

ALM-HALVORSON.

Another Couple Prefer Wedded Bliss to Single Wretchedness. Married Wednesday Last.

Miss Bertha Halvorson and Mr. Oliver Alm of Moorhead, Minn., were united in marriage on Wednesday, Nov. 10, by Rev. Vikingstad of Cooperstown. The wedding ceremony was the beautiful and impressive service of the Lutheran denomination of Christian worshipers. It was performed in the church close by.

The bride, a native of Griggs county is the daughter of Ole Halvorson, who settled in eastern Griggs before the land there had all been surveyed. Here she was won by Mr. Alm, a young man of promise who has made many friends in the neighborhood by his genial, kindly ways. The day had dawned with sky o'ercast, but by two o'clock the sun had chased away the gloom and was streaming through church windows showing a large crowd of friends gathered to witness the ceremony. Now the peal of the church bell broke the hush of expectancy and announced to all that two young people were about to "take each other for better or for worse" until parted by the grim reaper. Then while the organ played the Mendelssohn wedding march, the lovely bride-to-be arm in arm with her future husband, entered the church. They were led on by the maid of honor, Miss Olga Gilbertson, and followed by bride's maid Miss Caroline Halvorson, and best man, Mr. Oscar Halvorson.

The bride was arrayed in a gown of white taffeta with bridal wreath and white veil sweeping the floor and she carried a beautiful wreath of roses. The groom, an imposing height of young and vigorous manhood, was neatly dressed in the usual black.

After the ceremony had been duly performed the wedding party repaired to the home of the bride where a reception was tendered to all present. Then came the wedding dinner. It was a sumptuous repast and served to more than a hundred guests.

There were many presents bestowed which were greatly appreciated, and not the least among them were handsome sums of ready cash.

It was a very harmonious and joyous occasion and the happy couple will be followed to their new home at Reeder, N. D., by the best wishes of the entire community.—Eye Witness.