should show more intelligence. Some natural history picture cards are wanted for them". <br> [signed] Michael H Bristow. <br> The subjects taken under Article 10 C. 1 were:- <br> Grammar and Needlework. <br> The attendance has been higher this week. A few of the children absent through sickness. <br> Average 45.4 |
| June $18{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance good excepting on Wednesday which was a very wet day. Average 45.1 |
| June $23^{\text {rd }}$ | Tuesday a very wet day only ten present in the morning thirteen in the afternoon. Mr Scrase visited the school on Monday morning. Average 39 |
| July $2^{\text {nd }} 1880$ | The attendance has been much better this week. Average 48.2 |
| July $9^{\text {th }}$ | Today and on Wednesday very wet days not amny children present. Attendance very good the other days. Standard III commenced compound addition. Average 40.2 |
| July $16^{\text {th }}$ | Thursday wet very few children at school. Standard IV commenced compound long division this week. Average 44 |
| July $22^{\text {nd }}$ | Holiday tomorrow (Friday) it being the day of the choir treat. Rev. H.S. Gorham and friend visited and inspected needlework. Average 50.2 |
| July $30^{\text {th }}$ | Monday Tuesday and Friday in this week being very wet few children present. Average 29.1 |
| August ${ }^{\text {th }} 1880$ | School closed today for Harvest Holidays. School Pence returned this morning by Mr Bristow to those children who passed the Government Examination held in May. Average attendance 49.5 |
| September $17^{\text {th }} 1880$ | School reopened on Monday after Holidays. Admitted three new children. Captain Burrell visited the school this morning. Average 36.1 |
| September $24^{\text {th }}$ | Readmitted two children. Half Holiday for School Feast on Wednesday.. Mr Bristow visited the school Thursday morning and Mr Scrase in the afternoon. Average 47.7 |
| October $1^{\text {st }} 1880$ | The attendance has been better this week. Nothing of importance has occurred. Average 52.5 |
| October $8^{\text {th }}$ | Wednesday, Thursday and Friday very wet days few children present. Average 38.3 |


| October $15^{\text {th }}$ | Several children absent on Monday as the floods had not gone down sufficiently to allow their getting to school. Four children left school this week. Three infants absent with whooping cough. Average 51.1 |
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| October $22^{\text {nd }}$ | Diocesan Inspection this afternoon registers not marked. Wet day on Wednesday few children present. Two children left - one admitted. Average 35.8 |
| October $29^{\text {th }}$ | Very few children present this week owing to the rain. Two left two admitted. Average 17.2 |
| November $5^{\text {th }} 1880$ | Attendance better but many of the infants absent with whooping cough. Average 44.5 |
| November 12 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Today the weather is very rough not many children present. Average 37.9 |
| November19 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Tuesday no children present owing to the rain and floods. Attendance low all the week. Average 34.5 |
| November $26^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance still low in the lower classes. Average 36.6 |
| December 3 ${ }^{\text {rd }} 1880$ | The attendance has been much better this week several children who had been absent with whooping cough having returned. Mrs Burrell visited the school Thursday afternoon. Average 49.5 |
| December $10{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance not so good. Mr Scrase visited school on Monday for list of absentees. Average 47.3 |
| December17 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Very few children at school on Wednesday as the floods were very high. Mary Fairs left school on Monday. Average 36.5 |
| December $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | School closed today for Christmas Holidays. Attendance very low this week. Two children, Ellen Collison and Emily Thorpe left school this week. Average 22.2 |
| 1881 |  |
| January $14{ }^{\text {th }} 1881$ | Reopened school on Monday after fortnight's holiday. Average 31.3 |
| January $21^{\text {st }}$ | Mr Scrase visited the school on Monday. Tuesday a very deep fall of snow no child present or during the remainder of the week. Average 22. |
| January $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Very small attendance as the snow has blocked up the roads. Average 8.6 |
| February $4^{\text {th }} 1881$ | The attendance is better this week in the upper standards but very few of the younger children present. Average 31.7 |
| February $11^{\text {th }}$ | Thursday very wet day only three children present in morning, six in the afternoon. Average 32.1 |
| February $18{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance much better this week. Tuesday very wet day few present. Average 44.4 |
| February $25^{\text {th }}$ | Only 12 children present yesterday owing to a heavy fall of snow the previous day. Average 39.9 |
| March $4^{\text {th }} 1881$ | Mr Scrase visited the school Tuesday morning. Two families Lucas and Edwards are to be summoned unless children are sent more regularly. Wednesday being Ash Wednesday children attended church in the morning half-holiday in the afternoon. Very wet today few children present. Average 42.6 |
| March $11^{\text {th }}$ | Mrs and Miss Gorham visited the school Wednesday afternoon. Phyllis Newman left school today for service. Average attendance 41.1 |
| March $18^{\text {th }}$ | One child admitted this week. Mr Scrase visited the school on Monday and brought a copy of the "Bye Laws". Average attendance 56.8 |
| March $25^{\text {th }}$ | Readmitted one child on Monday. Attendance not quite so good as last week. Average 52.4 On Tuesday received printed forms of extracts from Bye Laws to be distributed among the children. |
| April $1^{\text {st }} 1881$ | Mrs Scrase visited the school Thursday. The parents of Annie and Mary Lucas are to be summoned this week for irregularity of children at school. Average 53.3 |
| April ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Readmitted Ada Francis. Attendance very good beginning of week. Average 55.5 |
| April 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Admitted Ann Edwards on Monday. Closed school today as tomorrow is Good Friday. Average 52.8 |
| April $22^{\text {nd }}$ | Holiday on Monday. Admitted four children on Tuesday. Attendance very good this week. Average 59.5 |


| April 29 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance very good. Highest weekly average in the year. School year ends today. Admitted two children on Monday. Average 60.2 |
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| May $6^{\text {th }} 1881$ | [new school year commences] Commenced new registers on Monday. Many children absent on that day carrying garlands round the village. Attendance very good rest of the week. Average 58.1 |
| May $13^{\text {th }}$ | Admitted one new child on Monday. Ann Streeter [Struler?] left Wednesday. Tuesday being Coolham Club only 22 children present in the morning. Half-holiday given in the afternoon. Same day received notice of the date of Inspection. Average 60 |
| May $20{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Admitted three children this week. Wednesday a very wet day - few children present. Average attendance 50.7 |
| May $23^{\text {rd }}$ | $23^{\text {rd }}$ May 1881 <br> Inspection <br> [signed] Geo. French |
| May $27^{\text {th }}$ | Registers not marked on Monday it being the day of the School Inspection. Thursday registers not marked in the morning as children attended church. Half-holiday in the AFTERNOON. One child admitted. Emily Wood and Kate Parker left. Average attendance 61.8 |
| June $3^{\text {rd }} 1881$ | Four children left this week. Thursday received Duplicate Schedule. School closed today for Whitsun Holiday. Average 54.6 |
| June $17^{\text {th }}$ | School reopened on Monday. One child admitted and four left. Mr Scrase visited Tuesday. Average 55.8 |
| June $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | Copy of the Inspector's Report made subsequent to the Inspection held $23^{\text {rd }}$ May 1881. "I am sorry to find that the children are so little visited by persons interested in their progress. Miss Bungay has succeeded in obtaining some very satisfactory results this year. The percentage of passes in Elementary subjects is 85 and the grant under Article 19 (C) for Grammar and sewing is well earned. The order is good. The singing will, I hope, be taught from notes" <br> [signed] Michael H Bristow |
| June $24^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance not so high. Several of the elder children at home on account of their mothers being at work in the fields. Average 53.9 |
| July ${ }^{\text {st }} 1881$ | Attendance higher. Mr Scrase visited the school Thursday. Readmitted Emily Stepney. Average 58.1 |
| July $8^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Bristow visited the school this morning and returned the school pence to those children who passed the Government Examination held in may. Average 52.5 |
| July $22^{\text {nd }}$ | Half-holiday this afternoon for School Feast. Two children have left school this week as they are leaving the village. Average 54.5 |
| July $29^{\text {th }}$ | Several children absent this week to take care of the younger children while their mothers are at work in the fields. Average 46.6 |
| August 5 ${ }^{\text {th }} 1881$ | School closes today for a month. Attendance this week has been very low. Average 24.1 |
| September 9 ${ }^{\text {th }} 1881$ | Recommenced school on the $5^{\text {th }}$. Mrs Gorham visited the school Monday afternoon. Mr Scrase visited Tuesday. Attendance very low as the harvest is not yet over. |
| September $16^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Scrase visited the school on Monday. Attendance better. Average 43.6 |
| September $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | The attendance has been better this week - Wednesday being a wet day the attendance was small. Average 44.3 |
| September $30{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The children have attended much better this week. Average 52.8. Captain Burrell visited the school Wednesday afternoon. |
| October $7^{\text {th }} 1881$ | Attendance still increasing. Mr Scrase visited the school on Friday. Average 53.9 |
| October 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Admitted eight children this week. Mr Scrase visited on Thursday - Friday a very rough day, few children present. Average 53.8 |
| October 21 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ | Registers not marked this afternoon it being the Diocesan Examination. Mrs Burrell visited the school Tuesday afternoon. Average 63.1 |


| October 27 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | $27^{\text {th }}$ October 81 <br> Visited here today <br> [signed] Geo. French |
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| October $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Scrase visited yesterday. The attendance has not been so good this week. Average 56.2 |
| November 4 ${ }^{\text {th }} 1881$ | Wednesday, Thursday and Friday being wet days very few of the younger children were present. Average 49.4 |
| November 11 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Registers not marked Thursday morning as Mr Heath came to examine the Girls' not having had time at his last visit to examine both schools. Average 56.3 |
| November $18{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance not so high - six children absent with bad colds. Average 53.8 |
| November $25^{\text {th }}$ | The diphtheria has broken out in the village - four cases reported in the school this week. Owing to bad weather the attendance has been very small. Average 30.3 |
| December 2 ${ }^{\text {nd }} 1881$ | The attendance is very small. Many parents not sending their children to school on account of diphtheria. Three cases reported this week. Rev. H.S. Gorham visited the school this morning and distributed the certificates gained by children at the Diocesan Examination. Average 37.7 |
| December $9^{\text {th }}$ | Several cases of illness reported this week. Two very wet days consequently the attendance has been very small. Average 36.4 |
| December $16^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Bristow visited the school on Wednesday. This morning the school closed for Xmas holidays. Average 38.6 |
| 1882 |  |
| January $13^{\text {th }} 1882$ | School reopened on Monday after three weeks holidays. Most of the children who were ill have returned. Miss Fagent the assistant Mistress commenced her duties today. Average 47.3. Captain Burrell called this afternoon. |
| January $20{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Scrase called Tuesday morning. Admitted one new child this week. Mary Edwards died Thursday evening. She attended school Monday and Tuesday of this week. Average 53.5 |
| January $27^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Scrase visited the school this morning. Average 52. |
| February $3^{\text {rd }} 1882$ | Mrs Burrell visited the school this afternoon. The attendance is still small as several children are absent with bad colds. Average 52.5 |
| February $10^{\text {th }}$ | This afternoon I took the Boys' School and Miss Fagent the Girls' as Mr B [Bacon] was absent with leave from the managers. Average 54.8 |
| February $17{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Monday I again took the boys and Miss Fagent the girls as Mr Bacon had not returned. Wednesday was a very wet day and the attendance was small. Average 49.5 |
| February $24^{\text {th }}$ | Registers not marked Wednesday morning it being Ash Wednesday and the children attended church - half-holiday in the afternoon. Average 48.5 |
| March $3^{\text {rd }} 1882$ | Wednesday very wet day very few children at school. Mr Scrase visited on Tuesday. Average 41.5 |
| March $10^{\text {th }}$ | Sent Ruth Newman and Jane Venn home on Monday on account of sores on their faces and hands. They are to remain at home till well. Mr Scrase called today. Average 48.4 |
| March 17 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Bristow visited the school Wednesday afternoon, Mr Scrase Thursday morning \& Captain Burrell Friday afternoon. Average 53.8 |
| March $24^{\text {th }}$ | Harriett Nicholson left school on Wednesday for service, Anna, Kate and Rosa Linfield left same time as they are leaving the parish. Admitted two children this week. Average 52 |
| March 31 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ | Mrs Burrell visited the school Tuesday afternoon and heard the children sing. Average 54.8 |
| April ${ }^{\text {th }} 1882$ | Registers not marked this morning as the children attended church it being Good Friday -half-holiday this afternoon. Admitted one child on Monday. Average 54.6 |
| April 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Holiday on Monday. Very wet on Thursday few children present. Average 41.1 |
| April $21{ }^{\text {st }}$ | Very wet day on Monday, few children present. Admitted one child on Monday and three on Tuesday. Mr Scrase visited on Tuesday. Average 53. |
| April $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Admitted two children. Today being very wet the attendance was small. Average 51.6. The school year ends today. |


| May 5 ${ }^{\text {th }} 1882$ | [new school year commences] Commenced new registers on Monday. Mr Scrase called on Thursday \& Captain Burrell on Tuesday. The attendance was very small on Monday many children being absent to carry garlands. |
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| May $12^{\text {th }}$ | Admitted five children this week and three have left. Today being Coolham Club Feast very few children were present in the morning - half-holiday given in the afternoon. Rev. H.S Gorham and Miss Gorham called this afternoon. |
| May $19^{\text {th }}$ | Registers not marked yesterday morning it being Ascension Day the children attended morning service at the church. |
| May $26^{\text {th }}$ | Captain \& Mrs Burrell visited the school Monday afternoon. Admitted one new child. Thursday the attendance was very low on account of the rain. |
| May 30 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | $30^{\text {th }}$ May 1882 <br> Inspection [signed] Geo. French School closed for Whitsun Holiday. |
| June ${ }^{\text {th }} 1882$ | School reopened today. Very few children present. Elder children wanted at home while parents are haymaking. |
| June $16^{\text {th }}$ | Three new children admitted. One girl left. The attendance has been better this week. Mr Scrase called on Thursday. Average attendance 53 |
| June $23^{\text {rd }}$ | Thursday was a wet day, very few children were present. One girl left school this week. Average 53.3 |
| June $30^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance of the elder children has been better this week. Readmitted Jane Thorp. Average 56.4 |
| July $7^{\text {th }} 1882$ | One child left this week. Captain Burrell called at the school on Wednesday. Average 55.3 |
| July $10{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Copy of the Inspector's Report made subsequent to the Inspection held May30th. "I am very glad to find an Assistant Teacher at work here. When the new classroom is completed the infants will I trust have more definite teaching and be better prepared for Standard work. The Duplicate Schedule shows where the weakness in Elementary subjects lies. The school is well ordered and every endeavour is made to teach the children properly all useful subjects. The singing is duly taught. The sewing is good". <br> School Staff <br> Emma L Bungay Mistress <br> Isabel Fagent Assistant <br> [signed] Michael H Bristow Correspondent |
| July $14^{\text {th }}$ | The weather has been very stormy this week consequently the attendance has been rather low. Mr Scrase visited the school. Average 47 |
| July $21^{\text {st }}$ | Admitted one new girl on Monday. The attendance has been better this week. Miss Fagent took the upper standards to reading/ history Monday morning and I went to the Infants. Average 58.3 |
| July $28^{\text {th }}$ | Tuesday was very wet, attendance small. Mrs Marten and friends visited the school this afternoon and heard the children sing. Average 51.4 |
| August 4 ${ }^{\text {th }} 1882$ | School closed today for harvest holidays. The attendance has been low all week. One girl left. Mr Bristow came on the $27^{\text {th }}$ and returned school fees to those children who passed the government examination held in May. Average 43.2 |
| September $8^{\text {th }} 1882$ | School reopened on Monday after Harvest Holidays. Attendance very small as the gleaning is not over. Mr Scrase called today. Average 42 |
| September $15^{\text {th }}$ | Several children who were absent last week have returned. Tuesday a wet day - attendance small. Average 48.9 |
| September $22^{\text {nd }}$ | Attendance better this week. Today being Coolham Fair children began school at one o'clock and left at three. Average 50.2 |
| September $29^{\text {th }}$ | One girl Kate Scutt left school this week; her parents are leaving the village. Attendance much better, average 58.1 |
| October 6 ${ }^{\text {th }} 1882$ | Mr Scrase called on Monday. J. Venn is absent this week as her brother is ill with a fever. |


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| October 13 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Admitted one new girl on Tuesday. On Thursday commenced school at 1.15 pm and will do so during the winter. [means afternoon session] Average 60.7 |
| October $20^{\text {th }}$ | Registers not marked this morning as the school was examined by the diocesan Inspector. Half-holiday given this afternoon. Monday the floods were so high on account of the heavy fall of rain that no children were present. Average 58.3 |
| October 27 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The weather has been very unsettled this week consequently the attendance has been low. Tuesday the floods again very high no children present. Average 50.1 |
| November 3 ${ }^{\text {rd }} 1882$ | The attendance has been better this week. Captain Burrell visited the school Wednesday afternoon. Average 60.9 |
| November $10^{\text {th }}$ | The average attendance this week is the highest this year. Average 63. |
| November 17 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance has been very low this week owing to the wet weather. Mr Bristow, Mr Nailard \& Mr Vincent called at the schools yesterday to fix place for stove in Infant Room. Average 38.7 |
| November 24 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Three children absent through illness at home. Attendance better. Average 60 |
| December ${ }^{\text {st }} 1882$ | The Infants have been in the Girls' Room all the week as the stove for Infant Room is not yet fixed and it is too cold for them without a fire. Average 58.9 |
| December ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Stove was put up in the Infant Room on Saturday last so the Infants are in their own room again. Mr Bristow called at the school on Thursday. Miss Fagent leaves today instead of next week as she has a week's leave of absence to enable her to sit at Stockwell for Certificate Examination. Average 49.2 |
| December $15^{\text {th }}$ | The Infants boys have been in Boys' Sch all the week. Mr Bristow visited the schools Thursday morning and Mrs Burrell in the afternoon. Mr Scrase called this afternoon. The attendance has been low all the week as the weather has been so severe. School closes today for Christmas Holidays. Average 43.3 |
| 1883 |  |
| January $12^{\text {th }} 1883$ | School reopened on Monday after three weeks holiday. Rev. H.S. Gorham visited in the morning and distributed prizes and certificated gained at the Diocesan Exam. Mr Scrase called in the afternoon. Average 53.3 |
| January $19^{\text {th }}$ | Several children absent with bad colds. Two cases of whooping cough. One child left this week. Mr Bristow called on Thursday. Average 49.3 |
| January $26^{\text {th }}$ | On Wednesday Mr Bacon had leave of absent [sic - master of the Boys' School] from school. I took the boys and Miss Fagent the girls. Mr Scrase called on Monday. Average 54 |
| February $2^{\text {nd }} 1883$ | Today and Monday being very wet \& rough few children attended school. Emily Geal left this week; her parents are leaving the village. Average 58 |
| February $9^{\text {th }}$ | Mrs Burrell visited the schools Monday afternoon and inspected the needlework. Wednesday a very wet day - no children present in the morning - half holiday in the afternoon. Few present Thursday. Average 45.1 |
| February $16^{\text {th }}$ | Admitted one new girl on Wednesday. One girl left. The attendance has been better this week. Average 55.7 |
| February $23^{\text {rd }}$ | Mr Scrase visited the school this afternoon. The father of Mary J Lucas was summoned last week for her irregular attendance and fined. Average 56.8 |
| March $2^{\text {nd }} 1883$ | On Monday commenced afternoon school at 1.30 and closed at 4 . Will continue to do so until the autumn. Average 59.5 |
| March $9^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance the beginning of week was very good but the latter part of the week it was small owing to severe cold. Three children readmitted one admitted. Average 57 |
| March $16^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance this week is the highest this year, Mr Scrase called on Monday. Average 64.5 |
| March $22^{\text {nd }}$ | School closes today till next Tuesday. The attendance has been very good. Rev. R.H. Gorham visited the schools this morning and held a short service for children during the time set apart for religious instruction. Average 61.8 |


| March $30^{\text {th }}$ | Admitted two new children this week. Today the attendance was very low it being a wet day. Average 53.8 |
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| April ${ }^{\text {th }} 1883$ | Mr Scrase visited the schools Wednesday. Mr Bristow called on Friday with examination papers. Average 65.3 |
| April $10^{\text {th }}$ | [Log] signed on behalf of the committee April $10^{\text {th }} 1883$ <br> Henry S. Gorman <br> M.H. Bristow <br> Henry Nailard <br> James Vincent |
| April $13^{\text {th }}$ | Mary A. Wells has been absent for a month without leave so her name was taken off the register last week. This week she has returned to school and was readmitted. Average 64.7 |
| April $20{ }^{\text {th }}$ | S.J. Reeves left this week \& one new girl has been admitted. Thursday very wet day few children present. Mr Scrase visited today. Average 57.1 |
| April $27^{\text {th }}$ | Tuesday morning was very snowy. Attendance small. Mrs Hygate called on Monday to report that her daughter had come home ill with scarlet fever so Sarah will be unable to attend school till her sister has recovered. Admitted one new girl. Margaret Gumbrill has left the village. Mr Scrase visited yesterday. |
| April $30^{\text {th }}$ | School year ends today. Attendance for today counted in with last week's. Average 62 |
| May $2^{\text {nd }} 1883$ | [Commencement of new school year] |
| May 4 ${ }^{\text {th }} 1883$ | Yesterday being Ascension Day the girls attended church in the morning. Half-holiday given in the afternoon. Commenced new registers on Tuesday. That day being May Day the children were around the village with garlands consequently the attendance was very small. |
| May $11^{\text {th }}$ | Kate Clements was withdrawn from the school on Monday as her parents are leaving the village. Attendance small on Monday owing to rain. Tuesday Coolham Club Feast very few present in the morning - half-holiday given in the afternoon. |
| May $18{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Scrase visited on Wednesday. The attendance has been high this week. Average 67.4 |
| May $25^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Fagent \& I were absent with leave yesterday afternoon. Mr \& Mrs Bacon carried on the school. [Master of the Boys' School and his wife]. Admitted one girl this week and readmitted one. Average very high 71 |
| May 31 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ | $31^{\text {st }}$ May 1883 Inspection [signed] Geo. French |
| June $1^{\text {st }} 1883$ | School examined yesterday by H.M.I. Registers not marked. One girl admitted this week. School closed today for a week's holiday the Whitsun holiday having been postponed till after the examination. Two girls left today. |
| June $11^{\text {th }}$ | School reopened today after holiday. Four girls in the upper standards have left. Admitte three infant girls. |
| June $12^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Scrase visited the school today. |
| June $15^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance has not been very good this week as hay-making has commenced and the elder children are required at home. |
| June $22^{\text {nd }}$ | The attendance has been less this week especially among the elder children. Average 40.8 for girls, 17 infants. |
| June $29{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Scrase visited the school on Wednesday. He has given permission for several children to be absent during haying time. Average 35.8 girls, 14.7 infants. |
| July $6^{\text {th }} 1883$ | Tuesday was a very wet day therefore the attendance was small. Average rather better than last week. Girls 40.5 , infants 18.2 |
| July $13^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Scrase called on Tuesday and paid school fees for the quarter ending June $25^{\text {th }}$ of those children whom the Guardians pay for. Attendance still low. |
| July $18^{\text {th }}$ | Copy of Inspector's Report made subsequent to the inspection held May 31 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ "The Girls' Department is on the whole in a very creditable state of efficiency under the charge of Miss Bungay. The percentage of passes this year is nearly 76 shewing an increase |


|  | of nearly 14 on that of last year. Unless this percentage is higher and the quality of the Reading, Writing and Spelling better the Good Merit Grant cannot be recommended. The English was fairly done. The Sewing is good". <br> "There should be a suitable gallery for the Infants under the window. The parents should send the little ones to school at an earlier age than they apparently do now. I regret that I cannot recommend any merit Grant for the Infant class. They have been so indifferently prepared that I greatly hesitate to recommend the payment of any Grant at all for them" School staff <br> Emma Louise Bungay - Mistress <br> Isabel Fagent - Assistant. <br> Michael H. Bristow - Correspondent |
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| July $20{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Commenced two new sets of Reading Books for Standard I on Thursday. Monday afternoon from 1.30 to 2.50 I was instructing the Infants in their room amd Miss Fagent superintended the elder girls needlework. The attendance has been higher this week Girls average 46.8, Infants 19.6 |
| July $27^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Scrase visited the school on Monday. Half-holiday given on Wednesday afternoon. Mary, Ada, Harriett and Emma Francis were sent home Thursday as their heads were in a very dirty state. I sent a note to their mother to say they were to be thoroughly cleaned before I could again allow them to be present at school. |
| August ${ }^{\text {rd }} 1883$ | The attendance has not been quite so good this week as we have had two or three wet mornings. This afternoon commenced school at one o'clock and left at half past three. |
| August10 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Gorham called at the school on Monday with notices of the Diocesan Exam. The notices were put up in the schoolroom on Wednesday. School closes today for Harvest Holiday. Termination of Miss Fagent's engagement. |
| September $14^{\text {th }} 1883$ | Miss Folly the new assistant commenced her duties on Monday. [Mary Folly remained as Infant Teacher until May 1926-43 years' service] One new girl admitted. Half-holiday on Wednesday for School Feast. The attendance is very low as harvest is not yet over. |
| September 21 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ | Mrs Burrell and Master Meyrick visited the school Monday afternoon and distributed the articles of clothing made by children for their exam. Diocesan Exam Wednesday morning registers not marked. Half-holiday on Friday afternoon for choir treat. Mrs Scrase visited on Tuesday. Attendance still very small. |
| September $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Monday morning was very wet no children present, a few more were here in the afternoon. Misses Burrell and Master Meyrick with their governess visited the schools Thursday afternoon. Two children left school this week. Attendance still small. Mr Bristow came to the schools this morning and returned school fees to those children who passed the government exam in May. |
| October $5^{\text {th }} 1883$ | Mr Scrase visited the schools today. H. Francis name withdrawn as she has been absent [since] July $26^{\text {th }}$. Wednesday being a wet day the attendance was small. |
| October 12 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | On Monday commenced afternoon school at 1.15 \& closed at 3.30 \& will continue to do so throughout the winter. Readmitted Emily Stepney on Tuesday. The attendance has been better this week. |
| October 19 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Misses Burrell and Master Merrick visited the school on Tuesday afternoon with their governess. Miss Sybil Burrell called on Wednesday morning. Mr Scrase visited yesterday and paid 5/6d school fees for the girls Hill \& Edwards. The attendance has been very small this week on account of bad weather. |
| October 26 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Elizabeth Merritt's name has been taken off the registers as she will be unable to attend school for some time on account of ill-health. Harriett Francis was readmitted on Monday. |
| November 2 ${ }^{\text {nd }} 1883$ | Ann Edwards has left as her parents are leaving the village. Two cases of sickness reported this week. Mr Scrase visited this afternoon. Attendance for week very fair. |
| November 9 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Six fresh cases of sickness reported this week. The attendance is very fair. The infant |


|  | attendance has been very good. |
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| November $16^{\text {th }}$ | Admitted Fanny Herrington on Monday. The attendance of elder children has been better this week but infants not so good. One fresh case of sickness this week. |
| November23 ${ }^{\text {rd }}$ | Tuesday being a very wet day there were few children present - several children who were sick have returned this week. |
| November30 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Monday was a very wet day so the school was not opened in the morning. There were a few children present in the afternoon. The attendance has been better this week. |
| December $7^{\text {th }} 1883$ | Monday very wet day few children present. Elizabeth Heasman Standard $V$ has left school this week. Mr Scrase called on Monday. |
| December 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Today being very wet the attendance is very small. The early part of the week the attendance was good. |
| December 21 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ | School closes today for Christmas Holidays. The attendance has been very good this week. |
| 1884 |  |
| January $18{ }^{\text {th }} 1884$ | Commenced school on Monday after three weeks holiday. MR Scrase visited the school on Tuesday and paid the school fees for the last quarter for those children who are paid for by guardians. The average attendance this week is the highest since the last examination. |
| January $25^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance has not been so good this week - Wednesday was a very wet day and the attendance small. |
| February $1^{\text {st }} 1884$ | Mrs Burrell and Miss May visited the Girls and Infant Departments on Monday and examined the needlework. The weather being very unsettled this week the attendance has been small. |
| February $8^{\text {th }}$ | A gallery was fixed in the infant room on Saturday. The workmen not being able to finish the work in one day the infants were in the girls' room Monday morning till the work was completed. The registers and summary were tested and signed by Mr Bristow on Monday. The attendance is better this week. |
| February $15^{\text {th }}$ | Monday was a very wet day and the floods were out so the attendance was very small. Received new books, slates etc. on Wednesday from National Society. |
| February 22 ${ }^{\text {nd }}$ | Captain Burrell and Rev. H.H. Gorham visited the school this morning. Thursday being a very wet day the attendance was very small. |
| February $29^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance much higher this week. Mr Scrase visited on Monday. Wednesday being Ash Wednesday, the children attended church in the morning - registers not marked. Halfholiday given in the afternoon. |
| March $7^{\text {th }} 1884$ | Tuesday being a very wet day the school was not opened. The attendance on the other days was very good. Sophia Hill was sent home Friday morning for taking a book from E Tebby's dinner basket. She has several times stolen the girls' dinners and been punished for doing so and I cautioned her the next time she took anything from another child's basket I should not keep her in the school. |
| March 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Monday a very wet day few children present. The attendance has been small all the week as so many children are absent through bad colds. One case of mumps reported. Mrs Burrell and Master Merrick visited the school yesterday afternoon. I have agreed to allow Sophia Hill to return to school as she has promised not to steal again. Admitted one new girl this week. |
| March $21{ }^{\text {st }}$ | Two infants have left this week and one has been readmitted. Miss Folly has been absent all the week with mumps. Several infants are absent with bad colds. The attendance of the elder children has been better this week. |
| March $28^{\text {th }}$ | One girl withdrawn this week. Miss Folly returned to school on Monday. The attendance has been much better. Mr Scrase visited the school this morning. |
| April $4^{\text {th }} 1884$ | One case of mumps reported this week. The attendance still continues good. |
| April $11^{\text {th }}$ | The registers were marked before nine every morning and secular instruction given during the first two hours to enable the children to attend church at eleven every day it being Holy Week. Holiday given on Good Friday. Monday being a very wet day the attendance was very |


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| April $18{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Holiday on Monday. Attendance very fair this week. Mr Scrase visited today and paid school fees for the Hills 4/7d. Harriett Brown has left school this week. |  |
| April $25^{\text {th }}$ | Admitted two infant girls on Monday. The attendance has been very good this week. Alice Rhoades has leave of absence for a week or two as her mother is ill and she is required to help at home. |  |
| May ${ }^{\text {nd }} 1884$ | School year ended on Wednesday. Commenced new registers on Thursday. The attendance was very small on May day as many of the children were absent carrying garlands around the village. |  |
| May ${ }^{\text {rd }}$ | Registers inspected by CR Burrell, Chairman and James Vincent and M H Bristow. [All signed the log book.] |  |
| May ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Two infants admitted on Monday and one on Thursday. The attendance in both rooms has been very good this week. <br> Girls' average attendance 56.7, Infants 29.6. |  |
| May $16^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Scrase visited today. Tuesday being Coolham Club Feast a holiday was given. Girls' average attendance 54.1, Infants average 27.3. |  |
| May $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | Mrs Burrell, Misses Burrell and Master Merrick visited the school on Monday. Mrs Burrell inspected the needlework. Readmitted two girls. Thursday being Ascension Day the children attended church in the morning - half holiday given in the afternoon. <br> Girls average attendance 61.3, Infants average attendance 29.2. |  |
| May $30^{\text {th }}$ | Monday being Lawn Club Day the attendance was very small. Mr Scrase called on Thursday morning. In the afternoon Rev. H.S. Gorham visited the school. Girls average attendance54.1, Infants average attendance 26.3. |  |
| June 4 ${ }^{\text {th }} 1884$ | Inspection [signed] Geo. French. |  |
| June $6^{\text {th }}$ | School examined on Monday. Registers not marked. Two girls, A Harding and P Stepney Standard VI left today. School closed for a week in lieu of Whitsun Holidays. Girl's average attendance 48.7, Infants average attendance 23.5. |  |
| June 20 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Two girls, A Wood and K Stepney left. Admitted two infants, one boy and one girl. Mr Scrase visited the school on Friday and brought four pairs of new boots for the Francis's and some new clothes to enable them to attend school tidy as they were very ragged. <br> Girls' average attendance 49.3, Infants' average attendance 28.4. |  |
| June $27{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Three children admitted this week two girls and one infant boy. The attendance is slightly better this week in the girls' room - infants much better. <br> Girls average attendance 51.8, Infants average attendance 33.4. |  |
| July ${ }^{\text {th }} 1884$ | Several of the elder children are attending very irregularly as they are required at home while their parents are at work in the hay fields. One infant admitted. <br> Girls' average attendance 47.7, Infants average attendance 36.1. |  |
|  | Copy of Inspector's report made subsequent to Inspection held June $4^{\text {th }}$ "The girls are well taught by Miss Bungay in useful subjects, and the results of the examination are very creditable. The percentage of passes this year is 89 . Last year it was nearly 76. The Reading needs great care in the lower part of the school. The Sewing and Knitting are well taught. The Grammar was on the whole good. The Singing by ear is duly attended to. The girls are neat, tidy and well behaved. <br> Infant Class - a full set of pictures of common animals, objects and trades should be provided for the use of the infants. There is considerable improvement in the intelligence and attainments of the little ones, and I trust that the Teacher will continue to pay most careful attention to them. In the hope that she will, the grant is recommended for them". School Staff - E S Bungay - Mistress, M Folly, Assistant, M H Bristow - Correspondent. |  |
|  | List of Object Lessons to be given during the ensuing year to the Infants |  |
|  | Natural History | Object |
|  | Dog | Wool |



|  | H.S. Gorham visited Wednesday morning and left half the amount of school pence which he requested me to return in same proportion the children. This I did in the afternoon Rev. ET. Crosse assisting. Mrs and Miss Burrell visited the same afternoon. Girls' average attendance 45.2, Infants' average attendance 24.5. |
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| October 17 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance is higher this week. Three children are absent through sickness. One infant boy admitted. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday and Tuesday took the upper standards to Scripture. Miss Folly was absent on Tuesday as she had a very bad cold. <br> Girls' average attendance 52, Infants' average attendance 30.2. |
| October $24^{\text {th }}$ | Admitted one girl on Monday. The registers on Monday morning were marked at 9.15 and the religious instruction given from 11.20 to 11.55 . Rev. E.I. Crosse taught the first class. Mrs and Miss Burrell and Mrs Loder visited the schools Wednesday afternoon. Girls' average attendance 47, Infants' average attendance 29.8. |
| October 31 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ | On Tuesday the upper standards attended church during the time set apart for religious instruction. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited the school on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday. On Wednesday he gave the upper standards a Scripture lesson. Diocesan Report received Tuesday. Mr Scrase visited on Thursday. The attendance has been very small this week many children being absent part of the week to gather acorns. One infant girl admitted on Monday. Register tested and signed by Mr Bristow on Wednesday. Girls' average attendance [blank], Infants' average attendance 26.6. |
| November $7^{\text {th }} 1884$ | Rev. E.I. Crosse visited Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. On Tuesday he gave a scripture lesson to the $1^{\text {st }}$ class. L.R. Burrell esq. visited Wednesday afternoon and spoke to the Francis's about coming to school so dirty and untidy. Mr Scrase visited on Thursday and paid school fees for the Hills'. The attendance was very small that day. <br> Girls' average attendance 46.5, Infants' average attendance 25.5. |
| November 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Two girls left this week - Ellen Goacher and Florence Parker. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited on the first three days and on Tuesday took the $1^{\text {st }}$ class in Scripture. The attendance has been much better this week. <br> Girls' average attendance 51.7, Infants' average attendance 33.7. |
| November 21st | Charlotte and Harriett Sadler withdrawn as their parents have left the village. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited Monday morning, Mrs Burrell and friend in the afternoon. Misses and Master Merrick Burrell with their governess visited the school Tuesday afternoon. The attendance has not been quite as good this week. <br> Girls' average attendance 49.1, Infants' average attendance 27.4. |
| November $28^{\text {th }}$ | Twelves cases of sickness reported this week. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited the schools Monday and Tuesday mornings. Received on Wednesday a new set of Natural History pictures for the Infant Room. The singing lesson is changed from Friday to Thursday afternoons for the Girls to learn the Tonic Sol Fa with the boys which has been commenced this week. Girls' average attendance 43.5, Infants' average attendance 18.4. |
| December 5 ${ }^{\text {th }} 1884$ | Three more cases of illness reported this week. Mr Scrase visited on Monday and the Rev. E.I. Crosse daily. The weekly average is very low owing to so much sickness. Girls' average attendance 35.3 , Infants' average attendance 12.9. |
| December $12^{\text {th }}$ | Monday was a very wet day - school not opened in the morning - 7 present in the afternoon. Rev. E.I. Crosse has visited the schools daily this week. Girls' average attendance 32.5 , Infants' average attendance 9.5 . |
| December 19 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | School closed today for Xmas holidays. Miss Folly has had leave of absence this week to sit at Brighton Training College for Certificate Exam. The attendance has been better than last week. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited daily - on Tuesday gave a Scripture lesson to $1^{\text {st }}$ class. Girls' average attendance 40.3, Infants' average attendance 14.3. |
| 1885 |  |
| January $16^{\text {th }} 1885$ | School reopened on Monday $12^{\text {th }}$. The attendance was very small. Mrs Scrase and Dr Kelly |


|  | visited the school on Wednesday to enquire how many cases of scarletina there were and advised us to close the school if there were many more fresh cases. Most of the children have now recovered but the weather is too cold for them to attend school. There has [sic] been 18 girls and 16 infants absent the whole week. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited for Scripture lessons Tuesday, Thursday and Friday. The schools were united today. Rev. E.I. Crosse assisted in the instruction as Mr Bacon was absent at a funeral. Girls' average attendance 34.8, Infants average 11.4. |
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| January $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | A large number of children is [sic] still absent - attendance of girls less than last week infants rather better. Mrs Crosse visited Tuesday afternoon. Rev. E.I. Crosse and J. Hoare Masters visited on Monday afternoon. <br> Girls' average attendance 33.6, Infants' average attendance 15.9. |
| January $30^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance is still very bad. Very wet day today school not opened. Mr Scrase visited on Tuesday. <br> Girls' average attendance 29.1, Infants' average attendance 13.1 |
| February $6^{\text {th }} 1885$ | The attendance has been a trifle better. Mr Scrase visited yesterday. Mr Crosse visited Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. The third quarter being ended last Friday the registers and summary were examined and signed by Mr Bristow. <br> Girls' average attendance 36.5 , Infants' average attendance 14. |
| February $13^{\text {th }}$ | Several children who have been ill returned to school this week, Four girls and one boy readmitted - one boy left. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited on Monday and Thursday mornings. Girls' average attendance 44.5, Infants' average attendance 20.7. |
| February $20{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Two fresh cases of scarletina has [sic] broken out this week. Monday a very wet day and the floods were out so the school was not opened. Wednesday being Ash Wednesday the children attended church - registers not marked - half holiday in the afternoon. Mr Scrase visited on Thursday and Rev. E.I. Crosse Tuesday and Thursday. <br> Girls' average attendance 34.5 , Infants average 13. |
| February $27^{\text {th }}$ | Today being very wet, the attendance was small. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited Monday, Wednesday and Thursday for Scripture lesson. <br> Girls' average attendance 39.9, Infants' average attendance 15.1. |
| March $6^{\text {th }} 1885$ | I assisted in the Boys' School on Monday and Tuesday as Mr Bacon was absent. Rev. E.I. Crosse also assisted on both days. Several children returned this week who have been absent through illness. <br> Girls' average attendance 45.6, Infants' average attendance 18.6. Received from Mr Bristow the official form no XXV notifying that Mary Folly Assistant has failed to pass at the late Xmas Certificate exam. |
| March $13^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance of the lower standards not so good this week. Mr Scrase visited Monday morning. He sent Fanny Blunt, who had returned to school that morning, home for another week as her sister has not yet recovered from scarletina. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday for Scripture. <br> Girls' average attendance 44.8, Infants' average attendance 17.7 |
| March $20{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E.I. Crosse visited on Monday and Tuesday. Fanny and Mercy Blunt have returned to school this week after a month's absence. All children who have had scarletina have now recovered. <br> Girls' average attendance 44.5, Infants' average attendance 16.1. |
| March $27^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E.I. Crosse visited on Tuesday also Mr Scrase. Mrs Lucas called to see me today about her little girl Mary jane who has been absent a fortnight with a bad cold. She promises to send her next week if the weather is warmer. The attendance has been much better. Girls' average attendance 48.8, Infants' average attendance 21.8. |
| April ${ }^{\text {nd }} 1885$ | The attendance has been very good this week. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited on Monday and Wednesday for Scripture. Tomorrow is Good Friday so a holiday is given. Girls' average attendance 52.6, Infants' average attendance 24.2. |


