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It was very gratifying to us in the alumni office to observe the enthusiasm with which the representatives from the Hope College Club Chapters entered into the June 6th convocation. As a result we are sure that by next spring our National Hope College Alumni Association will be a reality.

In accordance with the constitution we hope that each Hope College Club will take immediate steps to appoint or elect their representative so that the new organization may hold its first meeting on schedule, next June.

As is brought out in Pearle Leenhouts Beach’s report, the entire association membership participates in the election of the Directors at Large. Please vote for one director in each of the three groups listed on the attached ballot and mail it not later than December 1st to the Alumni Office, Hope College, Holland, Michigan.

The constitution states regarding membership that all graduates or former students of Hope College, or persons who are or have been affiliated with Hope College are members of the association.

SECRETARY’S REPORT

Ten Hope Alumni Club representatives, one each from Albany, Chicago, Detroit, Grand Rapids, Holland, Lansing, Milwaukee, Muskegon, New York City and Rochester met with Marian Stryker and Clyde Geerlings on Friday, June 6, for an organizational convocation.

Clyde Geerlings ’27 called the meeting to order at 10:00 A.M. The Rev. Theodore Luidens ’27 opened the meeting with prayer. With characteristic energy Nicholas Keizer ’27 led the panel discussion on the “Election of Association Directors.” A carefully prepared map and discussion led by Marian Stryker and Clyde Geerlings on Friday, June 6, for an organizational convocation.

Allan Weenink ’43 was the capable chairman of the afternoon panel on “Publicizing Club and Chapter Meetings.” Many helpful suggestions were exchanged. Each representative carried home a new resolve: to seek out all new graduates, to promote interest by classes, and to emphasize fellowship rather than dues or money raising projects.

Pearle Leenhouts Beach ’27, Rochester Club Representative, served as secretary.

EASTERN SECTION

Rose Tenninga Bell ’40

Mrs. Bell, a Chicagoan by birth, entered the educational field in the Zeeland Public School system upon graduation from Hope and changed her career to that of advertising after two years of teaching 5th grade. She associated herself with the Detroit News in 1942 writing advertising copy in the promotion department and in 1943 took a position with Swift and Co. in the advertising division as account executive in Chicago.

Mrs. Bell married Walter Bell who was associated with the Dodge Manufacturing Corporation in Mishawaka, Indiana in 1945, and she continued her work by freelancing for Swift and Chicago advertising agencies until her husband was transferred to Orlando, Florida, where they live at the present time. She also served as promotion manager for radio station WSBT in South Bend.

At present Mrs. Bell is active in the Park Lake Presbyterian Church in Orlando and in the Orlando Tuberculosis Association. The Bells have two children, John Richard, aged three, and Patricia Ann, 8 months.

Martin E. Cupery ’24

Dr. Cupery is a native of Friesland, Wisconsin and after graduating from Hope, attended the university of Massachusetts where he received his M.S. degree in 1926. He received his Ph.D. degree from the university of Illinois in 1930. From 1929 to 1931 he served on the faculty as acting professor of chemistry and since that time has been associated with the Dupont de Nemours Co. as a research chemist in Wilmington, Del.

Dr. Cupery is the author of many scientific papers and the inventor of several chemical products and procedures. He is also an elder in the Wilmington Presbyterian church.

Dr. and Mrs. Cupery have two sons, Martin E. Cupery
Lynn Szabo Smith

William, who is attending Oberlin college, and David, in high school.

Lynn Szabo Smith '32

Mrs. Smith was brought up in New York City and Brooklyn where she has been a lifelong member of the Kent Street Reformed Church. Following graduation from Hope she continued her education at Columbia Presbyterian Medical Center in New York, receiving her R.N. in 1939. During this time she took a three months course in psychiatry at New York Hospital in White Plains and upon graduation attended the Institute of Living, Hartford, Conn., for additional psychiatric experience.

In 1945 she was asked to start and lead a Shock Therapy Department at the Neurological Institute of Columbia Presbyterian Medical Center which she continued for five years after which she married Harrison Smith, a consulting engineer and partner in the firm of Sanderson and Porter in New York. The Smiths reside in Greenwich, Conn.

Martha Barkema

Miss Barkema who is at present professor of voice at Baylor University, Waco, Texas, received her early education in the Holland, Michigan, public schools and after her graduation from Hope continued her education at the University of Chicago, majoring in French. She also studied music at the American Conservatory of Music in Chicago on a voice scholarship and later attended the Eastman School of Music in Rochester, N.Y., where she received her B.M. and M.Mus. degrees.

Miss Barkema has studied under such teachers as Karleton Hackett, Richard Halliday and Nicholas Kanraty. She holds memberships in the American Association of University Professors, Nu Phi Epsilon and the Association of Teachers of Voice.

Miss Barkema is also Music Director at Baylor and of the Waco First Baptist Church and supervises three choirs and a string ensemble.

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Donald W. Cordes of Des Moines, Iowa is administrator of the Iowa Methodist Hospital in that city. He received his secondary education in Pleasant Prairie Academy, the Reformed Church school in German Valley, Illinois. Mr. Cordes received his Masters degree in philosophy from the university of Michigan in 1941 and did graduate work in public health in 1945 and 1946 at Columbia university.

Mr. Cordes served as administrative assistant at St. Lukes Hospital from 1944 to 1946 and as assistant administrator of Iowa Methodist Hospital until he took his present post in 1947. He holds memberships in the American Hospital Association where he is a member of the committee on Personnel Relations, and the Des Moines Adult Education Council. He is president of the Des Moines Dinner Club and of the Iowa Hospital Association.

Jerry A. Veldman '25

Rev. Jerry A. Veldman is a native of Grand Rapids, Michigan. Following his graduation from Hope he entered Western Theological Seminary from which he was graduated in 1928.

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Mr. Cordes served as administrative assistant at St. Lukes Hospital from 1944 to 1946 and as assistant administrator of
He served the Richmond Reformed Church in Grand Rapids as pastor from 1928 to 1933 after which he accepted a call to the Bethany Reformed Church in Kalamazoo. In 1943 he returned to Grand Rapids after receiving a call to Calvary Reformed Church and served this congregation until 1948 when he became pastor of the American Reformed Church in Orange City, Iowa, his present charge.

Rev. Veldman has served the Chicago Synod as president, has been chairman of the Roll Call Committee for the Synod of Iowa and is a member of the Board of Trustees and the Executive Board of Northwestern Junior College in Orange City.

Rev. Veldman is married to the former Adelaide Borgman class of '25. Their daughter Marilyn was graduated from Hope this past June with honors and their son Jack will enter his sophomore year with the opening of the fall term.

Mildred Temple Vloedman

Mrs. Vloedman who now resides with her husband, Dr. Derk Vloedman in Woodward, Oklahoma after living many years in Blue Island, Illinois was cited by the Hope College Club of Chicago last spring for her long service as secretary of the organization. While living in Blue Island she was active in church work being the immediate past president of the Women’s Society for Christian Service in the Grace Methodist Church of that city.

Mrs. Vloedman is also the immediate past president of the Blue Island Council of Parents and Teachers and since 1947 has been the national secretary of Sigma Alpha Iota, international music fraternity.

FAR WESTERN SECTION

Willard De Groot '39

Mr. De Groot was born in Holland, Michigan and attended Holland High School. After graduating from Hope College he attended Northwestern University on a graduate scholarship, receiving his MBA in 1940. He stayed on one additional year doing further graduate work and also some teaching.

Mr. De Groot joined the U. S. Navy early in 1941 and was on active duty until 1946, being discharged as a Lieutenant Commander. In 1946 he became associated with Bateman, Eichler & Co., an investment security firm in Los Angeles. After working in various departments, he became head of the Sales Department in December, 1950 and was elected a vice-president of the organization in January, 1952.

