

Married—At St. Catharine church, Valley City, Oct. 31, 1897, Katie Altringer to M. Reilly, Rev. Father Heinzmann, performing the ceremony.

The contracting parties are well known young people living near Wimbledon. The groom having owned and conducted a farm near this city for several years past, while the bride is a highly respected and estimable daughter of one of our substantial settlers, Mr. and Mrs. John Altringer.

The bride and groom returned from Valley City Thursday, and in the evening were tendered a reception at the farm residence of the brides parents—a few miles northeast of the city, where a large circle of friends gathered to pay their respects to the newly married couple.

The presents showered upon the happy couple were numerous, handsome and valuable, netting to more than \$300 in valuation, which gives some idea of the high esteem in which they are held by their many friends in this and neighboring towns.

An enviting supper was served during the evening, and games, dancing and social amusement indulged in by the guests, and at a late hour the newly wedded couple left for their future home, recently prepared by Mr. Reilly, amid showers of congratulations.