| April 10 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Monday being Easter Monday a holiday was given. Three infant boys re-admitted and one girl admitted this week. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited on Tuesday and Friday. <br> Girls' average attendance 52.5 , Infants' average attendance 23.2. |
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| April 17 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Scrase visited on Tuesday and paid 6/11d for school fees of children paid for by Guardians. One infant girl re-admitted and one boy admitted on Monday. Mrs Burrell and friend visited the girls on Thursday afternoon. <br> Girls' average attendance 51.3, Infants' average attendance 26.2. |
| April $24^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E.I. Crosse visited on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Misses Crosse visited Monday afternoon. One girl admitted and one left this week. <br> Girls' average attendance 51.7, Infants' average attendance 29.2. |
| April $30^{\text {th }}$ | School year ends today. Tomorrow being May Day a holiday is given. Mr Bristow visited the schools this morning. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday for Scripture and on Thursday gave a Dictation lesson to First Class. <br> Girls' average attendance 50.5 , Infants' average attendance 29.2. <br> Registers tested and signed by Mr Bristow. |
| May $8^{\text {th }} 1885$ | New registers commenced on Monday. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited for Scripture on Monday and Wednesday. Mr Scrase visited on Monday. One infant boy admitted this week. Elizabeth Newnham, Standard V has been withdrawn. Mr Bristow visited this evening and signed examination schedules. As this has been a very wet week the attendance has not been good. Girls' average attendance 45.3, Infants' average attendance 14.4. |
| May 15 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Crosse visited on Monday and Friday. Tuesday being Coolham Club Day a holiday was given. Wednesday Confirmation Day there was a half-holiday. Thursday Ascension Day, the children attended church in the morning, registers not marked, half-holiday in the afternoon. <br> Girls' average attendance 48, Infants' average attendance 19.8. |
| May 21 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ | Inspection [signed] Geo French |
| May $21{ }^{\text {st }}$ | School inspected today by H.M.I. School closed for Whitsun holidays. Mrs Burrell and Mrs Baggally visited on Monday and inspected needlework. Mr Scrase visited on Tuesday. Girls' average attendance 55.3, Infants' average attendance 22.3 |
| June $5^{\text {th }} 1885$ | School re-opened on Monday after Whitsun Holidays. Rev. E.I. Crosse and friends visited. Seven of the elder children have left school this week - one girl and one infant re-admitted and four infants admitted. <br> Girls' average attendance 45.1, Infants' average attendance 23.9. |
| June $12^{\text {th }}$ | Received Duplicate Schedules on Sunday. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited on Monday. Mrs Crosse visited on Tuesday. One infant admitted on that day and one left on Thursday. Mr Scrase visited on Thursday. The attendance this week has been low. Monday was a very wet day and there are children away with chicken pox. <br> Girls' average attendance 37.1, Infants' average attendance 17.7 |
| June $13^{\text {th }}$ | Copy of Inspector's report made subsequent to Exam held May $21^{\text {st }}$. "Miss Bungay is still working with conscientious care, and the general condition of the Girls' School in respect of useful attainments is very creditable to her. The percentage of results is not quite as good as it was last year, but I recommend the Good Merit Grant again this year, for the same reason that I do for the Boys' Department. Some of the Reading, Spelling and Arithmetic needs care. Mental Arithmetic too is weak. The English was fairly done. The Sewing and Knitting are good. <br> Infants' Class The little ones of the Infants' Class looked particularly neat and tidy on the day of my visit. Most of them too are evidently healthy and well nourished. Miss Folly is taking great pains with them and I think that they are making creditable progress under her care. Her success would be more assured if she were somewhat less self-conscious than she is. The room in which they are taught is very small, and I should be glad to see a much larger provision for them. " [signed] M.H. Bristow, Correspondent |


| June $19{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Two infant boys admitted this week. The attendance has been better but still not good. Girls' average attendance 42, Infants' average attendance 23.8. |
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| June $26^{\text {th }}$ | Jane Johnson, Standard V, has left school this week. The attendance is still small. Four fresh cases of chickenpox. <br> Girls' average attendance 42.5, Infants' 22.4. |
| July $3^{\text {rd }} 1885$ | Mr Scrase visited on Monday. Rev. E.I. Crosse has visited daily this week. Sophia Bowell returned to school on Tuesday having been absent since May $11^{\text {th }}$ on account of her brother having scarlet fever. <br> Girls' average attendance 42.5, Infants' 24.6. |
| July $10{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Emma and Edith Johnson withdrawn as their parents are leaving the village. Commenced on Thursday an Admission Register for Infants and new books etc for school use. Rev. E.I. Crosse and Miss Gravely visited the school this morning. Girls' average attendance 43.9, Infants' 27.5 . |
| July $17^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E.I. Crosse has visited daily. Rev. H.S. Gorham visited this morning. Mr Scrase visited on Tuesday. Yesterday a holiday was given to enable the teachers to attend a gathering of Sunday School Teachers at Worthing. <br> Girls' average attendance 44.9, Infants average 27.1. |
| July $24^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E.I. Crosse has visited daily except Tuesday. Mrs and Miss Burrell visited on Monday afternoon. One infant boy admitted on Wednesday. <br> Girls' average attendance 42.3, Infants' average attendance 26.7. |
| July 31 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ | School closes today for Harvest Holidays. The attendance has been very poor this week. One infant boy admitted on Monday. Rev. E.I. Crosse has visited daily. <br> Girls' average attendance 43.7, Infants' average attendance 31. |
| August $31^{\text {st }} 1885$ | School reopened today after Harvest Holidays. During the holidays the Girls Schoolroom has been whitewashed and both rooms thoroughly cleaned. A swing has been put up int eh playground for use of the girls and infants. Only 17 children present today, some being absent gleaning, others through whooping cough which is very bad in the village. Mr Scrase visited this morning and took names of the absentees. |
| September $4^{\text {th }} 1885$ | Rev. E.I. Crosse visited Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. The attendance has been very small all the week. Total absentees in girls' room 33, infants 20.15 girls and 6 infants through whooping cough. <br> Girls average attendance 15.7, Infants' average attendance 9.1. |
| September $11^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E.I. Crosse has visited daily and taught the elder children during the time set apart for Religious Instruction. Two girls admitted on Monday. The attendance has been a little better this week. <br> Girls' average attendance 26.6, Infants' average attendance 16.3. |
| September $18{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E.I. Crosse and friends visited on Monday, the former also visited on Tuesday. Mr Scrase visited on Wednesday and paid June quarter school fees of children paid for by Guardians. The attendance has been better this week excepting on Thursday which was a very wet day. <br> Girls' average attendance 32.9, Infants' average attendance 15.1. |
| September $25^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance continues to improve. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited Monday, Tuesday and Friday. Girls' average attendance 32.9, Infants' average attendance 16.4. |
| October 2 ${ }^{\text {nd }} 1885$ | Tuesday was a very wet day so the attendance was very small. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited daily. Mr Scrase on Thursday. Thursday being the day fixed for the Diocesan Exam the registers were not marked in the morning - a holiday was given in the afternoon. Kate Stepney Standard VI left school today. One infant admitted on Monday. Girls' average attendance 33.1, Infants' average attendance 16.6. |
| October $9^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance has been better this week. One girl admitted. Rev. E.l. Crosse visited on Monday, Wednesday and Friday and taught the elder girls during the time set apart for Religious Instruction. |


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| October $16^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance of the elder girls is good this week but that of the younger children very small. <br> Girls' average attendance 41.3, Infants' average attendance 19.1. |
| October $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | Today and yesterday, being very wet, the attendance has been very small. One girl admitted on Tuesday. Tuesday afternoon Mr Nailard and Mr Vincent visited the school and returned school fees for the past year to those children who passed the government exam. Mr Scrase visited on Monday and paid school fees for the Hills'. <br> Girls' average attendance 35.3, Infants' average attendance 18.1. |
| October $30{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Scrase visited on Monday. Two new girls admitted on Tuesday. Rev. E.I. Crossed visited as usual. Second quarter of the year ends today. Registers examined and signed by Mr Vincent. <br> Girls' average attendance 37.8, Infants' average attendance 16.9 |
| November $6^{\text {th }} 1885$ | One infant admitted on Monday. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited on Monday and Wednesday. Wednesday a wet day the attendance was very small. <br> Girls' average attendance 33.2, Infants' average attendance 18.6. |
| November $13^{\text {th }}$ | One girl and one infant admitted on Monday. One girl left today. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited on Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday. Miss Folly absent on Tuesday and Wednesday with bad throat. <br> Girls' average attendance 38.2, Infants' average attendance 22.6. |
| November $20{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance has been better this week. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited as usual. Girls' average attendance 40.4, Infants' average attendance 18.1. |
| November $27^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E.I. Crosse visited on Monday and Wednesday. Tuesday a very wet day school not opened. The attendance this week owing to bad weather has been small. Girls' average attendance 32.6, Infants' average attendance 15.2. |
| December ${ }^{\text {th }} 1885$ | Rev. E.I. Crosse visited on Monday. Holiday on Tuesday as the school were used as polling places for the Parliamentary Election. Mrs and Miss Crosse visited Thursday morning and heard the girls sing. Friday morning very wet only 11 girls and 6 infants present. <br> Girls' average attendance 32.1, Infants average 12.1. |
| December 11 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E.I. Crosse visited on Monday, Tuesday and Friday mornings. Mr Scrase visited on Tuesday and took list of absentees. Revs. E.I. Crosse and S. Bebe visited this afternoon. Having very cold weather this week, several of the children, who have had whooping cough, are absent. <br> Girls' average attendance 38.5 , Infants' average attendance 16.7. |
| December $18{ }^{\text {th }} 1885$ | School closes this morning for Christmas Holidays. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited on Monday. Miss Folly is absent this week as she is sitting in London for her Certificate Examination. Girls' average attendance 42, Infants' average attendance 17.5. |
| 1886 |  |
| January 15 ${ }^{\text {th }} 1886$ | School reopened on Monday after Christmas Holidays. Two children admitted. Four of the Francis' readmitted on Tuesday. Owing to the wet weather the attendance has been very small. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited Tuesday and Thursday. <br> Girls' average attendance 33.1, Infants' average attendance 13.5. |
| January $22^{\text {nd }}$ | The attendance this week has been very small owing to the bad weather. Yesterday the school was not opened. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited on Monday and Friday. <br> Girls' average attendance 27.6, Infants' average attendance 12.1. |
| January $29{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Monday morning was very wet, school not opened. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited daily. One infant boy left today. Half-holiday given on account of the funeral of Sir Walter Burrell, Lord of the Manor. Registers tested by Mr Vincent. <br> Girls' average attendance 37.7, Infants' average attendance 14.1. |
| February $5^{\text {th }} 1886$ | Rev. E.I. Crosse visited Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday mornings. Rev. E.I. Crosse and Rev. J. Vaughan visited Tuesday afternoon. The attendance has been better this week |


|  | excepting on Wednesday when it was wet. Girls' average attendance 40, Infants' average attendance 15.1. |
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| February $12^{\text {th }}$ | One girl admitted and on infant readmitted this week and one girl and one infant boy left. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. On Monday he signed the registers and summary for last quarter. Mr Scrase visited in the afternoon and took list of absentees. <br> Girls' average attendance 46.5, Infants' average attendance 18.6. |
| February $19^{\text {th }}$ | Sarah Jane Reeves left this week. Monday very wet day - few children present. The attendance gas not been quite so good this week. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited Monday, Tuesday and Friday. <br> Girls' average attendance 42.1, Infants' average attendance 20. |
| February $26^{\text {th }}$ | The Kensetts were sent home on Monday as one of the younger children have[sic] measles. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited Monday, Tuesday and Thursday. The attendance has been very low again this week. <br> Girls' average attendance 39.7, Infants' average attendance 19.2. |
| March $5^{\text {th }} 1886$ | Monday was a very snowy day so the school was not opened. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited on Tues . mr Scrase visited on Thursday and took list of absentees. He suggested that Mary Streeter, who has been absent without leave for three weeks and has attended very irregularly all the winter, should have her name withdrawn from register. <br> Girls' average attendance 34.6, Infants' average attendance 16.1. |
| March 12 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Wednesday being Ash Wednesday the children attended church in the morning - registers not marked - half-holiday given in the afternoon. The attendance has been rather better this week. On Tuesday received from Rev. E.I. Crosse official form No XXV notifying that Mary Folly, Assistant, has failed to pass the late Xmas Exam for Certificate. Girls' average attendance 41, Infants' average attendance 20. |
| March 19 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance for this week, excepting Friday, a wet day, is much better. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. <br> Girls' average attendance 43.1, Infants' average attendance 21.6. |
| March $26{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Lady Burrell and Mrs Loder visited the schools Monday afternoon. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited Monday, Tuesday and Friday. Two girls have left this week. Attendance not quite so good. Mr Scrase visited on Friday and took list of absentees. Rev C. W. Higham also visited. Girls' average attendance 42.1, Infants' average attendance 19.9. |
| April ${ }^{\text {nd }} 1886$ | Monday and Wednesday were very wet days - very few children present. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. <br> Girls' average attendance 29.7, Infants' average attendance 16.7. |
| April $9^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E.I. Crosse visited Monday, Tuesday and Thursday. One infant admitted on Wednesday. Thursday a wet day, attendance small. <br> Girls' average attendance 39.1, Infants' average attendance 18.2. |
| April $16^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E.I. Crosse visited on Monday, Tuesday and Friday. Mrs Crosse visited Friday morning. Tho infants admitted and one readmitted on Monday and one readmitted on Tuesday. The attendance has been much better this week. <br> Girls' average attendance 43.3, Infants' average attendance 26.3. |
| April $22{ }^{\text {nd }}$ | Holiday tomorrow it being Good Friday. Rev. E.I. Crosse has visited daily. Two girls left on Monday and two readmitted. <br> Girls' average attendance 43.3, Infants' average attendance 24.2. |
| April 30 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | School year ends today. Holiday on Monday - Easter Monday. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. One infant admitted on Tuesday. Girls' average attendance 36.5, Infants' average attendance 22. |
|  | [New school year begins] |
| May ${ }^{\text {st }} 1886$ | Mr Vincent, Secretary, called at the school today and tested and signed registers and summary. |


| May $7^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E.I. Crosse visited on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Mrs Crosse visited Thursday morning also Mr Scrase. New registers commenced on Monday. Four infant girls transferred to Girls' Room and two infant boys to Boys' School. Two new infant boys admitted same day. <br> Girls' average attendance 49, Infants' average attendance 25.1. |
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| May 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E.I. Crosse visited Monday and Wednesday. Tuesday being Coolham Club Feast a holiday was given. Lady Burrell and friends visited Wednesday afternoon - inspected examination needlework and heard the infants sing. Two girls and two infant boys admitted on Monday - one infant girl readmitted. Friday a very wet day - school not opened in the morning. <br> Girls' average attendance 407, Infants' average attendance 19.7. |
| May $21{ }^{\text {st }}$ | Rev. E.I. Crosse visited on Monday and Tuesday mornings. Monday morning was very wet school not opened. One girl readmitted on Tuesday. <br> Girls' average attendance 46.6, Infants' average attendance 25.5. |
| May $27^{\text {th }}$ | Inspection [signed] Geo. French. |
| May $28^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E.I. Crosse visited daily. Inspection on Thursday. Sir Raymond and Lady Burrell and family, Rev. E.T. and Mrs Crosse and Mr Bristow present. Two girls, Mary J Merritt and Sarah A Roberts left school today. Elizabeth Rhoades had asked permission for leave of absence for a few weeks while her mother is working in the fields. <br> Girls' average attendance 48.8, Infants' average attendance 23.7. |
| June 4 ${ }^{\text {th }} 1886$ | Sarah Stepney Standard VI has left school. Tuesday morning was very wet - school not opened. Thursday Ascension Day the children attended church in the morning - registers not marked - half-holiday given in the afternoon. One infant boy admitted. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited Monday and Wednesday. <br> Girls' average attendance 29.8, Infants' average attendance 21.5. |
| June $11^{\text {th }}$ | Ann Johnson Standard VI left on Monday. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited Monday, Wednesday and Thursday. Give infants admitted on Monday. Half-holiday given on Tuesday for Choral Festival at Horsham. School closed today for Whitsun Holidays. <br> Girls' average attendance 40.2, Infants' average attendance 28.7. |
| June $25^{\text {th }}$ | School reopened on Monday after Whitsun Holiday. Six infants admitted and one girl readmitted. <br> Girls' average attendance 43.3, Infants' average attendance 35.8. |
| July $2^{\text {nd }} 1886$ | I was absent from school on Monday on account of having a bad cold. Miss Folly took the girls for the day. Mr Scrase visited in the afternoon. Mary Streeter readmitted and one infant admitted. The elder girls are not attending very regularly being required at home while their mothers are haymaking. <br> Girls' average attendance 43.8, Infants' average attendance 36.9. |
| July $9^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E.I. Crosse received the report on Saturday last. He visited on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Mrs and Miss Crosse visited Wednesday\# afternoon. Two girls and two infants have left this week. <br> Girls' average attendance 41.4, Infants' average attendance 31.2. |
|  | Copy of Inspectors' Report made subsequent to examination held May $27^{\text {th }}-$ <br> Girls' School - "the Girls are very well behaved, but rather too timid and shy to do themselves full justice. I should be very sorry to see them forward and bold, but a little more courage in reading would, I think, help them to do better in many important matters. The results in Elementary subjects are about equal to those obtained last year. They would have been higher had the Arithmetic of the fourth and fifth Standards been better. The Repetition must be more carefully and intelligently done on another occasion. The sewing is very good". <br> Infants' Class - "I hope that in due time the room in which the Infants are taught will be considerably enlarged, so that there may be greater space for their use. The best plan would |


|  | be, I think, to let this room be used by the Girls, and to provide another for the Infants. They could then have more varied teaching than they can now. Pictures of common Trades as well as of common Animals are needed for the simple conversation lessons the children should have as regularly and frequently as possible. The Repetition is accurate, but too rapid to be distinct. The reading is inferior to the Writing and simple Arithmetic. The little ones should be encouraged to answer questions as fully as possible. The Boys and Girls sew and knit creditably". <br> [signed] E llbert Crosse, Correspondent. |
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| July $16^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E.I. Crosse visited on Monday and Wednesday. One infant admitted and one girl readmitted this week. The attendance has been much better this week excepting on Monday when it was wet. <br> Girls' average attendance 42.4, Infants' average attendance 29.5. |
| July $23^{\text {rd }}$ | One infant boy admitted on Monday. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Mr Crosse sent a message on Tuesday to say that he wished Edith Adams to be sent home and not allowed to attend school for another week as she has had mumps a week ago and he did not consider it safe for her to attend school so soon. This was done. Girls' average attendance 41.6, Infants' average attendance 31.1. |
| July $30^{\text {th }}$ | One girl admitted on Monday. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Mrs Crosse visited on Friday morning. Mr Scrase visited Monday afternoon. Half-holiday on Wednesday afternoon on account of the new piece of ground added to the churchyard. Half-holiday Friday afternoon for School Feast at Knepp Castle. Girls' average attendance [blank], Infants' average attendance 35.8. |
| August $6^{\text {th }} 1886$ | A meeting of Managers on Saturday when the registers and summary were tested and signed. Monday a very wet day few children were present. Two girls and two boys transferred from infant room. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited. Mrs Crosse visited Thursday morning. School closes today for Harvest Holiday. Girls' average attendance 40.3, Infants' average attendance 27. |
| September $10^{\text {th }} 1886$ | School reopened on Monday after Harvest Holidays. The attendance very small as the harvest is not finished. The notice of Diocesan Exam received and put up in the school. Thursday was a very wet day - school not opened. Mrs Crosse visited this afternoon. Rev. E.I. Crosse has visited daily. Two girls left this week. <br> Girls' average attendance 18.8, Infants' average attendance 11.2. |
| September 17 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Four girls left this week and one girl transferred from Infant Room. The attendance has been better than last week but many are still absent. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited daily. Mrs Crosse and Mr \& Miss Collyer visited Thursday afternoon. Mr Scrase visited in the morning and took a list of absentees. <br> Girls' average attendance 33.3, Infants' average attendance 25.1. |
| September $24^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance still improves. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited daily. Miss Sybil Burrell and her governess visited Wednesday afternoon and spent some time hearing Standards I \& IV read. They also heard the repetition of the Infants. <br> Girls' average attendance 40.2, Infants' average attendance 32.2. |
| October $1^{\text {st }} 1886$ | Miss Folly and I were absent today. The school was taken by Mr Bacon. Wednesday morning was the Diocesan Examination - registers not marked. Half-holiday given in the afternoon. The attendance this week not quite so good. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited daily except Friday. Girls' average attendance 39.8, Infants' average attendance 32.8. |
| October $8^{\text {th }}$ | Misses Burrell and their governess visited the schools this afternoon. Wednesday was a very wet day - school not opened in the morning - very small attendance in the afternoon. Thursday and Friday were also dull and stormy so the attendance was very low. Messrs. Vincent and Wood visited the school Thursday afternoon and returned school fees for year ending April $30^{\text {th }} 1886$ to those children who passed the last Government Exam. One new infant admitted. |


|  | Girls' average attendance 33.6, Infants' average attendance 23.1. |
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| October 15 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E.I. Crosse visited Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Two children left this week - one infant transferred. <br> Girls' average attendance 37.2, Infants' average attendance 25.6. |
| October 22 ${ }^{\text {nd }}$ | Rev. E.I. Crosse visited on Monday, Tuesday and Friday. Lady Burrell and the Miss Burrell visited on Wednesday afternoon. Miss S Burrell took Standard I in Reading and gave Dictation to Standard II. Mrs Crosse visited on Thursday and Friday. Two children have left this week and one infant girl has been transferred. Wednesday was a very dull day - few children were present. <br> Girls' average attendance 39.7, Infants' average attendance 25.5. |
| October $29{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E.I. Crosse visited on Monday and Friday. The attendance has been a little better this week. <br> Girls' average attendance 40.3, Infants' average attendance 28.4. |
| November 5 ${ }^{\text {th }} 1886$ | Mr Scrase visited on Monday and took a list of absentees. Mr. J. Vincent visited on Tuesday and tested and signed registers. One infant boy transferred. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited on Thursday and Friday. The attendance on Friday was very small owing to the wet weather. List of children to be withheld from examination May 1887 - Rosa Budd, Annie Nicholson, Ada Hill. <br> Girls' average attendance 35.5, Infants' average attendance 25. |
| November $12^{\text {th }}$ | On Monday Circular Forms D 1, 2 \& 3 received from Royal Commission on Education - they were filled in and returned on Thursday. The attendance is still small on account of the wet weather. <br> Girls' average attendance 35.5, Infants' average attendance 20.6. |
| November 19 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Wednesday was a very wet day - no children present in the morning. The weather has been very unfavourable all the week otherwise the attendance would have been better. Two girls left. <br> Girls' average attendance 37.6, Infants' average attendance 19.7. |
| November $26^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E.I. Crosse visited Monday and Thursday mornings and taught the older children during time set apart for Religious Instruction. Mr Scrase visited on Monday and took a list of absentees. The attendance has been much better this week. <br> Girls' average attendance 46.4, Infants' average attendance 27. |
| December 3 ${ }^{\text {rd }} 1886$ | The attendance has not been quite so good this week. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited as usual. Girls' average attendance 41, Infants' average attendance 23.6. |
| December $10{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Wednesday was a very rough and stormy day - no girls came so the school was not opened. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited. <br> Girls' average attendance 39.8, Infants' average attendance 21.7. |
| December $17^{\text {th }}$ | School closes this morning for Christmas holidays. Miss Folly is absent, with leave, to attend the Certificate Examination in London. Tuesday and Wednesday very stormy - attendance small. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited Monday and Tuesday, Mrs Crosse on Thursday. Girls' average attendance 35.1, Infants' average attendance 20.1. |
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| January $14{ }^{\text {th }} 1887$ | Schools reopened on Monday after three weeks holiday. The attendance has been very small owing to the bad weather. One girl and one infant admitted. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited. Girls' average attendance 31, Infants' average attendance 14.8. |
| January $21{ }^{\text {st }}$ | One girl and two infants admitted this week. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited on Monday. Mr Scrase also visited and took list of absentees. The attendance is rather better. <br> Girls' average attendance 37.6 , Infants' average attendance 21.2. |
| January $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Two of the children who were admitted last week left this to return to Dial Post School till after the examination. Lady Burrell visited the school on Tuesday afternoon. Mrs Crosse and Miss Harcourt visited on Friday. The attendance this week has been the highest since Xmas. Girls' average attendance 43.6, Infants' average attendance 23.6. |


| February $4^{\text {th }} 1887$ | At the half-yearly meeting of the managers on Jan $29^{\text {th }}$ the registers and summary were tested and signed. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited on Monday and Thursday. Mr Scrase called on Thursday. The weather being bad this week the attendance has not been so good. Girls' average attendance 36.7, Infants' average attendance 20.2 |
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| February $2^{\text {nd }}$ | Received goods for half year from National Society. The infants have the new National Writing Sheets and Johnstons Alphabet of Common Objects. |
| February $11^{\text {th }}$ | There is a case of scarlet fever broken out in the parish - all children who live near have been ordered not to attend school for fear the infection should spread. One girl left this week. Mrs Crosse visited on Tuesday. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited Monday, Tuesday and Thursday. The attendance has been better. Mr Scrase called Tuesday afternoon. Girls' average attendance 42.1, Infants' average attendance 25.1. |
| February $18^{\text {th }}$ | Today, a very wet day, the school was not opened. Annie Heasman, Standard V, left school yesterday for service. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Girls' average attendance 41.6, Infants' average attendance 26.3. |
| February $25^{\text {th }}$ | Wednesday being Ash Wednesday the children attended Church in the morning and a halfholiday was given in the afternoon. One girl admitted and one readmitted on Monday. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited on Monday. Mr Scrase visited today. Girls' average attendance 40.7, Infants' average attendance 24.8. |
| March 4 ${ }^{\text {th }} 1887$ | The attendance has been very good this week. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited daily except Friday. One girl and one infant admitted. <br> Girls' average attendance 44.6, Infants' average attendance 28.3. |
| March $11^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E.I. Crosse visited on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. On Thursday received Form XXV from Rev. E.I. Crosse notifying that Miss Folly has failed to pass the Certificate Exam. New swings were put up in the playground today. The attendance has been fairly good this week. Girls' average attendance 43.3, Infants' average attendance 30.7. |
| March 12 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The partition in the Infant Room has been taken down today in order to give more room for the infants. |
| March $18^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E.I. Crosse has visited daily. The attendance has not been so good this week as we have had snowy weather. Girls' average attendance 36.8 , Infants' average attendance 24.1. |
| March $25^{\text {th }}$ | Emily Nicholls, Standard V, left school today for service. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited on Monday and Wednesday. The attendance has been better but the weather has been unfavourable. One infant boy admitted on Monday. Girls' average attendance 41, Infants' average attendance 25.7. |
| April $1^{\text {st }} 1887$ | One infant admitted on Monday. Lady Burrell and friend visited on Wednesday afternoon and inspected needlework. The heard the infants' songs. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited Monday and Tuesday. Mr Scrase visited Thursday and took list of those children attending irregularly. Girls' average attendance 41.1, Infants' average attendance 26.3. |
| April ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | School closes today till next Tuesday for Easter. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Two children readmitted on Monday and one admitted. Girls' average attendance 42 , Infants' average attendance 27.2. |
| April 15 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance this week has been a little better. One infant admitted. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited Tuesday and Wednesday. Girls' average attendance 43.1, Infants' average attendance 30.8 . |
| April $22^{\text {nd }}$ | One infant boy admitted on Monday. Today a wet day and the attendance is small. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited Monday, Wednesday and Thursday. Girls' average attendance 39.6, Infants' average attendance 30.6 . |
| April $30{ }^{\text {th }}$ | School year ends today. The registers and summaries were taken to Mr J Vincent and tested and signed by him. The attendance this last week is very good. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited Tuesday, Thursday and Friday. Girls' average attendance 44.7, Infants' average attendance 36.5 . |
|  | [New school year begins] |


| May $6{ }^{\text {th }} 1887$ | Commenced new registers and summaries on Monday. Five girls and six boys transferred from Infant Room. Tuesday one infant admitted. Thursday morning I sent home Emma Francis and Mercy Rowland to have their heads cleaned as they were in a very dirty state. Mr Scrase visited this morning. The attendance has been very good expecting [sic] on Monday when many children were absent garlanding. Girls' average attendance 44.2, Infants' average attendance 24.1. |
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| May $13^{\text {th }}$ | Mrs Rowland and Mrs Francis came to the school on Monday morning and complained of their children having been sent home on Thursday. Mrs Rowland owned that her childrens' heads were dirty and promised to keep them cleaned in future but said that there were others in the school as dirty as her children. She mentioned the names of some whom she said were dirty but on examining them I found them quite clean. Mrs Francis was very excited and abusive and as she would not talk reasonably and sensibly and kept contradicting herself I refused to stay and listen to her. Received notices of Government and Diocesan Examination. Rev. E.I. Crosse read them to children and fixed notice of the latter in the schoolroom. One infant admitted. Tuesday being Coolham Club Feast a holiday was given. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited daily. Girls' average attendance 46.8, Infants' average attendance 30. |
| May $20^{\text {th }}$ | Three infants have been admitted this week and one transferred. Rev. E.I. Crosse has visited |
|  | Daily. Two girls, Elizabeth Tilley and Mary Streeter left school. Thursday being Ascension Day the children attended church in the morning - registers not marked a half holiday given in the afternoon. Two or three cases of chickenpox broken out among the infants. Girls' average attendance 48.3, Infants' average attendance 31. |
| May $27^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. R.H. Gorham the vicar visited the schools on Tuesday morning. Wednesday morning the Diocesan Exam was held by Rev. G. Heath. In the afternoon the school treat was given at Knepp Castle. Thursday being the day of the Choral Festival at Horsham a half holiday was given. One infant girl transferred. <br> Girls' average attendance 45, Infants' average attendance 22.3. |
| June 2 ${ }^{\text {nd }} 1887$ | Inspection [Log book signed and dated] Geo. French |
| June $3^{\text {rd }}$ | School closes today for a week's holiday. One infant admitted and one transferred this week. Two girls left. Rev. E.I. Crosse has visited daily. Holiday given on Monday Whit Monday and one on Thursday afternoon after the inspection. <br> Rev. E.I. Crosse, Mrs and Miss Crosse were present at the examination. Today being a wet day the attendance has been small. Miss Folly has had leave of absence this week on account of her father's serious illness. She was present however at the examination. Girls' average attendance 45.2, Infants' average attendance 19. |
| June $17^{\text {th }}$ | School reopened on Monday. One girl and six infants admitted. Two infant boys transferred and four girls left. Girls moved up into their new standards. Two infants admitted on Tuesday. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited on Mon, Tues and Wed. <br> Girls' average attendance 44.7, Infants' average attendance 34.3. |
| June $24^{\text {th }}$ | Copy of Inspector's Report made subsequent to Examination held June $2^{\text {nd }}$. <br> Girls School - "Miss Bungay carries on the School kindly, carefully and firmly. The Girls under her charge are well conducted but still needlessly timid and shy. They read just about well enough to be allowed to pass, but I trust that sincere efforts will be made to get beyond this. They know their Repetition, but do not say it with sufficient care and intelligence. Their sewing is good. Singing by Ear is fairly taught. Composition in the Fifth Standard was a failure. Mental Arithmetic is not very brisk". <br> Infant Class - "The manager's attention is drawn to the large number of Infants on the Books. This room will accommodate only 28 , and the number on the register is now 43 . The average attendance is a little below 28, but for a good part of the year there must be considerably more present, and then there is very little space for those exercises that Infants ought to have. The little ones looked very neat and tidy on the day of my visit, and behaved |


|  | well while in school. The Singing by Ear and the Repetition are fairly satisfactory, and so is the simple drill. The Reading is rather inferior to what it should be if the children are to well in their Standard work. The Handwriting, simple Spelling and Arithmetic are much better. <br> The Sewing and Knitting are satisfactory". <br> School Staff - Emma L Bungay - CM <br> Mary Folly - Assistant <br> [signed] E llbert Crosse, a holiday was given. One infant admitted on Monday. <br> Girls' average attendance 32.1, Infants' average attendance 29.8. |
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| July ${ }^{\text {st }} 1887$ | Rev. E.I. Crosse visited on Monday, Thursday and Friday. One infant admitted on Monday. Wednesday and Thursday the school was carried on by Mr Bacon assisted by the Rev. E.I. Crosse and Miss Folly as I was absent with leave. The attendance is not very good as some of the elder girls are at home while their mothers are haying. Girls' average attendance 42.5, Infants' average attendance 35.2. |
| July $8^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Folly was absent on Monday and again Thursday and Friday and will not return until next Monday evening on account of the death of her father. Mr Scrase visited on Tuesday and took list of absentees. Mrs Crosse visited Tuesday afternoon. Two girls, Jane Venn and Mary J Lucas have left school this week. <br> Girls' average attendance 42.3, Infants' average attendance 35.8. |
| July $15^{\text {th }}$ | Monday a wet morning, very small school. Mrs Bacon came and taught the infants. Tuesday Miss Folly returned to school. Mrs Crosse visited on Wednesday and Thursday. On Thursday received new books etc from National Society. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited today. Girls' average attendance 40, Infants' average attendance 33.5. |
| July $22^{\text {nd }}$ | The attendance of girls is better this week - infants not so good. One infant admitted and one transferred. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Girls' average attendance 42.8, Infants' average attendance 31. |
| July $29{ }^{\text {th }}$ | School closed for Harvest Holidays. Attendance very fair this week. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited Tuesday and Thursday. <br> Girls' average attendance 40.1, Infants' average attendance 28.4. |
| July $30^{\text {th }}$ | Half yearly meeting of managers in Boys' School. Registers etc tested and signed by four of them. |
| September 2 ${ }^{\text {nd }} 1887$ | School reopened on Monday August $29^{\text {th }}$. Very small attendance owing partly to rough wet weather and partly to the harvest not being quite over. Three children admitted and two transferred. Mrs Crosse visited on Monday and Wednesday. Girls' average attendance 18.3, Infants' average attendance 11.1. |
| September $9^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance has been better this week. One infant girl transferred. One infant admitted. Mrs Crosse visited on Tuesday and Friday. <br> Girls' average attendance 42.5, Infants' average attendance 35.1. |
| September $16^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance still continues to improve. Two infants admitted and two left this week one transferred. Messrs. Vincent and Nailard visited the schools on Tuesday afternoon and returned school fees to those children who passed the last Government examination. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday. The Misses Gorham visited on Friday afternoon. Girls' average attendance 44.8, Infants' average attendance 38.4. |
| September $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | The attendance is very fair. One infant girl transferred. Two infants left. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited as usual. <br> Girls' average attendance 45.7, Infants' average attendance 36.6. |
| September $30^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance has not been quite so good this week. Four of the younger children absent with bad colds. Two families withdrawn on leaving the village. Mrs Crosse visited on Wednesday. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited as usual. Girls' average attendance 43.4, Infants' average attendance 35.4. |
| October $7^{\text {th }} 1887$ | Rev. E.I. Crosse visited on Monday and Tuesday. Lady Burrell and Mrs Loder visited the schools Thursday afternoon. |


|  | Girls' average attendance 42.1, Infants' average attendance 33.7. |
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| October 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E.I. Crosse visited Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. One infant boy left on Monday. The attendance has been very fair this week, but not quite so good as usual. Girls' average attendance 40.3, Infants' average attendance 34.9. |
| October 21 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ | One girl left on Tuesday. Attendance rather better this week. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited Monday and Wednesday. <br> Girls' average attendance 42.1, Infants' average attendance 33.2. |
| October $28^{\text {th }}$ | One infant girl transferred and one girl admitted on Monday. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. On Tuesday he took the elder girls to composition from 10 am to 10.30 am . Friday the last day of the quarter the registers were made up and sent to Mr Vincent to be signed and examined by him. The average has been less this week. Girls' average attendance 39.8, Infants' average attendance 28.6. |
| November $4^{\text {th }} 1887$ | The attendance this week has been very low owing to bad weather. Mr Crosse has visited as usual. <br> Girls' average attendance 30.5, Infants' average attendance 22. |
| November 11 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance much better this week. Mrs Crosse visited on Monday and Friday. Girls' average attendance 41.4, Infants' average attendance 30.7. |
| November 18 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E.I. Crosse visited Monday, Wednesday and Thursday. Friday very wet day, few children present. <br> Girls' average attendance 39.7, Infants' average attendance 23.7. |
| November $25^{\text {th }}$ | Clara Dale left school on Monday as she has gone to live at Jolesfield. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited Monday and Friday. Mr Scrase visited on Thursday and took list of absentees. Girls' average attendance 42.5, Infants' average attendance 29.5. |
| December 2 ${ }^{\text {nd }} 1887$ | Rev. E.I. Crosse visited on Monday and Thursday. The attendance has been better this week. Girls' average attendance 43.1, Infants' average attendance 32.2. |
| December $9^{\text {th }}$ | Revs. E.I. Crosse and R. Edgeworth visited the schools on Monday. Tuesday afternoon was the Sunday School tea so school commenced at one o'clock and the children were dismissed at three. Wednesday very wet day - small attendance. Rev. E.I. Crosse and Mrs Crosse visited today. <br> Girls' average attendance 34.3, Infants' average attendance 24. |
| December $16^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E.I. Crosse visited on Wednesday and bade the children farewell as he leaves Shipley on Thursday. Today Friday the attendance is very small only 14 children present. School closes this morning for Christmas holidays. <br> Girls' average attendance 33.7, Infants' average attendance 22.1. |
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| January $13{ }^{\text {th }} 1888$ | School reopened on Monday after three weeks holidays. The attendance was very fair. One girl left school. Rev. E Ellman visited the schools on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday. Girls' average attendance 36.3, Infants' average attendance 28.4. |
| January $20{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Ada Parker, Standard IV, died suddenly in a fit on Sunday last. Several of the elder girls were absent Thursday to attend her funeral. I was absent for one hour during the afternoon for the same reason. The school was carried on by Miss Folly during the time. Monday Mr Vincent visited and signed registers. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited on Monday and Wednesday. Girls' average attendance 35.1, Infants' average attendance 29.6. |
| January $27^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E Ellman visited on Monday and Thursday. Mr Scrase visited and took list of absentees. The attendance has been rather better. <br> Girls' average attendance 39.7, Infants' average attendance 26.1. |
| February $3^{\text {rd }} 1888$ | Several children are absent with bad colds. Rev. E Ellman visited on Monday and Wednesday. <br> Girls' average attendance 36.2, Infants' average attendance 26.4. |
| February $10^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E Ellman visited on Tuesday and Friday. Several of the younger children are still absent with bad colds. Wednesday a wet day - the attendance was very small. |


