

WEDDING BELLS RING.

Two of Cooperstown's Popular Young People Were Married Last Week.

A pretty home wedding occurred at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Hammer at 11 o'clock Tuesday morning when Miss Clara Hammer was united in marriage to Mr. Edwin Erickson, the Rev. J. M. Jenson, pastor of the Lutheran church of this city, performing the ceremony. The ceremony was witnessed by only the immediate relatives and friends of the contracting parties. Miss Ida Hammer acted as bridesmaid and Mr. Fred W. Graff as best man. Following the pretty ceremony came the usual congratulations from friends present after which the company sat down to the splendid wedding dinner prepared for the occasion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Erickson.

The contracting parties are two of our city's popular young people. The bride is the accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Hammer while the groom is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. Erick Erickson. Both have grown up together in this city, gone to school together, and now have been joined together by the holy ties of matrimony to walk through life together. The Courier hopes that their lives will be full of happiness and prosperity and hereby extends its heartiest congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erickson. The newly wedded couple left soon after the ceremony for an automobile trip across the country to Glendive, Mont., stopping en route at Douglas, N. D., where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. Grangaard. On their return from their wedding trip they

ANNUAL FALL GRIND IS ON

Wheat is Running Light But is of Good Quality—Oats and Barley Yield Poorly.

The work of threshing the 1910 drought crop has been going along at a merry pace the past week, and another ten days or two weeks will see all the threshing done hereabouts.

While it is hard to get any exact figures, the grain is turning out about as expected for the past two weeks, and from four to ten bushels of wheat is the general run. Of course some fields will yield some heavier than this but it is questionable whether the general average will exceed seven bushels to the acre. The quality and color are excellent, however, and the grain will grade as good or better than it has for a number of years. Barley and oats are both very poor. The flax is looking good, and promises to be better than was hoped for. In spite of the discouraging year the farmers are not grumbling, and they all expect to get a hummer of a crop next year to make up for what they lost this time.

will make their home for the present at Jessie where Mr. Erickson is engaged with his father in the general merchandise business. The newly wedded young people have a large circle of friends in Cooperstown and Griggs county who wish them much happiness and good luck.—Courier.