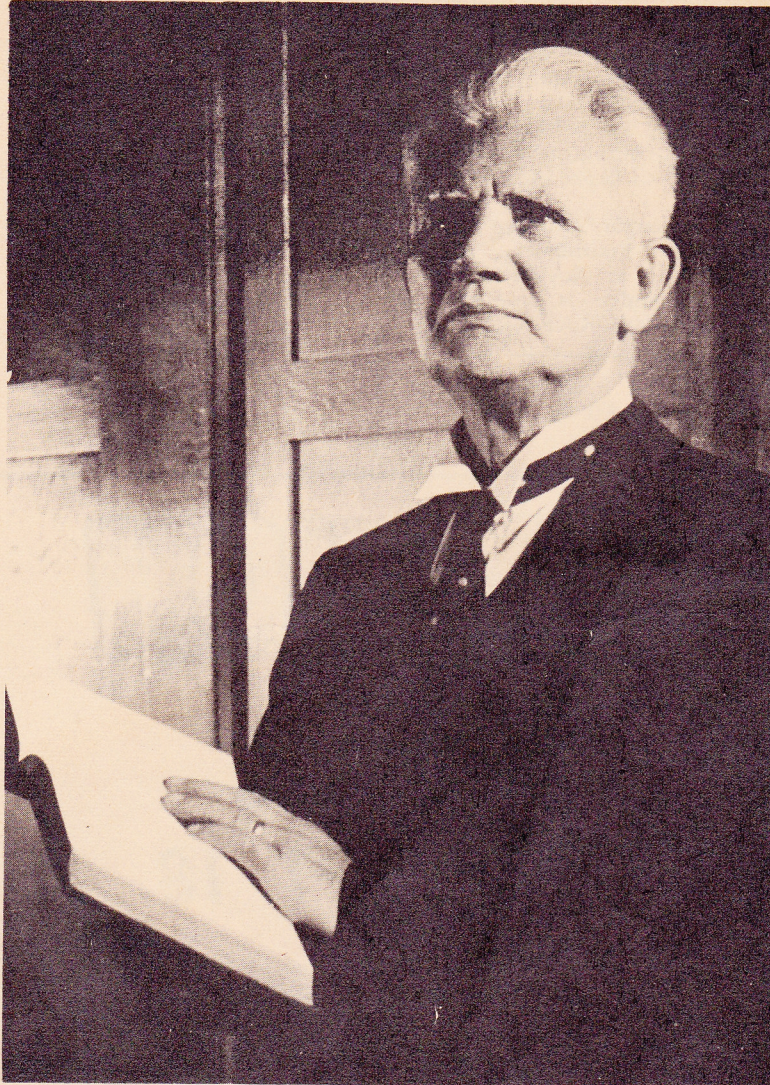


REV. HERMAN HOEKSEMA DIES, WAS FOUNDER OF CHURCH GROUP



The Rev. Herman Hoeksema, 79, died last week Thursday morning in Grand Rapids, Mich. The Rev. Hoeksema in 1924 was a prime-mover in the founding of the Protestant Churches. For many years he was pastor at the First Church in Grand Rapids, and taught also in the seminary. The Rev. Hoeksema was author of several religious works, including

52 expositions on the Heidelberg catechism.

The Rev. Hoeksema was a frequent lecturer in the NW Iowa area during the period of 1926-1929. His son, the Rev. Homer C. Hoeksema, was pastor of the Doon church for several years.

(Photo by Rev. Bernie Woudenberg)