

THEIR SILVER WEDDING.

Beautiful Anniversary Celebration
By Mr. and Mrs. William P.
McDowell.

Their Handsome Home Crowded With
Friends Who Called To Tender
Congratulations.

The silver wedding of Mr. and Mrs. William P. McDowell was celebrated last evening at their home, 1237 Second street. Their celebration last evening was a social event, and a host of friends were present to offer congratulations. The house was thrown open from top to bottom and was tastefully decorated throughout. The parlors and halls were festooned with garlands of flowers, lined with silver trimmings. Sprays of white and green flowers and ferns decorated the tables, and interlaced the chandeliers and pictures.

Mrs. McDowell received her guests and acknowledged their congratulations in the front parlor. She was assisted by her daughters Misses Katie and Annie, and by Mrs. Meade Robinson, Mrs. J. S. Berryman, Mrs. William L. Bridgeford, Mrs. A. M. Robinson, Miss Susie Wright, Miss Lillie Winchester, Miss Milbrey Watterson, Miss Julia Robinson, Miss Emily Foreman, Miss Mary Pope, Miss Kate Eaphes, Miss Belle Palmer, Miss Mary Creel and Miss Helen Cood. An orchestra was in the rear of the hall screened by palms and ferns.

In the back parlor was a blank book, bound in gray and silver with the initials of the host and hostess and the date of their marriage and its twenty-fifth anniversary inscribed on its back.

On arriving, the guests wrote their names and left them as a souvenir of the occasion. A number of handsome presents were received with the names and best wishes of their friends.

Mr. and Mrs. McDowell have five children who were present last evening. They are: John W. McDowell, W. Wallace McDowell, Robinson A. McDowell, E. Irvine and Katie I. McDowell.

EIGHT YEARS A BLANK.