|  | Girls' average attendance 30.5, Infants' average attendance 26.4. |
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| February $17^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E Ellman visited on Tuesday and Friday. The attendance has been very small owing to the bad weather and sickness among the younger children. Ash Wednesday the children attended Church in the morning and had half holiday in the afternoon. Thursday a very snowy day no children present. <br> Girls' average attendance 324 , Infants' average attendance 17.6. |
| February $24^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance has been rather better. Thursday a wet day very few present. Rev. E Ellman visited on Tuesday and Thursday. <br> Girls' average attendance 32.1, Infants' average attendance 21.8. |
| March $2^{\text {nd }} 1888$ | Lady Burrell and Miss Robertson visited the schools on Monday. Thursday a wet day - very few children at school. Rev. E Ellman visited as usual. <br> Girls' average attendance 34.8, Infants' average attendance 21.8. |
| March $9^{\text {th }}$ | Today a very wet day - school closed. Thursday also wet only 21 present. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited the schools on Tuesday. Rev. E Ellman Monday and Wednesday. Girls' average attendance 37.5 , Infants' average attendance 26.1. |
| March $16^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance has not been quite so good this week. Several infants absent. Rev. E Ellman visited on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday. The Francis children are always late, so Mr Ellman, after talking several times to them of being late, has wished me to make a note here next week how many times they are present when school commences. Girls' average attendance 35.6 , Infants' average attendance 18.5 . |
| March $23^{\text {rd }}$ | The Francis children were twice early this week. The attendance has been very low owing to the bad weather - no children came on Tuesday. Rev. E Ellman visited Monday, Wednesday and Friday. <br> Girls' average attendance 23.6, Infants' average attendance 10. |
| March $30^{\text {th }}$ | Today being Good Friday the children attended church this morning - registers not marked. Wednesday a very wet day - school not opened. Monday a wet day - attendance very small. The Francis children have been punctual this week. Rev. E Ellman visited daily. On Tuesday he tested and signed the registers. Miss Folly is ill and has been absent all the week. Girls' average attendance 28.6 Infants' average attendance 19. |
| April $6^{\text {th }} 1888$ | A holiday given today instead of on Monday. Miss Folly returned to school yesterday. The attendance has been very good this week. Rev. E Ellman and Mr Scrase visited on Thursday. Girls' average attendance 41.6, Infants' average attendance 27.7. |
| April $13^{\text {th }}$ | Two children admitted on Monday. Rev. E Ellman visited on Thursday. The attendance in both departments very good. <br> Girls' average attendance 42.7, Infants' average attendance 30.1. |
| April $29{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Notice received and put up in the schools of the day fixed for the Diocesan Examination. |
| April $27{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E Ellman visited Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Mary jane Knight re-admitted on Monday. Tuesday a very wet day the attendance was small. <br> Girls' average attendance 35.9, Infants' average attendance 24. |
| April $30{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Last day of school year. |
| May $4^{\text {th }} 1888$ | Tuesday being May Day the attendance was small. Two infants admitted. Wednesday certificates gained at Diocesan Exam distributed by Rev. E Ellman who gave a small gift to each child. Three infants transferred. <br> Girls' average attendance 43.2, Infants' average attendance 22.8. |
| May $2^{\text {nd }}$ | Register tested and signed by Sir C R Burrell. |
| May $11^{\text {th }}$ | Tuesday Coolham Club Day - a holiday was given. Wednesday one infant admitted. Thursday Ascension Day the children attended church in the morning and a half holiday was given in the afternoon. Rev. E Ellman visited Wednesday and Friday. <br> Girls' average attendance 45.3, Infants' average attendance 22.6. |
| May $18{ }^{\text {th }}$ | One infant girl transferred. Thursday a very wet day school was not opened. Rev. E Ellman visited on Tuesday. Six infants admitted on Monday. |


|  | Girls' average attendance 42.3, Infants' average attendance 23.7. |
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| May $25^{\text {th }}$ | Four infant girls transferred and two infants admitted on Monday. Rev. E Ellman visited Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday - on Thursday he tested and signed the registers and summary. <br> Girls' average attendance 46.6, Infants' average attendance 28.8. |
| May $24^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Scrase, School Attendance Officer, visited and took a list of absentees. |
| June $1^{\text {st }} 1888$ | The school attendance has been very good this week. Two infant girls transferred on Monday. Monday being Lawn Club Gala a half holiday was given. Rev. E Ellman visited Monday and Wednesday. Revs. E.I. Crosse and E. Ellman visited Wednesday afternoon. Girls' average attendance 51.4, Infants' average attendance 35.6. |
| June 8 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E Ellman visited on Monday and Wednesday. Mr Scrase visited on Wednesday. School inspected on Thursday by MH Inspectors Messrs Mackenzie and Garland. Half-holiday in the afternoon. Friday two Standard V girls left school. <br> Girls' average attendance 52.4, Infants' average attendance 25. |
| June $15^{\text {th }}$ | One infant girl readmitted on Monday. Rev. E Ellman visited Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Mrs Crosse and Miss Nailard visited the schools Friday morning. Thursday a very dull day the attendance was not good. <br> Girls' average attendance 47.1, Infants' average attendance 24.7. |
| June $22^{\text {nd }}$ | One girl and two infants admitted on Monday. Friday a wet day attendance small. Rev. E Ellman visited Tuesday and Thursday and Sir Raymond Burrell Friday afternoon. <br> Girls' average attendance 45.6, Infants' average attendance 26. |
| June $29^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance not quite so good as the weather has been so unsettled. One infant boy admitted on Monday. <br> Girls' average attendance 43.3, Infants' average attendance 26.8. |
| June $29^{\text {th }}$ | Copy of Inspector's Report made subsequent to Examination held June $7^{\text {th }}$ <br> Girls' School "The girls appear to have made considerable improvement during the year, and they have now passed a fairly good examination in elementary subjects, and in English and Needlework. They sing nicely and their Discipline is very good". <br> Infants' Class "The work of the infants is also fairly good. It should be noted that a very large proportion of these children are over seven years of age, and that the total number now in attendance is greater than the room will conveniently accommodate". <br> School Staff: Emma L Bungay C.M. <br> Mary Folly Assistant <br> Ernest Ellman Correspondent |
| July $6^{\text {th }} 1888$ | One infant boy transferred on Monday and one girl admitted. The attendance is a trifle better this week but many of the elder girls are attending very irregularly as they are wanted at home while their mothers are haymaking. Edith Tebby Standard VII left school today. Rev. E Ellman visited on Thursday. <br> Girls' average attendance 44.9, Infants' average attendance 25.2. |
| July $13{ }^{\text {th }}$ | One infant girl transferred and one boy admitted this week. Wednesday\# and Thursday dull stormy days - the attendance small. Rev. E Ellman visited Monday and Wednesday. Girls' average attendance 45, Infants' average attendance 29. |
| July $20{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance bad owing to showery weather. Rev. E Ellman visited on Monday. Girls' average attendance 40.6, Infants' average attendance 26.6. |
| July $27{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E Ellman visited on Monday. Mr Scrase visited on Thursday. One infant boy transferred on Monday. The attendance has been a little better. <br> Girls' average attendance 43, Infants' average attendance 26.6. |
| August $3^{\text {rd }} 1888$ | Rev. E Ellman visited Tuesday and Friday. Two infant boys were transferred on Monday. Registers tested and signed on Monday by Mr E Good, secretary to the schools. Thursday very small attendance owing to stormy weather. <br> Girls' average attendance 36.9, Infants' average attendance 20.5. |


| August $10^{\text {th }}$ | School closes today for harvest holidays. The attendance this week has been better. Rev. E Ellman visited Monday, Tuesday and Thursday. School Feast on Wednesday - half holiday given. Ellen Nicholson Standard VI leaves today. <br> Girls' average attendance 44.1, Infants' average attendance 25.7. |
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| September $21{ }^{\text {st }} 1888$ | School reopened on Monday $17^{\text {th }}$. Attendance very small all the week as the harvest is not yet over. Florence Parker left school. Rev. E Ellman visited Monday and Wednesday. One infant boy admitted. Girls' average attendance 23.5, Infants' average attendance 17. |
| September $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ | One infant admitted this week. Two girls left school. The attendance has been better this week. Mr Scrase visited on Thursday. <br> Girls' average attendance 39, Infants' average attendance 22.8. |
| October $5^{\text {th }} 1888$ | Attendance better this week. Two girls and one infant left. One girl admitted. On Tuesday Rev. E Ellman and Mr Nailard visited the schools and returned school fees to those children who passed the government examination held last June. <br> Girls' average attendance 43.5, Infants' average attendance 26.4. |
| October $12^{\text {th }}$ | Two children readmitted on Monday and one admitted. Rev. E Ellman visited on that day. Tuesday the choir excursion - a holiday was given. Rev. H.S. Gorham, Vicar, visited the school Thursday afternoon. <br> Girls' average attendance 46.3, Infants' average attendance 27.5. |
| October $19^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E Ellman visited on Monday and Wednesday. Two children admitted and one readmitted on Tuesday. Mrs Ellman visited Thursday morning and Lady Burrell in the afternoon. <br> Girls' average attendance 48.1, Infants' average attendance 28.8. |
| October 15 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Today we commenced afternoon school at 1.15 pm and closed at 3.30 pm . This continues during the winter months. |
| October $26^{\text {th }}$ | Two infants and one girl admitted this week - one girl and one infant left. Rev. E Ellman visited on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Registers and summary teated and signed today by Mr Good. <br> Girls' average attendance 46.7, Infants' average attendance 27.5. |
| November 2 ${ }^{\text {nd }} 1888$ | Tuesday a very wet day - school not opened. Rev. E Ellman visited on Wednesday and Friday. Today the attendance is rather small on account of rain. Girls' average attendance 45, Infants' average attendance 26.3. |
| November 3 ${ }^{\text {rd }}$ | New stove put up in Girls' room. |
| November ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Two girls admitted on Tuesday. Attendance very good this week excepting Friday a wet day. Girls' average attendance 44.9, Infants' average attendance 26.4. |
| November $16^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance still good excepting on Tuesday a wet day. Rev. E Ellman visited on Monday and Friday. <br> Girls' average attendance 49.1, Infants' average attendance 27.3. |
| November $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | Rev. E Ellman visited Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday. On Tuesday he tested and signed registers and summaries for last quarter. The attendance good except on Tuesday a wet morning. <br> Girls' average attendance 47.8, Infants' average attendance 26.5. |
| November $30{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Tuesday very wet day only 7 girls and 4 infants present. Friday also a wet day - attendance small. One girl left on Wednesday. Rev. E Ellman visited on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday. Girls' average attendance 40.2, Infants' average attendance 19.4. |
| December $7^{\text {th }} 1888$ | The attendance is better this week. Sybil Kensett Standard V left school this week. Rev. E.I. Crosse visited Friday. Rev. E Ellman visited on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Girls' average attendance 46.9, Infants' average attendance 24.6. |
| December $14^{\text {th }}$ | School closed this morning for Christmas holidays. Attendance this week very fair. Rev. E Ellman visited Monday and Wednesday. <br> Girls' average attendance 45.6, Infants' average attendance 23. |
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| January $11^{\text {th }} 1889$ | Frederick Botting Standard VII has left school this week also Mabel \& Raymond Weller \& Annie \& Evelyn King who have left the parish. Three new children admitted on Monday. Very wet day on Thursday - only 10 present. Rev. E Ellman visited daily. Girls' average attendance 40.4, Infants' average attendance 16.2. |
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| January $19^{\text {th }}$ | Registers and Summary tested and signed by managers at Committee Meeting. The attendance has been very good this week. Rev. E Ellman visited daily. <br> Girls' average attendance 46.9, Infants' average attendance 23.1. |
| January $25^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance not quite so good. There has been several cases of sickness in school this week. The family of Hills having two sisters come home from service who have just had measles are requested not to attend school for a week or two in case of infection. Rev. E Ellman visited Monday, Tuesday and Thursday. <br> Girls' average attendance 40.4, Infants' average attendance 21.8. |
| February $1^{\text {st }} 1889$ | Miss Folly absent Monday, Tuesday afternoon and Wednesday with a bad throat. Mrs Hill has sent a message saying all her children have measles. Rev. E Ellman visited Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday. <br> Girls' average attendance 43.4, Infants' average attendance 23.6. |
| February $8^{\text {th }}$ | Very small attendance on Thursday owing to rain. Rev. E Ellman visited daily. Girls' average attendance 36.1, Infants' average attendance 21.6. |
| February $15^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance this week has been very small owing to bad weather. On Monday the school was not opened and on Friday afternoon a half holiday was given. Rev. E Ellman visited Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. <br> Girls' average attendance 21.8, Infants' average attendance 11.8. |
| February 22 ${ }^{\text {nd }}$ | The attendance has been better this week. Alice Attwater, Standard VI has left school this week. Rev. E Ellman visited Monday, Wednesday and Friday. <br> Girls' average attendance 41.3, Infants' average attendance 25.6. |
| March $1^{\text {st }} 1889$ | Rose Scutt readmitted on Monday. The attendance has been small owing to snowy weather. Thursday the attendance was very small. Rev. E Ellman visited Monday, Tuesday and Thursday. Girls' average attendance 35.5 , Infants' average attendance 20.3. |
| March $8^{\text {th }}$ | Wednesday being Ash Wednesday the children attended church in the morning and a half holiday was given in the afternoon. Thursday a very wet day school not opened. Friday the attendance was very small as the floods were out. Rev. E Ellman visited Tuesday and Friday. Girls' average attendance 35.6 , Infants' average attendance 18.3. |
| March $15^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance has been much better this week. Rev. E Ellman visited Tuesday and Thursday. Tuesday notice of Diocesan Exam received. <br> Girls' average attendance 45, Infants' average attendance 27.9. |
| March $22^{\text {nd }}$ | One girl admitted on Monday. One left on Friday. Wednesday\# a wet day - attendance small. Rev. E Ellman visited Monday, Wednesday and Friday. <br> Girls' average attendance 41.7, Infants' average attendance 21.3. |
| March $29{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance has been better this week. Rev. E Ellman visited on Wednesday and Friday. Mrs Ellman called at the school this afternoon and bade the children goodbye as they are leaving Shipley today. <br> Girls' average attendance 45.2, Infants' average attendance 23.3. |
| April $5^{\text {th }} 1889$ | Diocesan Examination on Wednesday morning - half holiday given in the afternoon. Rev. H.S. Gorham visited Wednesday afternoon. Two girls, Eliza and Rhoda Hill left school this week. <br> Girls' average attendance 42.5, Infants' average attendance 26.2. |
| April ${ }^{\text {st }}$ | Three infants admitted. |
| April $12^{\text {th }}$ | Two infants admitted on Monday. Thursday a very wet day - very few children present. Miss Folly is very ill and has been absent all the week. I have taught the infants with the elder girls till today when Frederika Botting who left school last Christmas came to assist me. |


|  | Girls' average attendance 35.1, Infants' average attendance 24.2. |
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| April 18 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | School closed today for Easter Holidays. The attendance has been very good this week. Miss Folly still very ill. Ellen Hams Standard VI left school today. <br> Girls' average attendance 44.6, Infants' average attendance 30.7. |
| April $30{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Last day of school year. |
| May ${ }^{\text {rd }} 1889$ | New register commence on May $1^{\text {st }}$. Three infants admitted and five girls and six boys transferred from infant class to boys' and girls' departments. Mr Good tested and signed registers yesterday. <br> Girls' average attendance 46.5, Infants' average attendance 26. |
| May $10^{\text {th }}$ | One new girl admitted on Monday. Rev. H.S. Gorham visited Monday morning. One infant admitted on the same day. One infant boy left and one transferred this week. Friday very wet day - the attendance was small. <br> Girls' average attendance 46, Infants' average attendance 23.3. |
| May 17 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | One infant admitted on Monday. Tuesday Coolham Club day, the attendance was small in the morning - half holiday given in the afternoon. Thursday a meeting of the Managers. Registers tested and signed. Rev. H.S. Gorham visited today. Girls' average attendance47.8, Infants' average attendance 22.3. |
| May $24^{\text {th }}$ | One infant girl transferred on Monday. The attendance this week has been very good. Girls' average attendance 49.5, Infants' average attendance 23.8. |
| May 31 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ | Monday being Lawn Club a holiday was given. Attendance still good. Today, Friday the schools were inspected by C.E. Vertue Esq H.M.I. Rev. H.S. Gorham visited. Girls' average attendance 51.1, Infants' average attendance 20.3. |
| June ${ }^{\text {th }} 1889$ | C.E. Vertue Esq visited again on Monday. Rev. H.S. Gorham also visited. One new girl admitted this week. One girl left and one infant boy transferred. Duplicate received on Thursday - children put up into higher standard. <br> Girls' average attendance 49.2, Infants' average attendance 22. |
| June $14^{\text {th }}$ | Two girls left on Monday. The attendance was very small that day owing to the rain. Two infants admitted on Tuesday. The elder girls are not attending so regularly as the haymaking has commenced and they are wanted at home while their mothers are in the fields. Girls' average attendance 41.1, Infants' average attendance 18.6. |
| June $21{ }^{\text {st }}$ | Two girls left and two admitted this week. The attendance has been very fair for the girls the infants good. <br> Girls' average attendance 45.3, Infants' average attendance 27. |
| June $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Government Report received on Monday. One girl left. Mr Pannett, School Attendance Officer visited us today. <br> Girls' average attendance 41.4, Infants' average attendance 24.9. |
| June $24^{\text {th }}$ | Copy of Inspector's Report made subsequent to Examination held May $31^{\text {st }} 1889$. Girls' School "The discipline and sewing are very good. Spelling and Arithmetic are good in the First and Second Standards and very fair in the higher Standards. Reading and English should be more intelligent, and it is with some hesitation that of the $2 /$-grant is recommended for the latter subject". <br> Infants' Class "The Mistress was absent on the day of examination through illness. The children are in very good order, and have been well and carefully taught. Their reading and repetition are, however, sing-song and monotonous. The room is rather overcrowded. Desks should be provided for the first class. Proper accommodation should be provided in the offices [toilet facilities] for the infant boys". |
| June $24^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Folly returned to school today. |
| July $5^{\text {th }} 1889$ | The attendance of the elder girls is very bad this week. One infant girl transferred. Girls' average attendance 40.1, Infants' average attendance 21.7. |
| July $12^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Scrase, School Attendance Officer, visited today and took a list of absentees. Wednesday a very wet morning, the attendance was small. |


|  | Girls' average attendance 35, Infants' average attendance 19.9. |
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| July $19^{\text {th }}$ | Monday the attendance was very small. Rev. H.S. Gorham visited on Tuesday. Girls' average attendance 39.4, Infants' average attendance 20.5. |
| July $26^{\text {th }}$ | Tuesday was a very wet day - the attendance was very small. The attendance was better the remainder of the week. One infant girl transferred. Rev. H.S. Gorham visited on Wednesday. Girls' average attendance 42.1, Infants' average attendance 20.7. |
| July $27^{\text {th }}$ | Half yearly Meeting of Managers. Registers and Summaries tested and signed by Managers. |
| August $2^{\text {nd }} 1889$ | Rev. H.S. Gorham visited Tuesday afternoon. The attendance was very fair the beginning of this week but has fallen off the last two days. The Schools close today for Harvest Holidays. Girls' average attendance 38.3, Infants' average attendance 18.1. |
| September $6^{\text {th }} 1889$ | The Schools reopened on Monday. The attendance was very small as the harvest is not over. Mr Scrase visited in the morning and took list of every absentee. One infant girl was admitted. One girl left and one died during the holidays. New set of Reading books commenced for Standards III and II. Miss Hobbs the late mistress visited the schools Tuesday afternoon. <br> Girls' average attendance 23.6, Infants' average attendance 19.1. |
| September $13{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The children have returned to school better this week. One infant was transferred and one admitted on Monday. A half-holiday was given on Thursday afternoon. Girls' average attendance 42.4, Infants' average attendance 25.2. |
| September $20{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance has been very fair this week. Rev. E. Ellman visited the schools on Thursday and after school distributed books to children attending Sunday School. Girls' average attendance 42.8, Infants' average attendance 25.8. |
| September $27^{\text {th }}$ | One girl left and three children were admitted this week. Rose Kensett Standard V returned on Tuesday after three months' absence. Tuesday was a wet day the attendance was small on the other days it was very good. Mr Scrase, school attendance officer, died suddenly this week. <br> Girls' average attendance 44, Infants' average attendance 23.4. |
| October $4^{\text {th }} 1889$ | One infant girl transferred on Monday. The attendance has been very good till today when the attendance is very small owing to the rain. <br> Girls' average attendance 41.7, Infants' average attendance 23. |
| October 11 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Today, a very wet day, there was no school in the morning, only eleven girls and four infants present this afternoon. Girls' average attendance 40.7, Infants' average attendance 21.6. |
| October $18{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance this week has been very good. Mr W. Wood, one of the managers visited the school Thursday afternoon and returned the school fees to those children who passed the government examination in May last. <br> Girls' average attendance 48.1, Infants' average attendance 24.4. |
| October $25^{\text {th }}$ | Monday was a very wet day and the attendance was small. Attendance very good remainder of week. <br> Girls' average attendance 46.7, Infants' average attendance 25.2. |
| November ${ }^{\text {st }} 1889$ | Three new girls admitted this week, and one transferred. Lady Burrell visited the school Tuesday afternoon. Friday a very wet day - no school in the morning - only 12 girls and 10 infants present in the afternoon. <br> Girls' average attendance 42.7, Infants' average attendance 23.7. |
| November ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance this week has been very good. Thursday registers tested and signed by Mr Good. One infant boy transferred. <br> Girls' average attendance 50.5, Infants' average attendance 26.3. |
| November 15 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. H.S. Gorham visited on Monday also Rev. and Miss Woolmer. Two girls admitted on Tuesday. Attendance very good. <br> Girls' average attendance 52.5, Infants' average attendance 25.6. |
| November 22 ${ }^{\text {nd }}$ | Attendance not quite so good this week. The mistress was absent with leave on Wednesday. Mr Bacon assisted Miss Folly in the instruction of the girls. |


|  | Girls' average attendance 51.4, Infants' average attendance 25.8. |
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| November $29{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance has not been so good this week. Several children are absent with bad colds. Girls' average attendance 44.3, Infants' average attendance 21.4. |
| December $6^{\text {th }} 1889$ | The attendance still less owing to the severe cold. The infants have attended very badly the latter end of the week. <br> Girls' average attendance 41.9, Infants' average attendance 21.4. |
| December $13^{\text {th }}$ | School closes today for Christmas Holidays. Lady Burrell and the Miss Burrells visited on Monday and inspected needlework. Sir Raymond Burrell visited the school on Wednesday. |
| December 13 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Teachers' engagement terminates today. |
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| January $6^{\text {th }} 1890$ | Commenced duties as Mistress. I have had five years' experience as a Teacher in an Elementary School and resided for two years in Fishponds Training College - sat for certificate in December 1889. [signed] Ada A Rowley. |
| January $10{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance very poor throughout the week owing to the wet weather. Rev. Devereux Quicke visited the school on Tuesday. <br> Girls' average attendance 42.4, Infants' average attendance 19.5. |
| January $17^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance is still poor. Arithmetic is weak throughout the Standards. Mr Brooks, the new Attendance Officer visited the school on Thursday and took a list of the absentees. The infants have attended badly throughout the week. <br> Girls' average attendance 39.9, Infants' average attendance 15.1. |
| January $24^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance was fairly good during the early part of the week, but on Thursday the school was not opened owing to the weather. <br> Girls' average attendance 44.2, Infants' average attendance 21.2. |
| January $31^{\text {st }}$ | The attendance has not been so good this week. On Tuesday the school was not opened owing to the weather. Lady Burrell visited the school. Registers tested and signed by the Managers. <br> Girls' average attendance 35.1, Infants' average attendance 20.5. |
| February $7^{\text {th }} 1890$ | The attendance is still poor owing to several of the children suffering from severe colds. Girls' average attendance 36.5 , Infants' average attendance 20.9. |
| February $14^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance still less owing to sickness. One boy admitted this week. Mr Brooks visited on Thursday. Rev. H.S. Gorham visited on Friday. The infants have attended badly throughout the week. <br> Girls' average attendance 35.9, Infants' average attendance 17. |
| February $21^{\text {st }}$ | Wednesday being Ash Wednesday the children attended church in the morning, and a half holiday was given in the afternoon. The Rev. A. Devereux Quicke visited on Thursday. Girls' average attendance 35.8 , Infants' average attendance 18.6. |
| February $28^{\text {th }}$ | One girl left on Monday. The attendance has been very fair this week. The infants have attended better during the week. <br> Girls' average attendance 42.7, Infants' average attendance 22.9. |
| March $7^{\text {th }} 1890$ | The attendance has been very poor throughout the week. On Monday the school was closed owing to the snow. The Rev. A. Devereux Quicke visited several times during the week. One infant girl left. <br> Girls' average attendance 34.2, Infants' average attendance 14.6. |
| March $14^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance very good this week. The infants have attended better. The Rev. A. Devereux Quicke visited on Thursday. <br> Girls' average attendance 45.8, Infants' average attendance 20.3. |
| March $21{ }^{\text {st }}$ | One infant boy admitted this week. The attendance this week has been fairly good excepting on Thursday when the school was closed owing to the rain. <br> Girls' average attendance 48.7, Infants' average attendance 24.5. |
| March $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance not so good this week owing to bad weather. The Rev. A. Devereux Quicke visited on Wednesday. "The mistress has received a notice from the Training College, |


|  | Fishponds, stating that her examination on December $15^{\text {th }} 1889$ was passed successfully and that she has been placed in the Third Division of the Class List". <br> Girls' average attendance 38.2, Infants' average attendance 23.2. |
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| April ${ }^{\text {th }} 1890$ | Today being Good Friday, the children attended church in the morning - registers not marked. Notice of the Diocesan Examination was received on Monday. One boy and two girls (infants) admitted this week. Attendance fairly good. <br> Girls' average attendance 47.8, Infants' average attendance 28.7. |
| April $11^{\text {th }}$ | Monday being Easter Monday a holiday was given. Mr Brooks visited on Tuesday and took list of absentees. Notice of Diocn. Exm. Put up. Two girls admitted this week. Attendance not so good this week. <br> Girls' average attendance 44.2, Infants' average attendance 26.1. |
| April $18{ }^{\text {th }}$ | One girl admitted this week. Attendance very good this week except on Friday when amny scholars were absent owing to the rain. <br> Girls' average attendance 45.7, Infants' average attendance 25. |
| April $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | Diocesan Examination - half holiday given in the afternoon. |
| April $25^{\text {th }}$ | Today the school was closed owing to the rain. Girls' average attendance 51.3, Infants' average attendance 30. |
| April 30 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Last day of school year. |
| May ${ }^{\text {st }} 1890$ | New registers commenced. Today, being May Day, the attendance was small. The Rev. A. Devereux Quicke visited in the morning. Mr Brooks visited and took list of absentees. |
| May $2^{\text {nd }}$ | New Summaries commenced. Girls' average attendance 52.3, Infants' average attendance 22.6. |
| May $5^{\text {th }}$ | Nine boys and four girls transferred from infant class to boys' and girls' departments. Four infants admitted. Sir Raymond Burrell and Lady Burrell visited in the afternoon. |
| May $6^{\text {th }}$ | Nine infants admitted. |
| May $9^{\text {th }}$ | Diocesan Report received today. The following is a copy. <br> "Girls - The elder children passed a very good examination in all the subjects. <br> Infant Class - The Infants are well taught both in Holy Scripture and the Commandments". <br> The attendance this week has been very good. <br> Girls' average attendance 54, Infants' average attendance 26.3. |
| May $13^{\text {th }}$ | Today being Coolham Fair a half-holiday was given in the afternoon. |
| May $15^{\text {th }}$ | Today the school was inspected by Mr Gill. Half-holiday given in the afternoon. |
| May $16^{\text {th }}$ | Duplicate received today. Edith Stepney, Standard VI and Edith Johnson and Emma Francis, Standard IV left school today; also Ellen and Annie Johnson, Standard I. Girls' average attendance 52.2, Infants' average attendance 21. |
| May $19^{\text {th }}$ | Two girls admitted and two transferred from the Infant Class to Girls' Department. |
| May $20^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. A. Devereux Quicke visited. |
| May $23^{\text {rd }}$ | Emily Rowland has been absent from school this week owing to measles having broke [sic] out in her family; and Sarah Newman has been away because of the mumps. The children were put up in higher standards on Monday. The attendance this week has been very good. Girls' average attendance 53.1, Infants' average attendance 23.2. |
| May $26^{\text {th }}$ | Today being Lawn Club, a holiday was given. |
| May $27^{\text {th }}$ | Three boys and two girls (Infants) admitted and one girl also admitted. Albert Geal, one of the infant boys is a delicate child and subject to fits. For this reason, he has been prevented from attending school at an early age - his age at the time of admission being nearly seven. |
| May $30^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance has been very poor this week. Two girls, Rose and Lilian Kensett withdrawn this week. Government Report received today. <br> Girls' average attendance 39.5, Infants' average attendance 24.6. |
| June 2 ${ }^{\text {nd }} 1890$ | One infant girl admitted. Emily Rowland returned to school today. |
| June $6^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance has only been fair this week. Sophia Bowell, Standard VI has left school today, until after the harvest holidays. |


|  | Girls' average attendance 41.4, Infants' average attendance 21.2. |
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| June 9 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | One girl transferred to Girls' Department and two infant boys admitted. |
| May $30^{\text {th }}$ | Copy of Inspector's Report made subsequent to the examination held May $15^{\text {th }}$ 1890: Girls' School "The present teacher has been in charge for only four months. The discipline is very good, and the instruction is very fair. Reading and Writing, however, both require attention. The third standard is weak in both Spelling and Arithmetic. The Repetition is well said, but Grammar in only fair. Singing and Sewing are both good. The desk accommodation is insufficient and a Sewing Table should be provided". <br> Infants' Class "The infants are in very good order and continue to be well and carefully taught. Desks for the first class have not been provided, nor any accommodation for the infant boys in the offices". [Toilet facilities] |
| June $10^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited and took list of absentees. |
| June $13^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance has not been good this week owing to the rain. Girls' average attendance 44.9, Infants' average attendance 27.4. |
| June 19 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. A. Devereux Quicke visited. |
| June $20{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance has only been fairly good this week - several of the children in the upper standards being very irregular. <br> Girls' average attendance 50.9 , Infants' average attendance 30.6. |
| June $26^{\text {th }}$ | Today being a very wet day only 33 children were present. Infants 19. |
| June $27^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance has been very fair this week with the exception of Thursday. Girls' average attendance 45.1, Infants' average attendance 28.1. |
| June $30{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Today being a very wet day, the school was closed. |
| July $3^{\text {rd }} 1890$ | A half-holiday was given in the afternoon on account of the Sunday School Teacher Outing. |
| July $4^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Folly was absent from her duties today owing to illness. I have taught the infants with the elder girls. Rev. A. Devereux Quicke visited. <br> Girls' average attendance 46.1, Infants' average attendance 29.2. |
| July $7^{\text {th }}$ | Two infant boys admitted. |
| July $8^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. H.S. Gorham visited. |
| July $10^{\text {th }}$ | Mrs Adams came to the school and complained that I had severely caned her girl. She was very abusive and the complaint she made was perfectly untrue. As she would not talk reasonably, but continued to be very noisy and excited, I refused to listen to her. She said she should speak to the Managers about it and I replied that I too should lay the case before them at their next meeting. |
| July $11^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance this week has only been fairly good. Girls' average attendance 47.2, Infants' average attendance 30.2. Two girls left this week and two infants. |
| July $14^{\text {th }}$ | One girl admitted. Mr Brooks visited. Miss Folly returned to school today. |
| July $15^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. H.S. Gorham visited. |
| July $18^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance this week has improved but today several children were absent owing to the rain. One girl left. <br> Girls' average attendance 44.5, Infants' average attendance 26.3. |
| July $21^{\text {st }}$ | Today one of the infants, Edith Wakeford, accidentally fell into a stream, as she was on her way to school. Her sister brought her on to school, as her mother was out. When she arrived she was in a very wet condition. The child's clothes were taken off at once, and everything was done to prevent her from taking cold. She has attended school all the week and apparently seems to be none the worse for her wetting. |
| July $25^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited again today. The attendance on the whole has been fairly good. Annie Francis returned to school this week, after five weeks' absence. Girls' average attendance 48.1, Infants' average attendance 31.1. |
| July $28^{\text {th }}$ | Sir Raymond Burrell visited in the afternoon. Half yearly meeting of Managers. Registers and Summaries tested by the Managers. Two girls transferred from Infant Department. |


| August $1^{\text {st }} 1890$ | Attendance this week has improved. <br> Girls' average attendance 50.3 , Infants' average attendance 31.8. |
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| August $8^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance has been low throughout the week. School closes today for Harvest Holidays. Girls' average attendance 39 , Infants' average attendance [not given]. |
| September $15^{\text {th }} 1890$ | School re-opened today. Attendance very small - only 40 girls present and 20 infants. |
| September $19{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited and took list of absentees. Sir Raymond Burrell also visited. Girls' average attendance 36.3, Infants' average attendance 19.8. |
| September $22{ }^{\text {nd }}$ | The attendance today was very good. Several of the elder girls returned today but some of the children are still absent owing to bad colds. One girl transferred from Infant Room to Girls; Department, and one withdrawn. |
| September $23^{\text {rd }}$ | The song "March Away" was taught to the scholars, and a new one to the Infants. A part of the time set apart for singing was devoted to Musical Drill. |
| September $25^{\text {th }}$ | A new set of Reading Books has been provided for the Infants. Girls' average attendance 48.3, Infants' average attendance 24.5. |
| September $29^{\text {th }}$ | The numbers are less today than last week owing to the severe colds which are very prevalent in the neighbourhood. |
| September $30{ }^{\text {th }}$ | One of the elder scholars, Annie Francis has frequently been cautioned about being late. She has been excused several times until today when she was half an hour late, and therefore she was sent home. She has not attended school since. |
| October 3 ${ }^{\text {rd }} 1890$ | Kate Venn, Standard V, left today. Elizabeth Newman, Standard VI, has not attended since the Harvest Holidays, and the other girls in the same Standard attend very irregularly. One Infant girl left. <br> Girls' average attendance 46.5, Infants' average attendance 21.1. |
| October $6{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Two girls admitted, and one infant girl. The attendance of the Infants is very poor, owing to illness. |
| October $10{ }^{\text {th }}$ | One girl and two infants left today. This week the girls have attended fairly well. Girls' average attendance 47.6, Infants' average attendance 19.4. |
| October 17 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance this week has been fairly good, although some are still absent from colds. The Infants have not attended so well. <br> Girls' average attendance 45.5, Infants' average attendance 20.1. |
| October $20{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Afternoon school commenced at 1.15 p.m. instead of 1.30. Several of the girls in the upper standards are absent. |
| October $24^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance throughout the week has only been fairly good. Girls' average attendance 45.1, Infants' average attendance [not given]. |
| October $27^{\text {th }}$ | Two girls transferred from Infant Room to Girls' Department. |
| October $29^{\text {th }}$ | Registers and Summary tested and signed by Mr Good. |
| October 31 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ | The children have attended very irregularly throughout the week. Thursday being a wet day only 34 were present. <br> Girls' average attendance 43.9, Infants' average attendance 16.1. |
| November 5 ${ }^{\text {th }} 1890$ | Mr Brooks visited in the morning. |
| November $6^{\text {th }}$ | Today the Rev. E.I. Crosse visited. |
| November ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | One infant boy left, also Alice Wells, Standard V. her mother sent word today that as it was impossible for her to send her child regularly, it would be better for her to leave school. <br> Attendance still only fairly good. <br> Girls' average attendance 45.1, Infants' average attendance 17.8. |
| November $10^{\text {th }}$ | Elizabeth Newman, Standard VI, returned to school today, after eight weeks' absence. |
| November $11^{\text {th }}$ | Today, being a very wet day, only 17 were present in the morning and 26 in the afternoon. |
| November 13 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E.I. Crosse and Mrs Crosse visited in the morning. |
| November 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance has been considerably better this week. |


|  | Girls' average attendance 42.8, Infants' average attendance 17.8. |
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| November 17 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance today fairly good, but some children are still absent owing to bad colds and coughs. |
| November 21 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ | The three girls in Standard VI have attended much better this week. Girls' average attendance 43.9, Infants' average attendance 21.5. |
| November 27 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Today the school was closed owing to the snow. |
| November $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ | School closed today also. Attendance very poor owing to so much sickness. One case of measles reported. <br> Girls' average attendance 41.6, Infants' average attendance 18.6. |
| December $1^{\text {st }} 1890$ | Attendance very low; only 24 girls present and seven Infants. Several still absent owing to whooping cough. |
| December $2^{\text {nd }}$ | The sewing table recommended by H.M.I. has been provided for the school. |
| December 3 ${ }^{\text {rd }}$ | Mr Brooks visited and took list of absentees. |
| December $5^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Coates, one of the Managers, visited the school this afternoon and returned the school fees to those children who passed the Government Examination held in May last. Girls' average attendance 24.4, Infants' average attendance 8.2. The average attendance for both Girls and Infants for this week is the lowest since the Examination. |
| December $8^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance very low, only 38 present. The children in the lower standards have attended very irregularly for some time, owing to so much sickness. |
| December $12^{\text {th }}$ | The Infants have attended very irregularly owing to the severe cold. Girls' average attendance 32.8, Infants' average attendance 9.6 School closes today for Christmas Holidays. Holiday given in the afternoon. |
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| January ${ }^{\text {th }} 1891$ | School reopened today. Attendance very poor; only 24 girls present. |
| January ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks, Attendance Officer, visited in the morning and took list of absentees. |
| January ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Very little progress has been made this week owing to the irregular attendance of the scholars. <br> Girls' average attendance 23.2, Infants' average attendance 9.8. |
| January $12^{\text {th }}$ | Only very little improvement in the attendance today - 32 girls present. |
| January $15^{\text {th }}$ | Lady Burrell and miss Sybil Burrell visited in the afternoon. |
| January $16^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 28.8, Infants' average attendance 11.7. |
| January $19^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance today is better, both in the Girls' and Infants' Departments. |
| January $21{ }^{\text {st }}$ | A half-holiday was given in the afternoon in consequence of a Meeting. |
| January $22^{\text {nd }}$ | Mr Brooks paid a visit and took list of absentees. Half yearly meeting of the Managers. There were present, Sir Raymond Burrell, Rev. E.S. Arkle, Mr Coates, Mr Nailard and Mr Good. Registers were signed by them. |
| January $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | Girls' average attendance 37.6, Infants' average attendance 12.7. |
| January $26^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance today has greatly improved. Ellen Gratwicke has returned after ten weeks' absence owing to measles. |
| January $29{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Today the school was closed owing to the heavy rains. |
| January $30{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Only a small attendance today; several children left home with the intention of attending school, but when within half a mile from the school, they had to return, the road being impassable in consequence of the heavy rain on the previous day. Mr Nailard, one of the Managers, having resigned, Mr Strong has been appointed in his place. Girls' average attendance 43.1, Infants' average attendance 15.4. |
| February ${ }^{\text {nd }} 1891$ | One infant girl admitted. Attendance today is much better throughout the school. |
| February $6^{\text {th }}$ | Much progress has been made in each standard during the past week owing to better attendance. <br> Girls' average attendance 50.2, Infants' average attendance 23.4. |
| February $9^{\text {th }}$ | Ellen Francis, Standard I left today having gone to Horsham to live with her aunt. |


