

CONTENU SONORE

Instruments	Forme d'expression
whistling	Trop court et pas intéressant

TEXTE

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Langue d'origine	Traduction
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In July (which is mid-winter in the Southern Hemisphere) the Umhlanga reed ceremony is held at the Queen Mother's residence at Lobamba. Many groups of young girls first make a journey to a lower-lying part of the country to gather bundles of river-reeds to renew the reed palisades around the Queen Mother's homestead. On their return, they adorn themselves in bright colours and perform a series of dance-songs. The present examples were recorded during the actual ceremony.

Observations :