

HOWDEN-VESTA.

The following from the Badger State Banner published at Black River Falls, Wis., tells of the marriage of one of our popular young farmers:

A very pretty wedding took place last Wednesday, June 30, at the home of S. T. Vesta and wife when their youngest daughter, Hebba, was married to Mr. John Howden, of Cooperstown, North Dakota. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Ramberg, of Whitehall. The house was decorated with roses and ferns. The bride was handsomely attired in a white silk gown and carried white bridal roses. Miss Ida Jackson, of North Dakota, cousin of the bride, and Oscar Vesta, a brother, acted as bridesmaid and groomsman. After the ceremony, a bountiful repast was partaken of by a large crowd of invited guests. They were the recipients of some handsome presents, to the value of \$75. The bride has grown up from childhood in this place and is one of our most charming young ladies. The groom is a worthy young man of high standing and character. We predict for them a bright and happy future. They leave us soon and take with our best wishes for prosperity. They will be home after August 15th at Cooperstown, North Dakota.

The groom is the oldest son of of Mr. and Mrs. B. N. Howden, a popular young man, who has a host of friends throughout the county who will join with the Courier in extending to "Jack" and his bride heartiest congratulations.