

POPULAR YOUNG PEOPLE WEDDED

**Miss Ruth Alfson and Mr. George
Olstad Were Married on
Sunday, Oct. 7.**

On Sunday morning, October 7, 1917, Miss Ruth Alfson and Mr. George Olstad were joined in holy wedlock at the residence of Rev. T. E. Sweger at Cooperstown. The ceremony was read at 10:30 o'clock in the presence of the witnesses.

The bride was charmingly attired in a beautiful gown of cream pussy-willow taffeta with a beaded bolero, and carried a bouquet of white roses. She was attended by Miss Ruth Groven and Miss Josephine Thingelstad. The groom was attended by Alfred Alfson and Monroe Berg.

After the wedding ceremony was performed, the bridal party autoed back to the bride's home here, where the relatives had assembled, and where a sumptuous wedding dinner was served.

The bride is the accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ole Alfson of Binford, and from a little girl has grown up in our midst, honored by old and young alike. She received her education here, and later attended college at Moorhead and at Northfield, Minnesota, where she studied vocal and instrumental music. She possesses a remarkable alto voice, and will be greatly missed from social and church circles where she has taken an active part. For the past three years she has been employed by the Griggs County Telephone company and had charge of the local exchange, being a most efficient and accommodating operator.

The groom came here last fall from Norway, Alberta, Canada, and has been in the employ of the Buchheit-Bakken firm until two months ago, when he went to Gold Butte, Montana where he accepted a similar position. Mr. Olstad is a young man of good qualities, and made many friends during his stay in Binford.

The presents received by the newly married couple were numerous and handsome as well as valuable.

The young couple left on Tuesday by auto, accompanied by Alfred Alfson, for Gold Butte, where the groom has a home in readiness for his bride and where they will reside.

The congratulations on this happy event are numerous and The Times is greatly pleased to add its hearty good wishes to the worthy young couple.

The guests who attended the wedding were Lewis Berg and family, and C. O. Johnson and family, of Cooperstown, Austin Rorvig and family of Mose, Miss Ruth Groven, of Jessie, Albert Alfson and family, Henry Alfson and family, Jens C. Thingelstad and family and Miss Emma Bergstrom.