His family consists of his wife, Barbara, Stanford '40 and their two children, Wendy, age 10 and John, 5. They live in Arcadia, California.

Helen Moser Nadherny '23

Mrs. Nadherny taught high school French in Benton Harbor for three years following her graduation from Hope. She then changed her career to secretarial work and for five years was secretary to one of the vice-presidents of the Continental Bank in Chicago. In 1931 she married Mr. Victor J. Nadherny, a realtor in Oak Park, Illinois. A daughter, Helen is now a senior at the university of Redlands in Redlands, California.
Three other Hope students were injured, York, when the car in which they were early to assist with orientation activities, Hope for the first time, and Lucille A. Smith, 17, Schenectady, who was entering sophomore. Duancsburg, New York, who was to be a junior class, and David de Forest, 19, of two seriously, in the same accident.

Those killed were Karol Ann Fairchild, 20, of Schenectady, who was to enter the junior class, and David de Forest, 19, of Duanesburg, New York, who was to be a sophomore.

Those critically injured were Ethel Smith, 17, Schenectady, who was entering Hope for the first time, and Lucille A. Tyssie, 19, of Wallkill, New York, a sophomore. Ethel's injuries included two fractured legs, fractured pelvis, dislocated hip and a fractured jaw. Lucille has a fractured pelvis, fractured jaw, and extreme shock.

Ronald G. Powles, 19, of Schenectady, was the least seriously injured of the five. His injuries were a fractured jaw, a gash in the forehead, and one under the chin and a punctured knee.

The truck driver, Ralph Roberts, 36, of Williamsville, New York, escaped with a scratched shoulder and friction burns. He told New York State Troopers that the students' westbound car suddenly headed into the lane he was driving his eastbound truck at 5 a.m. The crash occurred on routes 5 and 20, the main east-west trunkline across New York state. The semi was hauling 51,651 pounds of steel.

Karol Fairchild, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond L. Fairchild, Schenectady, was a member of the Girl's glee club, the YWCA and Delta Phi at Hope. She was majoring in elementary education. Her brothers, Richard and Don, are graduates of Hope with the classes of 1950 and 1951, respectively.

David de Forest, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mulford de Forest, was taking a pre-semi-
1952 Fulbright Participants

FULBRIGHT PROFESSORSHIP

Arthur J. Ter Keurst '32 has received a Fulbright award to teach Educational Psychology at the University of Dacca, Pakistan, starting October 1. This university is one of the two universities in that country and is situated in East Pakistan, northeast of Calcutta. According to available information, the enrollment is about 3,000 students who represent the Moslems of high socio-economic status. The students are conversant in English so Prof. Ter Keurst's lectures need not be interpreted into Urdu, the language of Pakistan.

Prof. Ter Keurst comments that his work at Dacca would be greatly limited if he should try to teach Educational Psychology based upon American life to this group that has great difficulty in understanding our culture. It is his general objective to assist the students to develop an Educational Psychology that is representative of their culture and at the same time use that study to promote social and educational advancement.

Mrs. Ter Keurst—Ruth Laug '24—will accompany her husband and they hope to arrange an itinerary that will take them around the world. They flew TWA to London from New York September 3, and from London to Karachi, India via Pan American. Traveling to and from Pakistan they will visit various places of interest in India and Pakistan. They plan to be back home by September 1953.

Mrs. Ter Keurst studied photography at Central Missouri College, as a preparatory phase of the trip. So they are expecting to have an extensive album of worthwhile scenes upon return.

Dr. Ter Keurst's biography appeared in the November 1952 issue. You will remember that he is affiliated with Central Missouri State College as chairman of the Division of Education and Psychology.

COMMENT: "I anticipate a most stimulating and worthwhile year."

FULBRIGHT SCHOLARSHIPS

Paul Schrottenboer '44N received the Fulbright grant last April for the Academic year 1952-53 for the study of theology at the Free University in Amsterdam, Netherlands. He will study for his Th.D. under Dr. G. C. Berkouwer.

Paul is a native of Holland, graduate of Holland High School, spent two years at Hope College, graduated from Calvin College in 1944, from Calvin Seminary in 1947 and received his Th.M. from Westminster Seminary in 1949.

After graduation from Westminster, Paul has been employed as the Field Representative of Westminster. His work involved contact with students and finance promotion. While carrying out this work he traveled extensively from coast to coast with his family using a house trailer as a home.

Paul plans to take his family with him to the Netherlands. Mrs. Schrottenboer is the former Bernice Oatmen, Hope '42. They have two boys, Calvin Paul, 4 and Murray Paul, 6 months. They planned to sail on the S.S. Ryndam, August 21, to stay in the Netherlands one or two years.

CLASS OF 1925

From Jan and Fritz Yonkman's letter of July 28th you already know of our plan to raise some money for Hope as a special 30th Anniversary Gift.

Jan and Fritz have been appointed to handle the details of this important undertaking, and we hope that every member of the class of 1925 will send in annual or monthly gifts directly to Hope College and mark them "Class of 1925 Alumni Fund." The college needs our help now and will credit our class with the total received for our 30th anniversary gift. We would like to get at least three thousand dollars in the next three years.

We are planning a big program for 1955 and we trust that you will reserve the June Alumni Day that year for our reunion. If we all do our share we will not only help our Alma Mater but we will rejoice in the results and prove once again that our class can do it! We know that we can depend upon all of you.

FULBRIGHT SCHOLARSHIP

SANDRENE SCHUTT FULBRIGHT EDUCATION EXCHANGE TEACHER

Sandrene (Polly) Schutt '27, who has taught English and Bible Literature at Grand Haven High School since 1927 has been granted a year's leave of absence to teach in the Netherlands for the school year 1952-53. In exchange, Johan Boswinkel from Emmen, The Netherlands, will teach in Grand Haven.

Polly was one of 15 teachers selected by the board of foreign scholarships to teach in Holland under the Fulbright plan. She has been assigned to teach English at Christelyk gymnasium and Christelyk Lyceum at The Hague.

After receiving word from Washington, D.C., in October, 1950, that she had been recommended as an exchange teacher to The Netherlands, Miss Schutt's interest deepened in the program. Because her parents were born there and because she has relatives living in that country she made the decision to accept the appointment. She speaks, reads and writes the Dutch language well, having learned it from her mother. This will be her second trip to Europe, having spent eight weeks there in the summer of 1930.

Miss Schutt is well qualified by way of experience and training for the work, besides her fluency with the Dutch language. In addition to teaching in Grand Haven, she has taught in a rural school in Iowa, and has taught English summers at Hope College. She has done advanced study at the Breadloaf school of English, Middlebury College, Vermont, and the University of Chicago.

Her extensive work with the Michigan Education Association and the National Education Association appeared in the January, 1951, issue of the Alumni Magazine. Since that time she has been elected an ex-officio member of the board of directors of the Department of Classroom Teachers NEA for 1952-53.


*1926. Jeannette Veldman left this country September 15 for Amarah, Iraq. Jeannette was formerly in China. She will teach in the school of nursing in Amarah as she did in Amoy. Her address is c/o American Mission, Amarah, Iraq.
Hope Men in Education

Michigan has two community colleges, established to serve the young people of the communities who could not afford away-from-home advanced education. The first of these has experienced its first year successfully under the direction of Preston N. Tanis '29. This one is located in Traverse City and is called Northwestern Michigan College.

Stanley E. Van Lare '30 will direct the new-this-year Alpena Community College. Both of these Hope men are well qualified by training and experience for this large assignment of directing the establishment of new schools of higher education.