| February $11^{\text {th }}$ | Today being Ash Wednesday, the children attended church in the morning, and a halfholiday was given in the afternoon. |
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| February $13^{\text {th }}$ | The scholars have all attended better this week, until today when several were absent. Girls' average attendance 46.1, Infants' average attendance 25. |
| February $16^{\text {th }}$ | Edith Adams and her sisters are absent with the measles. |
| February $17^{\text {th }}$ | The scholars were taught the song "The Young Fireman". A part of time devoted to Singing was given to Musical Drill. |
| February $19^{\text {th }}$ | The mistress took the Infants for singing in the afternoon: during that time the girls were under the superintendence of Miss Folly. |
| February $20{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance this week has not been so good; some of the girls in the upper standards are still irregular. On Monday, Annie Francis was sent home. She has frequently been warned about being late. On the morning in question she came at 9.30 instead of 9 - and as warnings were of no avail she was sent home. <br> Girls' average attendance 47.3, Infants' average attendance 27. |
| February $23^{\text {rd }}$ | Edith Potter and her sisters, also Alice Linfield and Ethel Parker, attended school today after an absence of thirteen weeks. Mr Brooks visited in the morning, and cautioned several children about their irregular attendance. Today afternoon school commenced at $1.30 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. instead of 1.15 p.m. |
| February $7^{\text {th }}$ | The scholars have attended more regularly this week. A few children have been absent owing to sickness. <br> Girls' average attendance 52.8, Infants' average attendance 23.4. |
| March 2 ${ }^{\text {nd }} 1891$ | One of the infant children was re-admitted today. |
| March 4 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The half-yearly stock of goods was received from the National Society's Depot today. |
| March $5^{\text {th }}$ | The song "Red White and Blue" was taught to the girls, and a new song to the Infants. |
| March $6^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance for this week has improved considerably. Girls' average attendance 56.4, Infants' average attendance 28.4. |
| March $9^{\text {th }}$ | Number present today is only 51, a slight decrease from last week. Several infants absent owing to the weather. |
| March 11 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The school was closed on Tuesday and Wednesday in consequence of a heavy snow-storm. |
| March 122 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance very low. |
| March $13^{\text {th }}$ | Two children have been absent this week owing to sickness. Girls' average attendance 39.8. [Infants' not given] |
| March $16^{\text {th }}$ | Several children are absent today in consequence of rain, only 30 present. |
| March 17 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited, and enquired after absentees. |
| March $20^{\text {th }}$ | Annie Howard, Standard III has been absent all week owing to measles. Nellie Potter, Standard II has also been absent - she is a very delicate child and consequently she is very irregular in attendance. Several children this week have been suffering from sore throats and cold in the eyes. <br> Girls' average attendance 46.8, Infants' average attendance 23.6. |
| March $23^{\text {rd }}$ | One infant boy admitted. Sarah Newman, Standard III and her sister, Standard I left today, in consequence of leaving this neighbourhood. Several children are absent today owing to the rain. |
| March $24^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance much better today. |
| March $26{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E.I. Crosse, late curate-in-charge, visited in the morning. School closes today for a week in order to allow the room to be white-washed and cleaned. |
| March $27^{\text {th }}$ | Today being good Friday, the children attended church in the morning - registers not marked. Form VIII received from the Education Dept. <br> Girls' average attendance 43.8, Infants' average attendance 21.6. |
| April $3^{\text {rd }} 1891$ | Notice of the Diocesan Examination was received today, and put up. The day was fixed for April $22^{\text {nd }}$ but was altered to the $21^{\text {st }}$. |
| April $6^{\text {th }}$ | School reopened today after Easter Holiday. Attendance very fair - 53 girls present. |


|  | Catherine Agate, Standard II and her sisters are absent owing to sickness. |
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| April ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Several children are absent today owing to the rain. |
| April 10 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Much progress has been made during the week, but the scholars are still backward in Grammar and Mental Arithmetic. Annie Francis, Standard III is suffering from a cold in the eyes. She has had medical advice and is not permitted to attend. Nellie Potter, Standard II is still absent, and will be unable to attend for some time, as she is suffering from inflammation. The average for this week has improved. <br> Girls' average attendance 48.4, Infants' average attendance 24.9. |
| April $13^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance very fair - eight children absent owing to sickness. Ada Linfield has been absent a fortnight through illness. |
| April 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E.S. Arkle, Curate-in-Charge visited in the morning. Two desks, recommended by H.M.I for the accommodation of the Infants have been provided. |
| April $16^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance today is not so good. |
| April $17{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Catherine Agate is still absent through illness. Girls' average attendance 51.1, Infants' average attendance 28.5. |
| April $20{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance fairly good. 54 present. Ada Linfield returned after a fortnight's absence through illness. |
| April 21 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ | The Diocesan Examination was held in the morning by Mr Heath. Sir Raymond Burrell and the Rev. E.S. Arkle visited. A half-holiday was given in the afternoon. |
| April $22^{\text {nd }}$ | Several children were absent today. |
| April $24^{\text {th }}$ | Annie Francis is still absent owing to bad eyes. Good progress has been made during the week in all subjects. Mrs Francis called today, and stated that her little boy was suffering from scarletina so that none of her children will be able to attend school, by the doctor's orders. On Monday afternoon Lady Burrell and Miss Sybil Burrell visited. The infants have attended badly during the latter part of the week. <br> Girls' average attendance 49.5, Infants' average attendance 24.8. |
| April $27{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Catherine Agate returned to school today after three weeks' absence , owing to sickness. Frances Clements, Standard I was sent home today for her school fees. She was cautioned last week that if she came without her money she would be sent home. She again attended in the afternoon but was at once dismissed. |
| April $29{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Infants were taken by the mistress for singing and drill, during that time the girls were under the superintendence of the Assistant Mistress. |
| April $30{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited and took names of absentees. The last day of the School year. The attendance for this week has not been so good: 12 have been absent. Notice of the Government Examination received. <br> Girls' average attendance 47.2, Infants' average attendance 24.2. |
| May $1^{\text {st }} 1891$ | New registers commenced today. [new school year begins] |
| May $4^{\text {th }}$ | Four infants admitted today. One infant girl has been absent for a week owing to illness. |
| May $5^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance today is very good, only four absent, two of them being the Francis family, who are suffering from scarletina. |
| May $6^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks, the School Attendance Officer, visited in the afternoon to look up the absentees. |
| May $7^{\text {th }}$ | Today being Ascension Day, the children attended Church in the morning, and a half-holiday was given in the afternoon |
| May $8^{\text {th }}$ | Registers and Summary tested and signed by Mr Good. The attendance for the whole week has improved. <br> Girls' average attendance 58, Infants' average attendance 24.2. |
| May $11^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance today is very fair. |
| May $12^{\text {th }}$ | Today, being Coolham Club, the attendance was very low in the morning - a half holiday was given in the afternoon. Millie Roberts, one of the infant girls has been absent owing to illness. Her mother sent word this morning, to say that she would be unable to attend the Examination of Thursday next. |


| May $13^{\text {th }}$ | List of Object Lessons submitted to H.M.I. for approval. To be given to the infants during the ensuing year. <br> [This list initialled as approved by H.M.I James Mackenzie] |
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|  | Natural History ${ }^{\text {Objects }}$ |
|  | The Tiger Cotton |
|  | Monkey ${ }^{\text {a }}$ Wool |
|  | Squirrel ${ }^{\text {R }}$ Rice |
|  | Duck ${ }^{\text {S }}$ Silk |
|  | Fishes $\quad$ A candle |
|  | Whale ${ }^{\text {W }}$ ( A basket |
|  | Bear ${ }^{\text {a }}$ Money |
|  | Fox ${ }^{\text {a }}$ ( A kitchen |
|  | Hen $\quad$ A fire |
|  | Mouse ${ }^{\text {a }}$ A train |
|  | Bee $\quad$ Trades |
|  | Bat ${ }^{\text {Batcher }}$ |
|  | Robin ${ }^{\text {a }}$ Shoemaker |
|  | Carpenter |
| May $13^{\text {th }}$ | List of Pieces for Recitation submitted to H.M. I Inspector for approval. |
|  | Standards V \& VI Horatio 144 lines and 6 lines of the Lineage of York |
|  | Standard IV $\quad$ The Idle Shepherd Boys (80 lines) |
|  | Standard III $\quad$ Nelly's Shilling (60 lines) |
|  | Standard II $\quad$ The Hand Post (40 lines) |
|  | Standard I Childrens' Wishes (20 lines) |
|  | [The above list was crossed out and James Mackenzie has written in his own hand the following as substitution: |
|  | I, II We are Seven |
|  | III $\quad$ Lord Allin's Daughter |
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|  | [signed by James Mackenzie] |
| May $14^{\text {th }}$ | Today the school was inspected by J Mackenzie Esq. H.M.I. of Schools. A holiday was given in the afternoon. |
| May $15^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 53.5, Infants' average attendance 21.6. |
| May $18{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Today being Whit-Monday, several children were absent. |
| May $21{ }^{\text {st }}$ | Several children were unable to attend in consequence of the rain. |
| May $22^{\text {nd }}$ | Mr Arkle visited in the morning. Mary Francis, Standard IV leaves school today, as she is going to take a situation in Horsham. <br> Girls' average attendance 42.1, Infants' average attendance 17.1. |
| May $25^{\text {th }}$ | Today being Lawn Club there was only a very small attendance in the morning and in the afternoon a holiday was given. |
| May $26^{\text {th }}$ | One infant boy admitted. |
| May $28^{\text {th }}$ | As the girls were playing in the shed during their dinner hour, Ellen Knight accidentally fell from a seat, which had been placed there for the children to sit on. Instead of using the seat for that purpose Ellen Knight and several other girls were standing on it. Consequently the seat turned over, and the girl's shoulder was hurt. She is unable to attend at present. The mistress cautioned the children as to their behaviour in the playground. |
| May $29{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Two girls left today. The attendance throughout the week has been very low. Girls' average attendance 44.2, Infants' average attendance 20.8. |
| June $1^{\text {st }} 1891$ | Several children were absent today owing to a fete being held in an adjoining parish. Mr Arkle visited in the morning and brought the Diocesan Inspector's Report. The following is a |


|  | copy: <br> Infant Class "the infants continue to be very well instructed, their knowledge, especially of the Catechism, was remarkable for such young children". <br> Girls " Div I is hardly as good as in Previous years. Div II is a thoroughly good group, and passed a most satisfactory examination in all the subjects". |
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| June $3^{\text {rd }}$ | The attendance today has improved. Mr Brooks visited in the morning and took list of absentees. Government Report received today. |
| June $4^{\text {th }}$ | The registers were not marked in the morning, in consequence of the rain preventing the scholars from attending. In the afternoon, a holiday was given owing to the annual Choral Festival at Horsham. |
| June $5^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 44.6, Infants' average attendance 22.1 Copy of Inspector's Report made subsequent to Examination held May $14^{\text {th }} 1891$. <br> Girls' School - "Except that the Arithmetic of the first class is only pretty fair, the school has passed a fairly good examination in the elementary subjects. Grammar, weak in the fourth standard is, on the whole, fair. Mental Arithmetic needs a little more attention. Singing and Needlework are fairly good. The discipline is very good". <br> Infants' Class - "The Infants are carefully taught, and have passed a very fair examination in the elementary subjects. Needlework, Object Lessons and Recitation are fairly good. The offices are not yet provided with accommodation for the infant boys". M. Folly is recognised under Article 50. |
| June $8^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance today is much better. Two infant boys admitted. |
| June $9^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Arkle visited in the afternoon. |
| June 12 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Ellen Knight was able to attend this week. Elizabeth Wood has been absent for a fortnight. Girls' average attendance 48.8, Infants' average attendance 23.2. |
| June 15 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | There is great improvement in the attendance today. The Francis family are still absent. One infant girl admitted. |
| June $16^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Arkle visited in the morning and checked the registers. |
| June $17^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance has not been so good today. |
| June 19 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Elizabeth Newman left today. <br> Girls' average attendance 47.7, Infants' average attendance 27.4. |
| June 22 ${ }^{\text {nd }}$ | Several of the elder girls are absent today. Elizabeth Wood attended today after three weeks' absence. |
| June $23^{\text {rd }}$ | Only 36 girls were present in consequence of the rain. |
| June $26{ }^{\text {th }}$ | General progress has been made this week by the scholars in their new work. Girls' average attendance 44.4, Infants' average attendance 25.6. |
| June $29{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Today, being a very wet day, the greater part of the scholars were absent. |
| June $30^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited in the afternoon. The scholars were exercised in their musical drill during a part of the time devoted to singing. The attendance today has been very good. |
| July ${ }^{\text {st }} 1891$ | Today, being a very wet day, the registers were not marked. No child attended in the morning, and only five in the afternoon. |
| July $3^{\text {rd }}$ | The attendance has been very low this week. Girls' average attendance 41.5, Infants' average attendance 23.8. |
| July $6^{\text {th }}$ | Several children were absent today, owing to the rain. |
| July ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Elizabeth Francis returned today, after nine weeks absence, scarletina having broken out in the family. Ada Linfield was sent home today for her school fees. She was absent during the rest of the week. |
| July $10{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The scholars have attended very badly this week; several of the girls in the upper standards being absent. <br> Average for the week - 40 . |
| July $13^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance today is much better. Nellie Potter attended after several weeks' absence through illness. Ethel Carter will be absent until after the Harvest Holidays. |


| July $16^{\text {th }}$ | A half-holiday was given in the afternoon on account of the Sunday School Teachers' annual outing. |
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| July $17^{\text {th }}$ | The scholars have made but little progress this week, owing to their irregular attendance, especially those in the upper standards. <br> Girls' average attendance 45.6, Infants' average attendance 27.6. |
| July $20{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Several children were absent owing to their parents being at work haymaking. |
| July $22^{\text {nd }}$ | Lady Burrell and Miss Burrell visited in the afternoon. |
| July $24^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance today is lower than it has been the whole week. Girls' average attendance 43.9, Infants' average attendance 26.3. |
| July $27^{\text {th }}$ | Today the school was closed, owing to the heavy rains; not one child attended. The half yearly meeting of the Managers was held today. The registers and summaries were tested and signed by them. |
| July $28^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance was only fairly good. |
| July $31^{\text {st }}$ | Favourable progress has been made during the week throughout the school, but it is very slow on account of several absentees in each standard. Annie Nicholls had been absent for several weeks, and has not yet returned. <br> Girls' average attendance 44.6, Infants' average attendance 24.2. |
| August 3 ${ }^{\text {rd }} 1891$ | Owing to the rain, several children were absent; only 21 attended. |
| August $4^{\text {th }}$ | The children attended much better today; 54 were present out of 61 . The infants also attended well. [This is the first time the actual number of registered pupils has been recorded. It does not appear to include the number of infants on the registers.] |
| August ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E.S. Arkle visited in the morning. A holiday was given in the afternoon, on account of the School Treat. |
| August ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | School closes today for the Harvest Holidays. Girls' average attendance 40.7, Infants' average attendance 20.3. |
| September $14^{\text {th }} 1891$ | Re-opened school today. Attendance very low, several children being absent, owing to their mothers being at work in the fields. Notice was received from the Education Department by the Managers, respecting the payment of school fees. This form was duly filled up and returned. The Managers having decided to accept payment of fees, no charge was made to the scholars commencing with this week. <br> Free Education from September $1^{\text {st }}$. |
| September $14^{\text {th }}$ | A new stove has been provided for the accommodation of the Infants. One girl admitted, also four infants. Charlotte Dubbins, Standard V left today. |
| September $18{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Very slow progress has been made during the week, owing to so many absentees. Two girls and one infant left today. The average attendance for the week is the lowest for the quarter. Girls' average attendance 27.1, Infants' average attendance 18.2. |
| September 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | During the Harvest Holidays, proper offices were made for the Infant Boys' accommodation. [Toilet facilities] |
| September 21 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ | There is only a very slight improvement in the attendance today. Miss Folly, and some of the elder girls, were absent for a short time during the afternoon in order to attend the funeral of Annie Stepney, one of their late schoolfellows. A Penny-Bank, for the thrift of the scholars, was started today. |
| September 22 ${ }^{\text {nd }}$ | The song entitled "The Sailors" was learnt by the scholars. A part of the time was devoted to Musical Drill. |
| September 24 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | A list of the School Fees Return, re Andrews' Charity, was forwarded to the Rev. H.S. Gorham. |
| September $25^{\text {th }}$ | More progress has been made this week, but the attendance is still low. Annie Millham withdrawn today. <br> Girls' average attendance 37, Infants' average attendance 26.3. |
| September $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance is still very poor. Mr Brooks visited in the afternoon, and took list of absentees. Rev. E.S. Arkle paid a visit to the school in the morning. Alice Linfield is absent, as she is |


|  | suffering from diphtheria. Ethel Parker, her next door neighbour, is also absent. Her mother wrote to enquire whether it would be wise to send the child as usual, but acting on the advice of the Rev. E.S. Arkle, a message was sent to the effect that she had better remain away for a while. |
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| September $30^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E.S. Arkle visited in the afternoon. Three scholars attended today (Wednesday) for the first time this week. |
| October 2 ${ }^{\text {nd }} 1891$ | Girls' average attendance 36, Infants' average attendance 28.9. |
| October $5^{\text {th }}$ | There was slight improvement in the attendance today. Rosetta Roberts, Standard V, attended for the first time since the holidays. Standard $V$ were taught the Rule of Three, and the third standard started Compound Subtraction. |
| October $9^{\text {th }}$ | Progress has been general this week - several were absent on Tuesday morning owing to the rain. The Infants have also attended better this week. The half-yearly stock of goods was received today from the National Society. <br> Girls' average attendance slightly better, but only 38.6, Infants' average attendance 25.5. |
| October 12 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance today is far from good. Mary Thorns is absent owing to illness. |
| October 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Several children were unable to attend in consequence of the floods being out. |
| October $16^{\text {th }}$ | Scarcely any progress has been made this week, owing to the low attendance. A holiday was given in the afternoon to prepare the room for the accommodation of a concert. Girls' average attendance only 31.6 , Infants' average attendance 16.6. |
| October $19^{\text {th }}$ | The registers were not marked today owing to the heavy rains. Only 4 children present. |
| October 21 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ | [written by Rev. E.S. Arkle] Visited school \& examined registers finding them correct, but attendance unsatisfactory owing no doubt to very unsettled weather, E.S. Arkle. |
| October $22^{\text {nd }}$ | School was not opened today owing to the heavy rains. In some parts the roads were impassable because of the floods. |
| October $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | Today there were only 23 children present. Little progress has been made, owing to the unsettled state of the weather. <br> Girls' average attendance 31.3 , Infants' average attendance 20.5 . |
| October $26^{\text {th }}$ | There is a slight improvement in the attendance today, although several are absent, chiefly those in the upper standards. |
| October $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Edith Potter and her sisters attended today, this being their first attendance since the Harvest Holidays. As their weekly school fee was 4d per week, they are now charged 1d per week. Miss Burrell and her governess visited in the afternoon, and stayed while the girls performed their drill. |
| October 29 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks paid a visit in the morning and took a list of absentees. |
| October 30 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Edith Cooper, Standard VII, and two other girls left today. Registers and Summaries tested and signed by Mr Good. <br> Girls' average attendance 42.7, Infants' average attendance 25.3. |
| November 2 ${ }^{\text {nd }} 1891$ | The attendance today is much better. Lady Burrell and Miss Burrell visited in the afternoon. |
| November 3 ${ }^{\text {rd }}$ | Standard V commenced "Practice" today and Standard IV "Reduction". |
| November ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Three girls left this week. One of them, Alice Linfield, has been withdrawn owing to sickness. Fair progress has been made this week throughout the standards. The attendance has been much better this week. <br> Girls' average attendance 45.3, Infants' average attendance 26. |
| November 9 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance today only fair, owing to the unsettled state of the weather. Ethel Parker is absent, owing to illness. |
| November 10 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | One infant boy admitted today. |
| November 11 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Registers were not marked in consequence of the heavy rains; only four children attended. |
| November 13 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Several children were absent today, owing to the high floods following close upon the rain. Girls' average attendance 34.5 , Infants' average attendance 22. |
| November $16^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance today is very fair. The girls in the upper standards still attend very irregularly, especially in Standard VI. |


| November 18 $8^{\text {th }}$ | Standard II were taught Short Division. |
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| November 20 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Ethel Parker is still absent, owing to illness. Girls' average attendance 37.3, Infants' average attendance 24.6. |
| November $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | Rev. E.S. Arkle visited in the morning. The attendance today is much better. |
| November $26{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E.S. Arkle again visited in the morning. |
| November 27 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Fair progress has been made this week throughout the standards; but the irregularity of attendance of some of the elder girls has been a great drawback. Girls' average attendance 38.9, Infants' average attendance 25.8. |
| November $30^{\text {th }}$ | Very poor attendance this morning owing to the rain; only 25 scholars present. |
| December $1^{\text {st }} 1891$ | Attendance today is much better, but those of the upper standards still attend very irregularly. |
| December $2^{\text {nd }}$ | The first quarterly instalment of the School fee Grant was received by the Managers from the Education Department. Owing to the prevalence of the heavy floods, several children were absent. |
| December 4 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Throughout this week the Mistress has devoted much time to the lower standards. The children are in a backward state, owing to sickness and irregularity. Girls' average attendance 28.6, Infants' average attendance 16.7. |
| December ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Registers were not marked; only two children attended owing to the heavy rain. |
| December $8^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance very good. Rev. E.S. Arkle visited in the morning. |
| December $9^{\text {th }}$ | This morning the attendance is very low, in consequence of the rain. |
| December $10{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Coates, one of the Managers, visited in the afternoon, and returned School Fees to the scholars. |
| December $11^{\text {th }}$ | School closes this morning for Christmas Holidays. Girls' average attendance 39.1, Infants' average attendance 20. |
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| January 4 ${ }^{\text {th }} 1892$ | School re-opened today. Attendance very low; several children being absent owing to severe colds. |
| January $5^{\text {th }}$ | A new song, "The Fisherman" was taught to the scholars. |
| January ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | One girl admitted. |
| January $8^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance very poor: only 24 present. Girls' average attendance 33.2, Infants' average attendance 18.4. |
| January $11^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance very low owing to the snow; only 19 present. One girl re-admitted, one infant girl admitted. |
| January $13^{\text {th }}$ | A slight improvement on attendance; several are absent owing to influenza. |
| January $15^{\text {th }}$ | The average for the week is the lowest for the year. Girls' average attendance 23.1, Infants' average attendance 10.7. |
| January $18{ }^{\text {th }}$ | There is only a very slight improvement in attendance today. Several of the girls in the upper standards are absent while those of Standard I attend even worse. |
| January $21^{\text {st }}$ | Mr Brooks visited in the morning, and cautioned several as to their irregular attendance. He also took list of absentees. |
| January $22^{\text {nd }}$ | The infants have attended better this week, but the attendance is far from good owing to so much sickness. <br> Girls' average attendance 26.3, Infants' average attendance 22.5. |
| January $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | The half-yearly meeting of the Managers was held today. Registers and Summaries were tested and signed by them. |
| January $25^{\text {th }}$ | Very fair attendance; those absent are unable to attend because of illness. |
| January $26^{\text {th }}$ | The scholars were put through their Musical Drill during part of the time devoted to singing - a new song was also taught to them. |
| January $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Several were absent today. |
| January $29{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Progress has been general this week. The work of the lower standards has improved, |


|  | especially as regards Arithmetic which has always been very weak. Girls' average attendance 33.1, Infants' average attendance 24.8. |
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| February $1^{\text {st }} 1892$ | Alice Mitchell and her sister attended today after an absence of twelve weeks. Attendance fairly good. Two new mats were provided for the school. |
| February 3 ${ }^{\text {rd }}$ | Today's attendance is the highest for the week. |
| February $5^{\text {th }}$ | Fair progress has been made this week; much time has been taken up with Standard III owing to their weak spelling. <br> Girls' average attendance 35.2, Infants' average attendance 23.6. |
| February $7^{\text {th }}$ | Owing to the rain there were only very few present. Emily Geal attended today, after an absence of seven weeks. |
| February $8^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance much better; but several of the girls in the upper standards still attend very irregularly. |
| February $10^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E.S. Arkle visited in the morning and tested registers. |
| February $12^{\text {th }}$ | Standard V commenced Compound Practice. In consequence of the irregularity of the girls in this class, they are very backward in their work. <br> Girls' average attendance 34.8, Infants' average attendance 20.6. |
| February $15^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance much better. Several attended who had been absent owing to illness. Ann Tilley Standard III has been absent for six weeks and consequently she is far behind the others in her work. |
| February $17^{\text {th }}$ | Today there was a falling off in attendance, several of the girls in the upper standards being absent. |
| February $18^{\text {th }}$ | Owing to a fall of snow, only six scholars attended; registers not marked. |
| February22nd | Attendance fairly good: several of the elder girls are absent. |
| February $24^{\text {th }}$ | Owing to the rainy weather, very few scholars were present. |
| February $\mathbf{2 6}^{\text {th }}$ | Louise Tebby has been absent all week on account of illness. Ethel Stepney has also been absent. <br> Girls' average attendance 35.2, Infants' average attendance 25.2. |
| February $29^{\text {th }}$ | There was a fairly good attendance today. Elizabeth Francis, Standard I has not attended since the Christmas Holidays. Rose Agate, Standard II, has been absent for five weeks owing to bad feet. |
| March ${ }^{\text {st }} 1892$ | The second quarterly instalment of the School fee Grant was received by the Managers from the Education Department. |
| March $2^{\text {nd }}$ | Today being Ash Wednesday, the children attended church in the morning. Owing to the severe cold there was only a very poor attendance. |
| March $4^{\text {th }}$ | Progress has been general this week. Rev. E.S. Arkle visited in the afternoon. Girls' average attendance 32.1, Infants' average attendance 20.9. |
| March $7^{\text {th }}$ | Ethel Stepney is still absent owing to sickness. Louise Tebby attended today after a fortnight's absence; she has been suffering from a sore throat. |
| March $8^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited in the morning and took list of absentees. He also cautioned several of the scholars with regard to their irregularity, especially those in the fourth standard, either a day or a day and a half every week. |
| March $11^{\text {th }}$ | Annie Hams and her sister were withdrawn today as they are leaving the neighbourhood. Attendance very poor today owing to a fall of snow. Progress has been general this week, with the exception of Standard VI who are very weak in Arithmetic. Girls' average attendance 36.3, Infants' average attendance 23.3. |
| March $14^{\text {th }}$ | Elizabeth Francis, Standard I attended today after six weeks absence. Attendance still only fairly good: three scholars are absent owing to illness. |
| March 15 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The children were put through their Musical Drill during part of the time devoted to Singing. |
| March 16 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Standard III occupied a great deal of the Mistress' time. |
| March $18{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Visited the School in the morning and tested the Registers, finding a poor attendance for the week. [signed] E.S. Arkle. |


| March $18^{\text {th }}$ | Rosetta Roberts, Standard V, has been withdrawn today as she is required at home to help her mother. The "Potter" family have not attended since last September. The Rev. E.S. Arkle called on the parents, to ascertain whether they intended to send them again; the reply was that "they should send the children when it suited them". The Mistress took the Infants for singing in the afternoon; during that time, the elder girls were under the superintendence of Miss Folly, the Assistant Mistress. During the last fortnight the girls' playground has been put under drainage operations. <br> Girls' average attendance 38 , Infants' average attendance 27.3. There is only a very slight improvement in the average attendance. Progress continues to be general. |
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| March $21^{\text {st }}$ | Edith Potter and her sister attended today after six months absence. Owing to their backward state, they have been placed in a lower standard. Several children are absent, owing to colds. |
| March $22{ }^{\text {nd }}$ | Mr Brooks visited in the afternoon and inquired after absentees. |
| March 24 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance today is the best for the week. |
| March $25^{\text {th }}$ | As usual there were several absentees today, the children being required by their parents to go to the doctor's. <br> Girls' average attendance 39.3, Infants' average attendance 25.7. |
| March $28^{\text {th }}$ | Ethel Stepney, Standard VI, left today, owing to severe illness. Attendance only fair, several children being absent in consequence of colds. |
| March 29 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E.S. Arkle visited in the afternoon and enquired after absentees. |
| March 31 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ | Mr Coates, one of the Managers, visited in the afternoon and returned remainder of school fees to scholars. |
| April ${ }^{\text {st }} 1892$ | Very little progress has been made this week owing to low attendance. Girls' average attendance 33.1, Infants' average attendance [not given]. |
| April $4^{\text {th }}$ | Alice Linfield, Standard II, readmitted. Rev. E.S. Arkle visited in the afternoon. There is no improvement in attendance: the girls in the upper standards attend very irregularly. Annie Nicholls, Standard IV, has been absent for six weeks, owing to illness |
| April $8^{\text {th }}$ | Number of children present today only 38. This has been the highest for the week, thus leaving 14 absentees. The Infants attend fairly well. <br> Girls' average attendance 37, Infants' average attendance 26.5 |
| April 11 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Ethel Parker, Standard II, attended today having been absent since Christmas owing to illness. Mabel Adams also attended. Attendance much better, but there are still more scholars absent. |
| April $15^{\text {th }}$ | Today being Good Friday, the registers were not marked. Notice of Diocesan Examination received. <br> Girls' average attendance 42.5, Infants' average attendance 27.7. |
| April 18 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | One girl and one infant withdrawn. The fencing, which divides the girls' playground from the boys', has been removed, and new boards substituted. Notice of the Diocesan Examination was put up. Several children were absent owing to its being Easter Monday. |
| April $19{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance has improved, but there are now ten scholars absent, suffering from colds and sickness. |
| April $22{ }^{\text {nd }}$ | Progress this week has been very slow, on account of irregular attendance. Mrs Mitchell sent word that her two children were absent because of illness. They are both under the doctor's care, and will be unable to attend for three of four weeks. |
| April $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | A meeting of the Managers was held today. Registers and Summaries tested and signed by them. Girls' average attendance 33.6 , Infants' average attendance 22. |
| April $25^{\text {th }}$ | Owing to the rain several children were absent; number present only thirty three. |
| April $26^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E. S. Arkle visited in the morning. Notice of Government Examination received. Attendance much improved; there were only six absentees, three of these being away owing to sickness. |
| April $29{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The girls in the upper standards have attended much better this week, and good progress |


|  | has been made. The Mistress took the infants for singing in the afternoon; during that time the girls were under the superintendence of the Assistant Mistress. School year ends. Girls' average attendance 39.9, Infants' average attendance 22.4. |
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| May $2^{\text {nd }} 1892$ | New registers commenced. Rev. E. S. Arkle visited in the morning. |
| May $4^{\text {th }}$ | The Diocesan Examination was held in the morning by Mr Heath. Rev. E. S. Arkle visited. |
| May $6^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance has only been fair throughout the week - several being absent because of illness. <br> Girls' average attendance 39.3, [Infants' average attendance not given] |
| May $9^{\text {th }}$ | Alice Mitchell, Standard I and her sister are still absent owing to sickness. Alice Linfield, Standard II is also ill and unable to attend. [Register signed and dated $10^{\text {th }}$ May 1892 by Inspector, G Gardner] |
| May $10^{\text {th }}$ | Subjoined is the poetry for the year 1893 sanctioned by HM Inspector. A holiday was given in the afternoon. |
|  | Standards I \& II $\quad$ Casablanca |
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|  | Standards IV - VII Lady of the Lake |
| May $10^{\text {th }}$ | Three children were absent on the day of Examination, viz: Caroline Mitchell, Standard I, Alice Mitchell, Standard I, Alice Linfield, Standard II. The reason being illness. |
| May $11^{\text {th }}$ | A whole holiday given. |
| May $12^{\text {th }}$ | One infant boy admitted. |
| May $13^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance has been very low since the Examination. Girls' average attendance 38.8, Infants' average attendance 29.2. |
| May $16^{\text {th }}$ | Seven girls transferred from Infants to Girls Department. Nine Infant boys and six Infant girls admitted. One girl readmitted. Rev. E. S. Arkle visited in the afternoon and brought Duplicate Schedule received from HMI. |
| May $20^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance for the week has been much better. The scholars commenced their new work this week. <br> Girls' average attendance 45.1, Infants' average attendance 30.2. |
| May $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | Six girls withdrawn today. One infant boy admitted. Attendance slightly improved. |
| May $26^{\text {th }}$ | Owing to the rain, the greater part of the scholars were absent. |
| May $27^{\text {th }}$ | Several scholars are absent - some of the elder girls having attended only twice during the week. Progress this week has been much retarded, in consequence of irregularity. Girls' average attendance 35.5 , Infants' average attendance 22.9. |
| May 30 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Today a holiday was given, owing to the Lawn Club Gala. |
| May $31{ }^{\text {st }}$ | Mr Brooks visited in the morning and took list of absentees. Attendance fairly good; the absentees are chiefly those in the upper standards. |
| June $2^{\text {nd }} 1892$ | Registers not marked, owing to a heavy storm. |
| June $3^{\text {rd }}$ | Sophia Bowell, Standard VII left today. <br> Girls' average attendance 41.5, Infants' average attendance 27.6. |
| June $6^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance very low, in consequence of its being Whit Monday. One infant boy admitted. |
| June $7^{\text {th }}$ | The scholars attended much better; good progress is being made. Standard V were taught Addition of Fractions, and Standard IV Short Division of Money. |
| June $9^{\text {th }}$ | A holiday was given in the afternoon on account of the Choral Festival being held at Horsham. |
| June $10{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Rose Geal has been absent this week owing to illness. Girls' average attendance 40. [Infants' average attendance not given] |
| June $13^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance only fairly good. |
| June $14^{\text {th }}$ | Standard IV were taught Compound Long Division and Standard III Addition of Money. |
| June 15 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited in the morning and took names of absentees. |


| June $17^{\text {th }}$ | Very poor attendance today. Ellen Knight, Standard IV, left today. Girls' average attendance 40.5, Infants' average attendance 30.9. |
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| June $20{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Two infants admitted. Attendance fairly good; Mabel Adam and her sister are absent owing to another sister having the measles. |
| June $21{ }^{\text {st }}$ | Owing to the heavy rain, several children were absent. |
| June $24^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance today is the best for the week; nine scholars are absent. Girls' average attendance 35.6, Infants' average attendance 26.4. |
| June $24{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Termination of teacher's engagement. [signed] A Rowley, Mistress. |
| June $24{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Copy of Inspector's Report made subsequent to Examination held May $10^{\text {th }} 1892$ Girls' School - "The girls drill nicely and they are well behaved. A want of intelligence was shown in the Arithmetic exercises and in Reading, and the Spelling of the third standard and the Writing of the fourth standard were weak. In other respects the school seems to be in much the same condition as last year". <br> Infants' Class - "The infants' class is in a creditable state of efficiency, but the routine is in want of variety". <br> Miss Rowley will receive her certificate in due course. [signed] E.S. Arkle, Correspondent. |
| June $27^{\text {th }}$ | Commenced duties as temporary Mistress [signed] E.L. Potter nee Bungay |
| July $1^{\text {st }} 1892$ | Rosetta Roberts readmitted this week. The attendance has been fairly good. Girls' average attendance 39.8, Infants' average attendance 31.4. |
| July ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Rhoda Bowell is absent owing to measles. The elder girls are not attending so well being kept at home while their mothers are haying. The infants have attended well this week. Girls' average attendance 35.4, Infants' average attendance 28.4. |
| July $11^{\text {th }}$ | School closed today for a fortnight on account of measles. |
| July $25{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks came at the opening of school today and as there were only 13 girls and 6 infants in attendance, the rest being still Il with measles, it was decided to close school for another week. There was a meeting of the managers in the afternoon when registers were tested and signed. |
| August ${ }^{\text {st }} 1892$ | School reopened today. 19 girls and 19 infants were present. |
| August $5^{\text {th }}$ | One girl left this week for work and one infant was admitted. Girls' average attendance 24.3, Infants' average attendance 17.5. |
| August 11 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E. S .Arkle visited the school and tested registers. |
| August $12{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Rosetta Roberts left school for work today. School closed for Harvest Holiday. Girls' average attendance 27.4, Infants' average attendance 19.9. |
| September $19^{\text {th }} 1892$ | Commenced duties in Shipley C. E. School (Girls) this day as Mistress. [signed] H. Uphill. Admitted one boy and one girl on Monday morning, both infants. One infant boy left, also two girls, Elizabeth Attwater Standard V and Agnes Carter Standard V. School reopened after the Harvest holidays with an attendance of 42. The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited the school on Monday morning. A very wet day on Wednesday therefore very small attendance in consequence. <br> Girls' average attendance 38.2, Infants' average attendance 26.5. |
| September $26{ }^{\text {th }}$ | School work as usual this week. There were 44 children present on Wednesday out of 49. A very wet day on Friday, very small school in consequence, only 23 girls in the morning and 25 in the afternoon. The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited the schools on Friday. Admitted one infant boy on Tuesday morning. <br> Girls' average attendance 37.6, Infants' average attendance 28.3. |
| October $7^{\text {th }} 1892$ | Admitted one infant boy. Annie Nicholson having left school her name in consequence taken off the register. Rev. E. S. Arkle visited the school on Wednesday afternoon. Very wet day on Wednesday, small school in consequence. <br> Girls' average attendance 35.6, Infants' average attendance 25.7. |
| October $11^{\text {th }}-14^{\text {th }}$ | Teacher worked by a new Time Table this week to try the working of it. Attendance very good all the week until Friday, when in consequence of the wet weather there were only 27 |


