Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Beresford.

Bruce and Barbara and daughter Mary, age six months, took up residence on the campus. They lived there until 1956, when a new home on Radisson Road was built for them but in 1961 the house was sold and they now reside at 322 South South Street in Crookston. Six more children joined the family so they all have grown up and been educated in the public high schools in Crookston. Bruce completed a Master of Science degree at the University of Illinois in 1947, after serving three years in World War II; two years in England. He is a graduate of Iowa State University, Ames, Iowa. Barbara is a graduate in Home Economics Education at Iowa State University. Her home was Hunter, North Dakota, where her parents and grandparents were pioneers in that area. Rex Beresford, father of Bruce, is still living, age 90 years, in Sanborn, Iowa, after serving for forty-five years as Professor of Animal Husbandry at Iowa State University, as livestock marketing specialist.

The oldest daughter, Mary, is now Mrs. C. E. Pulkrabek, mother of two, residing in Crookston. Her husband, Courtneym, is in the insurance business. Nancy is now Mrs. David Martin, Bloomington, Minnesota and the mother of two children. She is the first girl graduate of the University of Minnesota Technical College at Crookston in 1968. Robert, age 25, a graduate of University of Minnesota, Minneapolis in Geology lives in Minneapolis. He works for a Pollution Control agency. Susan graduated from Moorhead State College in 1974 with Bachelor of Science degree and works and resides in Crookston. Larry is a sophomore in school of journalism University of Minnesota, Minneapolis. Douglas is a junior in high school and Barbara, the youngest, is in grade nine in Crookston.

Barbara's mother, Mrs. H. F. Gale, is living in Crookston at Riverview Home for the elderly and is 84 years old. Her father, Harry Gale, died in 1972. He was a prominent businessman and landowner in Hunter, North Dakota area until his death.

Mr. Beresford taught classes in Horticulture at the Northwest School from 1947 to the closing of the school in 1968, and has taught the Horticulture classes in the college at Crookston from 1966 to the present time. Mrs. Beresford has taught Home Economics at Mount St. Benedict in Crookston for one year and one year in the public schools. She has also been employed by Riverview Hospital and State Farm Insurance. In recalling over twenty-five years in Crookston, several events stand out. One was the 1950 flood in part of residential area, another the elevator fire which destroyed the Crookston mill. The blizzard in March of 1966 which piled snow high in the streets is well remembered. Activities of the family have included membership in Presbyterian church, Crookston, The North Star 4-H club, Masonic involvement of the whole family in Lodge, Commandery; Joe's Daughters, Order of Eastern Star and Mr. Beresford's activities in Garden clubs and Horticultural societies. He has received the Certificate of Merit and Distinguished Service award from the Minnesota State Horticultural Society. He is presently secretary of the Polk County Historical Society and served in that capacity for five years. He conducted the Horticultural research in Northwest Experiment Station for twenty-five years until 1972 so has observed the ups and downs of growing fruits, flowers, vegetables, turf and ornamentals through wet and dry years, cold and frost, and the growing interest over the years in horticulture in Polk County.

August 15, 1976, the Beresfords, with daughter, Barbara and son, Douglas, left for Great Britain for one year UK-US teacher exchange program. They reside at Maidenhead, located 30 miles west of London on the Thames River. The entrance to Windsor Castle is only seven miles from Maidenhead. Bruce will teach in Berkshire College of Agriculture at Maidenhead, Berkshire.

EDWARD J. BOH

Edward Boh was born in Crookston, Minnesota July 23, 1920 to John Boh and Katherine Jewell Boh. Edward has a brother, Francis, who still lives in Crookston and operates the Grand Theatre.

Edward attended Cathedral Grade School and graduated from the Cathedral High School. After graduation, Edward enlisted in World War II and served as a technical sergeant from 1942 to 1946. After his service in the army, he returned to Crookston and worked for C. L. Hiller at the Grand Theater from 1946 to 1948. In 1948 Edward together with four other men, built KROX and remained with KROX until 1952.

In 1951, he met and married LaRae Torstenson of Trail, Minnesota. They have no children.

When Edward left KROX, he and his wife moved to Dallas, Texas. Edward found employment with General Electric from 1952 to 1953; and with Continental Electronics Manufacturing Company to the present time.

In 1967, Ed attained his bachelor of science degree in Electrical Engineering from Dallas Electrical College and a bachelor's degree in music from Reichter School of Music in 1971.

Edward holds several patents solely; and several co-owned in the electrical field. His hobbies extend into many fields: playing the organ, historical collections and writings, and automobile racing. He has served as the secretary-treasurer of the Texas Central Racing Association since 1969. At present he is a supervisor of the Research and Development Laboratories for Continental Electronics Manufacturing Company in Dallas, Texas.

The Edward Bohs now make their home in DeSoto, Texas, a suburb of Dallas.

Edward Boh.

OLE BRUSTAD

Ole and Mena Brustad came to Crookston from Lillevik, Hamer, Norway. They were married in Crookston in 1881. They were residents of the Woods Addition, moving into the home at 321 Bertha Street in 1893. This home has been occupied by the Brustad family continuously since that time, for