PRESTON TANIS, a native of Zee­land, went to Manistique High School after leaving Hope in 1929, where he taught History and Speech until 1944. In the meantime he received his MS degree in Speech from the U. of Mich. in 1938. During the school year 1943-44 he left teaching to take a position as teacher of French and History in Alpena Public Schools. After two years of teaching, he was appointed director of guidance and placement and later became director of adult education and the Veterans Institute. Last spring he received the appointment of director of the newly organized Alpena Community College.

Mrs. Van Lare is the former Charlotte Foreman. They have one daughter, Mary Ann, 9 years old.

*1948. Raymond J. Heemstra is now nuclear chemist at the U.S. Bureau of Mines, Bartlesville, Oklahoma.

LESTER S. VANDER WERF


In August, 1952, his article titled "The Teaching Profession and The Trouble with Merit Systems" appeared in The American School Board Journal (a periodical of School Administration).

The above picture was taken upon the occasion of his receiving the Ed.D. degree from Syracuse University, June 1951. With him is his wife, Bette Dixie Vander Werf, a native of New York City. There are two Vander Werf daughters, Leslie, 10 and Linda, 9.

Lester spent the years between Hope commencement and his present work teaching in Chesterton and Middleburg, New York, and studying at Syracuse University for his MA and Ed.D.

*1928. A. J. Mulder, Chicago attorney, is studying for the Christian ministry. The Chicago Presbytery has approved an accelerated course of study at McCormick Seminary for one year. At the end of the course he will apply for licensure and ordination.

John plans to continue his law office. He will spend a few hours there each week to supervise the handling of matters.

*1946. Louise Kay Edwards Lowande and husband, William, are building a new home in Franklin Park, N.J. next to the home of Hope Alumni Jean Shiffner '43 Fleckenstein.
Hope Men in Science

J. OLIVER LAMPEN '39

Dr. J. Oliver Lampen, (more familiarly known as "Joe" to his friends now), associate professor of microbiology at the School of Medicine of Western Reserve University, received the 1952 Eli Lilly and Switzerland. In Amsterdam he met various cities in The Netherlands, London, also visited Copenhagen, Denmark, various young scientists in order to enable them to attend this congress. While in Europe he from the National Research Council which awarded a number of grants to attend on a grant said.

Dr. Lampen, he attended the sessions of portance in cancer, and are the major characteristics of a cell, may be of importance in cancer, and are the major constituents of most viruses," Dr. Lampen said.

As another high point of this year for Dr. Lampen, he attended the sessions of the International Congress of Biochemistry which was held in Paris, France from July 21 to 28. He attended on a grant from the National Research Council which awarded a number of grants to young scientists in order to enable them to attend this congress. While in Europe he also visited Copenhagen, Denmark, various cities in The Netherlands, London, and Switzerland. In Amsterdam he met his sister, Barbara '38, who also traveled in Europe this summer.

Another phase of his work during his term of service at Western Reserve since 1949 has been in the experiment at that Medical School in reorganization of the medical curriculum which was initiated on September 17, this year.

Dr. Lampen is a native of Holland, the son of Prof. and Mrs. A. E. Lampen. After graduation from Holland High and Hope College as Valedictorian in both instances, he took his masters and Ph.D. degrees at Wisconsin, special work in biochemistry at Washington University, St. Louis, on a Rockefeller scholarship, and then on to Western Reserve.

Mrs. Lampen is the former Miriam Walsh of Greenwich, Connecticut, whom he met while working at American Cyanide in Stamford, Connecticut. There are two Lampen sons: David, 5, Peter 2 1/2. The family lives at 1530 Rydalamount Rd., Cleveland Heights 18, Ohio.

HOPE PARTICIPATES IN STANDARD OIL SCHOLARSHIPS

Hope College is one of 14 liberal arts colleges in Midwestern states chosen to participate in the undergraduate scholarships established by The Standard Oil Co. (Indiana) for the training of technical personnel.

Each of the colleges will be awarded $1,000 this year. Of this $500 will be awarded to outstanding chemistry students for the senior year. The other $500 will go to the college department of chemistry for equipment to attract technical students.

Other colleges chosen are Monmouth in Illinois; De Pauw, Manchester and Wabash in Indiana; Cornell, Grinnell and Iowa Wesleyan in Iowa; Hope and Kalamazoo in Michigan; Carleton, St. Olaf and St. Thomas in Minnesota; Central in Missouri, and Beloit in Wisconsin.

1949. James Stegeman, veterinary medicine senior at Michigan State College has been awarded an undergraduate scholarship by the William and Sarah E. Hinman Endowment Fund. Specifications for the awards are on the basis of scholastic standing, character and personality, as demonstrated by their effective participation in extra-curricular campus activities and financial need.

1952. Kenneth Van Hemert has been accepted by the University of Detroit School of Dentistry.

Mary Van Harn has entered Physical Therapy training at Brooks Army Medical Center in San Antonio, Texas.

BERNARD ROTTSCHAEFER '34

Bernard Rottschaefer '34, Ph.D. has recently been appointed Manager of the Process Development Department, General Aniline Film Company. He has been with this company since November, 1940, in various levels of responsible chemical work.

Bernard is a graduate of Hope College and received his M.S. and Ph.D. degrees from the University of Michigan. He is a member of Phi Beta Kappa, Sigma Xi, Phi Kappa Phi, and Phi Lambda Upsilon, honorary societies. He is also a member of the American Chemical Society and the Albany Society of Engineers.

Before joining the General Aniline staff, Dr. Rottschaefer served as a Research Chemist for two years with the Sherwin Williams Paint Company.

His family consists of his wife, Ellen; one son, Bernard Lewis, 10; and two daughters, Susan, 8, and Ellen Detwiler, 2 1/2. They live at 24 Point View Drive, East Greenwich, New York.

In addition to business and family, Dr. Rottschaefer finds time to act on the local Cub Scout Committee and helps with the Cub weekly baseball games during the summer. During the winter he bowls and enjoys an occasional evening of bridge for recreation.

Presently he is serving as chairman of the local section's committee on manpower for the American Chemical Society.

1952. James De Vries is teaching English in Benton Harbor Junior High.

Jeanne Kranendonk '52N, graduate of Wisconsin State College, Milwaukee, will teach lower elementary in Milwaukee this year.
88TH CONVOCATION SEPTEMBER 17

Rev. J. Dean Dykstra '40, minister at Fair Street Reformed Church of Kingston, New York, was the Convocation speaker for the 88th Hope College year.

Mr. Dykstra received his elementary and secondary school training in Grand Rapids, and was graduated from Hope College. Upon receiving his BD from New Brunswick Theological Seminary in 1943, he was called immediately to Fair Street Reformed Church of Kingston.

In 1949 Rev. Dykstra served as preacher for the WCBS Church of the Air. He is a native of Holland where he received his early education. After graduation from Hope in 1922 he continued his work here and received his Master's from Hope in 1925. He has done graduate work at Columbia, where he specialized in administration; Presbyterian seminary, Louisville, Ky., where he received his BD degree in 1925; University of Chicago, where he was granted a Ph.D. degree in political science and international relations in 1934, and the University of California where he studied the problems of the Far East.

He received additional training in international problems in the United States navy and state department schools located in Washington and New York City.

In 1926-27 he served as professor of political science at Hangchow college, China, and in 1928 as dean of Lees college, Jackson, Ky. He was headmaster of kodikanal school in India from 1928 to 1932 and in that period was an investigator for the King of Siam. From 1934 to 1942 he was dean and vice president of Blackburn college in Carlinville, Illinois.

From 1942 to 1946 Dr. Van Putten served capacities with the Navy. Coming back to this country in 1946, he became dean of men at Park College, Parksville, Missouri.

Dr. Van Putten again joined the foreign service in 1947 and for a period of 4 years was director of U.S. information service for the Department in Peiping, China; Republic of South Korea; and Formosa.

