

### HONOR SPRUCE COUPLE WED FIFTY YEARS

Spruce— A very delightful evening was held Tuesday, June 12 when the community and surrounding area helped Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Piper celebrate their Golden Wedding Anniversary at the Spruce Presbyterian Church.

A short program consisted of talks by Ernest Gillard, Everett Alstrom, Rev. H. Webster, former pastor, and songs and recitations with Ray Chamberlain as master of ceremonies. At the close of the program, the youngest Piper grandchild, Dianne, daughter of the Elmer Pipers, was baptized by Rev. Webster.

The honored couple were presented with two beautiful platform rockers.

Mrs. Piper wore a gray suit for the occasion, with a corsage of yellow roses from her own garden.

After the program, refreshments were served in the basement which was decorated in the conventional gold and white. The "brides" table held a beautiful gold and white wedding cake, flanked on either side by gold and white daisies and buttercups. Mrs. Roy Sayers and Mrs. Everett Alstrom poured for about 150 guests.

The children and grandchildren present were: Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Piper and Donna, Dick and Dianne; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Piper, Peggy and Jimmie; Mr. and Mrs. John Olson with Francis, Helen and Johnnie; Mrs. Clair Vicary and Arthur and Margaret. Mr. and Mrs. John Piper Nellie and William of Dearborn, were unable to be present, as were Mr. Vicary and Kathryn Olson, daughter of the Jack Olson's, who is attending school in Mt. Pleasant.

The best wishes for many more happy and successful years is extended to this esteemed couple who have made Spruce their home for many years.