

# AAUW Probes Use, Misuse Of Food

The use and mis-use of food was the topic and Dr. Harriet Heusinkveld, geography professor at Central College, was the speaker Thursday when members of Pella Branch of American Assn. of University Women (AAUW) met at the home of Mrs. Barb Butler.

"Everything we need to survive is in danger - food, land, water, energy and minerals," Dr. Heusinkveld warned. From one-third to one-half of the people of the world are hungry or malnourished, and the problem is getting

worse, she said.

Reasons for the situation include the increasing world population combined with the problem of decreasing resources. "It is ironical that the areas which have the most starving people (such as India and parts of Africa) are the places where the most people are trying to farm the land," she observed. Reasons for this situation include the ever-increasing population of these areas and the lack of capital to buy machinery and fertilizers.

"At one time, people

laughed at Thomas Malthus and his theory that some time the world would have a bigger population than it could possibly feed; now many people feel a deep concern that he may be right," Dr. Heusinkveld said.

Among the speaker's suggestions for moving toward a solution of the world's food problems were population control, more careful land management, containment of urban sprawl, investigation of more plants in the world since many plants now considered weeds offer possibilities for develop-

ment into good food sources, better pest control, more food conferences with other countries, eating less food, and possibly getting rid of pets.

During the business meeting, Branch President Julie Moen, and Betty Hovey were elected as delegates to the state convention in Dubuque on April 24 and 25. Emma Lou Heusinkveld was elected as an alternate.

Julie Heerema was a guest at the meeting.

Mrs. Hovey and Judy Lauber assisted Mrs. Butler as hostesses.

## Obituaries

officiating.

Casket bearers were nephews Maurice Verros, Jerald Vogelaar, Gerald Verros, Melvin Toom, LeRoy Clark and Floyd Uitermarkt.

Interment was in Oakwood Cemetery with arrangements under the direction of the Garden Chapel Funeral Home.

Memorials may be designated to the Words of Hope Radio Broadcast of the Reformed Church of America.

**MRS. JENNIE RYKE**  
Mrs. George (Jennie "Jane") Ryke, 89, died March 10 at the Pella Community Hospital.

She was born Sept. 19, 1886 at Pella, the daughter of Henry and Sadie Brouwer Schippers. She married George Ryke on Jan. 18, 1906 and he preceded her in death on March 20, 1963.

She is survived by five children -- Mrs. Jacob (Cena) Slagter, Henry Ryke and Pete Ryke, all from Oskaloosa; Garrit Ryke, Pella; and Andrew Ryke, Knoxville; four grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; one sister -- Mrs. Harold (Mary Marie) Fisk, Reasnor; and one brother -- Andrew Schippers, Pella.

She was preceded in death by her husband, George; a daughter, Mrs. Emma Orr; three sons -- John, Joe and Richard Ryke; two brothers -- John and Joe Schippers; and one sister -- Mrs. Tone (Dena) Klein.

She was a member of the Otley Reformed Church. Funeral services were conducted March 13 at the Garden Chapel with Rev. David D. Schutt officiating.

Casket bearers were Larry Fisk, Leonard Schippers, Howard Ryke, Harold Slagter, Irvin Slagter and Dan Dieleman.

Interment was in Oakwood Cemetery with arrangements under the direction of the Garden Chapel Funeral Home.

**MRS. DORA HASSELMAN**  
Mrs. Gerrit (Dora) Hasselman, 78, 502 Liberty St., died March 17 at the Pella Community Hospital.

She was born April 7, 1897 near Pella, the daughter of Anthony and Elizabeth Blom Van Zante.

She attended country

grade schools in the Pella vicinity and married Gerrit Hasselman at Pella on Sept. 15, 1923. They lived in Pella for about two years before moving to South Dakota. Eight years later they returned to a farm north of Pella and moved into Pella in 1927.