Rev. J. Dean Dykstra

DYKE VAN PUTTEN VISITING PROFESSOR

Dr. J. Dyke Van Putten '22, will be visiting professor in the field of political science on the Hope College campus this school year.

While Dr. Van Putten is a newcomer to the faculty, he is not new to Hope College. He has been an alumnus to whom we have pointed with pride for his work in education and in the United States Information service.

He is a native of Holland where he received his early education. After graduation from Hope in 1922 he continued his work here and received his Master's from Hope in 1925. He has done graduate work at Columbia, where he specialized in administration; Presbyterian seminary, Louisville, Ky., where he received his BD degree in 1925; University of Chicago, where he was granted a Ph.D. degree in political science and international relations in 1934, and the University of California where he studied the problems of the Far East.

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BOOK ANALYSIS

By Garrett Vander Borgh

Dr. John Piet, Hope '36, missionary in the Arcot Mission of the Reformed Church in South India, has written a scholarly book entitled Saiva Siddhanta Philosophy. It is the eighth in a series of books in the India Research Series, and is published by the Christian Literature Society for India.

The Saiva Siddhanta is one of several expressions of the Hindu philosophy. It is regarded as one of the classical products of the Tamil mind and one of the finest systems of Hindu thought and life. These Indians are worshippers of the Hindu god Siva, which explains the origin of the word "Saiva." The word Siddhanta conveys the idea of absolute intellectual finality. Dr. Piet undertakes to present to his readers the content of this Asiatic religion, to show how this form of Hinduism is related to and complements the other expressions of this way of life, and how by sheer dialectic its propositions and doctrines are derived.

In the last section of the book the author makes his own careful and objective analysis of the Siddhanta, calling attention to certain errors and limitations that inhere in it, as he views it. The book should be of great value and interest to the missionary, especially to those who come to India as recruits in Kingdom work. Dr. Piet has made available to them a book from which they should be able to derive an appreciation of the Hindu philosophy and an understanding of the Hindu people without which it would be difficult to do effective work among them.

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NEW APPOINTMENT TO PHYSICAL ED DEPARTMENT

Mr. Lawrence J. Green of Pella, Iowa, has been engaged as Assistant Professor of Physical Education at Hope College. He will succeed John H. L. Schouten who retired from the Hope faculty after serving for 33 years as director of physical education.

Prof. Green is a native of Morrison, Ill., where he was graduated from high school in 1941. He received his bachelor of arts degree from Central college in 1946 and his master of science degree from Drake university, Des Moines, Ia., in 1950. He is a candidate for his doctorate from the State university of Iowa this August. He also attended N.W. Missouri State Teachers College in 1943.

Prof. Green served as a deck officer in the Navy from 1942 to 1946 following which he joined the faculty of Laurens high school in Iowa where he coached football, basketball and baseball for a 3 year period. During one of those years his baseball and basketball teams had undefeated seasons.

An extensive traveler, Prof. Green has visited England, France, Scotland and Ireland. He has also traveled in the Hawaiian Islands, West Indies, Alaska, the Marshall Islands, the Gilbert and Mariana Islands as well as Mexico.

Prof. Green was active in football, baseball and track during his undergraduate training and is a member of Phi Epsilon Kappa, a national physical education fraternity. He has been interested in Y.M.C.A. work and many Reformed church activities. Prof. Green is married and has two children.

HOPE DEAN DIRECTS NORTH CENTRAL WORKSHOP

Garrett Vander Borgh

Dr. John Hollenbach, Dean of Hope College, was the director of the Workshop in Higher Education which was held on the campus of the University of Chicago for four weeks this summer. The workshop was conducted by the North Central Association as a phase of its Study of Liberal Arts Education. A similar workshop had been held at the University of Minnesota earlier in the summer.

There are some sixty colleges in this North Central Study, of which about 30 were represented at the Chicago conference. All the colleges in the study are carrying on special investigations of their programs of general education. The purpose of the workshops is to give faculty members opportunity to work under expert guidance on their personal problems and also to give help through the representative at the Workshop in solving the college's problems in general education. These workshops have been carried on now for several summers and the participants invariably return to their campuses considerably enthused about them and feeling that they have definitely benefitted by the experience.

Another important aspect of the North Central Study is the annual visits to the member schools of a special adviser, known as a coordinator. There are six coordinators who have been carefully chosen by the North Central because of their understanding of the problems of general education as they exist in the Liberal Arts colleges. Dr. Hollenbach is one of the coordinators.

The six sons of Rev. Adelphos A. '36 and Bernice Mollema '32 Dykstra of Kalamazoo. The picture was taken by the Kalamazoo Gazette as 5 of them started to school this year. They are left to right from their father: Tim, 6, first grader; Tom, 10, fifth grader; Bob, 12, grade 7; and Jim, 8, third grade. On the top step is Don, 13, eighth grade, saying goodbye to his mother and Rusty, 6 weeks.

NEW PHYSICS INSTRUCTOR

John Ryskamp '50 will be Instructor in Physics at Hope starting in September. John, a native of Cleveland, has been an Aeronautical Research Scientist with the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics for the past year. It will be remembered that he was Hope's regent scholar at the University of Michigan during the year 1950-51. He, of course, chose to do his work in physics. He is also a veteran of one and a half years in the U.S. Navy.

*1950. Dorothy Kranendonk has accepted a position with McCardle Institute, a cancer research foundation, connected with the University of Wisconsin.

NEW BIOLOGY PROFESSOR

Dr. Alice Elliot of Wichita, Kansas, has been engaged as assistant professor of Biology at Hope College.

Dr. Elliot is a graduate of El Dorado Junior college in Kansas and received her bachelor of science degree from State Teacher's college, Emporia, Kansas in 1942. She received her master of science degree from Kansas State college in 1947 and her doctorate from the same institution in 1950, where she majored in zoology and parasitology. She has also done graduate work at the Universities of Michigan and Wisconsin.

Dr. Elliot comes to Hope with lots of educational experience in high schools and colleges having been a member of the faculties of El Dorado Junior College, Emporia State Teachers college, Gridley High School, Mesda High School, Pratt Junior and Senior High Schools, Kansas State College and Kansas State Teachers college, all located in the state of Kansas.

Dr. Elliot is a member of many honorary scientific organizations. These include: Kappa Delta Pi, Beta Beta Beta, Gamma Sigma Delta, Phi Kappa Phi and Sigma Xi. She also holds professional memberships in the American Society of Parasitologists, the Kansas Academy of Science, the American Microscopical Society and the American Association of University Professors.
President Gerrit J. Kollen, with clear vision and dynamic spirit, placed HOPE COLLEGE in the vanguard of the college expansion program prevalent throughout the country at that time. The cornerstone of GRAVES LIBRARY AND WINANTS CHAPEL was laid October 12, 1892. VAN RAALTE MEMORIAL HALL was dedicated in 1903. CARNEGIE GYMNASIUM was completed in 1906. ELIZABETH R. VOORHEES HALL was opened in 1907. The "great advance" began with plans for GRAVES LIBRARY AND WINANTS CHAPEL in 1892, the first new building erected on the campus over a period of twenty years. The PRESIDENT'S HOUSE was authorized and begun in 1886, but it stood from 1888 to 1893 with a skeleton interior and boarded window and door openings until President Kollen was elected in 1893.

GRAVES LIBRARY and WINANTS CHAPEL was a combination building with book stacks, reading room, and librarian's office at the north end, toward the east center; a middle section with four large lecture rooms on the second floor; and the administration rooms, and the Chapel Annex on the first floor. The entire south third of the building was designed by the architect, Mr. William K. Johnston of Chicago, as WINANTS CHAPEL. The interior was done in current mode: a high vaulted beamed ceiling finished in natural dark pine, panelled wainscot of clear white pine in natural finish on all sides to the window ledges, floor sloping in semicircle up to a platform at the center of the south wall. This platform was about three feet high, approximately twenty feet long, and ten feet deep, with a fretted rail of white oak at each side.

