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MANY CHANGES IN CHATHAM

**Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Kerr
Have Seen Great Improve-
ments in This City**

THEIR GOLDEN WEDDING

A very happy event was celebrated at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Kerr, Lorne Avenue, yesterday, it being the occasion of the anniversary of their golden wedding.

In the evening the family gathered at the home of the aged couple and spent a very pleasant social time. A banquet was served, followed by speeches, which were delivered by every son and son-in-law present. At the conclusion of the feast, Rev. Dr. Battisby made a very able and suitable address, complimenting the aged couple on the manner in which they had reared a large family, who were a credit to them, and on behalf of the family presented Mr. and Mrs. Kerr with a purse of gold.

During the course of the evening Dr. Battisby made the remark that this was the first golden wedding which had occurred in his congregation since he became pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Kerr were married at the King St. Wesleyan Methodist Church on the 6th of November, 1858, by the Rev. Mr. English, the pastor then in charge. Chatham has witnessed many changes since those days. The church in which Mr. and Mrs. Kerr were married passed into the hands of the Salvation Army, and then had to be moved across the street to make room for the C. P. R. station yard, and has since been torn down. King street was in the fall of 1858 being improved by its first pavement—of cobble stones. Mr. Kerr was at that time filling a responsible position on the Great Western Railway, a position to which he had been appointed by the late W. K. Muir, Supt. of the Railway, a fellow-townsmen of Mr. Kerr.

Mr. Kerr remained in the employ of the railway for ten years, when he engaged in business for himself in the grocery line, first on King St. and then on Queen St., continuing in business for about thirty years. Mr. Kerr is a native of Glasgow and was born in the year 1823, but was brought up at Kilmarnock, whence he emigrated to Canada about the year 1850.

Mrs. Kerr was born at Peebles, Scotland, in the year 1832, and emigrated to Canada with her parents a couple of years after Mr. Kerr. Since their marriage the couple have resided continuously in Chatham. Mrs. Kerr's bridesmaid, her sister, Mrs. H. G. Arnold, of Kingsville, would have been present at the celebration had it not been that she is confined to the house through illness. All the surviving children of the marriage were present—Hugh Kerr, Jr., of this city; Mrs. Joseph Phillips, of Maidstone; Mrs. Thomas Scullard, of this city; Dr. Wm. Kerr, of Bay City, Mich.; and J. G. Kerr, Mrs. Wm. Anderson and Mrs. Robt. Birch, all of this city.

A notable coincidence is the fact that Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Manoeil, of

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Tilbury East, were married at the same time by the same minister, and are still living; and no doubt celebrated their golden wedding at their residence on the Raleigh and Tilbury Townline yesterday. Of the immediate parties to this double wedding, five are still living.

PROBABILITIES

Special to The Planet.

Toronto, Nov. 7.—11 a. m.—Moderate variable winds, fine and mild. Thursday, increasing easterly winds, fair until night, then showery.

LOCAL

Wanted—A well educated boy, not under seventeen years of age, to learn reporting. Apply at Planet Office.

St. Andrew's manse, Dr. Battisby's residence, Park street, for sale; with in easy walking distance of centre of city. Apply D. McLachlan.

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DEATH OF W. L. G. SNELL

William Lewis Grant Snell, one of the most widely-known and esteemed residents of this city, passed away at his late home on Lorne Avenue at eight o'clock this morning. The cause of death was liver trouble, from which he had been suffering for some time. He had been subject to attacks of his complaint for about a year, and at times was confined to his room.

The late Mr. Snell was 64 years of age. He was born in the Campbell Islands of the Bay of Fundy, and he came to Chatham about 37 years ago. For years he conducted what was then known as Snell's Fair—the King street stand at present going under the name of Parson's Fair. He retired from active business about four years ago.

The deceased had always been an active and useful member of Park street Methodist church, where he officiated at various times on the Quarterly Official Board, in the choir, and as a teacher in the Sunday school. He was a member of the Oddfellows and Workmen Lodges.

