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Dear Beyt,

Thank you for your letter of December 9th, and especially for your help in regard to the files of Synod. There is only one thing I don't understand in your letter. I refer to the C.P.C.A. and you refer to the C.P.S.C.A. What does the "S" stand for?

It just so happens that Leo Rakele asked me if I wanted that particular sermon and he is going to send it to me.

The Doornfontein story is certainly different from the Benoni one, but I shall leave both of them out unless I can find something more definite.

Let me ask you one last question, on a matter which should perhaps be approached tactfully. d'Arcy Ussher told me the story of Geoffrey and the accident to the first Mrs. Rouse. Apparently Geoffrey happened to be passing in his car soon after Mrs. Rouse had been knocked off her bicycle. She was very shaken and Geoffrey had her put into the car so that he could take her home. She was apparently so shaken that she did not wish to speak, and Geoffrey apparently thought there was no point in simply looking sympathetically at her, so he went on reading his book. If you feel able to do so, would you ask Redvers about it? If you don't feel able to do so, I shall leave it out.

I spent some time with Lloyd Wellington the other day and he told me of the shocking goings on in Germiston. No wonder that Geoffrey had you put on the carpet.

Yours ever,