

Hymen's Halter.

WASHBURN—HUSEL.—At the residence of the groom, on Monday, July 2, 1883, by Justice S. Goldthrite, Mr. Millard F. Washburn to Miss Mary Husel, Both of Cooperstown.

Old-fashioned and commonplace as weddings may be, there is no denying but that a good degree of interest perennially attaches to and surrounds them. Events of this character are necessary to mark the true happiness of every man and woman, hence the interest such topics absorb is perfectly in order. Mr. Goldthrite performed the ceremony at the Washburn & Cooper farm residence in an artistic manner that would force upon a stranger the idea that he had never done else but tie silken knots with both ends tucked in. Immediate friends and relatives were the only guests, and Mr. Chas. Cooper and Miss Husel (sister of the bride) acted as bridesmaid and bridesman to the happy pair.

The high contracting parties of the above occasion are so well known and respected in this community that the **COURIER** can say nothing new to their credit. She a beautiful, accomplished, loving and beloved woman; he a noble, careful and industrious man well established in life, they are well fitted for each other's happiness. After partaking of a sumptuous "lay-out" the joyous couple started for a brief tour to the groom's old home in Minnesota. With them they carry the honest hope of a host of friends that the blossom that has thus bloomed in their lives may never wilt or wither, but that their's may be an unalloyed career of perfect felicity. Cooperstown will remain their home.