The platform furniture was of white oak in golden finish. A settle, upholstered in black leather, and two side chairs were set at the back wall; the pulpit was of oak, chaste, simple in design and finish; a Wilton rug in a light rose pattern covered the entire floor. Low steps led from the auditorium floor to the platform. Several years after dedication, a large grand piano was added through the efforts of Prof. John B. Nykerk, who was then in charge of the music department of the College.

The order of service followed in the main that of the "Old Chapel" but the members entered from the Administration Rooms and were seated in the south-west block of chairs. The President and one member of the faculty took places upon the platform, the president making general announcements, presenting items of interest to the student body, and introducing guests who were to speak for the session.

Some 450 opera chairs of black ebony finish, arranged in amphitheater style, were set on the auditorium floor from the south wall to the Chapel Annex. The room was heated by hot air furnace. It was one of the first, if not the first, public buildings in the city of Holland to be lighted by electricity, an extreme innovation at the time. Light bulbs were rated in "candle power" rather than in "watts," and the expense of the system was based on the average number of bulbs used rather than on current consumption. "THE CHAPEL" was separated from "THE CHAPEL ANNEX" by a heavy wall in which was slated three accordion doors that could be rolled up into pockets in the partition, thus providing a larger auditorium floor with a seating capacity of 600.

The CHAPEL ANNEX had a low platform in front occupying the large east bay of the building. On it were an upright piano, a pulpit, chairs, and a cabinet bookcase. The ANNEX was used by the College Young Men's Christian Association for its two weekly meetings, by smaller groups, and by townspeople for meetings of limited size. The COLLEGE LECTURE COURSES were held in the large auditorium under Prof. J. B. Nykerk's management, and many of the nation's most distinguished statesmen, pulpit and platform orators, and scientific leaders drew capacity crowds. Music programs, vocal and instrumental, were given by artists from eastern opera and orchestra concert groups and by soloists of highest repute east and west. Local church congregations used the building for occasional Sunday Services and for minor week-day meetings. Movable hard-maple settees provided seats for more than two hundred persons.

GRAVES LIBRARY AND WINANTS CHAPEL, as one building, was considered, aesthetically and architecturally, to be one of the finest building erected during this long period on any campus in the State of Michigan. It is not Italian nor is it French, but it has suggestions of each, to which is added an unusual delicacy and refinement of execution. It is built of Waverly sandstone, quarried locally, unfortunately a soft stone, and much of its fine ornamentation has been marred or lost after these fifty years. However, it still stands as a beautiful memorial to the men who provided funds for it, the Hon. Nathan F. Graves and Captain Garret Ellis Winants, both residents of New York, and to President Gerrit J. Kollen, who selected the site, chose and advised with the architect, William K. Johnston of Chicago, and who bore the burden of financing and supervising its construction. To some Hope College alumni even today it is regarded as the finest building on the campus.
In the Armed Forces

CWO ALMA H. PLAKKE

CWO Alma H. Plakke '33 has recently been assigned to the Naval Air Station at Jacksonville, Florida. She is one of the two commissioned chief warrant officers in the entire Wave complement of the Naval service.

At Jacksonville, Alma is assistant to the military personnel officer.

She entered the Navy as an apprentice seaman in 1942 and after completing a course at Link Trainer school in Atlanta, Georgia was advanced to petty officer third class. After officer's training at Northampton, Massachusetts, in September 1943, she received her commission as an ensign in November of that year.

Two years at Olathe, Kansas and Johns­ville, Pennsylvania, followed and then she received the rank of full lieutenant. When the Women's Armed Services Act was passed in 1948, Alma transferred to the regular Navy. With this transfer she lost her rank but was commissioned a chief ship's clerk and in that capacity became one of the two chief warrant officers. She served with the deputy chief of naval operations for Air in Washington, D.C. and as secretariat for Aviation Personnel Division chief before going to Jacksonville.

ENSIGN FRED BRIEVE

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K. W. Snouse ('51) 1230387, Cpl USMC, Class Sec., Hq. Co. HSe Bn, MCRD, San Diego 40, Calif. Assignment: Choral Director of MCR Depot.


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During World War I, Mr. Roest was a staff sergeant in the intelligence service of the U.S. Army and was attached to the Rainbow Division in France. He was a member of the Epworth Methodist Church in Marion. At one time he was a newspaper reporter in Chicago.

Surviving are his widow, Jessie Margaret Staeger Roest whom he married in 1926 in Celina, Ohio; and children, George S. Roest, who is associated in the Advertising department of the Ohio State Journal in Columbus; Miss Susan Roest, Hope ’51, of the religious education staff at Epworth Church and Calvin Roest, a student at the University of Cincinnati, and brothers and sisters, Richard Roest of Grand Rapids; John Roest of North Hollywood, Calif.; Mrs. Florence Kennet of Southgate, Calif.; and Mrs. Bertha Wood at Huntington Park, Calif.

Rev. T. E. Ballinger, a friend of the family, officiated at the funeral. Burial was in Marion cemetery.  

The family enjoyed an outstanding husband and father, the community has enjoyed a true Christian friend. It can well be said of him, "His works shall live after him."

*1950. Gow T. Lam received his MS in Bacteriology in June and is at present working at the Jefferson Medical College of Philadelphia as a member of the research associates in the Department of Bacteriology and Immunology. He is also going to continue work on his Ph.D. at Jefferson this year.

** REV. HENRY J. VELDMAN, D.D. **

The Rev. Henry J. Veldman, D.D. ’92, passed away on August 2, 1952, in Grand Rapids at the age of 87 years. He had retired from the active ministry in 1935, but had been very busy in Grand Rapids for the following 12 years.

He served the Reformed Church as a minister for 40 years. He held pastorates in Cedar Grove, Wisconsin; Pella, Iowa; Milwaukee, Wisconsin; Holland, Michigan; Newkirk, Iowa; Detroit and Muskegon, Michigan.

Surviving are his wife, Anna; a daughter, Mrs. Maurice L. Reyst of Grosse Pointe Farms; a son, Dr. Harold E. Veldman ’21 of Grand Rapids and six grandchildren.

** LILLIAN RUTH OVERWAY **

Lillian Ruth Overway ’28 N died May 23, 1952, following a long illness. She was a member of Trinity Reformed Church and the Women’s Missionary Auxiliary. She had been a Sunday School teacher for 25 years continuously until her last illness. She was employed at Baker Furniture Company office for 17 years.

After Hope, Lillian had continued her education at Western College of Education in Kalamazoo.

Surviving are the parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Overway, with whom she made her home, two sisters, Mrs. Albert Eding of Battle Creek and Mrs. John Perkoski of Kalamazoo and two nieces.

*1951. Lavina Hoogeveen is teaching English at Freeport High School, Michigan.

Robert Roos has been accepted at the Horace H. Rackham School of Graduate Studies, Ann Arbor, Michigan.
DR. JOHN LA V A N D I E S AT 6 1

Dr. John Leonard Lavan, who was shortstop for both St. Louis teams and the Athletics, died in a hospital at Detroit, May 30, after a brief illness at the age of 61. He was a product of the University of Michigan, where he played with George Sisler, when Branch Rickey was coach. He later was a teammate of Sisler with the Browns and played for Rickey, both with the Browns and Cardinals.

