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THE WHITE HOUSE

Office of the Press Secretary to Mrs. Ford

The President and Mrs. Ford will be hosts Thanksgiving Day at a brunch for members of the President's high school football team and their wives. The brunch will be at 11 a.m. in the White House Blue Room. About 52 guests are expected.

The group is known as the 30-30 Club, so named because it took the city and state football championships for South High School in Grand Rapids in 1930, and because the team had 30 members.

It has met for breakfast on Thanksgiving Day every year since 1930, though this is the first meeting in Washington, D.C. (they generally meet in a restaurant in Grand Rapids). Plans were made to meet this year in Washington about a year ago.

Harold Bosscher of Rockford, Mich. is president of the Club; The President is vice president; and Art Brown of Grand Rapids is secretary-treasurer.

Traveling the farthest are Mr. and Mrs. Edward Preston of Johannesburg, South Africa. Also attending will be Clifford Gettings of Grand Rapids, who was coach of the team in 1930.

The menu:

Honeydew melon garnished with strawberries Eggs Benedict Asparagus

Hot apple pie and vanilla ice cream