|  | girls present. <br> Girls' average attendance 39.9, Infants' average attendance 31.2. |
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| October $17^{\text {th }}-21^{\text {st }}$ | Attendance much improved this week. The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited the school on Wednesday afternoon and tested the registers and inquired after absentees. One infant boy and one girl left this week. Girls' average attendance 41.3, Infants' average attendance 32. |
| October $24^{\text {th }}-28^{\text {th }}$ | A very wet day on Tuesday, small attendance in consequence. Attendance all the week not so good a previous week on account of the very stormy weather. School quarter ended on Friday. <br> Girls' average attendance for quarter 41.3, Infants' average attendance 32. |
| October $31^{\text {st }}-$ <br> November $4^{\text {th }} 1892$ | Admitted one girl from the Infant Department on Monday morning. Attendance very small on Monday in consequence of the very wet weather. The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited the school on Monday. <br> Girls' average attendance 33, Infants' average attendance 22. |
| November ${ }^{\text {th }}-11^{\text {th }}$ | School work as usual, this week, and attendance much improved. Girls' average attendance 41.9, Infants' average attendance 28.8. |
| November $14^{\text {th }}-18^{\text {th }}$ | Admitted two infant boys on Monday, also one girl 8 years old. Lady Burrell paid a visit to the School on Tuesday afternoon. A very wet day on Wednesday, there were only 8 girls came [sic] and one infant and in consequence of this Registers were not marked. <br> The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited on Thursday morning. Miss Folly worked by another Time Table on Thursday and Friday to test the working of it. <br> Girls' average attendance 35.25, Infants' average attendance 26. |
| November $21^{\text {st }}-25^{\text {th }}$ | School work as usual this week. Attendance a little improved. Girls' average attendance 40, Infants' average attendance 31.5. |
| November $28^{\text {th }}-$ December $2^{\text {nd }} 1892$ | [log book initialled V.W.U and signed by Garland Dated 2.12.'92.] <br> Attendance not so good as previous week. The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited the School on Wednesday morning and inspected the Registers paying attention to the absentees. Girls' average attendance 36.3, Infants' average attendance 29.8. |
| December $5^{\text {th }}-9^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E.S. Arkle visited on Monday afternoon and again on Wednesday morning. Attendance not so good this week, in consequence of the weather and from very bad colds. One infant boy left this week. <br> Girls' average attendance 32.3, Infants' average attendance 16.8. |
| December $12^{\text {th }}-16^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance this week very small, in consequence of the bad weather, and a deal of sickness amongst the children. The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited the School on Thursday morning and examined the Registers. School closed on Friday morning for the Christmas Holiday. Girls' average attendance 25.2, Infants' average attendance 16.3. |
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| $\begin{aligned} & \text { January } 9^{\text {th }}-13^{\text {th }} \\ & 1893 \end{aligned}$ | School reopened on Monday morning after the Christmas holidays with a very small attendance, many of the children being at home with bad colds. One girl admitted in the Infant Department. The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited the School on Friday morning. Miss Folly is very ill and unable to return to her duties - I have taught the Infants with the assistance of the elder girls and when too many for them Mrs Bacon has taken them. <br> Girls' average attendance 26.1, Infants' average attendance 16.7. |
| January $16^{\text {th }}-20^{\text {th }}$ | A very small attendance all the week in consequence of the very wet and snowy weather. On Wednesday there were not enough present to mark Registers, there being only 8 girls and 6 infants present. Miss Folly still unable to return, I have taken the Infants. Girls' average attendance 23.125, Infants' average attendance 16.875. |
| January $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | Monday a holiday - the Schools being required for a public occasion. |
| January $24^{\text {th }}$ | School not open until 9.55 - no religious instruction given. |
| January $25^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Folly returned and resumed her duties on Wednesday morning. |
| January $26^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited the School on Thursday morning. The Class Registers were examined and signed by the Management at their meeting held on Thursday afternoon. |


|  | Attendance a little improved this week. <br> Girls' average attendance 31.875, Infants' average attendance 27.87. |
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| January $30^{\text {th }}-$ February $3^{\text {rd }} 1893$ | Millie Roberts very ill, not allowed to attend School by Doctor's orders. The Rev. E. S. Arkle came in on Thursday afternoon. <br> Girls' average attendance 33.7, Infants' average attendance 23.4. |
| February $6^{\text {th }}-10^{\text {th }}$ | School work as usual. Attendance a little improved. Girls' average attendance 33.8, Infants' average attendance 23.8. |
| February $13^{\text {th }}-17^{\text {th }}$ | Millie Roberts attended School this week. Attendance not quite so good this week, many children at home with bad colds. The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited the School on Thursday afternoon. <br> Girls' average attendance 31,3, Infants' average attendance 20.2. |
| February $20^{\text {th }}-23^{\text {rd }}$ | A very wet stormy week, and in consequence of the floods children were unable to attend the School, therefore attendance very small the whole week. On Tuesday there were only 8 girls and two infants, therefore the Registers were not marked. On Thursday afternoon Rev. E. S. Arkle came in. Children were given a holiday on Friday the School being used as a Polling place for the Election. <br> Girls' average attendance 24.6, Infants' average attendance 15.1. |
| February $27^{\text {th }}-$ March $3^{\text {rd }} 1893$ | Attendance still very small all the week in consequence of the very stormy weather, and so many of the children having bad colds. The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited the School on Tuesday morning. Wednesday being such a wet day there were present only 5 girls and one infant, therefore Registers were not marked. <br> Girls' average attendance 31.625, Infants' average attendance 23.5. |
| March $6^{\text {th }}-10^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance a little improved this week. Admitted one infant on Monday morning. The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited the School on Thursday morning and tested the Registers. Girls' average attendance 35.8, Infants' average attendance 30. |
| March ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited on Tuesday morning and took a list of the absentees. |
| March ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Received a set of New National Readers for Standard I on Thursday. |
| March 13 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E. S. Arkle visited the School on Monday morning. Ethel Parker and Alice Linfield returned to school after an absence of 10 weeks. |
| March $16{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E. S. Arkle visited and heard the girls sing. Attendance still improved this week. Girls' average attendance 37.5, Infants' average attendance 28.3. |
| March $20{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Admitted a new Infant. |
| March $24{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance much improved this week. Girls' average attendance 40.2, Infants' average attendance 31.5. |
| March $26^{\text {th }}-30^{\text {th }}$ | School work as usual. Girls' average attendance 37.25, Infants' average attendance 31.5. |
| March 31 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ | Today being Good Friday, the children attended Church - Registers not marked. |
| April $3^{\text {rd }}-7^{\text {th }} 1893$ | Attendance improved this week. Received notice of Diocesan Examination on Friday for Tuesday $25^{\text {th }}$ April. <br> Girls' average attendance 37.8, Infants' average attendance 29.8. |
| April $10^{\text {th }}-14^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance improved this week. Girls' average attendance 40.8, Infants' average attendance 30.8. |
| April $17^{\text {th }}-21^{\text {st }}$ | Admitted two girls on Monday morning one infant and one in Standard II. Teacher found Infant very backward for her age she being seven years old. <br> Girls' average attendance 41.2, Infants' average attendance 32.6. |
| April $24^{\text {th }}-28^{\text {th }}$ | The Diocesan Examination was held on Tuesday morning by Mr Heath. Rev. E. S. Arkle visited. A half-holiday was given in the afternoon. Mr Brooks, the Attendance Officer, visited on Thursday afternoon April $27^{\text {th }}$. School year ended on Friday. Government inspection fixed for May $17^{\text {th }}$. <br> Girls' average attendance 40.5, Infants' average attendance 33.5. |
| May ${ }^{\text {st }} 1893$ | New Registers commenced today. |
| May $4^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E. S. Arkle visited the School today - gave children their Certificates gained by them at |


|  | Diocesan Examination. <br> Girls' average attendance 41.8, Infants' average attendance 31.8. |
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| May $9^{\text {th }}$ | Today being Coolham Club, the attendance was very low in the morning, a holiday was given in the afternoon. |
| May $11^{\text {th }}$ | Today being Ascension Day, the Registers were marked at 9 a.m. and children taken to Divine Service at 11 a.m. school work as usual in the afternoon. Rev. E. S. Arkle visited. |
| May $12{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 38.7, Infants' average attendance 31. |
| May $17^{\text {th }}$ | [signed] Inspector, J Gardner. <br> Poetry for Recitation for the year ending April $30^{\text {th }} 1894$, sanctioned by HM Inspector: |
|  | Standards I \& II ${ }^{\text {a }}$ (he Village Blacksmith |
|  | Standard III $\quad$ Bruce and the Spider |
|  | Standards IV, V \& VI $\quad$ The Lady of the Lake commencing at Stanza XIII |
| May $17^{\text {th }}$ | A half-holiday was given. |
| May $19^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance has been very small since the day of the Examination, on that day all the girls on Books were present. Registers tested and signed by the Managers. <br> Girls' average attendance 38.8, Infants' average attendance 32.8. |
| May $22^{\text {nd }}-26^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance very small all the week. Admitted five girls for Standard I from the Infant Department. Three of the Upper Standard girls left for work, also one in Standard III, and one in Standard I their parents having left the parish. Received the Duplicate Schedule on Tuesday morning, moved the children into their higher Standards. Rev. E. S. Arkle visited on Friday morning. <br> Girls' average attendance 35.2, Infants' average attendance 27.2. |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { May } 29^{\text {th }}-\text { June } 2^{\text {nd }} \\ & 1893 \end{aligned}$ | Monday being Lawn Club there was only a very small attendance in the morning, and in the afternoon a holiday was given. The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited the School on Tuesday afternoon. A holiday was given on Thursday on account of the Choral Festival being held at Chichester. One Infant girl admitted this week. <br> Girls' average attendance 36, Infants' average attendance 27.1. |
| June $5^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited the School today and took a list of the absentees. One boy admitted in the Infant Department, he is 9 years old and knows nothing at all, not even his letters. |
| June $9^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance a little improved this week. <br> Girls' average attendance 38.9, Infants' average attendance [not given]. |
| June $12{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Admitted one girl today and two infant boys. |
| June $13^{\text {th }}$ | Admitted one infant girl. The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited today. <br> Copy of Inspector's Report made subsequent to Examination held May $17^{\text {th }} 1893$. <br> Girls' School "There has been a change of Teacher in the Girls' Department. The work is in much the same condition as last year; English should improve, and counting on fingers should not be allowed". <br> Infants' Class "The remarks made last year on the Infants' class are again applicable". <br> The Boys' School must be more effectively warmed art: 85a and the playground drained and gravelled. The Infants' Room is below the minimum size required by Rule 7a of Schedule VII of the Code. The special attention of the Managers is requested to the enclosed Form 69". [signed] E. S. Arkle Correspondent |
| June $14^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited today. |
| June $15^{\text {th }}$ | A half-holiday was given in the afternoon on account of the Sunday School Teachers' annual outing. |
| June $16^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance very irregular this week. <br> Girls' average attendance 38.2, Infants' average attendance 33. |
| June 19 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Admitted three Infant boys this morning. Sent home Annie and Daisy peacock this morning on account of their coming to school with such dirty heads, requesting their Mother to clean them. |
| June $22^{\text {nd }}$ | Sir R. C. Burrell visited the School this morning. |


| June $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | A very wet morning only 18 girls were present and 14 infants. In the afternoon there were 23 girls present and 22 infants. <br> Girls' average attendance 35.2 , Infants' average attendance 32.7. |
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| June $27^{\text {th }}$ | A very wet day, attendance very small, only 17 girls present and 9 infants. |
| June 28 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Annie and Daisy peacock not yet returned to School. |
| June $29{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited the School this morning and tested the Registers, making a note of the absentees. |
| June $30{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 33, Infants' average attendance 25.8. |
| July $7^{\text {th }} 1893$ | Attendance improved this week. Girls' average attendance 38.6, Infants' average attendance 32.5. |
| July $10^{\text {th }}$ | Admitted May Lelliott from the Infant Department. |
| July $12^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited the School in the afternoon. A very wet morning, a small School in consequence, Mr Brooks visited. |
| July $14^{\text {th }}$ | Catherine Agate absent all week in consequence of a breaking out on her face. Girls' average attendance 34.7, Infants' average attendance 29.4. |
| July $17^{\text {th }}-21^{\text {st }}$ | Attendance very small all the week, partly owing to the wet weather, and some of the Farmers having commenced Harvest operations. Thursday a very wet day, Registers not marked in consequence. Rev. E. S. Arkle visited the School in the morning. Catherine Agate having left School, her name was taken off the Registers. <br> Girls' average attendance 30.1, Infants' average attendance 26.7. |
| July $24^{\text {th }}$ | Kate Fairs left School today, her name taken off the Register. |
| July $25^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E. S. Arkle visited the School in the morning. |
| July $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ | School closes today for the Harvest holidays. Girls' average attendance 26.8, Infants' average attendance 20.8. |
| September 4 ${ }^{\text {th }} 1893$ | School re-opened today after the Harvest Holidays. 43 girls were present out of 47 . Admitted two girls and two infants. Eight Infant boys were transferred to the Boys' School. The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited today and examined the Registers. |
| September $5^{\text {th }}$ | Sent Jane Francis, a Standard I girl, into the Infant Room to learn her letters. |
| September $8^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 42.4, Infants' average attendance 28.6. |
| September $11^{\text {th }}$ | Admitted Kate Newman a girl in Standard IV this morning, her right arm being withered she writes with her left hand. |
| September $15^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance this week very good. Girls' average attendance 42.5, Infants' average attendance 28.7. |
| September $18{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited the School today, and inspected the attendance, he ordered Emily Powell to stay at home for a fortnight, her sister being ill with a Fever. The Rev. E. S. Arkle also visited. |
| September 21 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ | Rev. E. S. Arkle visited in the morning. Received stores of Stationery etc. from the National Society's Depot. |
| September $22^{\text {nd }}$ | Attendance much the same as last week. Girls' average attendance 42.1, Infants' average attendance 28.3. |
| September $26{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Burrell visited the School today. |
| September $29{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance very small today in consequence of the stormy weather. Girls' average attendance 36 , Infants' average attendance 23.9. |
| October 3 ${ }^{\text {rd }} 1893$ | [Log Book signed] V Wm Cleavland [signature indistinct] |
| October ${ }^{\text {nd }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited in the afternoon and tested the Registers. Kate and Albert Hards left school today their parents having removed from the parish. |
| October $6^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Folly absent today through illness. Mrs Bacon assisted me with the Infants. Girls' average attendance 37.4, Infants' average attendance 21.9. |
| October $10{ }^{\text {th }}$ | A very wet day, only 17 Girls present and 12 Infants. |
| October 12 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E. S. Arkle visited this morning. |


| October $13{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Kate Newman, having gone to an Hospital in London, her name taken off the Register, the time of her absence being uncertain. Miss Folly still absent all week. Average this week very low on account of the stormy weather. <br> Girls' average attendance 30.1, Infants' average attendance 17.9. |
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| October 17 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Emily and Walter Powell returned to School today. |
| October 19 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Very small School today many of the children picking up acorns. |
| October\# $20^{\text {th }}$ | Louisa and George Rhodes left School today, their parents having removed from the Parish. Miss Folly again absent all the week. <br> Girls' average attendance 33.2, Infants' average attendance 19.4. |
| October $23^{\text {rd }}-27^{\text {th }}$ | Mr brooks visited the School on Wednesday and took a list of the absentees. Rosie Hill's name taken off the Register her parents having left the Parish. Miss Folly still absent. Attendance a little improved this week. End of Second Quarter of School year today. Number of Girls on Books 44. <br> Number of Infants on Books 28. <br> Girls' average attendance 36.1, Infants' average attendance 23.9. |
| October 30 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Readmitted Percy Stepney today. Mr Brooks visited to ascertain if the absentees had returned to School. |
| October 31 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ | Rev. E. S. Arkle visited the School in the afternoon. |
| November 2 ${ }^{\text {nd }} 1893$ | A very wet day, Registers not marked. |
| November 3 ${ }^{\text {rd }}$ | Miss Folly still absent. Girls' average attendance 35.125 , Infants' average attendance 22.875 . |
| November $6^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited the School in the afternoon. |
| November ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E. S. Arkle again visited. |
| November 10 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Several children absent through sickness both amongst the Infants and the older Girls. Girls' average attendance 33.5, Infants' average attendance 19. |
| November 13 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Daisy Ewins left School today, her parents leaving the parish. |
| November 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Folly returned to School this morning and resumed her duties. Mr Brooks visited today to take the names of absentees. |
| November 15 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited this morning. |
| November 17 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | A very wet day, small School in consequence. Rev. E. S. Arkle visited. Girls' average attendance 31, Infants' average attendance 19. |
| November 20 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Sir C.R. Burrell visited the School this morning. |
| November 23 ${ }^{\text {rd }}$ | Lady Burrell and Miss Burrell visited the School this afternoon. |
| November $24^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance slightly improved this week, after Monday. Girls' average attendance 34.3, Infants' average attendance 17.6. |
| November 28 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited in the afternoon and took a list of the absentees. |
| December $1^{\text {st }} 1893$ | A very wet day only 23 Girls present. Girls' average attendance 32, Infants' average attendance 19.4. |
| December $4^{\text {th }}-8^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance very irregular this week, in consequence of the stormy weather. School work as usual. <br> Girls' average attendance 33.1, Infants' average attendance 19. |
| December $12^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited the School this afternoon, and tested the Registers. Several Girls absent through sickness. |
| December $13^{\text {th }}$ | A very wet day. Registers not marked. |
| December $14^{\text {th }}$ | A very small School, on account of the floods. |
| December 15 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | School closed today for three weeks, the usual Christmas holiday. Girls' average attendance 29.25, Infants' average attendance 16.8. |
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| January ${ }^{\text {th }} 1894$ | School reopened today, Monday, with a very small attendance indeed, only 15 Girls were present and 3 Infants, in consequence of the weather, Snow lying on the ground. |


| January $9^{\text {th }}$ | Still only 15 Girls present and 4 Infants. |
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| January $11^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E. S. Arkle visited this afternoon. |
| January $12{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance very small all the week the highest number present was 23 Girls and 7 Infants, therefore average for this week very low. <br> Girls' average attendance 18, Infants' average attendance 5.6. |
| January $15^{\text {th }}-19^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance improved this week, with the exception of a very wet day on Wednesday when there were only 17 Girls present and 6 Infants. <br> Girls' average attendance 31.1, Infants' average attendance 16.7. |
| January $22^{\text {nd }}$ | A very wet day - Registers not marked. |
| January $24^{\text {th }}$ | Highest number present for a long time 40. |
| January $25^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E. S. Arkle visited in the afternoon. |
| January $26^{\text {th }}$ | Small School today in consequence of the floods. Girls' average attendance 33 , Infants' average attendance 17. |
| January $30^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited and took a list of the absentees. |
| January $31^{\text {st }}$ | A very wet day, small School in consequence, only 15 Girls present in the morning and 16 in the afternoon. The Rev. H. Gorham and the Rev. E. S. Arkle visited the School in the morning. |
| February $2^{\text {nd }} 1894$ | Small School today in consequence of the weather. Girls' average attendance 30.9, Infants' average attendance 19.1. |
| February $5^{\text {th }}-9^{\text {th }}$ | Admitted a new Scholar on Monday morning and found her very backward. Wednesday being Ash Wednesday, a holiday was given in the afternoon. Rev. E. S. Arkle visited in the morning. <br> Girls' average attendance 37.5, Infants' average attendance 19.8. |
| February $13^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited the School in the afternoon and examined the Registers. |
| February $16^{\text {th }}$ | Several children at home all the week with bad colds. Girls' average attendance 34.4, Infants' average attendance 20.8. |
| February $19^{\text {th }}-23^{\text {rd }}$ | Rose Agate at home all the week, very ill, she will be unable to attend School for some time. Rev. E. S. Arkle visited the School during the week. <br> Girls' average attendance 35 , Infants' average attendance 22.7. |
| February $27^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited the School and examined the Registers. |
| February $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ | A very wet day indeed. Registers not marked. |
| March ${ }^{\text {st }} 1894$ | Lady Burrell and Miss May Burrell visited the School this afternoon.. |
| March $2^{\text {nd }}$ | A better attendance today (Friday) than there has been all week. Girls' average attendance 32.6, Infants' average attendance 21.1. |
| March ${ }^{\text {th }}-9^{\text {th }}$ | School work as usual this week- several children still absent through illness. Admitted one Infant boy on Monday morning, he will be 7 years of age on April $24^{\text {th }}$ and has never been to School before. <br> Girls' average attendance 33.9, Infants' average attendance 25.2. |
| March $13^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited the School in the afternoon, and tested the Registers. Received the notice of the Examination in Religious Knowledge for April $4^{\text {th }}$. |
| March 15 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | A very wet day, small School in consequence. |
| March $16^{\text {th }}$ | One Infant Girl and one Girl in Standard I left today, their parents having removed. Girls' average attendance 34.4, Infants' average attendance 23.8. |
| March $19{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Admitted one Infant boy on Monday morning. |
| March $23^{\text {rd }}$ | Today being Good Friday, children were taken to Church. Registers not marked. Girls' average attendance 37, Infants' average attendance 27.8 . |
| March 26 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance today not quite so good, in consequence of its' being Easter Monday. |
| March 30 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Sir C.R. Burrell visited the School today. Girls' average attendance 36.6, Infants' average attendance 24.8. |
| April $3^{\text {rd }} 1894$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited the School today. |
| April $4^{\text {th }}$ | The Diocesan Examination was held today by Mr Heath - Rev. E. S. Arkle visited. A half- |


|  | holiday was given in the afternoon. |
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| April $6^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 37.25, Infants' average attendance 23.7. |
| April $9^{\text {th }}$ | Admitted two Infants this morning. |
| April 11 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Children were given a half-holiday today. |
| April $12{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited this morning and took a list of absentees. |
| April $13^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 37.5, Infants' average attendance 26.7. |
| April $16^{\text {th }}$ | Very small attendance today in consequence of the stormy weather. |
| April 18 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited this morning, and tested the Registers. Government Inspection fixed for May $22^{\text {nd }}$. |
| April $20{ }^{\text {th }}$ | A better attendance today than there has been all week, 40 being present in the morning, and 41 in the afternoon out of 43 . <br> Girls' average attendance 36.9, Infants' average attendance 27.4. |
| April $24{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited today. |
| April $25^{\text {th }}$ | A very wet morning, only one Girl present and one Infant, Registers not marked in consequence. |
| April $27^{\text {th }}$ | There were 41 Girls present this afternoon. Girls' average attendance 39, Infants' average attendance 30.3. |
| April $30^{\text {th }}$ | Last day of School year. |
| May ${ }^{\text {st }} 1894$ | Commenced new Registers today. |
| May $3^{\text {rd }}$ | Registers marked at 9 a.m. today, it being Ascension Day, children were taken to Church at 11 a.m. Rev. E. S. Arkle visited this afternoon. Girls' average attendance 36.75, Infants' average attendance 26.8. |
| May $8^{\text {th }}$ | Today being Coolham Club, the attendance was very small in the morning, a holiday given in the afternoon. Rev. E. S. Arkle visited. |
| May $10^{\text {th }}$ | Very small School today, in consequence of the wet weather, only 36 Girls present. |
| May $11^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 35, Infants' average attendance 26.3. |
| May 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | A very small attendance today in consequence of its being Bank Holiday. |
| May 16 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E. S. Arkle visited this morning. |
| May $18{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 36.4, Infants' average attendance 27.5. |
| May $22{ }^{\text {nd }}$ | [signed] $22^{\text {nd }}$ May 1894 Inspection, J Gardner <br> Subjoined is the Poetry for Recitation for the years 1894 \& 95 sanctioned by H.M. Inspector A holiday was given in the afternoon. |
|  | Standards I \& II ${ }^{\text {I }}$ "We are Seven" |
|  | Standard III ${ }^{\text {"After Blenheim" }}$ |
|  | Standards IV - VII $\quad$ The Lady of the Lake" commencing at Stanza 18 |
| May $24{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited today. |
| May $25^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance has been very low since the day f the Examination, on that day every girl was present. <br> Girls' average attendance 36, Infants' average attendance 29.1. |
| May $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Admitted one new Girl today. Five Girls transferred from Infant Department to Girls' Department. A half-holiday given today, owing to the Lawn Club Gala. |
| May $29^{\text {th }}$ | Received the Duplicate Schedule today and moved children into their higher Standards. |
| May 31 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited this morning and brought the Diocesan Inspector's Report. The following is a copy:- <br> Infants' Class - "The Infants are admirably taught, and showed a surprising amount of knowledge for their years". <br> Girls' Division:- " The Girls are very well instructed in Holy Scripture and the Catechism, their knowledge of the latter subject being especially good. The repetition and written work were very creditable". [signed]E.S. Arkle |


| June $1^{\text {st }} 1894$ | Four Girls left School today, their names in consequence taken off the Registers. <br> Girls' |
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| Junerage attendance 37.1, Infants' average attendance 21.3. |  |$|$| June 5 $5^{\text {th }}$ | Admitted a new Infant boy. Rev. E. S. Arkle visited in the afternoon. |
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| June $8^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance better today Friday than it has been all week. <br> Girls' average attendance 32.8, Infants' average attendance 19.8. |
| June $11^{\text {th }}$ | Admitted three Infant Girls today. |
| June $14^{\text {th }}$ | Received Inspector's Report of Examination today - the following is a copy. <br> Girls' School "The girls have made satisfactory progress since my last visit, and I hope further <br> improvement, especially in intelligence, will be shewn at the next inspection". <br> Infants' Class "The infants' Class continues in creditable condition". |
| [signed] E.S. Arkle |  |


| September $25^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited this morning and examined the Registers. |
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| September $27^{\text {th }}$ | Two Girls in Standard I taken off the Register today, leaving only 37 on Books now. |
| September $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 33.2, Infants' average attendance 26.9. |
| October 3 ${ }^{\text {rd }} 1894$ | Rev. E. S. Arkle visited this afternoon. |
| October $5^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E. S. Arkle visited again today. <br> Girls' average attendance 33.2, Infants' average attendance 26.9. |
| October 11 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Received a new supply of Stationery and Geographical Readers today for Standards I. II and III. Girls read from them for the first time this afternoon. |
| October 12 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance not quite so good this week as last week. Teacher thought it advisable for Etherl Parker, Standard V, to stay at home for a week or two, her Sister not being well, and the Doctor today has pronounced her to be ill with measles. Elsie Adams has been absent for five weeks, she being away from home. <br> Girls' average attendance 31.2, Infants' average attendance 25.3. |
| October $16^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E. S. Arkle visited this afternoon. |
| October 19 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Elsie Adams still absent from home. Girls' average attendance 33, Infants' average attendance 27.2. |
| October 22 ${ }^{\text {nd }}$ | Small School today in consequence of the weather. |
| October $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | Admitted two Girls today, one in Standard II, and one in Standard I. Standard I Girl very backward, so sent her to the Infant Room for a little while. |
| October $25^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E. S. Arkle visited this afternoon and heard the Girls sing. Girls' average attendance 31, Infants' average attendance 23.7. |
| October 29 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Admitted one Girl from the infant Department this morning. |
| October 30 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | A very wet day, very small School in consequence, only 17 Girls present. The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited in the morning. |
| October $31^{\text {st }}$ | Small School again today caused by the floods. Elsie Adams returned to School today the first time since the Harvest holidays, she having been from home on a visit. Readmitted Ellen Rowland this afternoon. |
| November 2 ${ }^{\text {nd }} 1894$ | Girls' average attendance 29.1, Infants' average attendance 19.2. |
| November $5^{\text {th }}-9^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance better this week. Teacher took Annie Wood's name off the Register, she having gone away to stay with some friends for an uncertain time. Ether Parker returned to School this week, after an absence of three weeks, the doctor certifying that she might. Girls' average attendance 35.8, Infants' average attendance 25.4. |
| November $12^{\text {th }}$ | A very wet day indeed only 2 Girls and one Infant present. Registers not marked in consequence. Rev. E. S. Arkle visited in the morning. |
| November 13 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | A little better attendance today, 26 Girls in the morning and 28 in the afternoon. |
| November $14^{\text {th }}-15^{\text {th }}$ | Two very wet days. Roads quite impassable with floods - Children quite unable to attend. Registers not marked. |
| November $16^{\text {th }}$ | There were 20 Girls present today, and 10 Infants. Girls' average attendance 23.5, Infants' average attendance 15.2. |
| November $19{ }^{\text {th }}-23^{\text {rd }}$ | Attendance improved this week. Girls' average attendance 33, Infants' average attendance 21.8. |
| November 28 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E. S. Arkle visited in the afternoon |
| November 30 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E. S. Arkle again visited in the morning. Attendance about the same as previous week. Girls' average attendance 33.5, Infants' average attendance 23.5. |
| December ${ }^{\text {th }} 1894$ | Rev. E. S. Arkle visited today. |
| December $6^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E. S. Arkle visited again this afternoon. |
| December $7^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance a little better this week. <br> Girls' average attendance 34.9, Infants' average attendance 24.5. |
| December $12^{\text {th }}$ | Rev. E. S. Arkle visited this morning and examined the Registers. |
| December $14^{\text {th }}$ | School closed this afternoon for three weeks, the usual Christmas holiday. |


|  | Girls' average attendance 34.4, Infants' average attendance 25. |
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| 1895 |  |
| January $\mathbf{7}^{\text {th }} 1895$ | School reopened today after the Christmas holidays. There were 32 Girls present. |
| January 11th | Teacher took Rose and Fanny Bacon's name off the Register today, they having gone to another School. [Daughters of William Bacon, Headmaster of the Boys' School]. Total on books now 38 <br> Girls' average attendance 34.6 , Infants' average attendance 20.9. |
| January $14^{\text {th }}$ | A very small School today in consequence of the very wet weather. |
| January $15^{\text {th }}$ | Weather very wet again today. And attendance still very bad, only 23 Girls present and 8 Infants. |
| January $17^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited this morning and tested the Registers. |
| January $18{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited at 9 a.m. and gave a Scripture lesson to the first class. Miss Folly has been absent all the week through ill health, the infants have been taken by the Mistress. Girls' average attendance 30.1, Infants' average attendance 14.7. |
| January $21^{\text {st }}$ | Very small School today in consequence of the weather only 17 Girls present and 6 Infants. The Rev. E. S. Arkle came at 9 o'clock and gave the Bible lesson to the first class. |
| January $23^{\text {rd }}$ | Small School again on account of the very bad weather. The Rev. E. S. Arkle again visited and gave the Bible lesson to the first class. |
| January $24^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle again gave the Scripture lesson. |
| January $25^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Folly has been away from School all this week again. Girls' average attendance 27.8, Infants' average attendance 15.3. |
| January $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited at 9 a.m. and gave the Scripture lesson to the first class. |
| January $29{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Folly returned to School today. The Rev. E. S. Arkle again visited and gave the Scripture lesson, also on Wednesday and Thursday mornings. |
| February $1^{\text {st }} 1895$ | A very heavy snow storm, children unable to attend - Registers not marked in consequence. Attendance very irregular all week, in consequence of the weather. Girls' average attendance 30.3 , Infants' average attendance 18.3. |
| February $4^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited in the morning at 9 a.m. and read Prayers. |
| February $5^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited again in the afternoon and heard the girls sing. |
| February $8^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance very bad all the week, in consequence of the very severe weather. Snow lying on the ground all the week. <br> Girls' average attendance 22.8, Infants' average attendance 10.6. |
| February $11^{\text {th }}-15^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance very irregular all the week, owing to the extremely cold weather. Many children not able to come on account of bad chilblains on their feet, they not being able to get their boots on. <br> Girls' average attendance 30.3, Infants' average attendance 18. |
| February $19^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Burrell visited the School this afternoon. |
| February $22^{\text {nd }}$ | Attendance a little improved this week, though several children still unable to get their boots on. <br> Girls' average attendance 33.7, Infants' average attendance 21.5. |
| February $25^{\text {th }}$ | Very small School today, in consequence of the weather. |
| February $26^{\text {th }}$ | Nelly Flint returned to School today after an absence of a month with bad feet. |
| February $27^{\text {th }}$ | Today being Ash Wednesday, children attended Divine Service at 11 a.m. Registers not marked in consequence. A holiday given in the afternoon. |
| March 1 ${ }^{\text {st }} 1895$ | Girls' average attendance 31.3, Infants' average attendance 21. |
| March $7^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited this afternoon and tested the Registers. Girls' average attendance 32.5 , Infants' average attendance 20.6. |
| March $14^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited the School this morning. Received notice of the Examination in Religious Knowledge for April $2^{\text {nd }}$ |
| March $15^{\text {th }}$ | Several Girls absent this week with bad colds. |


|  | Girls' average attendance 32.4, Infants' average attendance 23. |
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| March $19^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited in the afternoon. |
| March $22^{\text {nd }}$ | Mabel Stepney absent all the week with a bad cold. There were 36 Girls present today. Girls' average attendance 34.2, Infants' average attendance 22.6. |
| March 25 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | All Girls on books were present this afternoon. 38. |
| March 26 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | A very wet morning only 23 Girls present in the morning and 25 in the Afternoon. |
| March 27 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | A very wet day indeed, Registers not marked in consequence, only 11 present Girls and Infants together. The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited in the afternoon. |
| March $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ | There were only 26 Girls present today. The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited in the morning. |
| March $29{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle and the Rev. Hunter visited this morning. Received the Government Examination papers today. <br> Girls' average attendance 31.1, Infants' average attendance 19.1. |
| April $1^{\text {st }} 1895$ | There were 36 Girls present today. |
| April ${ }^{\text {nd }}$ | The Diocesan Examination was held today by Mr Heath. The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited. A halfholiday was given in the afternoon. |
| April $5^{\text {th }}$ | Many Girls away since Tuesday with bad colds and influenza, consequently there was a very small attendance on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. <br> Girls' average attendance 30.1, Infants' average attendance 22.7. |
| April ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Admitted one Infant Girl this morning. Readmitted Annie Wood she having been away from home since the $9^{\text {th }}$ November last. |
| April ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited this morning and took a list of the absentees. |
| April 12 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Today being Good Friday children were taken to Church. Registers not marked in consequence. <br> Girls' average attendance 31.6, Infants' average attendance 24.1. |
| April 15 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Today being Easter Monday only 20 Girls were present in the morning - a holiday was given in the afternoon. |
| April $16^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited this morning to see if those absent last week were present. |
| April 19 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 33.2, Infants' average attendance 24.5. |
| April $22^{\text {nd }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited this afternoon. |
| April $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | Government Inspection fixed for the $30^{\text {th }}$ of May. |
| April 25th | A very wet day indeed only 5 Girls present in the morning and 12 in the afternoon. Registers not marked in consequence. |
| April $26^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 34.5, Infants' average attendance 24.6. |
| April $30^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited today and took a list of the absentees. School year ends today. The School has been open 418 times during the year. <br> Total attendances made by Girls 13.402. Average for the year 32. <br> Infants' attendances 9525. Average 22.7. |
| May $1^{\text {st }}-3^{\text {rd }} 1895$ | Commenced new Registers today. <br> Girls' average attendance 35.4, Infants' average attendance 26.6. |
| May $6^{\text {th }}$ | Admitted three Infant Girls today. |
| May ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Admitted one Infant Boy this morning. <br> Girls' average attendance 37.1, Infants' average attendance 27.6. |
| May $13^{\text {th }}$ | Received Diocesan Inspector's Report - the following is a copy. <br> Infants' Class - "The Infants passed an excellent examination". <br> Girls' Division - "The scholars in the Standards acquitted themselves very well in all the subjects. The answering was good and general throughout. The repetition and written work deserve a word of praise". |
| May 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Today being Coolham Club, there was a very small attendance in the morning, a holiday was given in the afternoon. The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited in the morning. |
| May $17^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 34.2, Infants' average attendance 26.3 |



|  | Girls' average attendance 34.6, Infants' average attendance 25.6. |
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| July $22^{\text {nd }}$ | Received two new maps, Scotland and Ireland, today. |
| July $25^{\text {th }}$ | Very small School today in consequence of the wet weather, only 16 Girls present. Girls' average attendance 30.6 , Infants' average attendance 23.8. First Quarter of School year ends today. Average for the Quarter 34. The School has been open 122 times. May Bacon's name taken off the Books today. |
| July 29 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Small School today. |
| August ${ }^{\text {nd }} 1895$ | Very small School today, in consequence of the wet morning. Attendance has been very low all the week. School closes today for the Harvest holidays. <br> Girls' average attendance 26.5, Infants' average attendance 23.7. |
| September $9^{\text {th }} 1895$ | School reopened this morning, after the Harvest holiday, there were present 33 girls and 29 Infants. Admitted Winnie Good today and placed in Standard II. |
| September $13{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance improved during the week. Girls' average attendance 34.4, Infants' average attendance 28.5. |
| September $18{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited today and tested the Registers. |
| September $20{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Elizabeth Francis having left School, her name taken off the Register today. Girls' average attendance 35 , Infants' average attendance 29.6. |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { September } 22^{\text {nd }}- \\ & \text { 27th } \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | School work as usual this week. Girls' average attendance 32.1, Infants' average attendance 28.4. |
| October $1^{\text {st }} 1895$ | Mr Brooks visited today to inspect attendance. The Rev. E. S. Arkle also visited today. |
| October $3^{\text {rd }}$ | Small attendance today in consequence of the wet weather. |
| October $4^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance has been rather irregular all the week consequent on so many people leaving the Parish just now. Mabel Sturt and May Lelliott's names taken off the Registers today their parents having left the Parish. <br> Girls' average attendance 31.3, Infants' average attendance 25. |
| October $7^{\text {th }}$ | Admitted one Girl this morning, making total on books 37. |
| October 11 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance more regular this week. Girls' average attendance 32.9, Infants' average attendance 27.8. |
| October 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance not quite so good today. |
| October $16^{\text {th }}$ | Admitted one Girl this morning, Edith Roberts. - she was 8 years old last June, but found her very backward indeed, hardly fit for Standard I. <br> Girls' average attendance 33.5, Infants' average attendance 28.6. |
| October 21 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ | Mr Brooks visited this morning to inspect Attendance. |
| October $22{ }^{\text {nd }}$ | Rev. E. S. Arkle visited this afternoon. |
| October $25^{\text {th }}$ | All the Girls on Books were present today. Girls' average attendance 36 , Infants' average attendance 26.4. |
| October $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Admitted one Girl from Infant Department and one new Girl. One Infant boy transferred to Boys' Department, and one boy admitted. |
| October 30 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance not so good today in consequence of the wet weather. |
| November ${ }^{\text {st }} 1895$ | Girls' average attendance 35.4, Infants' average attendance 25.6. |
| November $4^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance not so good on account of the wet weather. |
| November ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | A very wet day only 24 Girls present. |
| November ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Weather still very wet only 24 Girls present again. The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited in the afternoon. |
| November ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Only 28 Girls present today in consequence of the wet weather. The Average Attendance for this week is the lowest since the Harvest holidays. <br> Girls' average attendance 28.4, Infants' average attendance 17.4. |
| November 11 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | A very wet day again, only 29 Girls present in the morning and 28 in the afternoon. The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited. |
| November 12 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Another wet day, only 23 Girls present, on account of the floods. |