She is survived by two daughters -- Mrs. Wallace (Clara) De Penning, Des Moines; and Mrs. Tom (Viola) De Vries, RR, Reasnor; 11 grandchildren; and one brother, Dick C. Van Zante, Pella.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Gerrit, who died in 1973; and the following brothers and sisters -- Charles, Rev. A.B., Evert, Dielis A., John and William T. Van Zante, and Mrs. Conrad (Mary) De Cook and Mrs. Milton (Elizabeth) Adair, besides four brothers and one daughter who died during infancy.

She professed her faith at the First Reformed Church in Pella.

Funeral services were conducted March 20 at the Van Dyk-Duven Chapel with Rev. Frank J. Shearer officiating and Rev. Richard A. De Jong assisting.

Casket bearers were Robert L. Van Zante, Ernest De Cook, Lloyd Van Zante, Earl Van Zante, Harold Van Zante and Carl Van Zante.

Interment was in Oakwood Cemetery with arrangements under the direction of the Van Dyk-Duven Funeral Home.

Memorials may be designated to the American Cancer Society.

**JAMES VOS**  
James Vos, 68, retired farmer living in Sully, died March 19 at Mercy Hospital in Des Moines where he had been a patient for two days.

He was born Feb. 25, 1908 north of Sully, the son of the late John A. and Jennie Dykstra Vos.

He attended country schools in Jasper County and married Wilma Jansen at Sully on July 15, 1932. He farmed most of his lifetime in the Sully vicinity and moved into Sully in 1965 because of his health.

He is survived by his wife, Wilma who faithfully assisted him during 15 years of declining health; seven children -- Mrs. Melvin H. (Lois) Vos and Mrs. Gene (Linda) Vos, both from Pella; Kenneth

## 8 Pella Women To Participate In Pietenpol Cup Competition

8 Pella area students will participate in the 26th annual Central College Pietenpol Cup Contest Friday and Saturday.

The contest was started in 1952 by the late Dean Henry Pietenpol. Purpose of the all-female contest is to promote unity between the freshmen and sophomore classes and to provide an opportunity to demonstrate script writing, music, and dramatic talents.

Advised by four upperclass women and two overall chairmen, the two

classes each produce a 45-minute play complete with an original theme, script, music and lyrics, choreography, costumes and sets.

Sophomore participants include Barb Hoekstra, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Hoekstra; Lola Vander Leest, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Logan Vander Leest; and Kathy Vines, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Vines.

Freshman participants include Sharon Groenendyk, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Groenendyk; Stephanie Harvey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harvey; Pam Pippel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pippel; Sara Schipper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ron Schipper; and Sue Dunkin, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Orville Dunkin.

### Adventures In Faith Now Broadcast

"Adventures In Faith," is a new radio program with inter-faith evangelist Timothy Robson now on the air of KCOG-FM, 99, total Christian radio, every Monday through Friday from 10:15-10:30 a.m. and every Sunday afternoon from 5-5:30 p.m.

He was preceded in death by his parents and three brothers and one sister -- Charles, Tony and Paul Vos, and Mrs. Frank (Marie) Call.

