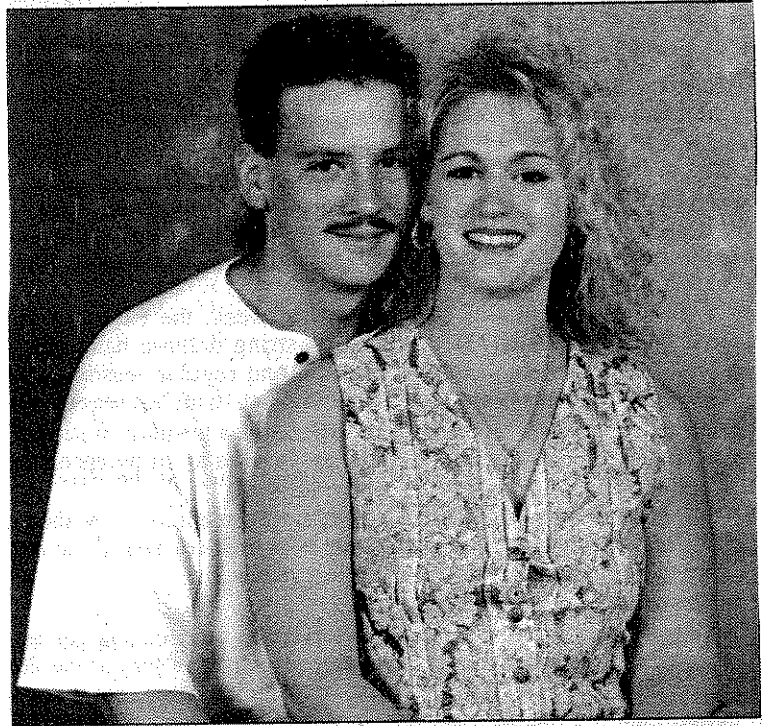


Wedding bells



Hope Hammond and Bruce Eutsler, both of Van Wert, have announced their engagement. The bride-elect is the daughter of Harriett Hammond-Carroll of Scott and the late Lloyd Hammond Sr. She graduated from Wayne Trace High School and is employed at Van Wert County Hospital. The future bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Eutsler of Venedocia. He attended Lincolnview High School and is employed at Sonoco Fibre Drum. The couple will exchange vows at 4:30 p.m. on Oct. 5 at Salem Presbyterian Church in Venedocia. The custom of open church will be observed.