| November 13 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Better attendance today. |
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| November 15 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 32.2, Infants' average attendance 23.8. |
| November $18{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance much better today. |
| November 19 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited this morning and tested the Registers. |
| November 22 ${ }^{\text {nd }}$ | Mary Randall Standard VI has been absent for a month, she being required at home to assist her Mother, her Father being very ill. <br> Girls' average attendance 36.4, Infants' average attendance 25.3. |
| November 25 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance much better today. |
| November $26^{\text {th }}$ | All the Girls present today but one. |
| November $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Wet day. Attendance not so good. |
| November 29 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Wet day again. Mary Randall is still absent. Girls' average attendance 36.1, Infants' average attendance 25.4. |
| December 2 ${ }^{\text {nd }} 1895$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited in the afternoon. |
| December $6^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance this week has been much better. Mary Randall is still absent. Girls' average attendance 37.3, Infants' average attendance 26.6. |
| December $9^{\text {th }}$ | There were 37 Girls present today. |
| December $13^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited this afternoon. School closes today for three weeks, the usual Christmas holiday. <br> Girls' average attendance 36.5, Infants' average attendance 26.4. |
| 1896 |  |
| January $6^{\text {th }} 1896$ | School reopened today after the Christmas holiday. Admitted one new Girl. She was 14 years of age last May, but was compelled to place her in Standard I, and was not up to the work of that Standard. She has only been to School a very little and that a long time ago. There were 33 Girls present. Mr Brooks visited in the afternoon and took a list of the absentees. Admitted one Infant Boy |
| January ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited this afternoon and examined the Registers. Girls' average attendance 34.8, Infants' average attendance 26.1. |
| January $16^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited this morning. |
| January $17^{\text {th }}$ | Several children have been at home this week with bad colds. Girls' average attendance 33.2, Infants' average attendance 27.8. |
| January $20{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited in the afternoon and examined the Registers. |
| January $24^{\text {th }}$ | One Infant boy and one Girl left this week. Girls' average attendance 34.7, Infants' average attendance 26.4 |
| January $27^{\text {th }}$ | Admitted one Girl this morning. She was 11 years old last August, and is only fit for Standard I. |
| January $29{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited this afternoon and examined the Registers. |
| January 31 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ | Several Girls home all week with bad colds. <br> Girls' average attendance 33.4, Infants' average attendance 26.4. |
| February 3 ${ }^{\text {rd }} 1896$ | The Fourth Quarter of the School year commenced today. |
| February $7^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance this week has improved. Girls' average attendance 36.7, Infants' average attendance 26.2. |
| February $12{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Burrell visited this morning. |
| February $14^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance this week has been irregular so many of the Girls have had bad colds. Girls' average attendance 34.7, Infants' average attendance 26. |
| February $17^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited this morning and examined the registers. The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited and gave a Scripture lesson to the first class. |
| February $18{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited again today. |
| February $19^{\text {th }}$ | Today being Ash Wednesday, children attended Divine Service at 11 a.m. Registers not marked in consequence. A holiday was given in the afternoon. |
| February $20{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited again this morning. |


| February $21^{\text {st }}$ | Miss folly has been absent all the week. The Infants have been taken by the Mistress and the assistance of Mrs Bacon, Miss Folly being in ill health. <br> Girls' average attendance 34.5 , Infants' average attendance 28.5. |
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| February $24^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited this morning and examined the Registers. |
| February $25^{\text {th }}$ | Admitted one Infant boy this morning. The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited and gave a Bible lesson to the first class. Lady Burrell and Miss Burrell visited in the afternoon. |
| February $26^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited this morning. |
| February 27 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle again visited. |
| February $28^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Folly has not been able to take her duty this week. Mrs Bacon has again assisted me with the Infants. Emily Tilley's name taken off the Register today, her parents having left the Parish. <br> Girls' average attendance 33.7, Infants' average attendance 27. |
| March 2 ${ }^{\text {nd }} 1896$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited today. |
| March 3 ${ }^{\text {rd }}$ | A very wet morning indeed, there were only 15 Girls present and 6 Infants. |
| March 4 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited and gave a Bible lesson to the first class. |
| March 5 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle again visited. |
| March $6^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Folly still unable to be at School. Mrs Bacon assisted me with the Infants. Girls' average attendance 31.6, Infants' average attendance 24.7. |
| March $9^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited today. |
| March $10^{\text {th }}$ | Mr brooks visited today, and took a list of the absentees. |
| March 11 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited and gave the first class a Bible lesson. |
| March 12 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle again visited. |
| March 13 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Folly still unable to attend School, Mrs Bacon has again assisted me with the Infants this week. Rose Penfold's name taken off the Register today, she having left the Parish. Girls' average attendance 32.4, Infants' average attendance 26.8. |
| March $16^{\text {th }}$ | Very small School today in consequence of the very wet weather, only 18 Girls present and 11 Infants. |
| March $17^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance better today, the Rev. E. S. Arkle visited. |
| March 188 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | A very wet day indeed, children quite unable to attend. Registers not marked in consequence. |
| March $19^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited this afternoon and examined the Registers. |
| March 20 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Average attendance this week not so good as previous weeks on account of the wet weather. <br> Girls' average attendance 29.5, Infants' average attendance 24.1. |
| March $23^{\text {rd }}$ | Miss Folly still being very ill, and having to undergo an operation, Sophia Bowell came this morning to assist me with the Infants for a time. Readmitted one Infant boy. The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited today. |
| March $27^{\text {th }}$ | Two girls and one boy left today, their parents having left the Parish. Girls' average attendance 32.4, Infants' average attendance 27.2. |
| March 31 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited today. |
| April $3^{\text {rd }} 1896$ | Today being Good Friday, the children were taken to Church, Registers not marked. Girls' average attendance 34.5, Infants' average attendance 27. |
| April $6^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance very small today in consequence of it being Bank Holiday. |
| April ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited in the afternoon. |
| April 10 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mary Randall's name taken off the Registers today. Girls' average attendance 33.3, Infants' average attendance 25.2. |
| April $13^{\text {th }}$ | A holiday was given today, at the request of the Managers, to prepare the rooms for a meeting. |
| April $15^{\text {th }}$ | The Diocesan Examination was held this morning by Mr Heath, the Rev. E. S. Arkle was present, also Lady Burrell and Miss Burrell. A holiday was given in the afternoon. |


| April $17^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 33, Infants' average attendance 24.1. |
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| April $20^{\text {th }}-24^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance has been more irregular this week, several children being home with colds. Girls' average attendance 32.2, Infants' average attendance 27.8. |
| April $27^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited this afternoon and tested the Registers. |
| April $30{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited this morning and examined the Registers. School year ends today. |
| May $1^{\text {st }} 1896$ | Commenced new Registers today. Several children have been at home this week with bad colds. Edith Roberts has been absent for ten weeks with a bad throat. Girls' average attendance 31, Infants' average attendance 26.6. |
| May $4^{\text {th }}$ | Admitted two Infant boys today, one Maurice Tilley was 8 years old last September, but has never been to School before. |
| May $5^{\text {th }}$ | Admitted one Infant boy today. |
| May ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance has been better this week. <br> Girls' average attendance 33.5, Infants' average attendance 29.5. |
| May $12^{\text {th }}$ | Today being Coolham Club, there was a very small attendance in the morning. A holiday was given in the afternoon. |
| May 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Today being Ascension Day, children attended Divine Service in the morning. Registers marked at 9 a.m. School work as usual in the afternoon. |
| May $15^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 34.1, Infants' average attendance 29.3 Poetry for Recitation for the year ending April $30^{\text {th }} 1897$ : <br> [signed] $20^{\text {th }}$ May 1896 Inspection, G Gardner |
|  | Standards I \& II |
|  | Standard III |
|  | Standards IV - VII $\quad$ The Deserted village commencing at line 115 |
| May $20{ }^{\text {th }}$ | A holiday was given in the afternoon, after the examination which was held in the morning. There were 36 Girls present out of 37, Edith Roberts still being away ill and 29 Infants out of 30, one boy being absent. |
| May $21^{\text {st }}$ | Received Diocesan Inspector's Report, the following is a copy:- <br> Infants' Class - "The infants, owing to the absence of their teacher for some part of the year, are not quite so well up in their work". <br> Girls' School - "The Girls in the Standards passed a very creditable Examination and were very attentive and interested in their work". |
| May $22{ }^{\text {nd }}$ | A very wet morning only 21 Girls present and 16 Infants. Girls' average attendance 31, Infants' average attendance 27.8. |
| May $25^{\text {th }}$ | Admitted one Infant boy and one Girl. Ether Parker, Rose Agate, and Mabel Stepney left for work today. Nine boys transferred to the Boys' School and three Girls to the Girls' School this morning from Infant Department. Today being the Lawn Club Gala, a half holiday was given. |
| May $26^{\text {th }}$ | Two Girls transferred from infant Department to Girls' School. Admitted two Infant boys. |
| May $29{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Nellie Johnson left for work today. <br> Girls' average attendance 31, Infants' average attendance 18.3. |
| June $1^{\text {st }} 1896$ | Admitted 3 Infant boys and 1 Girl also 2 Girls in Standard II this morning. |
| June $4^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited this afternoon. |
| June $5^{\text {th }}$ | Emily Streeter left School today for work. <br> Girls' average attendance 32.7, Infants' average attendance 22.2. |
| June $8^{\text {th }}$ | Admitted one Girl in Standard I and one Infant boy this morning. |
| June $10{ }^{\text {th }}$ | A very wet day indeed only 14 Girls and 7 Infants present - Registers not marked in consequence. |
| June $12{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance not so good the last part of the week as at the first. Girls' average attendance 35.5, Infants' average attendance 24.5. |
| June 15 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Admitted 3 Girls this morning. |


| June 16 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited this afternoon and took a list of the absentees. |
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| June 19 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 35.3, Infants' average attendance 23.8. |
| June $22^{\text {nd }}$ | Miss folly returned to School today. Admitted one Girl and one Infant boy. |
| June 25 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | A very wet morning only 16 Girls and 10 Infants present. |
| June $26^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance has been rather irregular all the week. Girls' average attendance 31.8, Infants' average attendance 21.1. |
| June $29{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited this morning. Copy of Inspector's Report made subsequent to Examination held May $20^{\text {th }} 1896$. <br> Girls' School - "The Girls are nicely behaved. The slate work as usual was well done. Needlework is good, and Geography is improving. The chief blemish in the work is a want of intelligence, which is especially marked in the Reading lesson, and in Singing it would be well to tone the voices down more". <br> Infants' Class - "The Infants have for the last two months of the School year been deprived of the services of their Teacher, who has been ill. The falling off in the work is not more than might have been expected under the circumstances". [signed] E. S. Arkle Correspondent. |
| July $3^{\text {rd }} 1896$ | Attendance this week has been much better. Girls' average attendance 38 , Infants' average attendance 24.2. |
| July $6^{\text {th }}$ | Admitted two Infant boys this morning. The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited today. |
| July $7^{\text {th }}$ | Admitted one Infant boy today. |
| July $10{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Ellen Rowland having gone to work, her name taken off the Register today. Girls' average attendance 35.7, Infants' average attendance 25. |
| July $13^{\text {th-177h }}$ | School work as usual this week. Attendance not quite so good towards the end of the week. Girls' average attendance 33.4, Infants' average attendance 25. |
| July $20^{\text {th }}$ | Admitted one Girl on Monday morning. |
| July $23^{\text {rd }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited this morning and tested the Registers. |
| July $14^{\text {th }}$ | First Quarter of the School year ends today. The School has been open 117 times. Average attendance 33.1 <br> School closes today for five weeks, the usual Harvest holiday. <br> Girls' average attendance 26 , Infants' average attendance 18.8. |
| August 31 ${ }^{\text {st }} 1896$ | School reopened today, with a very small attendance, owing to the very wet morning. |
| September $1^{\text {st }} 1896$ | Another wet morning, attendance still small. |
| September $2^{\text {nd }}$ | A holiday was given in the afternoon today that the children might attend their annual School Treat, kindly given by Sir Raymond and Lady Burrell. |
| September 3 ${ }^{\text {rd }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited in the afternoon. |
| September $4^{\text {th }}$ | A very wet morning indeed, only 16 Girls present and 7 Infants. Attendance very small all the week, in consequence of the very wet weather. <br> Girls' average attendance 22.6, Infants' average attendance 13.6. |
| September $7^{\text {th }}-11^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance rather irregular all the week, owing to the very stormy weather. Girls' average attendance 34, Infants' average attendance 23.6. |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { September } 14^{\text {th }}- \\ & 18^{\text {th }} \end{aligned}$ | Attendance still irregular in the fifth and sixth Standards, the lower Standards have attended better this week. <br> Girls' average attendance 34.4, Infants' average attendance 27.4. |
| September $21{ }^{\text {st }}$ | Attendance better today. |
| September $25^{\text {th }}$ | Very small attendance today in consequence of the very stormy weather. Caroline and Emily Mitchell's name taken off the Register today, their parents having left the Parish. Girls' average attendance 32.7, Infants' average attendance 22.9. |
| September $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited in the afternoon, and took a list of the absentees. |
| October 1 ${ }^{\text {st }} 1896$ | Visit of Inspection [signed] C Garland. |
| October ${ }^{\text {nd }}$ | Three Girls having left the Parish, their names taken off the Register today. Girls' average attendance 35.3, Infants' average attendance 26.6. |


| October $6^{\text {th }}$ | A very wet day indeed, very small attendance indeed. |
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| October $7^{\text {th }}$ | Weather very wet again today. |
| October $9^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance very irregular all the week. Girls' average attendance 28.7, Infants' average attendance 23.7. |
| October 12 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | A very good attendance today. |
| October 15 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | A wet day today attendance small. |
| October $16^{\text {th }}$ | A very wet day indeed, attendance very small. One Infant boy left, his parents having left the Parish. <br> Girls' average attendance 30.6 , Infants' average attendance 24.6. |
| October 20 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited this morning, and took a list of the absentees. |
| October $21{ }^{\text {st }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited today, and examined the Registers. |
| October 22 ${ }^{\text {nd }}$ | Mr Brooks visited again today. |
| October $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | The attendance has been a little better this week. Girls' average attendance 32.8, Infants' average attendance 27.2. |
| October $26^{\text {th }}$ | Received a new Map of Europe today. |
| October 27 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited in the afternoon. |
| October $30^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance has been better this week. Girls' average attendance 32.8, Infants' average attendance 25.6. |
| November 4 ${ }^{\text {th }} 1896$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited in the afternoon. |
| November 6 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance has been better this week. Elsie Summersell has been absent for a month, she has been very ill, and the Doctor says she will not be able to attend School for some time yet. <br> Girls' average attendance 33.5, Infants' average attendance 27.1. |
| November ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance pretty good today. |
| November 11 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited this afternoon and tested the Registers. |
| November 12 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited today and took a list of the absentees. |
| November $13^{\text {th }}$ | Emily Francis Standard V Girl having left School, her name taken off the Register today. Girls' average attendance 33.8, Infants' average attendance 28.8. |
| November $16^{\text {th }}-20^{\text {th }}$ | Children have attended pretty regularly all this week. School work as usual. Girls' average attendance 32.4, Infants' average attendance 26.9. |
| November $23^{\text {rd }}-27^{\text {th }}$ | Several Girls have been absent all the week through not being well. School work as usual. Girls' average attendance 30.4, Infants' average attendance 27.6. |
| November $30{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited this morning and tested the Registers. |
| December 4 ${ }^{\text {th }} 1896$ | Several children at home this week with bad colds. Attendance very irregular all the week. Girls' average attendance 28.5, Infants' average attendance 24.4. |
| December $7^{\text {th }}-11^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance very irregular all the week in consequence of the wet weather, and many of the children having bad colds. <br> Girls' average attendance 27.6, Infants' average attendance [not given]. |
| December $14^{\text {th }}$ | There were only 11 Girls present and 8 Infants, in consequence of the very heavy rain and floods. |
| December $18{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited this morning. Attendance has been very irregular all the week, so many children at home with bad colds. School closes today for three weeks the usual Christmas holiday. <br> Girls' average attendance 22.8, Infants' average attendance 19.3. |
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| January 11 ${ }^{\text {th }} 1897$ | School reopened today after the Christmas holiday. There were 28 Girls present. |
| January 12th | Mr Brooks visited this afternoon, and took a list of the absentees. The Rev. E. S. Arkle also visited and examined the Registers. |
| January $15^{\text {th }}$ | Elsie Adams' name taken off the Register today, she having left School to assist her mother, also Rose Knight who died during the holiday, leaving now 34 Girls on Books. |


|  | Girls' average attendance 28.2, Infants' average attendance 23.8. |
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| January $20{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited in the afternoon. |
| January $22{ }^{\text {nd }}$ | Small School today in consequence of the snow. Girls' average attendance 28.2, Infants' average attendance 21.8. |
| January $25^{\text {th }}-29^{\text {th }}$ | Small School all the week. Several children at home with bad colds. The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited on Friday afternoon. The third Quarter of the School year ends today. Girls' average attendance 27.6, Infants' average attendance 21.5. |
| February $1^{\text {st }} 1897$ | Small School today in consequence of the floods. |
| February $2^{\text {nd }}$ | A very wet day only 5 Girls present and 4 Infants - Registers not marked in consequence. |
| February $3^{\text {rd }}$ | Small School today in consequence of the floods. |
| February $4^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited this afternoon. |
| February $5^{\text {th }}$ | A very wet day indeed only 4 Girls present and 2 Infants. Registers not marked. Attendance has been very bad all week. <br> Girls' average attendance 25.2, Infants' average attendance 16.1. |
| February $8^{\text {th }}-12^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance has been very irregular all the week, in consequence of the wet weather, and many of the children have bad colds. Mr Brooks visited on Wednesday morning and took a list of the absentees. <br> Girls' average attendance 27.4, Infants' average attendance 21.8. |
| February $15^{\text {th }}-19^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited on Monday afternoon. Attendance very irregular all the week. Many of the children have bad colds. <br> Girls' average attendance 26.6, Infants' average attendance 23.1. |
| February $22^{\text {nd }}-26^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance still very irregular all the week. School work as usual. Girls' average attendance 29.1, Infants' average attendance 23.4. |
| March $1^{\text {st }} 1897$ | Admitted one Girls today Ellen Cole, she is very backward for her age, being 12 years of age and only in Standard I. |
| March 3 ${ }^{\text {rd }}$ | Today being Ash Wednesday, children attended Divine Service at 11 a.m. Registers not marked in consequence. A holiday was given in the afternoon. |
| March $5^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance has not been very good this week, in consequence of the stormy weather, and many of the Girls having bad colds. <br> Girls' average attendance 28.5, Infants' average attendance 22.5. |
| March $5^{\text {th }}$ | Teacher's engagement terminates today. [signed] H. Uphill |
| March $12^{\text {th }}$ | Mrs Hayward, Certified Mistress, commenced duties in this School March $9^{\text {th }}$ as temporary Mistress. The School was closed on Monday. One child readmitted. The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited on Wednesday. |
| March $19^{\text {th }}$ | A wet day on Tuesday only 6 girls present. Registers not marked. The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited the School on Wednesday. |
| March $26{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance has improved this week. Mr Brooks visited the School \& took a list of the absentees. The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited on Tuesday. Average [attendance] 30.7 |
| April ${ }^{\text {nd }} 1897$ | Sir William Hamilton visited the School on Wednesday and the Rev. E. S. Arkle on Thursday. Attendance small on Thursday in consequence of the wet weather. <br> Mrs Hayward terminated her engagement as temporary Mistress on Friday April $5^{\text {th }}$. |
| April ${ }^{\text {th }} 1897$ | [Miss Annie Penn commenced as Mistress on this date and remained as Mistress of the Girls' School until December 1917. She became Head Mistress of both schools when the Boys' and Girls' Schools combined in January 1918 until her retirement in December 1930. She served 33 years] |
| April ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Penn commenced duties in this school as Mistress (Trained Certificated). The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited in the afternoon. |
| April ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | School examined in Religious Knowledge. |
| April ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 27.7, Infants' average attendance 25.2. |


| April 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Registers not marked - very wet, rough morning. Girls present 11 Infants 8. |
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| April 15 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 25.1, Infants' average attendance 21.2. Children examined on Tuesday by Mistress. Writing very weak in upper Standards. Arithmetic fairly even - problems and mental arithmetic weak. Reading good in upper Standards - weak in $3^{\text {rd }}$. Standards I \& II good in arithmetic and writing - rather weak in reading. |
| April $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | Girls' average attendance 28.1, Infants' average attendance 22.4. |
| April $29{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited the Schools and checked the Registers. |
| April $30{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 34.5, Infants' average attendance 22.8. |
| May 3 ${ }^{\text {rd }} 1897$ | Copy of Holy Scripture Report: <br> "The Infants passed a very creditable examination". <br> "Division I is deficient in knowledge of Holy Scripture, the answering in the rest of the subjects was very good". <br> "Division II passed a very good examination in all subjects". <br> [signed] George Heath, Diocesan Inspector. <br> [signed] 4 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ May 1897 Visit of Inspection Tuesday morning. G. Gardner |
| May ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 30.3, Infants' average attendance 22.2. <br> Lady and Miss Burrell visited on Thursday afternoon and heard the girls sing. New goods from National Society received this week. |
| May $11^{\text {th }}$ | School closed today on account of Coolham Club. |
| May $14^{\text {th }}$ | New work commenced this week - six girls from the Infant Room admitted. Girls' average attendance 35.1, Infants' average attendance 15.2. |
| May $21{ }^{\text {st }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited the Schools in the afternoon and remained during Drill, presented the children with their Scripture Certificates at the close of school. Attendance has been very good as a rule, though several children were absent through whooping cough and illness. |
| May $27^{\text {th }}$ | Half-holiday in the morning, being Ascension Day - children attended Church. Work as usual in the afternoon. |
| May $28^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 35.8, Infants' average attendance 24.3. |
| May 31 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ | Holiday for Lawn Club. |
| June $1^{\text {st }} 1897$ | Very wet day - 16 present in morning - 18 in afternoon. |
| June $3^{\text {rd }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited in morning. Registers marked at 9.25 a.m. to close school at 11.30. Half-holiday given for Horsham Choral Festival. |
| June $4^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance poor this week. <br> Girls' average attendance 30.1, Infants' average attendance 19.5. |
| June $7^{\text {th }}$ | Bank holiday - whole holiday given. |
| June $10{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Two girls Nellie Pavey and Ellen Flint aged 12 \& 11 years respectively (St. IV) sent to Southwater to be examined for Labour Certificate. |
| June 11 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 35.3, Infants' average attendance 23.8. |
| June $16^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited in the morning. |
| June $17^{\text {th }}$ | Received schedule od Exam: for Labour Certificates - both Ellen Flint and Nellie Pavey passed in all subjects. |
| June $18{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited. Wet day and attendance small. Girls' average attendance 35.8, Infants' average attendance 23. |
| June $22^{\text {nd }}$ | Very small attendance owing to Jubilee Fetes. |
| June $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | School week ended - Thursday and Friday holidays for Jubilee. Girls' average attendance 31.3, Infants' average attendance 23.1. |
| June $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Copy of Report 1897: <br> Girls' School - "There has been a change of Teacher in this Department. The girls were in good order and the work was being properly carried on at my visits". <br> Infants' class - "Miss Folly continues to conduct the Infants' Class with care and creditable |



| October $15^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 38.0, Infants' average attendance 27.0. |
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| October 20 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited in the morning, and remained during the Reading Lesson. |
| October $22{ }^{\text {nd }}$ | Girls' average attendance 38.6, Infants' average attendance 25.0. |
| October $25^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle was present at the opening of morning school and read prayers. |
| October $29^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 37.9, Infants' average attendance 25.0. |
| November ${ }^{\text {nd }} 1897$ | Second Quarterly Examination held. The work was done on paper throughout. St. I is still working well. The Reading of Standards III and IV is generally too rapid \& indistinct and the Arithmetic of St. V is still the weakest. St. III is working well in Arithmetic, successfully attacking their problems. |
| November ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited. |
| November 5 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited. Girls' average attendance 38.2, Infants' average attendance 28.2. |
|  | [Log book signed] $10^{\text {th }}$ Nov: Wednesday MJU[?] Visit of Inspection C Garland |
| November 11 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Four additional Reading and word building lessons arranged for the Infant $1^{\text {st }}$ Class, in place of Arithmetic at suggestion of H.M.I. |
| November $12^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 35.5, Infants' average attendance 22.6. |
| November 17 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited. |
| November 19 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 37, Infants' average attendance 26.3. |
| November 22 ${ }^{\text {nd }}$ | Me Brooks visited, and took a list of absentees. |
| November $26^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 37.8, Infants' average attendance 28.2. |
| December 2 ${ }^{\text {nd }} 1897$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited. |
| December $3^{\text {rd }}$ | Attendance exceptionally good this week - on Nov $30^{\text {th }}$ every child present. Girls' average attendance 39.2, Infants' average attendance 25.2. |
| December $6^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Burrell visited and heard the children sing. |
| December ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited. New stock received for half year from National Society. Set of Pictures and Readers received for Infants - also Mieklejon \& Sonnenschein's Word- building Books as recommended by H.M.I. |
| December $10{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 37.5, Infants' average attendance 25.5. |
| December $13^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited. |
| December $17^{\text {th }}$ | School closed for 3 weeks. Weather very bad this week \& attendance poor in consequence. Girls' average attendance 33.4, Infants' average attendance 21.4. |
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| January $10^{\text {th }} 1898$ | School reopened after Christmas holidays. Two Randalls left. Lady \& Miss Burrell \& a friend visited in the morning. |
| January $13^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited and tested the Registers. |
| January $14^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 33.6, Infants' average attendance 26.2. |
| January $20{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited. |
| January $21{ }^{\text {st }}$ | Attendance very bad this week owing to bad colds. Girls' average attendance 29.8, Infants' average attendance 17.3. |
| January $24^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| January $27^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 30, Infants' average attendance 24.7. |
| January $28^{\text {th }}$ | No school on account of P.L. Entertainment. |
| February $2^{\text {nd }} 1898$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited, and closed afternoon school with prayers. |
| February $2^{\text {nd }} \& 3^{\text {rd }}$ | Third Quarterly Examination given. Work done on paper throughout, \& with very satisfactory results on the whole. All rules in Arithmetic had been taught, and Test Cards were used. Writing and Reading has improved. The class subjects have been regularly taught. Weak points are figures, St. V Bills \& proportion, St. VII Stocks. Reading of St. III improved, but not yet loud enough in several cases. |
| February $4^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 33.3, Infants' average attendance 28.2. |


| February $10^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' Mistress examined the Infant School in the morning leaving Girls in charge of Infant Teacher. St. I probationers appear to be working well, and to be well prepared in the three R's, with the exception of several who have not been long at school \& who are being coached on account of their age. |
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| February $11^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 35.3, Infants' average attendance 29.1. |
| February $16^{\text {th }}$ | Elsie Roberts re-admitted. |
| February $18^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance small owing to many cases of sickness. Lydia Wood St. I away with broken leg. Girls' average attendance 31.8, Infants' average attendance 29. |
| February $21{ }^{\text {st }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited. |
| February $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | Ash Wednesday - children attended church at 11 o'clock - Registers not marked all day. |
| February $24^{\text {th }}$ | Registers marked at 9.30 and 12.30 - work ending at each meeting correspondingly early on account of a Missionary Meeting at Knepp to which the Teachers and elder scholars were invited. |
| February $25^{\text {th }}$ | The Revd. Prebendary Masters and Vicar visited. Girls' average attendance 37.5, Infants' average attendance 31.3. |
|  | Section I (4) Voluntary Schools Act. <br> Chichester Diocesan Association, Shipley C. E. School <br> "A grant of $£ 17.11 .0$ will be paid. This grant is made for the purpose of increasing salaries, and effecting repairs and improvements". <br> Extract from mem. 16834 |
| March 2 ${ }^{\text {nd }} 1898$ | The Revd. E.K. Boyd and the Vicar visited. |
| March 4 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 32.6, Infants' average attendance 29.3. |
| March $8^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited and took a list of irregular attendances. |
| March 11 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 34.6, Infants' average attendance 31.9. |
| March 17 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited and tested the Registers. Girls' average attendance 33.4, Infants' average attendance 28.8. |
| March 24 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited. |
| March $25^{\text {th }}$ | Rough snowy day - very few children present - no school. Girls' average attendance 35.3, Infants' average attendance 29.8. |
| March 27 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr F. Witcombe (Organising Visitor) visited the Schools. |
| March $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited, and brought a new set of Scripture Pictures. |
| April $1^{\text {st }} 1898$ | Lady Burrell visited. <br> Girls' average attendance 33.7, Infants' average attendance 32.8. |
|  | $5^{\text {th }}$ April 1898 Visit of Inspection [signed] G Gardner |
| April $4^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited \& brought a second set of Scripture Pictures. |
| April $6^{\text {th }}$ | Mrs Good visited and inspected the Needlework. |
| April ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | School closed for Good Friday and Bank Holiday. <br> Girls' average attendance 36.9, Infants' average attendance 32.3. |
| April 12 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | School re-opened. The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited. |
| April 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited. Girls' average attendance 35.3, Infants' average attendance 34.1. |
| April 15 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | School closed for a confirmation at the Parish Church. |
| April $20{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Examination in Religious Knowledge. Registers not marked. |
| April $22^{\text {nd }}$ | Girls' average attendance 36.1, Infants' average attendance 341. |
| April $26{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Lady Burrell and Miss Burrell visited. |
| April $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Fourth Quarterly Exam. Given by the mistress - Present 39 out of 41. |
| April $29{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Infants examined by Mistress. The girls knew their work and passed satisfactorily - on paper throughout preserved. The Infants were working well, and the Candidates for St. I were efficiently prepared - the more backward having made very noticeable progress. One boy and one girl were weak in Arithmetic only. |


|  | Girls' average attendance 33.3, Infants' average attendance 28.2. |
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| May $2^{\text {nd }} 1898$ | Commenced new School Year. Five girls admitted from the Infant Room, 7 boys being transferred to the Boys' School. Two girls, St. VII \& V respectively, left, leaving 45 on books. The mistress proposes working the School on the same lines as last year, only substituting Domestic Economy for Geography as one of the Class Subjects. |
| May $3^{\text {rd }}$ | Copy of Report for Holy Scripture. <br> "The infants continue to be excellently instructed, and answered with great readiness and accuracy". <br> "The Girls in the Standards passed a highly creditable examination in all subjects - the tone and order are all that could be desired". <br> (signed) George Heath Diocesan Inspector. |
| May $6^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Folly away in the afternoon on leave on account of her Mother's illness - her place being taken by Mrs Bacon. The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited. <br> Girls' average attendance 42.2, Infants' average attendance 24.8. |
| May $9^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited. |
| May 10 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Holiday given on account of Coolham Club. |
| May 12 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Folly resumed her duties. Mr Brooks (attendance officer) visited. |
| May $13{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 39.1, Infants' average attendance 24.5. |
| May 19 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | No school - being Ascension Day. |
| May $20^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 41.6, Infants' average attendance 24.8. |
| May $25^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited. |
| May $27^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 39.3, Infants' average attendance 23. |
| May $30^{\text {th }}$ | Whit Monday - no school. |
| June ${ }^{\text {st }} 1898$ | The Vicar visited. |
| June $3^{\text {rd }}$ | Mrs Mainwaring and the Vicar were present while the girls did their Dumb-Bell Drill. The Vicar also tested the Registers. |
| June $7^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited and presented the children with their Scripture certificates, and read prayers at close of school. |
| June $10^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 39.3, Infants' average attendance 27.2. |
| June $16^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited. |
| June $17^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance very poor this week through sickness. 4 children away from home. Girls' average attendance 34.5, Infants' average attendance 24.8. |
| June $20{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Sale of Work held in the schools - proceeds $£ 13.0 .4$ given towards paying off the School Debt. Whole holiday given. |
| June $21{ }^{\text {st }}$ | Holiday for Lawn Club. |
| June $24^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited - very wet day \& small attendance. Girls' average attendance 34.1, Infants' average attendance 20.5. |
| June $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited. |
| July $1^{\text {st }} 1898$ | Girls' average attendance 36.3, Infants' average attendance 26.7. |
| July $4^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited, and took a list of absentees. |
| July $6^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited, and brought the Report. School goods from the National Society received. <br> Copy of Report 1898 <br> Girls' School - "The Girls are in excellent order and have made most creditable progress since last inspection". <br> Infants' Class - "The infants are as usual carefully taught, but the Grant for Note Singing is made with hesitation. The desks should if possible be placed with light on the left. The present arrangement is very trying to the Teacher's eyesight in the afternoon. <br> Staff for 1898-9 |


|  | Annie Penn Hd. Mistress, Trained Certificated Mary Folly, Article 50 <br> [signed] E. S. Arkle, Correspondent |  |  |  |
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|  | Girls | 20/6d | Infants | 15/0d |
|  | Principal Grant | 14/0d |  | 9/0d |
|  | Discipline \& Org. | 1/6d |  | 4/0d |
|  | Needlework \& Drawing |  |  | 1/0d |
|  | Class Subjects |  |  |  |
|  | Obj. Lessons \& Geog. | 2/0d |  |  |
|  | Needlework | 2/0d |  |  |
|  | Total | £35/17/6d |  | £20/5/0d |
|  | Combined Total | £96/8/9d |  |  |
| July $6^{\text {th }}$ | Reading Sheet (Sonnerschein \& Meiklejohn) included in the new goods, for use in the Infant School. |  |  |  |
| July $8^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 37.1, Infants' average attendance 26.6. |  |  |  |
| July $12^{\text {th }}$ | Marked registers at 1.5 to close school at 3.30 p.m. |  |  |  |
| July $15^{\text {th }}$ | Marked same as on Tuesday $12^{\text {th }}$. Infants' Time Table slightly varied to allow them time to drill in the Girls' School while the Girls are having their recreation. Girls' average attendance 34.7, Infants' average attendance 24.5. |  |  |  |
| July $18^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks called to examine attendance. |  |  |  |
| July $20^{\text {th }}$ | First quarterly exam given by the Mistress. Particulars will be found in the Record Book, but the girls are generally even in their attainments, and have mastered the work proposed for the Quarter. St. III Arithmetic and Spelling and St. V Arithmetic are the weak points. St. III is difficult to work - only consisting of four scholars, and the Mistress thinks it advisable to remove Elsie Roberts, who is very backward and has not long attended the school, into St. II. |  |  |  |
| July $22^{\text {nd }}$ | Girls' average attendance 37.2, Infants' average attendance 27.1. |  |  |  |
| July $26^{\text {th }}$ | Infants examined by the Head Mistress. She found the children well advanced and noticed particularly an advance in reading which has been taught by the method suggested by H.M.I. The children answered intelligently and readily in Mental Arithmetic and Object Lessons. Two or three of the over-age scholars have been taught in advance of the others and will be transferred next quarter, as it seems inadvisable to keep them longer in the Infant Class. |  |  |  |
| July $28^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited and tested the Girls' Registers. |  |  |  |
| July $29^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar again visited and the Schools were closed for the Harvest Holidays - 5 weeks. Girls' average attendance 35.7, Infants' average attendance 28.6. |  |  |  |
| September $5^{\text {th }} 1898$ | School reopened after Harvest Holidays. |  |  |  |
| September ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited and inspected the attendance. Girls' average attendance 35.7, Infants' average attendance 27.9. |  |  |  |
| September $13^{\text {th }}$ | Half-holiday given for School Treat at Knepp - Registers marked \& closed 15 minutes earlier in the morning. |  |  |  |
| September $15^{\text {th }}$ | Whole holiday given for Choir outing. |  |  |  |
| September $16^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 38, Infants' average attendance 28.5. |  |  |  |
| September $21{ }^{\text {st }}$ | The Rev. E. S. Arkle visited and tested the Registers. Girls' average attendance 39.2, Infants' average attendance 28.6. |  |  |  |
| September 29 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited and inspected the Registers. The Vicar visited in the afternoon. |  |  |  |
| September 30 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 38.7, Infants' average attendance 27.8. |  |  |  |
| October 3 ${ }^{\text {rd }} 1898$ | Ellen \& Rose Mitchell re-admitted, after an absence of 3-4 months. |  |  |  |
| October ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 40.8, Infants' average attendance 28.6. |  |  |  |
| October $11^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited and inspected the Registers. |  |  |  |
| October 12 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Boys' School left in charge of Girls' Mistress owing to Mr Bacon's absence at his Sister's |  |  |  |


|  | Funeral. Time-table and classification adapted to the need. |
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| October 13 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Half-holiday given for the festivities at Knepp in honour of the heir's coming of age. |
| October 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 40.2, Infants' average attendance 28.5. |
| October 21 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ | Girls' average attendance 37.5, Infants' average attendance 23.8. |
| October $25^{\text {th }}$ | The Revd. E.S. Arkle visited. |
| October $26^{\text {th }}$ | Second quarterly examination given by Mistress - present 43 out of 44 . The results were very satisfactory - the only failure throughout the school being one St. II girl in Dictation. Standards III and V have decidedly improved. The weakest points are Composition in the Upper Standards, and St. I Reading. |
| October $28^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 41.9, Infants' average attendance 28.7 |
| October 31 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ | Mr Brooks visited and inspected the Registers. |
| November ${ }^{\text {nd }} 1898$ | Infants' second Quarterly Exam. Given by Girls' Mistress. The Infants are making steady and marked progress - Reading is particularly good, writing has much improved, and arithmetic is fairly accurate. The children are bright and orderly, and give evidence of careful and thorough teaching. |
| November 3 ${ }^{\text {rd }}$ | The Revd. E.S. Arkle visited in the afternoon, and distributed prizes in money to those children who had made the highest attendances for the School Year 1898-7. |
| November 4 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 39.3 , Infants' average attendance 28 |
| November 11 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 41.4, Infants' average attendance 31.8 |
| November 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. <br> Girls' average attendance 41.5 , Infants' average attendance 32.4 |
| November $21{ }^{\text {st }}$ | The Revd. E.S. Arkle visited, and heard the children sing, and read Prayers to close afternoon school. The week has been very wet and rough with floods, and attendance has greatly suffered in consequence. <br> Girls' average attendance 31.6, Infants' average attendance 19.1 |
| December 2 ${ }^{\text {nd }} 1898$ | Miss Burrell visited. <br> Girls' average attendance 37.9 , Infants' average attendance 28.5 [Log book signed] 5 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ December 1898, Visit of Inspection, C Garland |
| December ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Very wet day - no school. |
| December $9^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar and Mrs Arkle visited and saw the girls drill. The Vicar also tested the Girls' Registers. <br> Girls' average attendance 39.5 , Infants' average attendance 26.6 |
| December $12^{\text {th }}$ | The Revd. E.S. Arkle visited and opened morning school with Prayers, remaining for Religious Instruction, and tested Infants' Registers. Mr brooks visited and inspected the Registers and saw the Girls' drill at close of school. |
| December $16^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 39.8, Infants' average attendance 30.7 |
| December $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | The Revd. E.S. Arkle visited. School closed for three weeks Christmas Holiday. Girls' average attendance 37.7 , Infants' average attendance 29.4 |
| 1899 |  |
| January $16^{\text {th }} 1899$ | School re-commenced - five girls left - one admitted. |
| January $18{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited, and again on the $19^{\text {th }}$, and heard the Infants sing. |
| January $20{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 35.4, Infants' average attendance 31.1 |
| January $26^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 37.2 , Infants' average attendance 30.8 |
| February $1^{\text {st }} 1899$ | Third Quarterly Examination given by the Mistress. The results were satisfactory (see Record Book). Arithmetic and reading are good throughout - St. IV writing might be improved in several cases (on Books 42) <br> Girls' average attendance 35.4 , Infants' average attendance 31.5 |
| February $6^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited and took account of attendance. |
| February $8^{\text {th }}$ | Infants examined by Girls' Mistress. The children are making good progress, Reading is well advanced in both classes, and Arithmetic is good. The children are bright and intelligent. |