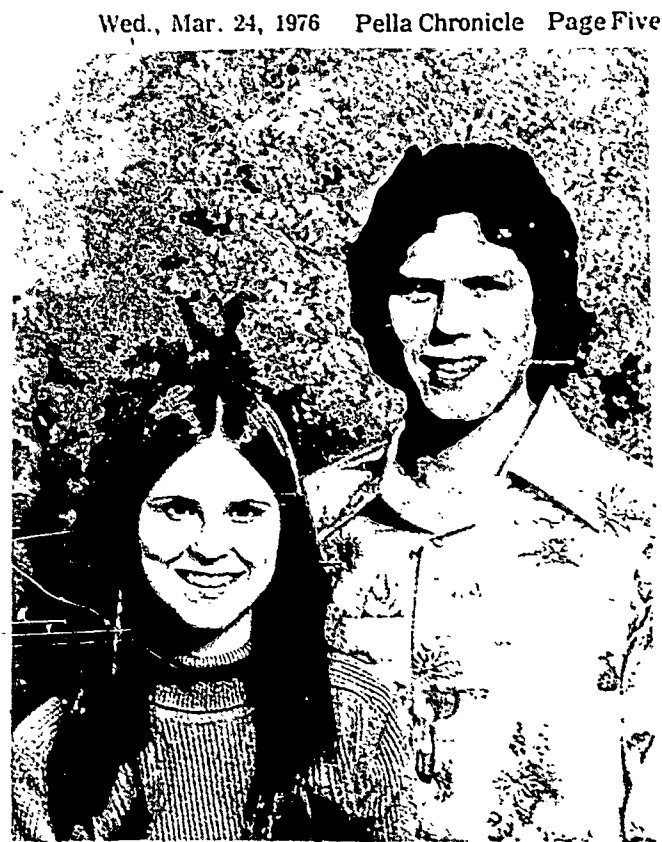
He confessed his faith at the First Reformed Church in Sully where he was a member at the time of his death and had served for three years as a deacon.

Funeral services were conducted March 22 at the First Reformed Church in Sully with Rev. Wayne Tripp officiating

Casket bearers were sons and sons-in-law Melvin H. Vos, Harris L. Vos, Jerry Vos, Ronald J. Vos, Gene E. Vos, and Edward Conover

Interment was in the Sully Cemetery with arrangements under the direction of the Van Dyk-Duven Funeral Home in Pella.

Memorials may be designated to the Christian Opportunity Center.



Debbie Wineland and Jim Zylstra

## Engaged

Mrs. Henrietta Wineland, Pella, announces the engagement of her daughter, Debbie, to Jim Zylstra, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chester D. Zylstra, Pella.

The bride-elect is a 1972 graduate of Pella Community High School and is

employed at the Rolscreen office. Her fiance is a 1972 graduate of Pella Christian High School and is employed by Rolscreen Co. in the printing department.

An Aug. 27 wedding is planned.

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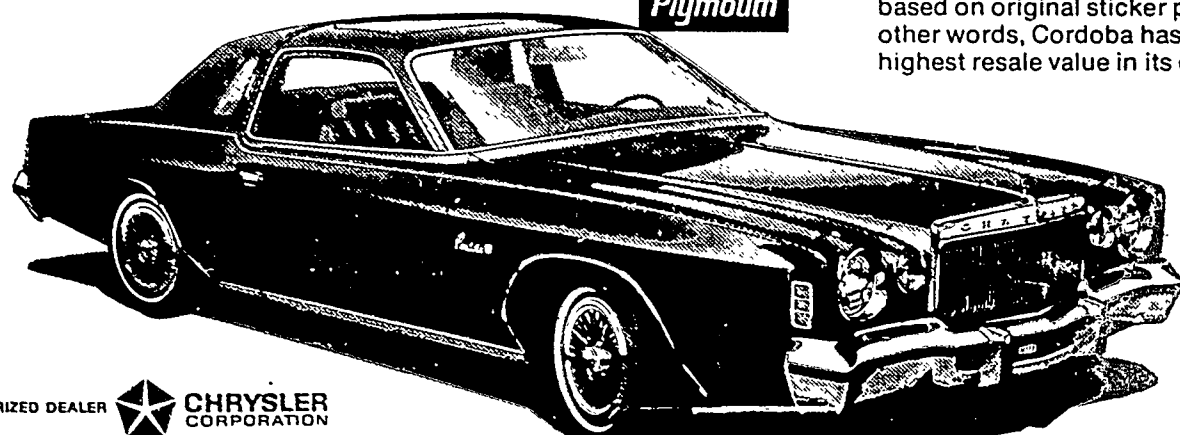
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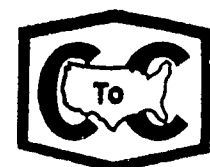
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