

THEIR GOLDEN WEDDING

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Mr. and Mrs. C.
Gunstone celebrate

On Wednesday, 4 October, Mr. and Mrs. C. Gunstone, of "Homelea," Salisbury Road, Broughton, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary by giving a party for their friends and relations at the Methodist Church Schoolroom.

A service of thanksgiving preceded the party, conducted by the Rev. J. Heaven, and the hymns "Praise, my soul, the King of heaven," "When all thy mercies O my God" and "The Church's one foundation" were sung.

Mr. and Mrs. Gunstone were the first couple married at the church, in 1911.

Amongst the guests were the Rev. and Mrs. J. Heaven, and Mrs. M. Dawkins and Miss B. Gunstone, two of the bridesmaids.

Members of the church gave Mr. and Mrs. Gunstone a cut glass vase and a box of chocolates. These were presented by Mrs. F. Hinwood and thanks were voiced by Mrs. Gunstone.

After tea, entertainment was provided by Mrs. D. Wilkins, Mr. F. Hooker and Miss Moody, friends from Romsey.

Mr. and Mrs. Gunstone's son and daughter, Mr. E. Gunstone and Miss M. Gunstone, were both present.

Mrs. Gunstone was formerly Miss Catherine Hinwood, better known as "Trottie," she has lived in Broughton since the age of eight and her hobby is needlework, especially patchwork, which she enjoys doing very much.

Mr. Gunstone is the eldest son of the late Mr. S. Gunstone who built the Methodist Church at Broughton; owing to ill-health, he recently retired from the firm of C. Grace and Sons, builders, of Goodworth Clatford.

Many friends voiced the hope that their 50 years' partnership will continue for many years to come, as did the Rev. Wardle at the tea-table.

Many bouquets, greeting cards and telegrams were received during the day.