himself for the bereavement by taking to his bosom a second, and even a third one, within the space of seven or eight years.

About the middle of September of the year under review (1768) the Rector again paid a visit to this people, preached for them, administered the Lord's Supper, and endeavored, as usual, to "bring into order" the temporal as well as spiritual affairs of the two congregations. The business talents of this man of God were somewhat out of the usual way in the case of a rigidly trained and highly educated minister of the Gospel, and are deserving of our notice. His organizing and administrative faculties were scarcely less brilliant than his mental and spiritual endowments, which were of the superlative order. His sense of proper order in all human relations, public and private, was a natural gift, and before the middle of his life it had been acutely developed by the circumstances of his position as President of Synod and supervisor of the German Lutheran churches of the Middle Colonies. He had marvellous skill in unraveling tangled affairs, whether long-standing "accounts," or odious and never-ending church-quarrels, and possessed a competent knowledge of the legal forms needed for drawing documents relating to the rights and obligations of congregations and of individuals necessarily connected with them.

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1782 Mar. 24. Ackerman, Abraham and Iannarie-David Outgelt, Fredrick and Maria Stolts-Elizabet De Hart, John and Anna Buckelow-Guysbert Van Deventer, Johannis and Anna Charters-Ja-

> Van Lewen, Jaques and Maria Voorhees-Gerrit Van Duyn, Abraham and Ariaentje-Elizabeth Outgelt, Johannis and Sarah (?)-Schobie

Stults, Jacob and Margrita-Elizabeth June 30. Stymets, Christophel and Jannetje De Grauw-Harmenus

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Voorhees, Garret and Maretje-Janetje 6. Boerham, Nicholas and Mercy-Jonathan Nov. 2. Bennet, Jacobus and Elizabeth-Jacobus Appelhey, Ambrose and wife—(No name) Hunt, James and Catrina—Neeltje Periam, Thomas and Dinah-Effe (b. May 12) Ryder, Gerrit and Maria-John Nov. 15. Ryder, John and Elizabeth-Antje Voorhees, Hendrik and Elizabeth-Catrina Van Arsdalen, Dirck and Anna-Mareytje Thomson, John and Janitie—Isaac Schurman Lorey, Ephraim and Caterina—Gitty or Geertruyd Witness: Geertruyd Voorhees Hogeland, William and Helena—William and

> Abraham Nevius, Pieter and Ariaentje—(No name) Voorhees, Jeremiah and Helena—Neeltje

Dec. 15.

Jan. 5. Van Sicklen, Gysbert and Maria—Jonathan Van Sickelen, Johannis and wife—Ahraham Waggelen

Feb. 9. Schuurman, Jacobus and Neeltje—Antje
Witness: Antje Schuurman
Van Harlingen, Johannes and Neeltje Schuurman
—(No name)

Mar. 9. Fisher, Jeremiah and Catrina-Hendrick

Apr. 6. Van Doorn, Cornelius and Elizabeth—Sarah Van Leuwen, Denys and Dina—Jan. Van Sicklen, Stephen and Elizabeth—John

May 18. Van Tine, Isaac and Aeltje—Eva Van Leuwe, Frederick and Elizabeth Van Dyck— Sophia

June 5. Voorhees, Pieter and Elizabeth—John Anderson, Simon and Maria—Mettje Suydam (or Ryker), Cornelius and Rachel—Janetje

Nov. 23. Voorhees, Martinus and Maria—Gidion Vredenburgh, John and Maria—William

1784. Feb. 15. Van Doorn, Benjamin and Sophia—Sophia

Sept. 19. Nevious, Peter and Antie—Ruluff
Van Neusse, John and Creshe—An
Van Arsdalen, Derrick and Nancy Hans—John
Van Sickelen, Stephen and Elizabeth—Annatie

Oct 31. Dumont, Peter and Mary Low-Anna (b. July 4)

1785.

Feb. 20. Cornell, Peter and Neiltye—John Borum, Nichlos and Mercy—Hendricus Stymetts, Christopher and Jannetye—Janeke

May 10. Thomson, Johan and Janetje—George Schuurman, Jacobus and Neeltie—David Voorhies, Peter G. and Maria—Neeltje

May 22. Thomson, George and Maria Williamson—Jacobus Vredenburgh, Isaac—Isaac Lemour Witness: Elizabeth Vredenburgh Voorhis, John R. and Polly—Catey Van Duyn, William and Lena—Elizabeth

June 5. Guluck, Hendrick and Catrina-Daniel

- July 3. Van Sickelen, Gysbert, Jr., and Maria—Elizabeth Van Leuwen, Frederick and Elizabeth Van Dyck— Lena
- Aug. 7. Bennet, Jacobus and Elizabeth Voorhees—Neeltye
 Oct. 9. Van Dorn, Benjamin and Fiteje Van Dyck—Abraham

1786.

