

Chapter ; a cross from Toronto Chapter of Rose Croix 18°, a triangle from Toronto Lodge of Perfection 14th degree, and a large double-headed eagle, the emblem of the 33rd degree, from the Supreme Council. The following Brethren acted as pall-bearers :—John S. Donaldson, Sanderson Percy, John W. Murton, Hamilton; Benjamin Allen, W. George Eakins, Bernard Saunders Hugh Murray, Hamilton, and Wm. Roaf.

GRAND LODGE OF MANITOBA.

The Grand Lodge of Manitoba met in Winnipeg on Thursday, June 11th. A large number of representatives was in attendance.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year :—

M.W.G.M., Bro. Corbett Lock, Morden.

D.G.M., Bro. John Leslie, Winnipeg.

G.S.W., Bro. T. F. English, Calgary.

G.T., Bro. John McKechnie, Winnipeg.

G.S., Bro. W. G. Scott, Winnipeg.

G.R., Bro. C. N. Mitchell, Winnipeg.

J. Chap., Bro. Rev. I. W. Matheson, Souris.

The following were elected to the office of D.D.G.M. for the various districts :—

Bro. W. G. Baker, Winnipeg.

" D. McLean, McGregor.

" H. Skolrood, Glenboro.

" J. S. McKay, Boissevain.

" J. K. Patten, Minnedosa.

" J. S. Coombs, Prince Albert.

" A. L. Young, Souris.

" H. Lang, Regina.

" C. A. Suttan, Edmonton.

" R. G. Mathews, Macleod.

The M.W.G.M. Bell presented, in the name of the Grand Lodge, a handsome silver gilt collar and jewel to M.

W.P.G.M. Bro. Tweed. During the year Bro. Tweed was G.M. he did his duty to the Craft in a manner highly satisfactory to the brethren. The G. M., Bro. Bell, recalled the fact that Bro. Tweed and himself, 26 years ago, were companions in arms, being the two younger boys in the Red River expedition under Lord Wolseley, and he expressed great pleasure in having to invest Bro. Tweed with the insignia of a Past Grand Master.

M.W. Bro. Tweed, who on rising was received with cheers, said that he was quite unable to express all the feelings which had taken possession of him as he listened to the kind words of the M.W.G.M. He gave many pleasant and touching reminiscences of the past, and expressed the hope that he might go on taking as great an interest as ever in the cause of Masonry.

The newly elected officers were then installed by G.M. C. N. Bell, the new occupant of the throne thanking the brethren of Grand Lodge for the honor done him.

The M.W. Master appointed the following brethren to office :—

G.S.D., Bro. Wm. Crawford, Medicine Hat.

G.J.D., Bro. F. S. Proctor, Fort Qu'Appelle.

G.O., Bro. W. F. Hazley, Winnipeg.

G.M. of C., Bro. John J. Jackson, Winnipeg.

G. Stewards, Bros. Leece, Killarney; J. H. O'Loughlin, Winnipeg; R. Whitworth, Souris; H. J. Eberts, Winnipeg; W. E. Simpson, Brandon; John Obed Smith, Winnipeg; Rev. H. D. Cooper, Holland; R. Myers, Minnedosa; C. E. D. Wood, Macleod; John McBride, Winnipeg.

A large amount of business bearing on the internal economy of the Grand Lodge was discussed.

After the closing of Grand Lodge the brethren retired to the banqueting room where a pleasant time was spent, and the usual toasts were drunk and responded to.

The evening passed very pleasantly