Following his retirement from the game, Dr. Lavan became nationally known in social hygiene work. He was director of social hygiene for the Wayne County (Mich.) Health Department at the time of his death, had headed health programs in St. Louis, Kansas City, Toledo, Kalamazoo and Grand Rapids, and was assistant flight surgeon for the Universal Aviation Corporation. He served as a commander at the Naval Hospital in Brooklyn during World War II and was a lieutenant in the Army Medical Corps in World War I. At one time he was director of research for the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

Born in Grand Rapids, Mich., October 28, 1890, Lavan attended Hope College for three years and the University of Michigan, where he obtained his medical degree, from 1911 through 1914. While a youngster driving the family doctor on his rounds, Lavan decided he wanted to be a physician. He had no diamond aspirations until Rickey showed him how he could play ball and study medicine at the same time. So he went out for the University team and during the summers played with Holland, Mich., and Muskegon in 1911 and 1912 under the name of Lewan.

Rickey, then with the Browns, acquired his contract from Muskegon in May, 1913, and he remained with the St. Louis team until July, 1913, when he was sold to the Athletics. The A's were on their way to their third pennant in four years when Shortstop Jack Barry suffered an arm injury. The doctors said Barry would not be able to play for the rest of the season, so the Athletics bought Lavan to replace him. Barry, however, recovered from the injury in time to finish the season and play all the games in the 1913 World's Series. Lavan did not get into the fall classic, but he received $5,394 as a winning share, which enabled him to complete his medical education.

Returned to the Browns for 1914, Lavan remained with the St. Louis team until the end of the 1917 season when he was traded to Washington with Bert Shotton for Pitcher Melvin Gallia and $15,000. He went into the Army as a medical lieutenant early the following year. On his return from the service, he told Rickey, then with the Cardinals, he would like to play for him and waivers were arranged for him to join the Redbirds in May, 1919. Lavan remained with the Cardinals until 1924. With them, he had his best season in the majors, in 1920, when he batted .289 in 142 games. He filled every infield position with the Cardinals in 1923.

Released to Kansas City early in the 1924 season, Lavan managed the American Association Blues for two years and made his last appearance in the game as manager of Lincoln in 1927. He retired for private practice until 1930, when he began his long career with public health departments as health commissioner at Toledo, O.

Surviving are his wife, Myrtle; two daughters, Mrs. Andrew Gregg Scott of Detroit, and Mrs. Robert Archer of Racine, Wisconsin; his mother, Mrs. William L. Lavan, and two sisters.

*1925. Dr. Rodelo Lanting, formerly director of the combined Lansing-Ingham County Health Dept., became director of the Shiawassee county health Department, September 2. He will continue to live in East Lansing as Mrs. Lanting is on the staff at the children's center in Lansing.

*1950. Phil and Ann Wolters Frederickson are experimenting with the year round summer idea this year. Phil is directing the bands in Clearwater, Florida, Junior High and the Dunnedin and Safety Harbor Junior High Schools. Ann is teaching first grade in the Belleau school. Address: 1007 Jasmine Way, Clearwater.

ARTHUR L. OSTERHOF

Arthur L. Osterhof '24, research chemist with the Hercules Powder Company of Wilmington, Delaware, for more than 20 years, died unexpectedly of a heart attack at his home August 8.

Mr. Osterhof became associated with Hercules in 1929 as an analytical chemist at the Experiment Station. Among other things he had done research work on soaps and wood chemicals. He was born in Danforth, Ill., Nov. 28, 1902. After graduating from Hope he continued his study at Northwestern University from which he received his master of science degree.

Mr. Osterhof was a member of Alpha Chi Sigma Fraternity, and from 1927 to 1937 held the rank of second lieutenant in the Chemical Warfare Reserve. He was a member of Westminster Presbyterian Church.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Vera True Osterhof; a daughter, Miss Vera Jane, at home, three brothers, H. J. Judson Osterhof of Akron, O.; Dr. G. G. Osterhof '20 of Rapid City, S.D., and Willis M. Osterhof of Holland.

REV. ARTHUR C. ROOS

The Rev. Arthur C. Roos '23, minister of the Williamson Reformed Church, Williamson, N. Y., passed away June 8, 1952, in the Genesee Hospital, Rochester, N.Y., where he had been under treatment several weeks for a heart ailment.

He was a graduate of Hope College, Holland, Mich., class of 1923, and of Western Seminary in 1928, and received his degree of Master of Sacred Theology from Hartford Theological Seminary in 1929.

He had served several churches in South Dakota before coming to the Williamson pastorate July 5, 1951. He was a member of the faculty of Northwestern Classical Academy in Orange City, Iowa and before coming to Williamson was principal of Pleasant Prairie Academy at German Valley, Ill., for four years.

The Rev. Mr. Roos was a member of the Wayne County Ministers Association and the Ministers Circle of the Classis of Rochester.

He leaves his wife, Ruth Dalman '30N Roos; a son, Robert C. '52, member of the graduating class of Hope College; and two daughters, Louise, who is in nurses training at the Genesee Hospital School of Nursing, and Joan, who attends Williamson Central School; also a sister, Mrs. J. A. Schap of Austrinville, Iowa.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon, June 10, at the Williamson Reformed church. The Rev. J. J. Pryling of the Newark Reformed church was in charge of the services and was assisted by Rev. Francis Dykstra of Pultneyville Reformed, the Rev. Anthony Luidens of Brighton and the Rev. George Flikkema of the Second Reformed church of Rochester, and Rev. George Vander Hill, pastor of the Christian Reformed church of DeARBORN, Michigan. On Thursday, June 12, services were held at the Trinity Reformed Church, Holland, Michigan with Dr. Lester Kuypers, Dr. Simon Blokke, and Dr. J. B. Mulder of the Western Theological Seminary conducting the services. Burial was made in the Pilgrim Home Cemetery, Holland, Michigan.

*1935. Guy Kleis has been appointed manager of the Central Technical Departments for the Westinghouse Electric Corporation. Mrs. Kleis is the former Margaret Van Raalte '36. They have a daughter and reside at 1928 Ardmore Blvd., Pittsburgh 21.
Dear Professor Geerlings: I received the most recent issue of the Alumni Magazine, and was interested in it. It makes me very homesick to read all about Hope College again, and I wish very strongly that I could be there for Homecoming, but due to the fact that the Air Force wasn't to have other ideas, I won't make it this year. I don't know who it was that paid for my subscription to the Alumni Magazine, although I imagine that it was my folks, but who than I expected that they would. I will be sure and send me a bill, since I want to keep the subscription to the Alumni Magazine, although I won't make it this year. I have seen Paris in the summer, and believe me there is little that can compare with it, although in the winter it is awful. I am planning on taking a trip to the Netherlands next month, and see if I can't find some of the Dutch boys that I knew at Hope from my freshman year. I also intend to go up the Rhine Valley, since I missed the last one, and see how the original compares with that which is carried on in Holland, Michigan. It will of course have to go the same way up.

In case your interest was aroused by the heading on this paper, this Hq. is a NATO organization directly under SHAPE and controlling all the NATO Air Forces in the Central European Theater. Our location here at this Hq. are the U.S., U.K., Canada, Belgium, French and last but not least, the Netherlands. The combined nations get along very well with each other, and far better off than I expected that they would. It is surprising to see so many different nationalities mixed together for a united cause, and making it work. I don't think that this unity will come to the same end as the League of Nations. In fact, it can't if peace is to be preserved.

Please give my best regards to all the professors there at Hope, and tell them that I am planning on seeing them again.

Barbara Dee Polinbue '46

Dear Marian: I thought I'd take care of two items at once by asking you to print a change of address for us in the Alumni Magazine and by enclosing our small contribution to the Emergency Fund. The above address is for local mail only; the one for distribution to the Emergency Fund. The above address which w e  had been expecting, and in the first of February of this year, he was in Germany. The children and I spent the following five (long) months between our Wannagh home and that of my folks, at Enniskillen, Northern Ireland. (That couldn't be done until we had official word from Norm that housing here was available.) The next month we moved out of our home, and by the first week in July we arrived in Bremerhaven, Germany, the port of debarkation.

