

May 10 1974



MR. AND MRS. STEVE NACE
(Photo by Harold Ryder)

McCready - Nace

A candlelight service was held at St. Mary's Church, Tillsonburg, for the wedding Vicki McCready and Steve Nace on May 10. Father J. Nelligan preformed the double-ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack McCready of Burgessville and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Nace of Burgessville.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a schiffley embroidered sheer gown, fashioned with a ruffled neckline and slim sleeves with a fluted cuff. A gently gathered skirt fell into a chapel train and pink daisies trimmed the train, waistband and neckline. The bride carried a bouquet of pink and white orchids, stephanotes and ivy.

Mrs. Larry Johnson of Norwich was matron of honor in a pastel blue, embossed polyester gown. She carried a bouquet of blue and white carnations with pink throated orchids and babysbreath.

The bridesmaids, Mrs. Jim Casler, Burgessville, sister of the groom, and Mary Longthorne, Milverton, wore identically styled gowns of pastel pink with empire waists and full length sleeves. They carried bouquets of pink and white carnations, orchids and babysbreath.

Flower girl, Sara McCready of Norwich, niece of the bride, wore a dress identical to the matron of honour and carried a nosegay of pink and white carnations, orchids and babysbreath.

Gary Barker, Lucan, friend of the groom, was best man, with Dennis McCready, Ingersoll, brother of the bride, and Don Nace, Burgessville, brother of the groom, as ushers.

A reception followed at Norwich Legion where the bride's mother greeted guests in a floor-length turquoise knit dress and wore a white camelia orchid corsage, assisted by the mother of the groom, in a jade green gown, with a matching bolero jacket and a corsage of yellow roses.

For a honeymoon to Ottawa the bride chose a blue-knit dress with white accessories and a corsage of yellow throated orchids. On their return they will reside in Woodstock.

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our friends and neighbours of Burgessville for their kind gift. With it we purchased a very suitable Singer Vacuum cleaner. Thanks to all whose efforts made it a very enjoyable evening.

Vicki and Steve Nace

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Surprise assembly for principal

After 14 years as principal of North Norwich Public School, Mr. Vern Harvey is leaving to become principal of Zorra Highland Public School. Taking his place will be Mr. Brian Rice, presently the principal of Oliver Stephens Public School in Woodstock.

On Monday, June 24, the students of North Norwich attended an assembly that was a complete surprise to Mr. Harvey.

The program started with a

skit about turtles by the grades one and two class, and then the grade one pupils sang an action song of which the last verse was dedicated to Mr. Harvey. The grade two and three class sang a song and did a shadow skit. Several grade four students did a commercial, and then Mrs. Margaret Brouch's grade seven and eight class sang and played on their ukuleles. The songs they sang were tunes from the current hits, and the words painted a

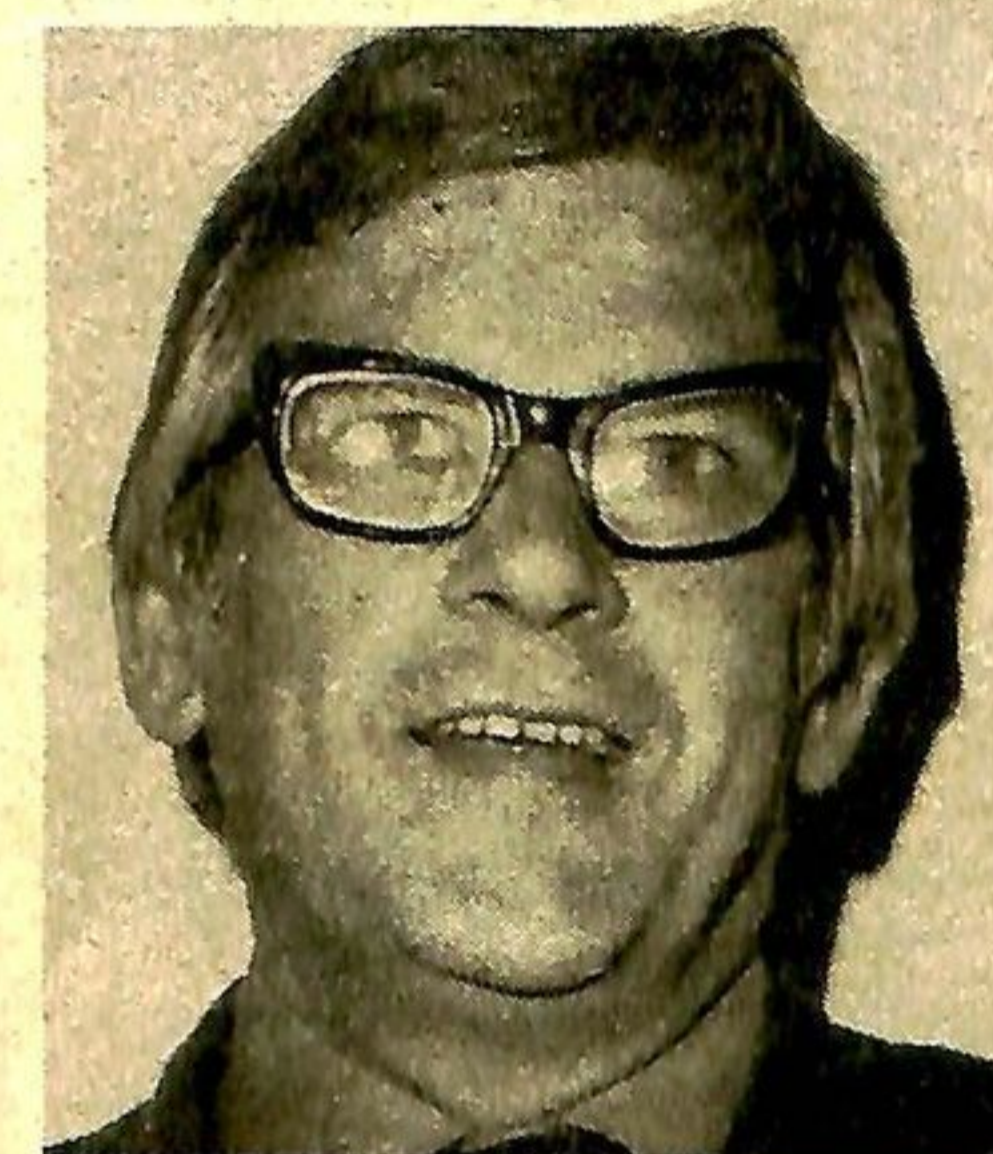
picture of their recent trip to St. Marie in Midland.

Mr. Wayne Sowler, vice-principal at Maple Heights, then got up on stage, and asked Mr. Harvey, his wife and daughter, Debbie, to come up on stage. There Diane Lester, Cory Van De Goor and Joanne Overeen presented him with a fishing pole and two pieces of luggage with his name on them.

Mr. Harvey commented that something is happening around

the school all the time, and that the assembly must have been very well planned, because he never heard any of the practising at all. He had known that Mr. Rice was coming down to the school that day, but not why. It was also a surprise to see his wife and daughter.

Although Mr. Harvey has been principal at North Norwich for 14 years, he did not start his career there. It was at Holbrook that Mr. Harvey started teaching in a one-room school in 1954. Two years later he went on to be principal at Vittoria for four years before coming to Burgessville.



Brian Rice will be the new principal at North Norwich Public School. For the last five years he has been principal at Oliver Stephens school in Woodstock.



North Norwich Principal Vern Harvey being honored.

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