| February $10^{\text {th }}$ | The week has been rough and wet with floods, and attendance lower. Girls' average attendance 34.8 , Infants' average attendance 29.0 |
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| February $15^{\text {th }}$ | Being Ash Wednesday the children attended Church, and Registers not marked all day. |
| February 17 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 38.3 , Infants' average attendance 28.6 |
| February $21{ }^{\text {st }}$ | The Rev. E.S. Arkle visited and tested the Registers. |
| February $23^{\text {rd }}$ | New goods received from the National Society - new set of Chambers Fluent Readers for St. III and a complete set of Chambers Copy Books to supersede Vere Fosters'. Girls' average attendance 38.8 , Infants' average attendance 32.2 |
| February $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr brooks visited, and enquired after attendance. |
| March $2^{\text {nd }} 1899$ | The Rev. E.S. Arkle visited, and read Prayers at close of school. Girls' average attendance 38.3 , Infants' average attendance 31.3 |
| March $10^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance much lower this week owing to sickness amongst the children. The Vicar visited in the morning. <br> Girls' average attendance 35.8 , Infants' average attendance 26.0 |
| March 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited, and inspected the Registers. |
| March $17^{\text {th }}$ | Visitors present at Drill. <br> Girls' average attendance 37.4, Infants' average attendance 31.5 |
| March $23^{\text {rd }}$ | The Rev. E.S. Arkle visited. |
| March $24^{\text {th }}$ | Registers closed at 1 o'clock to close school at 3 o'clock. Girls' average attendance 37.0, Infants' average attendance 30.4 |
| March $30^{\text {th }}$ | School closed for Good Friday and Bank Holiday. Girls' average attendance 40.0 , Infants' average attendance 33.3 |
| April $7^{\text {th }} 1899$ | Visitors were present at Drill. <br> Girls' average attendance 37.2, Infants' average attendance 33.2 |
| April 12 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Examination in Religious Knowledge. Registers not marked. |
| April $13{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Very wet morning and so few children present that Registers were not marked in the morning - nearly half were present in the afternoon and the usual work was done. |
| April 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Two gentlemen visited to see the Drill. <br> Girls' average attendance 36.4, Infants' average attendance 32.5 <br> [Log book signed and dated] $21^{\text {st }}$ April 1899, Visit of Inspection, G Gardner |
| April 18 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| April $21{ }^{\text {st }}$ | Very wet day with small attendance. The Rev. E.S. Arkle visited. Girls' average attendance 38.5, Infants' average attendance 31.6 |
| April $24^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E.S. Arkle visited, and checked the Registers. <br> Scripture Report received. <br> "The Infants passed a highly satisfactory examination. The girls in the Standards are admirably instructed and answered with much thoughtfulness and accuracy in all the subjects". <br> [signed] George Heath, Diocesan Inspector |
| April $25^{\text {th }}$ | Last quarterly examination held by the Mistress. |
| April $27^{\text {th }}$ | Infants examined by head Mistress - reports of both Exams to be found in the Report Book. |
| April $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 37 , Infants' average attendance 34.7 |
| May $1^{\text {st }} 1899$ | New School Year commenced. 8 girls transferred from the Infants - the same number being sent into the Boys' School. All the children in the Standards advanced except A Heasman and M Naldrett - neither of whom had completed a year's work in St. I. 51 on Books. |
| May $4^{\text {th }}$ | Eliz Adams presented herself at school saying her brother had the measles and was accordingly sent home. |
| May $5^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 44.5, Infants' average attendance 22.5 |
| May $8^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E.S. Arkle visited. |
| May $9^{\text {th }}$ | Registers marked at 9 o'clock and Secular instruction given for two hours. A half-holiday was |


|  | given on account of Coolham Club. |  |  |  |
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| May $11^{\text {th }}$ | Registers marked at $9{\text { o'clock as on the } 9^{\text {th }} \text {, and the children attended Church at 11.15. A }}_{\text {A }}$ half-holiday was given. |  |  |  |
| May $12^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E.S. Arkle visited and distributed the certificates for Holy Scripture, and also gave the children, who had made the highest attendances in the year 1897-8, prizes in money from the Andrewe's [sic] Charity. <br> Girls' average attendance 43.6, Infants' average attendance 25.2 |  |  |  |
| May $16^{\text {th }}$ | A Sale of Work in aid of the Schools held in the Schools - whole holiday given. Proceeds £11.00. |  |  |  |
| May $19^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E.S. Arkle visited. Girls' average attendance 44.3, Infants' average attendance 23.6 |  |  |  |
| May $22^{\text {nd }}-24^{\text {th }}$ | School closed for Whitsun Holidays. |  |  |  |
| May $25^{\text {th }}$ | Recommenced work. |  |  |  |
| May $26^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E.S. Arkle visited. Girls' average attendance 41.7, Infants' average attendance 26.1 |  |  |  |
| June $26^{\text {th }} 1899$ | School reopened after being closed for four weeks by order of the Sanitary Inspector on account of scarletina. Three children still excluded from attendance on account of fever cases in the houses. Mr Brooks visited on Monday morning. <br> Girls' average attendance 39.4, Infants' average attendance 29.2 |  |  |  |
| July $3^{\text {rd }} 1899$ | Mr Brooks visited. |  |  |  |
| July $7^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 43.1, Infants' average attendance 27.7 |  |  |  |
| July $10^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |  |  |  |
| July $11^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E.S. Arkle visited. |  |  |  |
| July $14^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 38.8, Infants' average attendance 29.0 |  |  |  |
| July $17^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. The Vicar visited and brought the School Report. |  |  |  |
| July $21^{\text {st }}$ | Singing substituted for Drill on account of the heat. Girls' average attendance 39.3, Infants' average attendance 28.4 |  |  |  |
| July $21^{\text {st }}$ | Copy of Report 1899 <br> Girls' School "The Girls' Department is in very good condition". <br> Infants' Class "The Infants have made substantial progress in Reading and Mental <br> Arithmetic, and I feel pleasure in being able to recommend the highest variable grant". |  |  |  |
|  | Girls |  | Infants |  |
|  | Principal Grant | 14/0d |  | 9/0d |
|  | Discipline \& Org | 1/6d | Variable | 6/0d |
|  | Needlework \& Drawing |  |  | 1/0d |
|  | Singing | 1/0d |  | 1/0d |
|  | Dom. Econ \& Obj. Lessons | 2/0d |  |  |
|  | Needlework | 2/0d |  |  |
|  | Total | £38/19/0d |  | £23/16/0d |
|  | Grand Total $£ 111 / 3 / 9 \mathrm{~d}$ |  |  |  |
|  | Staff for 1899-1900 <br> Annie Penn, Hd Mistress, Trained, Certificated Mary Folly, Article 50 <br> [signed] E,S. Arkle, Correspondent |  |  |  |
| July $27^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E.S. Arkle visited and tested the Girls' Registers and read prayers at close of school. |  |  |  |
| July $28^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited the Infant Class and tested the Registers. The Mistress has held the $1^{\text {st }}$ Quarterly Exam during the week. The work of the Quarter has been broken, it has been impossible to undertake as much new work as was desirable - what has been attempted is |  |  |  |


|  | well grounded except in a few cases of long absence from school. The weak points are St. II Spelling and Arithmetic, and Sts. I \& II Reading, which is too low and uneven. <br> The Infant Class is working well and the $1^{\text {st }}$ Class is specially bright and even in attainmentsthe lower division is necessarily uneven. <br> Girls' average attendance 35.3, Infants' average attendance 27.5 Schools closed for Harvest Holidays. |
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| September $5^{\text {th }} 1899$ | Visit of Inspection [signed] G Gardner |
| September 4 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | School reopened after 5 weeks holiday. The gallery had been removed during the vacation, and furnished with new desks according to H.M.I's suggestion. |
| September $5^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E.S. Arkle visited. |
| September $7^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. A new case of scarlet fever has been reported this week. |
| September $8^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 37.2, Infants' average attendance 28.8 |
| September $11^{\text {th }}$ | Half-holiday given in the afternoon on account of the Funeral of Sir C.R. Burrell, Secretary and Manager of this school. |
| September $12{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E.S. Arkle visited. |
| September 15 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 37.7, Infants' average attendance 27.9 |
| September 19 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| September $20{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E.S. Arkle visited and tested the Registers. |
| September 22 ${ }^{\text {nd }}$ | Girls' average attendance 37.0, Infants' average attendance 28.7 |
| September $26{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| September $29{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Folly away on leave. The Infants were taken by the Girls' Mistress, and Time Tables adapted to meet the necessity. The Vicar visited morning and afternoon and read prayers at close of school, and tested Infants' Registers. <br> Girls' average attendance 35.1 , Infants' average attendance 27.8 |
| October ${ }^{\text {nd }} 1899$ | The Vicar visited in the afternoon and distributed the Prizes for Holy Scripture, gained by the children at the Diocesan Exam and Sunday School, provided by Lady Burrell. |
| October $6^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance poor this week owing to wet weather. Girls' average attendance 32.9, Infants' average attendance 24.8 |
| October 10 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited. |
| October 12 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Whole holiday given for Choir Treat. |
| October 13 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 34.0, Infants' average attendance 29.0 |
| October $16^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited - the Vicar also. |
| October $20^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 34.0, Infants' average attendance 29.8 |
| October $25^{\text {th }}$ | Second Quarterly Exam held by the Mistress. The girls have made fair progress, and are not very backward in spite of the short year. A full report of the Exam may be found in the Record. Early afternoon school for the winter commenced this week. Girls' average attendance 34.1, Infants' average attendance 31.6 |
| October $30^{\text {th }}$ | Very wet day, and poor attendance. |
| October 31 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ | The Vicar visited. |
| November $1^{\text {st }} 1899$ | The Vicar again visited. |
| November 3 ${ }^{\text {rd }}$ | Infants examined by the Girls' Mistress. The $1^{\text {st }}$ Class are remarkably well advanced, considering only half of the year has passed. The Lower Division is making good progress, especially in reading. The whole call of Infants is bright and in good order. Girls' average attendance 30.1, Infants' average attendance 25.1 |
| November $6^{\text {th }}$ | A very wet day with floods. Very few children presented themselves, and a holiday was given. |
| November 10 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The weather has been very rough for the last fortnight, with frequent floods. Attendance has suffered greatly in consequence. <br> Girls' average attendance 32.8, Infants' average attendance 28.0 |
| November 17 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Folly away on leave today. The Infants were taken by the Girls' Mistress. The |


|  | attendance this week has been exceptionally good, and the last epidemic case has returned to school this week viz. Elsie Summersell. One St. V girl was admitted, but she is obliged to be classed with St. IV, as she has only received a fortnight's instruction in St. V, and needs polish. As a reward for good attendance the girls rehearsed a play "Jack and the Beanstalk" (in place of the Object Lesson) before the whole school. Mrs Summersell visited to see the Drill. <br> Girls' average attendance 39.7, Infants' average attendance 32.4 |
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| November $22^{\text {nd }}$ | The Rev. E.S. Arkle visited and tested the Girls' Registers. Girls' average attendance 37.3, Infants' average attendance 31.4 |
| November $29{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E.S. Arkle visited. <br> Girls' average attendance 37.8, Infants' average attendance $34^{\text {th }} 18991.5$ |
| December $4^{\text {th }} 1899$ | Mr Brooks visited. The Vicar also visited. |
| December $6{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited and tested the Infants' Registers. Girls' average attendance 30.1, Infants' average attendance 27.4 |
| December $12{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar and Miss Burrell visited in the afternoon. |
| December $14^{\text {th }}$ | Harriett Brown presented herself at school suffering from ringworm and was sent home. |
| December $15^{\text {th }}$ | The mistress was unable to give the usual Object Lesson as she had lost her voice. The Girls rehearsed their School Play in the half-hour. <br> Girls' average attendance 30.8 , Infants' average attendance 22.8 <br> The weather for the last fortnight has been very bad, and many children are suffering from colds, making the attendance very poor. May Cherriman is ill with scarlet fever. |
| December $18{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Registers closed at 1 o'clock instead of 1.15 pm . The children rehearsed their play, drilled and recited at singing lessons, as Miss Burrell and Miss May Burrell came to see them perform. |
| December $19^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited. |
| December $21{ }^{\text {st }}$ | The Vicar visited and tested the Registers, and read Prayers at close of school. As the teachers are unwell the holidays commenced today. <br> Girls' average attendance 31.5, Infants' average attendance 22.7 |
| 1900 |  |
| January $15^{\text {th }} 1900$ | School reopened after 3 wks . holiday with very poor attendance. The Vicar visited. |
| January $19^{\text {th }}$ | At attendance very small owing to wet weather and sickness. Out of 42 on Books only 29 were present at all. <br> Girls' average attendance 25.5, Infants' average attendance 21.9 |
| January $26^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 35.1, Infants' average attendance 29.5 |
| January $30^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited and tested the Registers. |
| February $2^{\text {nd }} 1900$ | Attendance very low all the week owing to sickness and bad weather. Only 16 present on Friday. <br> Girls' average attendance 27.9, Infants' average attendance 22.9 |
| February ${ }^{\text {nd }}$ | $3^{\text {rd }}$ Quarterly Exam held this week. On the whole the progress is satisfactory - the few weak cases are attributable to bad attendance. Standard I reading is still weak and uneven. |
| February $9^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 30.5, Infants' average attendance 24.4 |
| February 12 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited. |
| February 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | No school held - a snowy day - only 20 presented themselves out of 72. |
| February $15^{\text {th }}$ | Very wet day with poor attendance - school closed early on account of rising floods. |
| February $16^{\text {th }}$ | Small school - high floods. <br> Girls' average attendance 28.2, Infants' average attendance 17.8 |
| February $19^{\text {th }}$ | Only 7 girls and 6 infants presented themselves, as it was a very wet morning - no school was held. |
| February $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | Another wet day, and small attendance. <br> Girls' average attendance 29.7, Infants' average attendance 20.2 |


| February $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Being Ash Wednesday the children attended Church, and there was no school. |
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| March 2 ${ }^{\text {nd }} 1900$ | The Rev. E.S. Arkle visited, and saw the Girls' Drill, and read Prayers at close of school. |
| March $7^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E.S. Arkle visited. Girls' average attendance 34.1, Infants' average attendance 22.2 |
| March $12{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Lady and Miss Burrell and Miss Dinham visited, and heard the children read and sing. |
| March 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited and examined the Registers. <br> Girls' average attendance 32.7, Infants' average attendance 23.2 |
| March $19^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E.S. Arkle visited, and brought notice of the Diocesan Exam. He also distributed prizes in money to those children who made the highest attendances for the year 1898-9. |
| March $23^{\text {rd }}$ | Girls' average attendance 32.7, Infants' average attendance 24.7 |
| March $27^{\text {th }}$ | Visit of Inspection Art 84(b) 61 present out of 67 [signed] Frides? Post/ Prost? [signature indistinct] <br> The Inspector arrived at 9.35 am and remained throughout the morning examining the Girls and Infants. Three girls, Agnes Tilley, Annie Johnson, and Florence Pavey were examined for Labour Certificates. The Inspector pointed out that under the new regulations they might not leave till they were 12 yrs. old. The Vicar visited. |
| March 29 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited and brought results of Labour Certificate Exam - all three passed. |
| March 30 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 33.3, Infants' average attendance 25.7 |
| April ${ }^{\text {nd }} 1900$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| April 4 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Diocesan Exam in Holy Scripture was held, and a holiday given. Girls' average attendance 35.1, Infants' average attendance 26.5 |
| April ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Registers marked early and school closed early this week. |
| April 13 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | School closed for Easter - to reopen on Wednesday in Easter Week. Girls' average attendance 33.3, Infants' average attendance 27.7 |
| April $18{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited, and brought the Scripture Report. <br> Copy of Scripture Report <br> "The Infants continue to be admirably taught, and answered with much readiness and intelligence. The girls in the Standards passed a very creditable Examination in all the subjects". (signed) George Heath, Diocesan Inspector |
| April 19 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Registers closed at $20^{\prime}$ 'clock on account of a wedding. Girls' average attendance 34.1, Infants' average attendance 29.3 |
| April $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | The Rev. E.S. Arkle visited. |
| April $24{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Last Quarterly Exam held by the Mistress. The Girls were satisfactorily advanced, and all but two St I children who are dull and attend irregularly, will be advanced into higher standards. The numbers have decreased during the year from 51 to 37 on Books. |
| April $26^{\text {th }}$ | Infants examined by the Girls' Mistress. The candidates for St I were exceedingly well prepared, and all over 7 years of age will be transferred to the Upper Departments viz. 5 boys and 7 girls. The younger Infants are making good progress. The attendance in this department has suffered extremely through sickness during the year, and it is very creditable that no falling off in the work has resulted. Mr Brooks visited and inquired after absentees. <br> Girls' average attendance 32.7, Infants' average attendance 31.2 |
| April $30^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E.S. Arkle inspected and signed the Registers. |
| May ${ }^{\text {st }} 1900$ | New School year commenced with 45 on Books - seven girls received from Infant Room. Girls' average attendance 41.3, Infants' average attendance 22.1 |
| May $8^{\text {th }}$ | Registers marked at 9 o'clock and two hours secular instruction given. A half-holiday given on account of Coolham Club. <br> Girls' average attendance 39.8, Infants' average attendance 21.8 |
| May $17^{\text {th }}$ | Examined and signed Registers [signed] E.S. Arkle. |
| May 22 ${ }^{\text {nd }}$ | The Vicar visited. |
| May $23^{\text {rd }}$ | Week ended. |



|  | English <br> Reading Schedule I <br> Copy Books and Transcription <br> Formation of Sentences | Reading Schedule I Descriptive Composition \& Letter Writing |
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|  | Arithmetic <br> Schedule I throughout | Schedule It throughout |
|  | Geography Lessons on District \& Geographical Terms | The World in 3 yrs. <br> 1. Europe <br> 2. Outline of other Continents <br> 3. Our Colonies and relations to other lands |
|  | History | Study of Readers with questions and explanations |
|  | Elementary Science 30 Object Lessons |  |
|  | Singing <br> Tonic Solfa | Tonic Solfa |
|  | Needlework <br> As before | As before |
|  | Physical Exercises Drill with Dumb-bells | Drill with Dumb-bells |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \frac{\text { Recitation Sts. IV - VII }}{\text { "King Robert of Sicily" Longfellow }} \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | Recitation Sts. I- III <br> "Bruce \& The Spider" E. Cooke |
| July $31^{\text {st }}$ | The Vicar visited. |  |
| August $3^{\text {rd }} 1900$ | The first Quarterly Examination was satisfactory. Reading is good in all S uneven. Writing in Standards I \& II V , but it is not bad in any division. The Upper Girls have received elem interest in the Subjects. The Lower quarter, as the Time Table at prese an hour from Needlework to devot Recitation, Singing and Drill have be The Infants' Class is doing good wo them were able to work little addit order. The attendance has not been |  <br> ons in geography and History, and shew an have had no instruction in Geography this time for it. The Mistress proposes taking $1 / 2$ future. <br> $y$ attended to. <br> reholars read and write well, and most of rrectly. All are well looked after, and in good |
| August $3^{\text {rd }}$ | The Schools broke up today for 5 w Girls' average attendance 37.2, Infa | e attendance 24.9 |
| September $10{ }^{\text {th }} 1900$ | Schools reopened after Harvest Ho Vicar visited. | children not attended during the week. The |
| September $11^{\text {th }}$ | Lizzie Johnson, aged 14, received a the swing was empty, and as the ch them gave the swing a push and th the cut too deep for their attention a doctor, who sewed it up. The swin Girls' average attendance 38.7, Infa The Friends' School at Coolham is a from there. <br> [signed and annotated] $25^{\text {th }}$ Septem | he forehead from the swing. It appears that o take their places after recreation, one of ht the child's forehead. The teachers judged ned the assistance of an experienced lady and eforth be locked up. <br> e attendance 29.4 osed, and four children have been admitted <br> Visit of Inspection, C Garland |


| September 20 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | A half-holiday given for the teachers' outing to Rudgwick. |
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| September 21 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ | Girls' average attendance 42.6, Infants' average attendance 31.0 |
| September $26^{\text {th }}$ | Examined registers and found them correct. [Signed] E.S. Arkle |
| September 27 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | A very wet day - only 23 present in Girls' Dept. and 17 in Infants'. Girls' average attendance 37.7, Infants' average attendance 26.2 |
| October $5^{\text {th }} 1900$ | Girls' average attendance 42.1, Infants' average attendance 27.4 |
| October $12{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 43.4 , Infants' average attendance 32.4 |
| October $19^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 42.6, Infants' average attendance 29.4 |
| October 22 ${ }^{\text {nd }}$ | Afternoon attendance commences at 1.15 p.m. instead of 1.30 p.m. for the winter months. |
| October $25^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| October $26^{\text {th }}$ | A wet day - attendance small. Girls' average attendance 40.8, Infants' average attendance 28.4 |
| November 2 ${ }^{\text {nd }} 1900$ | The Vicar visited. Girls' average attendance 40.0, Infants' average attendance 25.9 |
| November ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | A very wet day with small attendance. |
| November ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Second quarterly examination held - present 46 out of 47. |
| November ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 41.6, Infants' average attendance 25.7 |
| November 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Infants examined by the Girls' Mistress. |
| November 15 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited. |
| November $16^{\text {th }}$ | It has been a very wet week - wet every day, with low attendance. Girls' average attendance 37.4, Infants' average attendance 23.2 |
| November $21^{\text {st }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. <br> Girls' average attendance 43.8 , Infants' average attendance 27.2 |
| November 27 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Burrell visited and heard the children sing and recite. |
| November $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited and remained during spelling lesson. Girls' average attendance 38.1, Infants' average attendance 24.8 |
| December $5^{\text {th }} 1900$ | A very wet day - no school held all day. |
| December ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Lady and Miss Burrell visited in the afternoon, and saw the children rehearse "The Washing Day". <br> Girls' average attendance 41.6, Infants' average attendance 27.3 |
| December $12^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. The Vicar visited. |
| December $14^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Folly away on leave, and the Infants 'provided for by the Girls' Mistress. Girls' average attendance 44.6, Infants' average attendance 28.3 |
| December $21{ }^{\text {st }}$ | The Vicar visited - schools broke up at midday for three weeks' holiday. Girls' average attendance 42.7, Infants' average attendance 27.7 |
| 1901 |  |
| January $14{ }^{\text {th }} 1901$ | Schools reopened - present 70-77. |
| January $19{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Burrell visited. <br> Girls' average attendance 39.2, Infants' average attendance 28.5 |
| January $21{ }^{\text {st }}$ | The Vicar visited. [signed and annotated Register] Examined Registers and found them correct. E.S. Arkle. <br> Mr Brooks visited. |
| January $25^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 39.6, Infants' average attendance 28.3 |
| January $31{ }^{\text {st }}$ | The Vicar visited. Many children suffering from colds and coughs, causing poor attendance. Girls' average attendance 38.1, Infants' average attendance 24.8 |
| February $3^{\text {rd }} 1901$ | Snow thick and few children presented themselves - no school held. |
| February $8^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance has been very poor all the week, owing to sickness and cold weather. Girls' average attendance 32.8, Infants' average attendance 21.7 |
| February $13^{\text {th }}$ \& $14^{\text {th }}$ | Third Quarterly Exam. Held by the Mistress. |
| February $14^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar and another Priest visited. |


|  | Girls' average attendance 36.4, Infants' average attendance 23.2 |
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| February $18{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Penn away from school unwell. The school managed by Miss Folly and the Monitress, the Vicar gave the Scripture lessons. |
| February $20{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Being Ash Wednesday, no school was held. |
| February $21{ }^{\text {st }}$ | Miss Penn resumed her duties. |
| February 22 ${ }^{\text {nd }}$ | Miss Folly away with a bad foot - Infants taught by Miss Bacon. Girls' average attendance 37.0, Infants' average attendance 25.7 |
| February $25^{\text {th }}$ | Infants examined by the Mistress with very satisfactory results. |
| February $26^{\text {th }}$ | The vicar visited and read Prayers at close of school. |
| March $1^{\text {st }} 1901$ | No school owing to wet weather and small attendance in morning. Registers marked in afternoon - girls present 19 - infants 15 . Average low this week owing to bad weather and sickness. <br> Girls' average attendance 31.3, Infants' average attendance 23.7 |
| March 4 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Penn away from school unwell - school conducted by Miss Folly and Monitress, and Infant Class taught by Miss Bacon. The Vicar helped with the Scripture lessons. |
| March $8^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 30.7, Infants' average attendance 22.8 |
| March 15 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 39.8, Infants' average attendance 30.0 |
| March 18 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Penn resumed her duties. |
| March 19 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Examined Registers and found them correct [annotated and signed] E.S. Arkle |
| March $20{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Visit of Inspection [annotated and signed] G Gardner |
| March $20{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Two girls, Harriett Brown and Mabel Balchin examined for Labour certificates - both passed. |
| March $22^{\text {nd }}$ | Girls' average attendance 37.8, Infants' average attendance 27.3 |
| March 29 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 39.8, Infants' average attendance 31.4 |
| April $1^{\text {st }} 1901$ | Afternoon school will commence at 1.15 and close at 3.40 this week. The new goods have been received from the National Society including two new sets of readers for the Upper Division viz: Blackie's Dom. \& Econ. Readers No. IV and Blackie's Narrative Histories No. IV. The Infants have a new set of Palmerston Sight \& Sound Primers. |
| April $4^{\text {th }}$ | School closed for Good Friday and Easter week. <br> Girls' average attendance 32.6, Infants' average attendance 25.2 |
| April 15 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | School reopened. |
| April $17^{\text {th }}$ | Diocesan Examination held and a holiday given. Girls' average attendance 36.8 , Infants' average attendance 30.3 |
| April $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | Last quarterly examination given by the Mistress. The Vicar visited in the afternoon and distributed prizes in money to those scholars who had attended most regularly during the year 1900. |
| April 25 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| April $26^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance very good this week. Girls' average attendance 38.4, Infants' average attendance 32.5 |
| April $29{ }^{\text {th }}-30^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar opened school and took Scripture each morning. |
| May ${ }^{\text {st }} 1901$ | New school year commenced - all the girls have been advanced a standard, and 12 children were admitted from the Infant Class - 8 boys were transferred to the Boys' School. On Books 52 girls and 20 Infants. |
| May 3 ${ }^{\text {rd }}$ | Girls' average attendance 47.8, Infants' average attendance 19.0. <br> Copy of Scripture Report - "The Infants passed a highly creditable examination. The girls in the lower division answered only moderately well in Holy Scripture, the rest of the work was very satisfactory. The answering in the upper group was very good in all the subjects". <br> (signed) George heath Diocesan Inspector |
| May $10^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 44.6, Infants' average attendance 18.4 |
| May 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Registers closed at 9.10 a.m. and morning school dismissed at 11.10 a.m. A half-holiday given for Coolham Club. |


| May $16^{\text {th }}$ | A holiday given being Ascension Day. |
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| May $17^{\text {th }}$ | Every child present in both Girls' and Infants' Depts. <br> Girls' average attendance 46.0, Infants' average attendance 20.0 |
| ${\text { May } 21^{\text {st }}-24^{\text {th }}}^{\text {Mhe Vicar opened school with Prayers each morning, and gave the Scripture Lesson, mistress }}$ |  |
| being unwell. |  |$|$| Attendance has been remarkably good this week - 53 on books, with average attendance of |
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| 51. Infants 21.6 |
| A museum cabinet has been provided for the school, and forms a most useful addition to |
| the school furniture. |
| Girls' average attendance 49.2, Infants' average attendance 21.5 |


|  | Girls' average attendance 37.6, Infants' average attendance16.6 |
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| July $22^{\text {nd }}$ | Mr Brooks visited and advised that the school should break up at the end of the week - only 28 present out of 53 and 14 out of 24 . |
| July $25^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited. |
| July $26^{\text {th }}$ | School closed for Harvest holidays. Girls' average attendance 27.8, Infants' average attendance 12.8 |
| September 2 ${ }^{\text {nd }} 1901$ | Schools reopened. 39 present out of 53. Two families are excluded on account of measles. |
| September 3 ${ }^{\text {rd }}$ | The Vicar visited, and read Prayers at close of school. |
| September $6^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance has been poor as in addition to the cases of measles, some of the older girls are away hopping. <br> Girls' average attendance 38.4, Infants' average attendance 21.4 |
| September $9^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. The Vicar and another gentleman also visited. |
| September $10{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mistress away in the morning unwell - school conducted by Miss Folly. |
| September $13{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Almost all Stds. V and VI are away hopping. The lower standards are attending ell. Girls' average attendance 41.2, Infants' average attendance 23.2 |
| September $17^{\text {th }}$ | A very wet day-registers not marked. Present 16 girls, 8 infants. |
| September $19^{\text {th }}$ | A holiday given for the Choir Excursion. |
| September $20{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Seven Standard V children still away hopping. <br> Girls' average attendance 41.3, Infants' average attendance 26.8 <br> Owing to the school at Coolham being closed several infants have been admitted - they are all very backward. |
| September $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| September $25^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited and tested the Registers. |
| September $27^{\text {th }}$ | Both girls and infants have been examined during the week. Owing to the very bad attendance it was not held before the holidays. <br> Girls' average attendance 44.9, Infants' average attendance 26.2 |
| October 3 ${ }^{\text {rd }} 1901$ | The Vicar Visited. |
| October $4^{\text {th }}$ | There has been a good attendance this week until today which is very wet - only 36 girls and 16 infants present. The hoppers have returned to school. Fanny and Bertha Powell are away owing to a case of measles in the family. <br> Girls' average attendance 45.9, Infants' average attendance 21.5 |
| October $8^{\text {th }}$ | Visit of Inspection [annotated and signed by] C Garland. E Faires, C Rowland and A Dubbins were examined for Labour Certificates. |
| October $10^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited. Owing to a bad epidemic of measles the schools were closed today. No case has appeared in this department, but several are away on account of cases in the family. <br> Girls' average attendance 43.6, Infants' average attendance 22.2 |
| November 18 $8^{\text {th }} 1901$ | Schools reopened after being closed five weeks for measles. 38 present out of 57. |
| November $22{ }^{\text {nd }}$ | Twelve girls and 12 infants away all the week - almost all of them through measles. Four girls admitted. <br> Girls' average attendance 43.7, Infants' average attendance 17.8 |
| November $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited. |
| November $29{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance has greatly improved this week. Girls' average attendance 51.0, Infants' average attendance 22.5 |
| December 2 ${ }^{\text {nd }} 1901$ | The Vicar visited and read prayers at close of afternoon school. |
| December $4^{\text {th }}$ | Afternoon school commenced at 1 o'clock to allow of a Sale of Work in aid of the Schools to be held at 3.30 p.m. proceeds $£ 7.7 .6$. |
| December ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 51.3, Infants' average attendance 22.6 |
| December $10{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited and inspected the attendance. |
| December $12{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Very wet and rough. Registers not marked. Girls 15 \& 13 out of 58, Infants 8 \& 7 out of 29. |


| December $13^{\text {th }}$ | High floods - attendance very small. Girls' average attendance 46.0, Infants' average attendance 21 |
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| December $20{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited and saw the Infants drill. Girls' average attendance 48.1, Infants' average attendance 22 |
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| January ${ }^{\text {th }} 1902$ | School reopened after a fortnight's holiday. Owing to illness, Miss Folly was unable to resume her duties. |
| January ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mrs Bacon came to assist with the Infants during Miss Folly's absence. Mr Brooks visited. |
| January $10{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance has been fairly good, but several children have been away through bad colds. <br> Girls' average attendance 50.6, Infants' average attendance 26.4 |
| January $16^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| January $17^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited, and distributed prizes in money to the children who had highest number of attendances in 1900-1. <br> Girls' average attendance 50.6, Infants' average attendance 25.6 <br> Many children have been away with colds and coughs. |
| January $20{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Time tables of the Girls and Infants have been slightly altered to allow of the children drilling in the Girls' Schoolroom on Tuesdays and Fridays in two Divisions viz. St. I \& Infants and Standards II - VII. Lack of space is a serious difficulty in marching. |
| January $22^{\text {nd }}$ | The Vicar visited. |
| January $24^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Folly returned to school on Monday afternoon. The attendance has suffered greatly from severe colds and coughs among the scholars, and many of the children present have been quite unfit for work. <br> Girls' average attendance 41.5, Infants' average attendance 22.6 |
| January $30^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited. |
| January $31^{\text {st }}$ | Attendance still very poor owing to coughs and colds. Girls' average attendance 41.5, Infants' average attendance 22.6 |
| February $4^{\text {th }}-5^{\text {th }} 1902$ | Second Examination held by the Mistress - a full report will be found in the Record. Most of the children were up to the work of their respective classes but two or three are backward owing to long absence from school. |
| February $7^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 48.1, Infants' average attendance 23.0 |
| February $10{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited. |
| February $11^{\text {th }}$ | A holiday given on account of the wedding of Sir Merrick Burrell of Knepp |
| February $12^{\text {th }}$ | Ash Wednesday. Children attended Church at 11 o'clock - a whole holiday given. |
| February $14^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 49.9, Infants' average attendance 25.0 |
| February 20 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited and examined the Registers. |
| February $21^{\text {st }}$ | The attendance has been very good this week. Two girls have left who are removing from the district. Girls' average attendance 51.1, Infants' average attendance 25.2 |
| February $22^{\text {nd }}$ | Examined Registers and found them correct. [Annotated and signed by] E.S. Arkle |
| February $28^{\text {th }}$ | The weather has been very bad this week |
| March 3 ${ }^{\text {rd }} 1902$ | The Vicar visited and read prayers at close of school. |
| March $7^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 49.7, Infants' average attendance 25.8 |
| March 11 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited, and inspected the Registers. |
| March 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance has fallen this week owing to sickness - several children are away through chickenpox. <br> Girls' average attendance 43.9, Infants' average attendance 25.8 |
| March [date not given] | The attendance has been much worse this week owing to influenza. Girls' average attendance 38.8, Infants' average attendance 25.4 |
| March $27^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance still very bad owing to bad coughs and colds. The Mistress gave the final examination this week - a full account of which will be found in the record book. School |


|  | closed for Easter holidays. <br> Girls' average attendance 37.3, Infants' average attendance 20.2 |
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| April ${ }^{\text {th }} 1902$ | Schools reopened with a very good attendance. 8 girls admitted from the Infant Class, 7 boys being sent into the Boys' School. All the girls except Alice Adams St. II were advanced a standard. Number on Books 59 Girls, 23 Infants. <br> Girls' average attendance 55.9, Infants' average attendance 19.2 |
| April $7^{\text {th }}$ | The drawing Inspector visited this afternoon. The Vicar also visited. |
| April $8^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| April 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| April 15 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Diocesan Scripture Examination was held today, and a holiday given. |
| April 18 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 53.6, Infants' average attendance 20.7 |
| April $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | The Vicar visited and examined the Registers. |
| April $25^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance has been good except on Tuesday which was a very wet day. Girls' average attendance 50.5, Infants' average attendance 18.6 |
| April $29^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Gardner H.M.I visited in the afternoon and inspected the garments made by the children during the year. |
| April 30 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | School year ended. |
| May ${ }^{\text {st }} 1902$ | Ne Registers commenced - the "3 Term Register ", as recommended by Mr Garland, were introduced. |
| May $2^{\text {nd }}$ | The Vicar visited and saw the children do their physical drill. Girls' average attendance 56.8, Infants' average attendance 23.1 |
| May $6^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited. |
| May $7^{\text {th }}$ | The Misses Burrell visited. |
| May $8^{\text {th }}$ | A holiday given- being Ascension Day. |
| May $9^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 54.2, Infants' average attendance 24.3 <br> Copy of Scripture Report, May 1902. <br> "The Infants continue to receive careful and diligent instruction. The scholars in both divisions passed a highly satisfactory examination". (signed) George Heath Diocesan Inspector. |
| May $13{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Registers closed at 9.15 a.m. and school dismissed at 11.15 a half-holiday being given on account of Coolham Club. <br> Girls' average attendance 48.7, Infants' average attendance 19.2 |
| May 19 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | A holiday given being Bank Holiday. |
| May $20^{\text {th }}$ | Received the result of Examination for Labour Certificates. F. Powell, L. Wood, E. Cherriman, N. Johnson, A. Pavey and M. Fooks were all passed. Mr Brooks visited this morning. |
| May $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | The Vicar visited. <br> Girls' average attendance 51.0, Infants' average attendance 21.0 Five children from the Girls' and Infant Depts. have left to attend Coolham School, now reopened. |
| May $30{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 50.0, Infants' average attendance 24.5 |
| June $6^{\text {th }} 1902$ | Miss Folly away from school unwell. Mrs Bacon took her place. Girls' average attendance 47.4, Infants' average attendance 22.1 |
| June $12{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited. |
| June $13^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Folly has not been able to attend school this week on account of illness. Mrs Bacon is taking her place till she is able to resume her duties. The attendance has suffered from wet weather yesterday and today. <br> Girls' average attendance 45.0, Infants' average attendance 20.4 |
| June $16^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar opened school with Prayers and gave the girls their Scripture Lesson. |
| June $20{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance has again suffered from wet weather. Girls' average attendance 44.5, Infants' average attendance 20.8 |


| June $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | Miss Folly resumed her duties. The Vicar visited and brought the School Report. |
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| June $25^{\text {th }}$ | School closed for Thursday and Friday the $26^{\text {th }} \& 27^{\text {th }}$, being the days appointed as Bank Holidays on account of the intended Coronation of King Edward VII. |
| June $25^{\text {th }}$ | Copy of Report <br> Girls' School - "The Girls' Department, which includes the Infant Class, is very well disciplined and taught". <br> Principal Grant |
|  | Girls $22 / 0 \mathrm{~d} \times 46$ $£ 50 / 12 / 0 \mathrm{~d}$ |
|  | Infants $17 / 0 \mathrm{~d} \times 22$ £18/14/0d |
|  | Total Grant earned in schools $\quad$ £121/0/0d |
|  | Staff for 1902-3 |
|  | Annie Penn. Head Mistress <br> Mary Folly. Art 50 <br> Signed E.S. Arkle. Correspondent |
| June $30^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| July 4th 1902 | The Vicar opened school and took the Scripture lesson on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, the Mistress being unwell. <br> Girls' average attendance 47.3, Infants' average attendance 21.6 |
| July $7^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar opened school and gave the Scripture lesson. |
| July $9^{\text {th }}$ | Afternoon school commenced at 1.15 p.m. and closed at $3.15 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. on account of a children's' School Treat at Coolham. |
| July $10^{\text {th }}-11^{\text {th }}$ | A holiday given for Lawn Club. <br> Girls' average attendance 48.2, Infants' average attendance 23.2 <br> The Mistress is obliged to resign her duties temporarily on account of ill health. The Managers have made arrangements for the school to be carried on by the Assistant, Miss Folly, while Mrs Bacon takes charge of the Infant Class - this arrangement to hold good till the summer holidays. |
| July $14^{\text {th }}$ | [Written by Miss Folly] A half-holiday was given on account of the School Treat at Knepp. |
| July $17^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar opened School and gave Scripture Lessons on Tuesday, Wednesday and today. |
| July $18{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited and tested the registers. <br> Mrs Hobart visited this afternoon and presented the children with Coronation mugs. Girls' average attendance 48.0, Infants' average attendance 22.0 |
| July $22^{\text {nd }}$ | Mr Brooks visited this afternoon and inspected the Registers. |
| July $23^{\text {rd }}$ | One infant boy readmitted. Girls' average attendance 47.8, Infants' average attendance 21.7 |
| July $28^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited this morning and inspected the Registers. |
| July 31 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ | The Schools were closed today for the Harvest Holidays -5 weeks. Girls' average attendance 48.0, Infants' average attendance 22.0 [Final entry in Miss Folly's hand] |
| September 8 ${ }^{\text {th }} 1902$ | Schools reopened with a good attendance. |
| September ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited and tested the Registers. |
| September $10{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 47.4, Infants' average attendance 23.2 |
| September 15 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited and distributed the Diocesan Scripture Certificates to the children who had gained them. |
| September $16^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited and inspected the Registers. |
| September 19 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Mistress took Stds. I, II \& III to visit a farmyard, in the time appointed for an Object lesson. <br> Girls' average attendance 45.9, Infants' average attendance 22.8 |
| September $26{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 47.4, Infants' average attendance 23.0 <br> The lower standards had a lesson on the oak tree in their playground, and afterwards drilled |