It still seems like a dream that we are really living over here. The trip over was full of the unexpectected. We landed in New York June 14 in the General Rose, luxury liner of the Military Sea Transportation Service. This was a week after we had been due to sail due to the fact that Johnny got the small pox, and it was in quarantine for a week. The weather was beautiful and the trip delightful all the way, with the exception of the last two days. The day before we docked in Bremerhaven was the engine of the ship which had us all a bit unnerved. We were in and out of life jackets several times before the danger was pronounced over; the ship limped into port at half speed, unlocking ten hours later, much to everyone's disappointment! Sunday morning, D-day, Barbie (5½) woke up with fever and suspicious swelling in her neck. Yes, it was mumps! The ship's doctor wired ahead for us and we were met by an Army ambulance which took us over to the Bremerhaven Army Hospital, a tremendous affair formerly used by Hitler's submarines. Norm grew up from Munich to meet us and after five days the doctor reported that Barbie was well enough to travel.

The trip here, a distance of 550 miles, almost straight south, was a thrilling one and we saw much more of Germany than we would've seen from the train. (It still seems peculiar to see our car here with plates reading "US Forces Germany 1952," instead of Michigan's silver and black ones.) Part of the driving, the most interesting at least, was on narrow cobblestone roads winding in and out of the small towns, and the rest was on the super highway, much like our divided highways. Narrow roads are a minor driving hazard compared to the innumerable bicycles that throng the highways and city streets. When families travel that way, with tiny babies in baskets on the handlebars. It's quite a sight. Needless to say, it was a relief to arrive here. Munich is the capital city of Bavaria and we have a special anti-aircraft battery and part of the Air Force housing sector. The children have been attending the American nursery school here this summer and Johnny (3) will continue this in the fall when we get back to the U.S. The children have been attending the American nursery school this summer and Johnny (3) will continue in the fall when we get back to the U.S.

Dear Mr. Geerlings: Lately we have been notified of many harmless "railroad tracks"! On 6 July a trip to the Dispensary resulted in the arrival of Jesse LeRoy (our first son and 3rd child). Lora starts school next week and Barbara was up a little over 80 up here; and the fog has been negligible this week.

Ken Smouse '51

Dear Mr. Geerlings: Lately we have been having quite the Hope College Alumni reunions out here on the west coast. Russ Korver '51 and I went through Boot Camp together, and now stationed here in San Diego. Chuck Kelly '51 is working for Eastman Kodak of L.A., Maurice Joldersma is stationed at Balboa Naval Hospital, James Lock '54 is stationed at Offenbach, and is visiting us. We are spending the summer in France, and have been attending the American nursery school here this summer and Johnny (3) will continue this in the fall when we get back to the U.S. The children have been attending the American nursery school this summer and Johnny (3) will continue in the fall when we get back to the U.S.

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HOPE HAVEN FARM  
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During the formative period of Hope College in the nineteenth century various unique plans were advocated for the financial support of the institution. One of those proposals was that the college should develop and cultivate a large tract of land known as Hope Haven Farm. The profits obtained from the farm were to be applied as a source of income for the college.

The plan originated in 1862 when the pecuniary prospects for the institution were not too bright. The Particular Synod of Chicago in 1863 originally approved the proposal, suggesting in its minutes that "the proceeds of the sales of the farm products, after deducting expenses therewith, shall go toward the establishment of a Professorial Fund." In June of the same year the General Synod of the Reformed Church in America also discussed and approved the Hope Haven Farm proposal.

In order to carry out these suggestions for the farm, a beautiful peninsula of more than eight hundred acres, "Point Superior," was purchased by the college in 1867. The tract of land was a valuable piece of real estate located on the south side of Black Lake midway between the city of Holland and the mouth of the Lake Michigan harbor. A large portion of the money used to purchase the farm came from Elder James Suydam, a church leader in the East. In recognition of his large contribution, the farm was often called the "James Suydam Farm of Hope College."

The purpose of the Hope Haven Farm gradually expanded so that in 1871 the Special Committee on the Reorganization of Hope College advocated that the farm should not only be used for the financial support of the institution, but should also be the germ for the establishment of a scientific school for the college. The Committee suggested that the proposed scientific school should become "a department of instruction within Hope College."

No evidence has been found to indicate that these plans for the cultivation of the farm or for the establishment of a scientific school were ever completely fulfilled. It was discovered that the area was not adequate for cultivation because of the poor soil. Moreover, instead of helping the fiscal program of the college, the farm became a heavy financial burden. Therefore, during the administration of President Kollen, the farm was sold to three real estate men who later converted the area into a profitable summer resort. Nevertheless, like the Hope Haven University plan of 1868, the entire Hope Haven Farm proposal was an

ABRAHAM NAOUm '33 AND FAMILY
Left to right: Khalid, 12; wife, Ranaa, Margaret, 4; Muna, 10; Riadh, 8. Abie is an instructor in a secondary school in Basrah, Iraq. Their address is 3/4 D Gararah, Basrah, Iraq.

HOPE REUNION AT WISCONSIN U. THIS SUMMER

17 Hope College people got together for a picnic at Madison during the summer session. They were Vergil and Shirley Dykstra '49, Howie and Ginny Koep '49, Sam Posthuma '49, Elmer and Henrietta Dulmes Lubbers '20, Del and Doris Adams De Young '52N, Donald and Phyllis Evers '49, Dorothy Kranendonk '50, Bill and Ruth Drucenmiller (former faculty member) John and Ruth Unger (faculty) and Jantina Holleman. Most of the picnickers got together through the Student Presbyterian Church.

During the summer Jantina Holleman (music faculty at Hope) and Harlan Fairler '50 gave a concert at the mentioned church.

*1931. David and Lois Van Ingen '49
Karsten left August 29 for a year of teaching in Yakutat, Alaska. David will be principal of the eight-grade school of 60 native Indian pupils. He will teach the upper grades and Lois will teach the lower elementary classes. Another teacher has been engaged for the middle grades. They are replacing Marvin and Audrey Reagan De Young, both '48, who have been at Yakutat for three years.

*1933. John D. Cotts is teaching in Los Angeles School System.

*1950. Norman Siderius has entered medical school at Boston University.

WEDDINGS

Connie Shilling '51 and Robert Kruse, August 23, South Holland, Illinois.

THE TEACHER’S PRAYER

By Willard Parker Vander Laan '05

Refreshed with sleep, I start this day
On bended knee I humbly pray
That guided by Thy Gospel’s light
The battle I may wage for right:
May make my fellow teachers feel
The greatness of our task is real;
May train some youths of freedom’s land
For all that’s noble, true to stand.
Grant me, today, when pupils come
The grace to make my room their home,
To be a brother, mother, dad
To every scholar good or bad,
And that each one may wisdom gain,
Help me in my soul, my mind, my brain,
Keep pure and clean; to always work,
Lest one his slightest task should shirk.
Help me, O God, this day to be
Example of humility,
True greatness to mankind extol
And in it make youth hear Thy call
To help his fellows under load
Find pleasure in life’s upward road;
That some day, soon, this land may be
From lust and selfishness set free.
Make me alive to this great truth
That each day I am judged by youth
If I, in that opinion fail,
My finished task’s of no avail.
Be thou my guide till life is done,
Till from earth’s school Thou call’st me home:
When teacher still on earth I’ll be
Through lives of those who come to me.

This poem was found among Mr. Vander Laan’s papers after his death on February 8, 1952. (Necrology. Alumni Magazine April 1952)

PUBLICATIONS


BIRTHS


Elton and Edith Rameau ’41 Eenigenburg, Richard Adrian, September 15, Holland.

