

At eight o'clock p. m., last Thursday evening, August 6th, 1896, occurred the marriage of E. Russell Purinton to Miss Alida Beyerle, at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. W. W. Archer, of Steele county, Rev. O. D. Purinton officiating. This young couple who have just united their lives together, need no introduction to the people of Cooperstown and Griggs county. The bride is a sister of Mrs. W. W. Archer and has made her home with the Archers since the death of her parents. While she is a stranger to ye editor she has lived in Cooperstown for a year or so and was last winter taken into the Baptist church as a member. She is a bright, energetic young lady and has made a host of friends in Cooperstown. The bridegroom is the only son of Rev. and Mrs. O. D. Purinton. He has grown up in Cooperstown from a small lad and is known from one side of the county to the other. He is popular with his associates and possesses a sunny disposition that will carry him through the world in good shape. The young folks have a host of friends in both counties who unite in extending hearty congratulations. The day following the wedding they took a trip to Grand Forks for a few days and are now at home at the home of the bridegroom's father, where they will reside for the present.

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