

—On the 7th of this month, the Rev. and Mrs. T. W. Thurston of Dawson, celebrated their golden wedding at the residence of their daughter, Mrs. W. T. Best of Mandan. All the children living in this county of the aged couple, were present with their families—Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Thurston, Mrs. A. Turney and family, and Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Best. The children contributed some very valuable presents, which came as a delightful surprise to Rev. and Mrs. Thurston. The Reverend gentleman and his wife have lived in North Dakota for some years, and they are enjoying remarkably good health for people of their age. They were married at Manheim, Herkimer Co. N. Y., when Mr. Thurston first entered the ministry, and he has been in the ministry continually since April 7th, 1842.—Mandan Pioneer.