Mar. 5. V. Harlingen, Johannes and Neiltje Schuurman—
Maragrita
Voorhies, Martinus and Mary D. Camp—Eva (b.
July 7, 1785?)
Ten Eyck, Peter and Altie Schuyler—Nelly
Ryder, Johannes and Elizabeth Van Nuis—Johannes

Voorhies, John and Aisia (?)—Jan June 11. Van Sickelen, Stephen and Elizabeth Strimback—

William
Meserol, Jan and Antje V. Nostrant—Jan
Williamson, William and Anne—Isaac
Van Leuwen, Johannes and Magdelena—Nelly
Van Arsdalen, Derck and Nancy Hance—Peggy
and George (twins, b. Feb. 21)

July 23. Van Tine, Isaac and Antje Schuurman-Jacobus

Schuurman Nov. 12. Van Sickelen, Gysbert and Maria—Gysbert

Oct. I. Ink, John, Jr., and Anne—Polly

Jan. 7. Bourem, Nicholas and Mercey—Nicholas Van Sickle, William and Eve—Elizabeth

Jan. 14. Wicoff, Garett and Sarah—Cornelius Feb. 11. Van Dyne, William and Helena—Abraham Pubusco, Peter and Martha—Diana Feb. 18. Voorhees, Peter and Nelley-Phebe

Dumont, Peter and Mary-John Mar. 4. Voorhees, Peter and Mary-Seyche Voorhees, Jacobus and Josentica—Hendrick Vroom

Dereme, Jacob and Christina-Elizabeth Mar. 18. Silcock, Joseph and Elizabeth-Elizabeth Ouke, Philip and Catharine—Mary

8. Nevis, George and Christina-Cornelius Thomson, John and Jane-Philip Kesick Witness: Mary Egbert

Van Tine, Abraham and Catharina—Sophia Schuurman, Jacobus and Neltje-Margaret Witnesses: Johannis Schuurman and Antie

Schuurman Davis, Benjamin and Jane—Phebe

Van Norwick, Johannis and Ann-Philip May 6. V. Duyn, Cornelius and Jane-Helenah

Tune Voorhees, Garret and Martha—Dina 0. Cock, Eido and daughter Eido-Mary Buckuluw

Ryder, Mary—Andrew uly 15.

22. Renton, James and Margaret-Margaret A. Kings Tuly Ang. Ounderdunck, Hendrick and Lida-Rachel

5. Witness: Rachel Van Nuise

Van Lewen, Frederick and Elizabeth-Elizabeth Nov. 3. Van Lewen, Dennis and Dianna-George

Nov. Low, Ephraim and Catharina—Hannah 4.

Nov. 18. Bennet, James and Elizabeth-Phebe Thomson, George and Mary-David Williamson Van Lewen, Peter and Josinta—Peter

Voorhees, Hendrick and Elizabeth-Abraham Nov. 25. 2. Van Dorne, Benjamin and Sophia-Joseph Dec.

Van Deventer, John and Ann-Elizabeth Dec. O.

Dec. 30. Ten Eyck, Peter and Altie-Abrm Schuyler Voorhees, Jacobus-Helena 1788.

Garrison, John and Blendina—Samuel Suydam, Hendrick and Altie—Antie lan. 20.

Jan. 27. Degraw, John and Altie-Elizabeth

Mar. 23. Ouke, Abraham and Charlotte—Abraham

Neivis, David and Gette-Peter May 18. Voorhees, Abraham and Elsey-Elizabeth

May 25. Voorhees, Martinus and Mary-John V. Deventer, Abraham and Elizabeth-Anne

French, John and Dina-Mary June Van Duyn, John and Catharine-Margret

June 6. Suydam, wife of Cornelius-Rachel Voorhees, wife of James-Pattey Voorhees, wife of Peter-Nancy Voorhis, Garet and Caty-Roulif July Van Arsdalen, Dirck and Anne-Ariantye Aug. Voorhees, Peter and Elesebeth-Stephen Aug. 24. ----, Mirah, his wife-Elibath Nov. 9. Witness: W. Dehart Couenhoven, Francis and Jane-John Nov. 23. Van Stelk (?), Furit (?), and Janetie-Gisbert Van Dine, Wilim and Lany-Caty Dec. 14. 1789. Jan. 18. Van Luer, Jraril and Anan-Doray April 19. — and wife Elleth—Sarey Witness: Amber Allen — and wife Rachel—Idau Witness: - Sadam — and wife Mara—Marget Witness. Jifhen (?) April 24. Voorhees, John and Poley-Roulf April 26. Nevis, Peter and Nancy-John Outalt, Friadick and Hiley-John Lickey, William and wife-Noiny May 3. May 24. Voorhees, David and Eva-Isaac Okey, Jacob and Pagey-Caty lune Van Siknej, Gibert and Poloy-Fily 7. July 1. Vante, Derick and wife-Anate Van Daal, — and wife—Yeary (?) Van Dine, Jacob and wife-Mary Benet, Isack and Poley-Hanah Aug. 16. Mack (or Slack), Dav. and Poley-James Doce (?), Abram and Mary-Neesj Aug. 30. Oct. 23. Van Nostrat, John and Fim-Roulf Voorhis, Gart and wife—Ann Voorhis, Peter and wife—Saly Nov. 1. Voorhis, John and wife—James Pentoe, James and wife—William Haver Van Liew, Frederick and Elesabeth-Ida

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Nov. 15. Van Debilt, John and Jane-Mandalena Dec 6, Handan, Sieman and wife—Jackine