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- Tu. 9 Rode to camp in levels
paddock. Surveyed
Dennis Keffermans' sec -
30 ac - & rode home at
night -
- Wed 10 Rode to camp. Alford
Lewis sees. & surveyed
80 ac. sec. near Driscolls
& rode home -
- Thurs 11 Rode to camp with Griff
Surveyed 20 ac. sec. for
the Levells people at the
Carrutt garden - slept
at camp - sent Griff home
met with Grant - & engaged
him again to start tomorrow
bought $\frac{3}{4}$ of sheep from Mr
Acton & 2 bushels oats from
Bob Taylor -
- Fri 12 Surveyed three sees near
Race Course for Newton, Whalley
& Brosnahan - 50. 30. & 20 ac.
ea - & rode home -
- Sat. 13 At Office making tracing of
Walters' work & plotting sees.
then shifting camp to
Kerstemans gully -
Geo. Buchanan called
went with him to the creek cor

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- Sunday 14 Went to church with Griff
Lucy & Katie - making up
apes & diary in the evening
gave Lucy - 6
- Mon 15 Chief cutting with Griff and
draining off the water in the
paddock. Rode to camp at
Kerstemans gully. cor - 6
- Tu 16 Traversed the terrace N. of the
Office from Kerstemans gully rd.
towards Hornbrooks hut for
Nixon's see & rode to Tinamu
- Wed 17 Plotted yesterday's work and
paid Bob Taylor's bill - 17 4 0
Recd? from him £3.12/- for a
ton of hay - Bought 18 gallons
of beer for 20/- & cloth for a
suit of clothes for myself
also from Bowker got measured
for a pair of waders, & bought
a pair of leggings & a pair
of slippers - wrote to H. J.
de Cren declining to subscribe
in reducing the deficiency in the
clergyman's stipend.
Letter from L. Smith