|  | out of doors. <br> [annotated and signed] Visited, C Cleavland. $23^{\text {rd }}$ Sep: ‘02 |
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| September $29^{\text {th }}$ | The Dowager Lady Burrell and Miss Burrell visited this afternoon, and heard the children sing. |
| October $3^{\text {rd }} 1902$ | Several children have been absent all week through sickness. Girls' average attendance 44.0, Infants' average attendance 19.4 |
| October 10 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 46.6, Infants' average attendance 19.7 |
| October $17^{\text {th }}$ | The children have been much interested by the germination of cress and wheat in saucers in saucers, in connection with their science readers. <br> Girls' average attendance 44.6, Infants' average attendance 20.2 |
| October $21{ }^{\text {st }}$ | A Half-holiday was given on account of a Sale of Work in the Parish Room. |
| October $23^{\text {rd }}$ | Mr Brooks visited and inspected the Registers. |
| October $24^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance has suffered from the wet weather this week. Early afternoon marking of the Registers commenced this week. <br> Girls' average attendance 42.4, Infants' average attendance 15.6 |
| October $30^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited, and inspected the Registers. |
| October $31{ }^{\text {st }}$ | The Time Table has been slightly altered to make the time of closing afternoon school during the winter months correspond with that of the boys. <br> Girls' average attendance 46.4, Infants' average attendance 21.4 |
| November $3^{\text {rd }} 1902$ | Admitted one girl from Dial Post School, making 50 on the books. St. II have been taught Short Division, and St. I, subtraction. <br> Girls' average attendance 46.8, Infants' average attendance 20.4 |
| November $17{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited, and inspected the Registers. |
| November $21{ }^{\text {st }}$ | Girls' average attendance 45.2, Infants' average attendance 15.9 |
| November $25^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited. |
| November $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The weather has been very bad this week, and made a lower average. Girls' average attendance 42.3, Infants' average attendance 14.3 |
| December $2^{\text {nd }} 1902$ | The Vicar visited. |
| December $5^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 44.8, Infants' average attendance 12.8 |
| December $8^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited and read prayers at close of school. |
| December $10{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Penn had leave from school to visit a sister, seriously ill. Miss Folly had charge of the school, and the vicar gave religious instruction and opened school. |
| December $11^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| December $12^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 43.8, Infants' average attendance 15.1 |
| December $19^{\text {th }}$ | Second term examination held by the Mistress. The results were satisfactory on the whole a full report is given in the Record. <br> Girls' average attendance 41.8, Infants' average attendance 12.8 <br> The schools were closed for the Christmas Holidays -3 weeks. |
| 1903 |  |
| January $12{ }^{\text {th }} 1903$ | Schools reopened with a very good attendance. Mr Brooks visited. |
| January $16^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 46.5, Infants' average attendance 18.0 |
| January $23^{\text {rd }}$ | The attendance has been very low this week owing to bad colds and coughs. Three new scholars were admitted in the Infant Room. <br> Girls' average attendance 38.9, Infants' average attendance 18.7 |
| January $29^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited in the afternoon and ready Prayers at close of school. Mrs Good also visited and heard the children recite. |
| January $30^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance is still badly affected by sickness. Girls' average attendance 39.6, Infants' average attendance 12.8 |
| February $3^{\text {rd }} 1903$ | The Vicar visited. Infant Class examined by the Mistress. The $1^{\text {st }}$ class had made very good progress since last examination, especially in reading. The Baby Class contains many |


|  | children, only just commencing school. The number of Infants on books this year is particularly small, owing to the school opened at Coolham. |
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| February $6^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 42.8, Infants' average attendance 18.2 |
| February $10^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited. Mr Brooks visited and inspected the attendance. |
| February $13^{\text {th }}$ | The Lower Division went out for a walk to see a stream, in connection with their object lesson on a river. <br> Girls' average attendance 44.0, Infants' average attendance 22.2 |
| February $16^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| February $20^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance has been good this week, though most of the children have bad colds and coughs. <br> Girls' average attendance 45.2, Infants' average attendance 22.6 |
| February $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | Several children away with whooping cough. |
| February $24^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited in the morning and Mr Brooks, in the afternoon. |
| February $25^{\text {th }}$ | Being Ash Wednesday, no secular instruction was given. |
| February $26^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited. |
| February $27^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance has dropped very much during the week, owing to cases of whooping cough, and sickness. <br> Girls' average attendance 36.1, Infants' average attendance 14.7 |
| March 3 ${ }^{\text {rd }} 1903$ | The Vicar visited. |
| March $6^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance has been very low indeed this week, especially in the Infant Class, owing to sickness, whooping cough and bad weather. <br> Girls' average attendance 32.0, Infants' average attendance 7.2 |
| March $9^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| March $13{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited, and opened school with Prayers, and remained during the Scripture Lesson. The attendance has been rather better in the Girls' School, but the Infants had only Infants - 7.4 out of 25 . Girls -38.1 out of 47 |
| March 16 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited, and read Morning Prayers to open school. |
| March $18{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar presented prizes in money to the scholars who made the highest number of attendances during the year 1901-2. |
| March $20^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance is still very low. Girls' average attendance 36.1, Infants' average attendance 8.6 |
| March $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| March 24 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Garland visited to examine the candidates for Labour Certificates. Five girls viz. A. Thompson, L. Pierce, E. King, A. Vallens and J. Stepney. The Revd. Ward visited, bring the children from Dial Post School to be examined. |
| March $25^{\text {th }}-26^{\text {th }}$ | Final examination of scholars given by the Mistress. Many children were absent through whooping cough. Otherwise the results were fairly satisfactory. A full account is entered in the Record. <br> Girls' average attendance 36.2, Infants' average attendance 11.4 |
| March 30 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Infants examined by Head Mistress. There were very many away with whooping cough, but those present were in a very creditable condition. The improvement in reading is remarkable and they count and write very well. |
| April $1^{\text {st }} 1903$ | Four girls were admitted from the infant class, and five boys were transferred to the Boys' Dept. With the exception of Fredk. Adams, whose attendance is dreadful, all were in a good state of progress. In the Girls' Dept. all the children except Florence Denman, St. III, and Mary Thorns St. II were advanced. |
| April ${ }^{\text {nd }}$ | The Vicar visited and brought the schedule of the Labour Certificate Exam. All passed, except Lily Pierce in Arithmetic. |
| April ${ }^{\text {rd }}$ | Girls' average attendance 38.4, Infants' average attendance 11.0 |
| April $6^{\text {th }}$ | Notice of Diocesan Exam. received. |




|  | papers were very neat, and the attainments of the scholars, even. Only Alice and Nellie Adams and Dorothy Evans are at all behind with their work. May Thorns, who was too backward to be advanced to St. III at the commencement of the year has worked well, and will be advanced after the holidays. The weakest points are still Std. I Reading and Arithmetic and Std. III writing. |
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| July $24^{\text {th }}$ | The Infants were examined by the Mistress, and were working very orderly and well. They had made a good beginning with their reading, writing and counting. Girls' average attendance 43.1, Infants' average attendance 22.8 |
| July $29^{\text {th }}$ | [Written in hand of Miss Folly, Assistant Mistress] Mr Brooks visited. |
| July $3{ }^{\text {st }}$ | The schools broke up today for five weeks holiday. <br> Girls' average attendance 41.7, Infants' average attendance 22.9 <br> The Mistress had leave of absence on Thursday and Friday, to attend the hospital. The school was conducted by the assistant. |
| September $7^{\text {th }}$ | [Miss Penn resumes charge] <br> School reopened after the Harvest Holidays - several children were away in the hop garden. <br> The Vicar visited and inspected the Registers. |
| September ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| September 11 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 40.9, Infants' average attendance 26.0 |
| September 15 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| September $18{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 42.9, Infants' average attendance 28.7 |
| September $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| September $24^{\text {th }}$ | Received the School Report. |
| September $25^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 40.2, Infants' average attendance 28.4 <br> There have been several children away with bad throats and sickness. Miss Dixon visited and saw the girls do their dumb bell drill. |
|  | 1903 Copy of Report <br> 62 (including Infants) at 22/- $£ 68.4 .0 \mathrm{~d}$. Gross $£ 122$ 4.0d <br> "The work in both departments was going on satisfactorily when I visited, and the children were in good order. The playgrounds are too muddy for drill in wet weather". <br> Staff for 1903-4 <br> Annie Penn - Certificated Mistress <br> Mary Folly - Article 50 <br> Signed E.S. Arkle- Correspondent |
| October 2 ${ }^{\text {nd }} 1903$ | Girls' average attendance 40.1, Infants' average attendance 28.4 |
| October $5^{\text {th }}$ | A very wet, rough morning. Only 15 girls present out of 44 and 4 infants out of 31 . Registers not marked. |
| October $6^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| October $8^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited, and checked the Registers. |
| October $9^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 40.8, Infants' average attendance 27.2. <br> Four girls have left this week to attend Coolham School, and two girls and an infant admitted. |
| October 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| October $22^{\text {nd }}$ | A very wet morning. Five children were sent home as they were wet through. Registers not marked. <br> Present 20 girls out of 45,9 infants out of 29 . |
| October $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | The Mistress had leave of absence from school, which was conducted by Miss Folly. The attendance has suffered from the wet weather. <br> Girls' average attendance 39.0, Infants' average attendance 21.0 |
| October 27 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| October $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ | High floods prevented many children from attending school. |
| October 30 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Attendance has again been badly affected by the weather. The Vicar visited. |


|  | Girls' average attendance 35.7, Infants' average attendance 19.6 |
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| November $5^{\text {th }} 1903$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| November $6^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 41.7, Infants' average attendance 27.2 |
| November ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| November 10 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | H.M. Inspector, Mr Sanderson visited the school this afternoon at 2.30, and remained till close of school. He recommended an alteration in the Infant Time Table to make the Needlework Lessons shorter. |
| November 13 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 39.5, Infants' average attendance 27.4 |
| November $18{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited and checked the Registers. Mr Brooks visited. |
| November $20{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 41.7, Infants' average attendance 27.8 |
| November 24 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| November $26{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited. |
| November 27 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Mistress had leave of absence to attend the hospital. The school was conducted by Miss Folly. <br> Girls' average attendance 42.0, Infants' average attendance 27.6 |
| December $1^{\text {st }} 1903$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| December 3 ${ }^{\text {rd }}$ | The Vicar visited. Girls' average attendance 40.4, Infants' average attendance 25.6 |
| December ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| December ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | A very wet day, with bad attendance. 20 girls and 20 infants absent. |
| December $11^{\text {th }}$ | The weather has caused a fall in this week's average. The Vicar visited. Girls' average attendance 37.8 Infants' average attendance 22.5 |
| December $14^{\text {th }}$ | The Infants' Time Table has been altered to make the Needlework lessons of shorter duration, as advised by H.M.I. Mr Brooks visited. |
| December $16^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited. |
| December $17^{\text {th }}-18^{\text {th }}$ | Second periodical exam. given by the Mistress. With two or three exceptions, due to irregular attendance, the girls are making good progress. A full report will be found in the Record. |
| December $18{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 41.5, Infants' average attendance 27.8 |
| December 21 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. The Vicar visited. |
| December $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | Girls' average attendance 40.0, Infants' average attendance 24.3 |
| December $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | The schools closed for the Christmas Holidays. Goods ordered in October have been received, incomplete, during the week. A new cupboard has been provided for storing the Needlework Materials, which supplies a great need. |
| 1904 |  |
| January $11^{\text {th }} 1904$ | Miss E. Penn employed as Art.68. The school reopened, with a good attendance. |
| January $12{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Mistress had leave of absence to attend the hospital - the school being conducted by Miss Folly. |
| January $13{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Very rough and wet, with small attendance. Alice and Nellie Adams were sent home, as the Mother sent word that a child had measles in the family. |
| January $14^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited, and close afternoon school by reading the Prayers. |
| January $15^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 36.8, Infants' average attendance 20.7 |
| January $19^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited. Mr Brooks also visited. |
| January $22^{\text {nd }}$ | A very good attendance has been made this week, except for the two Adams girls, who are excluded, through measles in the family. <br> Girls' average attendance 42.4, Infants' average attendance 23.8 |
| January $27^{\text {th }}$ | A very wet, rough day. Registers not marked. Present 34 out of 75. |
| January $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Another very rough, wet day with high floods. Registers not marked. Present 15 out of 75. |
| January $29{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance $38.6-87 \%$, Infants' average attendance 25.8 |


| February 2 ${ }^{\text {nd }} 1904$ | The Vicar visited. Mr Brooks also visited. |
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| February $5^{\text {th }}$ | Nine children have been absent all week through sickness and weather. Girls' average attendance 40.6, Infants' average attendance 20.2 |
| February $8^{\text {th }}$ | A very wet day, with small attendance. |
| February $9^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. The Vicar also visited. |
| February $10^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Folly had leave of absence from school to attend the Hospital. School conducted by the Hd. Mistress. |
| February $12^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 39.5, Infants' average attendance 22.5. 82\% |
| February 15 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| February $17^{\text {th }}$ | Being Ash Wednesday, no secular instruction was given. The children attended Church in the morning. |
| February $19^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited. There has been a good attendance this week, owing to an improvement in the weather. <br> Girls' average attendance 43.7, Infants' average attendance 25.7 <br> New goods have been received from the E.S.A., including a new map of England and Wales. |
| February $22^{\text {nd }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| February $23^{\text {rd }}$ | The Vicar visited, and brought the WS Education Committee's Regulations for Elementary Day Schools. |
| February $26^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 44.0, Infants' average attendance 25.8. 90\%. |
| February $29^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| March 2 ${ }^{\text {nd }} 1904$ | A holiday was given on account of County Council Election. |
| March $4^{\text {th }}$ | Two infant boys who are sick and likely to be absent for a long time have been taken off the Register. <br> Girls' average attendance 40.2, Infants' average attendance 24.6. 86\% |
| March $7^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| March $11^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 43.6, Infants' average attendance 27.7. 96\% |
| March 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| March 15 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited and brought a Sales Book for entering articles sold. |
| March 18 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 41.8, Infants' average attendance 26.4. $92 \%$ |
| March $2{ }^{\text {st }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| March $25^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited and tested the Registers. The Mistress has given the final examination on the year's work this week. With few exceptions (owing to sickness or irregularity) the work is very satisfactory. <br> The Infant Class is in a good state of progress, and there has been a marked improvement in the reading. A full report of the Exam. may be found in the Record. <br> Girls' average attendance 43.4, Infants' average attendance 26.6. 94\% |
| March $28^{\text {th }}$ | Afternoon school commenced at 1.15 and dismissed at 3.30, on account of Church Services. Mr Brooks visited. |
| March 30 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Closed school for Easter Holidays. <br> Girls' average attendance 39.3, Infants' average attendance 26.0. 88\% |
| April $11^{\text {th }} 1904$ | School reopened after ten days holiday. <br> New Educational year commenced. 5 boys and 7 girls transferred from the Infant Class to the Boys' and Girls' Departments respectively, and four Infants admitted. <br> During the holidays the schools have been nicely cleaned. All the girls in the school have been advanced into higher Standards except Alice and Nellie Adams and Alice Heasman who have all attended badly through sickness, and are exceptionally dull. |
| April $12^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Penn was away unwell for the remainder of the week. The school was conducted by Miss Folly, and the Vicar assisted with the Scripture Lessons. |
| April 15 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 47.8, Infants' average attendance 19.0. 95\% |
| April $19{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |


| April $20^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Penn resumed her duties. |
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| April $22{ }^{\text {nd }}$ | The Vicar read Prayers to open school, and gave Scripture Lessons instead of the Mistress during the week. <br> Girls' average attendance 47.6, Infants' average attendance 19.7. $96 \%$ Percentage for month 94\% |
| April $27^{\text {th }}$ | H.M. Inspector visited the school this morning. He heard Ethel Penn read and recite for the Kings Scholarship Exam. <br> Visited the School. (Art. 84.b) [signed] T Sanderson Sub-Inspector <br> A half-holiday was given this afternoon. The Vicar visited in the morning. |
| April 29 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Diocesan Scripture Examination was held today. No secular instruction was given. Girls' average attendance 46.8, Infants' average attendance 19.5. 94\% |
| May ${ }^{\text {nd }} 1904$ | A very wet day, and small attendance. The Vicar visited. |
| May ${ }^{\text {rd }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| May ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited. |
| May ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 44.2, Infants' average attendance 18.2. 89\% |
| May ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| May $10{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Registers were marked at 9 o'clock, and two hours secular instruction given. A halfholiday was given. Miss Penn was away not well. |
| May $12^{\text {th }}$ | No secular instruction was given today, being Ascension Day. The children assembled in the morning at 10 a.m. and attended Church. |
| May $13^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited, and tested the Registers. He also brought the Scripture Report. Each Division was marked Ex. In every subject, and the general report was - "The teaching is sound and thorough and the children passed an excellent examination in all their subjects". (Signed) Hugh Hordern. D.I. |
| May $16^{\text {th }}$ | [written in Miss Folly's hand] Miss Penn the Mistress is away for three weeks rest owing to ill health. Mr S Thompson the Secretary of the West Sussex Education Committee visited this morning, and said that the substitute, that was to take Miss Penn's place was unable to come. The school has been carried on by the Assistant and Art:68 during the week. Mr Brooks visited. |
| May $19^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar opened school, and took the Scripture Lesson. |
| May 20 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 46.9, Infants' average attendance 21.8. 94\% |
| May 23rd \& 24 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | A holiday was given on Monday and Tuesday being Whitsun week. |
| May25th | Mr Brooks visited. On Wednesday and Thursday the Vicar visited and took the Scripture Lesson. |
| May $27^{\text {th }}$ | A pouring wet morning. Very small attendance. Registers not marked. 8 girls present out of 49,4 infants out of 24 . <br> Girls' average attendance 46, Infants' average attendance 19.5 |
| May $30^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. Jane, Minnie and Edith Pavey have been away all the week owing to a case of measles in the family. The Vicar opened school and took the scripture lesson on Monday and the three following days. |
| June $3^{\text {rd }} 1904$ | Girls' average attendance 44.5, Infants' average attendance 20.9 |
| June $6^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Penn resumed her duties. |
| June $8^{\text {th }}$ | The Paveys returned to school, no fresh case of measles having occurred. |
| June $10{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 44.2, Infants' average attendance 23.8. 90\% |
| June 13 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| June 15 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Half year's goods received from E.S.A. and Charles \& Dibble. The kindergarten materials were not of so good quality. |
| June $16^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited, and presented certificates to the children who gained them in the Diocesan Examination. <br> Girls' average attendance 46.2, Infants' average attendance 24.3. 94\% |


| June 20 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
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| June $24^{\text {th }}$ | A half-holiday given for good attendance in accordance with "the scheme of the County Council for good attendance. Time book for Assistant Teachers received. Girls' average attendance 48.1, Infants' average attendance 25.1. 97.6\% |
| June 27 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| July $1^{\text {st }} 1904$ | Girls' average attendance 46.8, Infants' average attendance 24.7. 95.3\% |
| July $4^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. The Vicar visited in the afternoon, and tested the Registers. |
| July $8^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited, and tested the Infants' Registers. Girls' average attendance 45.6, Infants' average attendance 26.2. 94.4\% |
| July $11^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| July $13^{\text {th }}$ | A whole holiday given on account of Lawn Club. |
| July $14^{\text {th }}$ | Several children were away today on account of the Wesleyan S School treat. |
| July $15^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 47.8, Infants' average attendance 24.2 |
| July $18{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| July $19^{\text {th }} \& 20^{\text {th }}$ | First termly Examination given by the Mistress. The results were fairly satisfactory, but the hot weather affects the children unfavourably, and several were feeling unwell. |
| July $22^{\text {nd }}$ | Girls' average attendance 47.8, Infants' average attendance 25.8. 93.1\% |
| July $27^{\text {th }}$ <br> [Log says August, clearly in error]. | Miss Folly went home today on account of her sister's serious illness. The children were managed by the Head Mistress. They were examined, and found to be making good progress for the length of time they have been promoted. |
| July $29^{\text {th }}$ | The schools broke up this morning for five weeks' holiday. |
| September 5 ${ }^{\text {th }} 1904$ | The schools reopened with a good attendance. The Ball frame and Easel for the use of the Infants have arrived, and are very satisfactory. The Vicar visited. |
| September $6^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Hopton visited. |
| September $8^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited and tested the Registers. |
| September $9^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 47.5, Infants' average attendance 23.6. 87.7\% |
| September 12 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| September 15 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Folly was away this morning unwell. |
| September $16{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 48, Infants' average attendance 27.7. 95.8\% |
| September 19 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| September $23^{\text {rd }}$ | Many of the children are suffering from bad colds, and the attendance has not been quite so good in consequence. <br> Girls' average attendance 47.1, Infants' average attendance 27.8. |
| September $26^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. The Vicar visited, and took the Scripture Lesson. |
| September $30{ }^{\text {th }}$ | A half-holiday given for good attendance during the month. Girls' average attendance 49.5, Infants' average attendance 28.5. 94.1\% |
| October 3 ${ }^{\text {rd }} 1904$ | [Written in Miss Folly's hand until Oct. $9^{\text {th }}$ ]. Mr Brooks visited. |
| October $5^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited and took the Scripture Lesson on Wednesday and Thursday. |
| October $7^{\text {th }}$ | A pouring wet morning. A very small attendance. Registers not marked. <br> 21 girls present out of 52.7 infants present out of 32 . <br> Registers marked in the afternoon as the attendance was better. Miss Penn has been away since Monday afternoon owing to illness. The school has been conducted by the Assistant Mistress. <br> Girls' average attendance 45.2, Infants' average attendance 26.8. 85.8\% |
| October $9^{\text {th }}-11^{\text {th }}$ | [Miss Penn resumes writing the Log although not present until $11^{\text {th }}$ ] The Vicar visited, and took the Scripture Lesson each day. |
| October 11 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Penn resumed her duties. |
| October 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 49.6, Infants' average attendance 30.6. 94.3\% |
| October 18 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |


| October $21{ }^{\text {st }}$ | Afternoon school commenced this week at 1.15 instead of 1.30, being the usual rule for the winter months. Monday was a very wet day with small attendance. <br> Girls' average attendance 46.3, Infants' average attendance 26.6. 85.7\% |
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| October $24^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| October $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ | A half-holiday given for good attendance during the month. Girls' average attendance 48.7, Infants' average attendance 30.3. 93\% |
| October 31 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| November $1^{\text {st }} 1904$ | The Vicar visited, and inspected the Registers. |
| November ${ }^{\text {rd }}$ | Two girls admitted making 53 on books. There is desk accommodation only for 46, and this causes much inconvenience. Application is therefore being made for extra desks. Girls' average attendance 50.3, Infants' average attendance 30. 94.4\% |
| November ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. A very wet day. |
| November ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Another rough day. |
| November 10 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | School week ended, a holiday being given on the $11^{\text {th }}$, for the Parliamentary Election. Girls' average attendance 47.2, Infants' average attendance 24.2. 84.1\% |
| November $16^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited. |
| November 18 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 49.8, Infants' average attendance 30.0. 93.8\% |
| November $21{ }^{\text {st }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| November 24 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited. |
| November $25^{\text {th }}$ | The weather has been very severe this week, and a great many of the children have been away sick, while many of those present have been too poorly to work. A half-holiday was given for the past month's good attendance. <br> Girls' average attendance 44. Infants' average attendance 22. 77\% |
| November 26 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited on Saturday. |
| December $1^{\text {st }} 1904$ | The Vicar visited. |
| December $2^{\text {nd }}$ | The attendance has been very low again this week. There is quite an epidemic of influenza, and the children who come to school seem to have no energy. <br> Girls' average attendance 43.2, Infants' average attendance 23.5. 77.5\% |
| December $5^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| December $6^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited, and brought 14s/2d, allowed by the School Managers to purchase embroidery. |
| December $8^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited, and brought notice of holidays. |
| December $\mathrm{g}^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Hobart visited, and tested the Registers. |
| December 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited. |
| December $16^{\text {th }}$ | Ether Penn, Art. 68, has been away this week attending the K.S. Exam at Chichester College. Emma Woolgar has acted as Monitress. <br> Girls' average attendance 47.1, Infants' average attendance 21. 79.1\% |
| December $16^{\text {th }}$ | The Mistress inspected the Infants this morning, and was very pleased with their progress. The writing is excellent, and the reading too is very satisfactory. <br> Girls' average attendance 50.9, Infants' average attendance 25.7. 90.1\% |
| December 20 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Folly was obliged to go home on account of her Mother's illness. |
| December $22^{\text {nd }}$ | The school broke up for the Christmas Holidays this morning. The Mistress was obliged to postpone her examination of the girls, intended for this week, owing to Miss Folly's absence. Girls' average attendance 49.8, Infants' average attendance 24.2. 88.2\% |
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| January $9^{\text {th }} 1905$ | School reopened after a fortnight's holiday with a good attendance. Mr Brooks visited. |
| January $11^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited and tested the Registers. |
| January $12^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited. |
| January $13^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 50.6, Infants' average attendance 28.4 |
| January $16^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |


| January $17^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited, and distributed prizes in money to the children who had made most attendances in the school year ending March 1903. |
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| January $20{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited. The new goods for the half-year have been received, and include a set of Readers for the $1^{\text {st }}$ Class, and Std. III. New desks to provide sitting room for eight have also been provided, as the accommodation was insufficient for the number of scholars. Miss Ether Penn, Art. 68 has been absent from school for the last three days owing to sickness. Girls' average attendance 51.5, Infants' average attendance 24.2. 90.1\%. |
| January $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| January $25^{\text {th }}$ | A holiday was given on account of the wedding of Miss Bacon, the schoolmaster's daughter. |
| January $27^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance has not been very good this week, owing to bad colds. Girls' average attendance 47.7, Infants' average attendance 25. 87.6\% |
| January $30^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| February $1^{\text {st }} 1905$ | The Vicar visited. |
| February $3^{\text {rd }}$ | The Vicar visited. Girls' average attendance 49.2, Infants' average attendance 27.4. 95.7\% |
| February $7^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited, and read prayers to open school. Girls' average attendance 49.9, Infants' average attendance 25.4. 94.1\% |
| February $16^{\text {th }}$ | Prize books for attendance were received today. Captain Hobart visited and tested the Registers. <br> Girls' average attendance 49.4, Infants' average attendance 27.9. 96.6\% |
| February 22 ${ }^{\text {nd }}$ | The Vicar visited. |
| February $24^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited. Girls' average attendance 50.0, Infants' average attendance 28.8. 96\% |
| February $27^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. The Vicar visited. |
| March $2^{\text {nd }} 1905$ | A holiday was given today for good attendance, as the Head Teachers desired leave of absence. |
| March 3 ${ }^{\text {rd }}$ | Miss Folly's leave was extended to Monday morning, as her sister is seriously ill. The attendance has been very good this week. <br> Girls' average attendance 51.5, Infants' average attendance 28.7. 97.8\% |
| March $6^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| March $7^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited in the afternoon and read prayers at close of school. |
| March $10^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Folly has been away all the week, as her sister was worse. The Infants were taught by the Girls' teachers, who have been assisted by Emma Woolgar the top scholar. Girls' average attendance 47.8, Infants' average attendance 24.0. 86.5\% |
| March 13 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. Miss Folly resumed her duties. |
| March 14th - 15 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Mistress examined the girls preliminary to placing them in higher Standards. With the exception of the small St. II, which is composed of lately admitted scholars for the most part, the results were very satisfactory. A full report will be found in the Report Book |
| March $16^{\text {th }}$ | Miss E. Penn had leave to attend a Manager's Meeting at Worthing, in view of gaining an appointment as Assistant Mistress. She had leave also on Monday afternoon. |
| March $17^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 51.6, Infants' average attendance 27.6. 95.4\% |
| March 20 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. Miss E. Penn sent in notice of her resignation, having gained an appointment as Art. 50 at S. Andrew's, Worthing. |
| March $22^{\text {nd }}$ | Miss Hopton visited the schools this morning and inspected the needlework and heard the children read and sing. <br> Girls' average attendance 50.2, Infants' average attendance 31.8. 97.6\% |
| March $30^{\text {th }}$ | H.M. Inspector visited the school at 9.20 and remained till 12 o'clock. |
| March 31 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ | The Mistress examined the Infant Class previous to advancing them into the Boys' and Girls' Departments. The children are in a very satisfactory condition. A half-holiday for good attendance was given. |


|  | Girls' average attendance 47.8, Infants' average attendance 29.6. |
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| April ${ }^{\text {rd }} 1905$ | Six boys and nine girls were transferred from the Infant Class to the boys' and Girls' Departments. Four infants were admitted, making 21 on books. |
| April 4 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Baker, the Drawing inspector, visited this morning. The Vicar visited, and read Prayers at close of school. |
| April ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Miss E. Penn terminates her engagement today. Girls' average attendance 57.7, Infants' average attendance 20.2. 95\% |
| April 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Four infants admitted this week, and one older scholar. The girls are considerably hampered for room, there being only sitting room for 55 , and 62 on books. The attendance has been very good this week. <br> Girls' average attendance 59.3, Infants' average attendance 24.9. 96.7\% |
| April 18 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited. |
| April 19 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar and Sir Merrick Burrell visited, and distributed medals, prizes, and certificates to the children entitled to them. Under the Attendance Prize Scheme. 13 medals and prizes were gained. The schools then broke up for the Easter holidays. <br> Girls' average attendance 58.6, Infants' average attendance 24.6. 95.7\% |
| May $1^{\text {st }} 1905$ | School reopened after the Easter holidays with a good attendance. The Vicar visited. |
| May $3^{\text {rd }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| May $5^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 60.2, Infants' average attendance 23.6. 97.4\% |
| May $9^{\text {th }}$ | Registers were marked at 9 o'clock and school dismissed at 11 o'clock on account of Coolham Club - a half-holiday being given. |
| May $10^{\text {th }}$ | The Schedule of the Labour Certificate Exam. was received - all the girls passed who attended vis: E. Woolgar, A Naldrett, E. Gratwicke, L. Stepney, and A. Hayler. Miss Moseley, the Drill Inspectress, visited today, and saw the Upper Division Drill, and tested the sight of doubtful children. |
| May $12^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 59.1, Infants' average attendance 21.6. 91.7\% |
| May 18 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| May $19^{\text {th }}$ | Diocesan Scripture Examination held in the morning - a holiday given in the afternoon. Girls' average attendance 55.0, Infants' average attendance [not given] 89.3\% The attendance has been badly affected by influenza colds. |
| May $22^{\text {nd }}$ | Emma Woolgar, St. Ex. VII, commenced duty as Monitress in the school today. Mr brooks visited. |
| May $26^{\text {th }}$ | The lower standards went for a country ramble this afternoon from 3-4 pm. Girls' average attendance 55.1, Infants' average attendance 24.8. $92.8 \%$ |
| May $30{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Upper Division went out for a Nature Study walk from 3-4 o'clock. Miss Hugessen visited. |
| May $31^{\text {st }}$ | The Vicar visited and tested the Registers. |
| June $1^{\text {st }} 1905$ | The children assembled as usual at 10 o'clock and went to Church, a whole holiday being given. |
| June $2^{\text {nd }}$ | A holiday was given on account of a Confirmation at the Parish Church. Girls' average attendance 55.5, Infants' average attendance 25.3. 92.9\%. |
| [date missing] | The attendance has been badly affected by wet weather this week. Girls' average attendance 51.0, Infants' average attendance 20.2. 84.7\% |
| June 12 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Being Whit Monday a holiday was given. |
| June $13^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| June 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited and brought the Scripture Report. |
| June $15^{\text {th }}$ | Registers marked at 9 o'clock, and a half-holiday given on account of the Choral Festival at Horsham. |
| June 16 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 55.4, Infants' average attendance 24.0. 94.5\% |
| June $19{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. Many of the children have been absent with bad colds, and many of those |


|  | present have been unfit for work. <br> Girls' average attendance 52.8, Infants' average attendance 22.2. 89.2\% |
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| [Date missing] | The attendance has been badly affected by the weather. Girls' average attendance 50.7, Infants' average attendance 22.0. 85.5\% |
| July $3^{\text {rd }} 1905$ | Goods for needlework, and Kindergarten materials from Charles \& Dible, received for the next half year. |
| July $5^{\text {th }}$ | Registers marked at 9 o'clock, and school dismissed at 110'clock on account of the Burrell Arms Club. <br> Copy of Scripture Report 1905 <br> The Infants have been thoroughly well taught and passed an excellent examination in all their subjects. <br> The result of the examination of the younger children in the Standards was rather disappointing but allowance must be made for the fact that though they are taught separately, they were examined with the boys. <br> The elder children did very creditably indeed and the work of Religious Education is being carried on with much zeal and ability. (signed) Hugh Hordern, Diocesan Inspector. |
| July $7^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 53.7, Infants' average attendance 24.5. 93.2\% |
| July $14^{\text {th }}$ | The attendance has been low this week - several children holding Doctors' certificates for continued absence from school. <br> Girls' average attendance 51.8, Infants' average attendance 26.0. 91,5\% |
| July $18{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited, and heard the girls recite. Girls' average attendance 53.9, Infants' average attendance 26.5. |
| July $25^{\text {th }}$ | A whole holiday was given for the School Treat at Knepp. |
| July $28^{\text {th }}$ | The Mistress has examined the girls during the week with fair results. The school closed this morning for 5 weeks holiday. <br> Girls' average attendance 55.0, Infants' average attendance 25.8. 96.2\% |
| September 4 ${ }^{\text {th }} 1905$ | School reopened after Harvest Holidays with a good attendance. |
| September $6^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| September $7^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Folly was obliged to go home on account of the death of her Sister. The infants are meanwhile taught by St. VII girls under my supervision. <br> Girls' average attendance 50.8, Infants' average attendance 25.0. 96\% |
| September $8^{\text {th }}$ | A holiday was given today for the Choir Outing. |
| September 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Folly resumed her duties. A half- holiday was given today to enable the Teachers to attend the "gathering of Sunday School Teachers" at Warnham. |
| September $15^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 49.4, Infants' average attendance 24.6. 93.8\% |
| September $20{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited. Girls' average attendance 47.2, Infants' average attendance 25.4. 91.9\% |
| September $29^{\text {th }}$ | A half-holiday was given for good attendance during the month. Girls' average attendance 48.4, Infants' average attendance 24.3. 93.3\% |
| October $5^{\text {th }} 1905$ | Mr Brooks visited. |
| October $6^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited and brought the New Code. The Mistress handed him $£ 4.2$.2d for articles sold on behalf of the County Council. <br> Girls' average attendance 48.1, Infants' average attendance 22.9. 92.2\% |
| October 13 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 49.5, Infants' average attendance 22.8. |
| October $17^{\text {th }}$ | Visited the school. [signed] J. Sanderson Sub. Inspt. |
| October $15^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Brooks visited. Girls' average attendance 48.2, Infants' average attendance 23.4. 94.2\% |
| October $22^{\text {nd }}$ | New stove for Infant Room received today. Miss Folly had leave of absence on Monday morning - attended in the afternoon. A half -holiday was given for good attendance. Girls' average attendance 49.5, Infants' average attendance 23.8. $96.6 \%$ |
| November ${ }^{\text {st }} 1905$ | The Rev. E.S. Arkle visited the schools. |


| November 3 ${ }^{\text {rd }}$ | The weather has been very rough this week and has badly affected attendance. Four girls Agnes Adams, Frances Cherriman, Nellie Tilley, and Jane Pavey are attending the Labour Certificate Exam. in Horsham tomorrow. <br> Girls' average attendance 46.3, Infants' average attendance 21.4. 90.2\% |
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| November $8^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Lane, school attendance officer, visited in place of Mr Brooks who is seriously ill. |
| November 10 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Penn was absent from school today, not being well. The school was conducted by Miss Folly. There has been a very good attendance this week. <br> Girls' average attendance 49.0, Infants' average attendance 22.0. 94.6\% |
| November $13^{\text {th }}-14^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Penn was absent from school on Monday and Tuesday, not being well. |
| November 13 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Vicar visited and tested the Registers. |
| November 15 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Miss Penn resumed her duties. |
| November $16^{\text {th }}$ | Report of the Labour Certificate Exam. was received today. All the candidates passed. |
| November $17^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 49.4, Infants' average attendance 20.4. 93\% |
| November $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ | Mr Cripps, deputy for Mr Brooks, visited to inquire after absentees. |
| November $24^{\text {th }}$ | A very wet day with poor attendance. Several of the Infants have been away all week unwell. <br> Girls' average attendance 44.7, Infants' average attendance 18.4. 86.6\% |
| November 27 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Cripps visited. |
| November $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ | St. I \& II examined by the Mistress. |
| November 30 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Sir M. Burrell and Rev. E.S. Arkle visited the schools his morning. |
| December ${ }^{\text {st }} 1905$ | Girls' average attendance 44.8, Infants' average attendance 20.6. 90.8\% |
| December $\mathrm{t}^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Cripps visited. |
| December ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Upper Standards were examined by the Mistress. A full report will be found in the Record |
| December ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Infant Class was examined by the Head Mistress. The children were making very pleasing progress, especially in the $1^{\text {st }}$ Class in Reading and Writing. |
| December ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 45.4, Infants' average attendance 22.6. 93.1 |
| December $15^{\text {th }}$ | Girls' average attendance 46.5, Infants' average attendance 23.0. |
| December $18{ }^{\text {th }}$ | The Rev. E.S. Arkle visited. |
| December 19 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | Mr Cripps visited. |
| December $20{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Grants from Mrs Andrew's Charity were distributed to those children who made the highest number of attendances for the year ended April $30^{\text {th }} 1905$. |
| December $21{ }^{\text {st }}$ | The schools broke up for the Christmas Holidays. Girls' average attendance 45.1, Infants' average attendance 24.5. |

The log continues in another volume not yet transcribed.
Jean Wright. Shipley History Society. October 2017