He is survived by a wife and one son, Dr. Alvin Snell, of Essex. He leaves two brothers and three sisters, Rev. C. Y. Snell, of Los Angeles, Cal.; Mr. John Snell, of this city; Mrs. E. Gammage, Chatham; Mrs. H. Shaw, of this city; and Mrs. D. Eckard, of Toronto.

The funeral service will take place Friday afternoon at 2.30 from the family residence, Lorne Avenue, Maple Leaf Cemetery, Rev. W. S. Rutledge officiating.

CHATHAM PRESBYTERIAL

Interesting And Profitable
Session Being Held In
First Church

ENCOURAGING REPORTS

The twenty-second annual meeting of the Chatham Presbyterial convened in the First Church, Chatham, Tuesday and Wednesday, Nov. 6th and 7th.

The program for Tuesday morning was as follows:

Devotional exercises by Mrs. Scott, of Windsor.
Bible reading and prayer by Mrs. Scott.
Address of Mrs. Herrie, bringing out the strong points of labor of love, patience and faith.

Impressions of the West by Mrs. Williams, of Hildesheim.
Mrs. Haggart spoke of the growth of the country, which was most interesting indeed.

Mrs. Young and Mrs. Craig also gave fine addresses.
The minutes were then read, and, on motion of Mrs. Sward and Mrs. Young, adopted.

Prayer by Mrs. Herrie, of Bradford, Eng.
The morning session was closed by the singing of the doxology.

AFTERNOON

The afternoon session was opened by the singing of hymn 562, followed by a Bible reading by Mrs. McNiven, of Combar, and prayer by Mrs. McLachlan, of Thamesville.

After the singing of the hymn the Presbyterial reports were read by Miss McKay, secretary of supplies. Miss McKellar sang a solo, "Heaven is My Home."

Greetings from sister societies were then read from the following: Park St. Methodist—Mrs. Rutledge, Christ Church—Mrs. Fraser, Baptist—Mrs. Hanna.

This was followed by prayer by Mrs. Bentley.

The offering was then taken up. Mrs. Goodfellow, of India, then gave an interesting address on Indian Villages and their Inhabitants.

A prayer was offered up by Mrs. Graham at the close of which all joined in singing hymn 438.

Miss Cummings gave a talk on Mission Bands, the strong point being that an ideal band needs an ideal leader.

The afternoon session was closed by singing the Doxology.

Tuesday evening was closed by song service, lasting from 7.45 to 8 o'clock, followed by a scripture reading and prayer.

The First Church mixed quartette, composed of Misses McKellar and Peats and Messrs Angus and Wilson, gave a sacred selection.

The chairman, Rev. A. H. MacGillivray, also delivered an excellent address.

Miss Goodfellow, of India, also gave an address.

The address given by Rev. Marcus Scott, of Detroit, was very interesting.

After singing hymn 250 the evening was closed with the benediction.

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McKeough school, Thursday evening, Nov. 8th, at eight p. m., distribution of medals and prizes. Admission ten cents. Friday, exhibition day for pupils, parents and friends free. Orchestra in attendance.

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FOR SALE—Brick house on Selkirk street, modern improvements, will be sold cheap; terms easy. Apply on the premises. John Ferguson.

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\$7.50—Fine white Thibet Stole, satin lined, large size, Empire muff to match \$6.75.

\$11—Natural Alaska Sable Marlow ruff, trimmed with six tails, muff to match \$12.00.

\$15—Large Beaver Stole trimmed with silk ornaments and Chenille fringe, Muff to match \$15.00.

\$10—Of Japanese Mink with double neck piece, fronts satin lined, trimmed with tails and silk ornaments. Empire Muff to match, trimmed with silk ornament \$6.50.

\$25—Large Stole of Isbel's Fox, satin lined and finished with two large tails.

\$25—Of a Natural Alaska Sable, large full neck piece, long fronts, trimmed with 8 large sable tails.

\$5—Of Black or Grey Cheviot, 42 in. long, double breasted and trimmed with broad strapping, very special value.

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\$10—Gray Tweed Mixture, pleated model, nicely trimmed with stitched strap-ping and velvet at \$10.

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