*1950. Elizabeth Koch is employed at Ortho Research Foundation, Raritan, New Jersey, as research technician in the Serology Laboratory. She has been a junior author with Dr. Philip Levine and others of two papers concerning the SS groups. She is continuing graduate work in the Zoology Department at Rutgers while working full time. She received her Masters in Bacteriology last June.


**BIRTHS**

Harland '44 and Evelyn Ver Muln '45 Steele, Terrance Lee, June 23, Grand Haven.

Gerald '34 and Mrs. Heersma, Arthur, Jr., June 20, Hawthorne, N.J.

Adelphos '36 and Bernice Molema '32 Dykstra, Russell Lee, June 27, Kalamazoo (6th son).

John and Joan Wilson (both '50) Brinkerhof, Jane, June 27, New York City.


Gerald '49 and Helen Wagner '48 Van Singel, Dirk Charles, June 17, Hudsonville.

Don '48 and Marian Schroeder '49 Battey, Joyce Marie, August 17, Holland.


Marguerite Aardema '51 and Phillip Feenstra '52, Richard Allen, August 22, Holland.

Adrian '38 and Mrs. Newhouse, Constance Ruth, July 12, Sheldon, Iowa.

J. Eugene '42 and Mrs. Hoover, Bryan Kime Hoover, October 12, 1951, Rushville, Ind.

William '46 and Peg Hadden '42 Hakken, William Mayo, August 24, Holland.

Verne '42 and Mrs. Meerdink, Jesse LeRoy, July 6, Newfoundland.

Don '49 and Elaine Bielefeld '46 Walchenback, Cathy Sue, July 18, Montpelier, Ohio (11th baby born in new hospital Don administers).

Paul '48 and Eleanor Schoonmaker '43 Morehouse, John Timothy, June 19, Marion, N.Y.

Arthur and Harlene Schutmaat '45 Craven, Frank Roland, August 3, Montreal, Quebec, Canada.

Russell '49 and Eleanor Short '51 Norden, Stephen Mark, September 7, Holland.

James '39 and Frances Price '40N Halman, James Price, August 26, Holland.


**ARMY ADDRESSES**


Pvt. Kenneth W. Kuiper ('51) US 55287527, Btry D—8th Tng Bn., AAA RTC, Fort Bliss, Texas.

**ADVANCED DEGREES**

Eugene A. Scholten '50, MA, U. of Southern California, June 14.

Raymond J. Heenstra '48, MS, State University of Iowa, August 8.

Emmanuel David Dykstra '49, MA, State University of Iowa, June 6.

James Peter Yuke '48, Ph.D., State University of Iowa, August 6.

Duane C. Sutrin '50, MS, State University of Iowa, August 6.

Patricia Letz '50N, M.Mus., Yale University, June, 1952.

Dorothy M. Kranendonk '50, MS Zoology, U. of Michigan, June 1952.

Elizabeth Kock '50, MS, Bacteriology, Rutgers University, June 7.

George H. Schoenieder '50, MS Botany, Rutgers University, June 7.

Gerald Van Singel '49, BS and Smith Hughes teaching certificate, Michigan State, June, 1951.

James Stegeman '49, BS, MSC, June, 1952.

Owen Koepe '49 took this picnic picture at Turkey Run State Park, Indiana, when the Hopeites from Purdue and Illinois University met for an outing. They are, Front row: Mary Lou Hepp Dunning '49, Edward Dunning '50 holding Barbara, born in December 1951, Janet Steggerda, Marlin Van Vessel Steggerda '25 and Frederick Steggerda '25. Second row: Friend of Maurine Steggerda, Maurine, Alice Gravenhorst Cook '51, JoAnn Moesnner Koepe '49, Virginia Ulte and Paul Cook '50. Third row: Norman Siderius '50, Margaret Moerdryke Siderius '50, Paul Holkeboer '51, Alma Vander Hill Holkeboer '48 and Casper Ulte '49. The Dunnings, Ultes and Holkeboers are at Purdue, the others are at the University of Illinois.

**THE CHAPEL UNDER THE SEA**

By Paul Robbert '53

Earl S. Huysen '51 and Barbara Lou Van Kolkman, June 26, Holland.

Evelyn Den Uyl '33 and Dick Jan Durian, June 27, Kalamazoo.

Donald Lokker '52N and Donna Brewster, June 25, Holland.

Eloise Hinkamp '51 and Gerard Van Heest '49, June 21, Poughkeepsie, N.Y.

Dick Vriesman '47 and Nellie Mae Risema '47, June 13, St. Anne, Ill.

Lynne Van Weelden '51 and Don Irmann '39, Kalamazoo.

Kathleen Hagstrom '51 and Ernest E. Haight '51, June 20, 1952, Muskegon, Mich.

Kenneth Van Wyk '52 and Anita Bynbrandt '51, August 20, Holland, Mich.

Marcella Westerman '48 and John V. Gilman '45N, July 19, Muskegon.

Cynthia Fiske '50 and Michael Romano '52, June 10, South Bend, Mich.

Margaret Francine De Valois '52N and John A. Van Anrooy '51N, August 28, Holland.

Alicia Van Zoreen '51 and Myron Hermance '50, June 21, Haganam, N.Y.

Ruth Wolford '54N and Thomas Van Wingen '51, August 17, Cleveland, Ohio.

Barbara Lindeman '52 and Egbert Boer, August 2, Holland.

Raymond J. Heenstra '48 and Maxine Roos, June 17, Ashton, Iowa.

Wilma Osterhaven '48 and Ed Tangenberg '49, July 1, Grand Rapids.


Lois England '51 and William J. Jellemas '50, August 8, Chicago.

Phyllis Van Setters '53 and Sylvio Scorza '45, June 6, Grand Rapids.

Carl Jordan '53 and Mary B. Lowande, June 12, Holland.

Ruth Slotema '52 and Dick H. Nieuwma, Jr. '53, June 12, Grand Rapids.

Luella Roseboom and E. G. Mulder, July, Coopersville.

Arlene Beckman '52 and Rodger Nortelous '53, June 26, Holland.

Carol Van Lare '52 and Willard Hocking '51N, June 20, Holland.

Gwendolyn Koosker '52 and Paul Van Eck '53, June 10, Holland.

Dorothy Ten Brink '52 and Kenneth Bauman '53, June 18, 1952.

Dorothy Kranendonk '50 and Arthur J. Bosch, August 29, Oostburg, Wis.
HOMECOMING
OCTOBER 17 - 18 - 19

FRIDAY, OCT. 17

4:00 P.M. — Pull, Black River.

7:00 P.M. — Queen Coronation—Athletic Field.

8:00 P.M. — Judging of Dormitory—Decorations.

8:30 P.M. — Palette and Masque Play—“Harvey” by Chase—Little Theatre.

COME TO THE CAMPUS OFTEN - - -
- - - BUT DON’T MISS HOMECOMING!

SATURDAY, OCT. 18

9:00 A.M. — Tennis Tournament Finals—Columbia and 13th Street.

10:30 A.M. — Parade of Floats—8th St.

12:00 M — “H” Club Dinner—Durfee Hall.

2:00 P.M. — Hope College vs. Albion College—Riverview Park.
    After Game—Class of 1932 Reunion, Coffee, Centennial Room,
    Warm Friend Tavern.

6:00 P.M. — Alumni Buffet Supper—Durfee Hall.

8:30 P.M. — Palette and Masque Play—“Harvey” by Chase.
    Little Theatre.

8:00-11:00 P.M. — Open House in all dormitories.

SUNDAY, OCT. 19

4:00 P.M. — Vesper Service—Hope Memorial Chapel.

“Flip” Vander meer ’25 and George Schutt ’26 —
“This is how we did it in the good old days.”