

greatest cordiality and good feeling existed, and the party broke up about 12 o'clock, expressing the sentiment, "happy to meet, sorry to part, happy to meet again."

PORT BURWELL.

At a recent meeting of Oriental Lodge No. 151, Port Burwell, W. Bro. S. Leybourne, who has very creditably discharged the duties of Master of that Lodge for the past two years, was presented, on the occasion of his retiring from the Oriental chair, with an elegant Past Masters' Jewel

FORT GARRY.

At a meeting of Prince Rupert's Lodge, U. D. Fort Garry held in May last, W. Bro. Patterson was presented with a Jewel, and the following very flattering

ADDRESS.

To W. Bro. R. S. Patterson, W. M. Prince Ruperts Lodge, U. D.

We the members of Prince Rupert's Lodge, understanding that you are about to leave us, cannot allow you to do so without expressing to you our gratitude and brotherly regard for your great services in the cause of Masonry in this Province in general and to our own lodge in particular.

To you belongs the great honor of being the founder of Masonry in the Province of Manitoba the young sister in the Grand Confederation. Through your great exertions four Lodges have been organized since in the order of Providence you have been called upon in your capacity of Chaplain of the Dominion Forces, to reside in this country. In the prosperity which attends our Lodge we recognize the efforts of your watchful care and unwearied zeal, under the blessing of the Great Architect of the Universe. You have proved yourself not only a Master of Men, but a Master of work.

In parting from you we do so with sincere regret and we trust that to whatever station you may be called, or in whatever country your lot may be cast, the blessing of the Most High may attend you.

We take this opportunity of acknowledging the debt of gratitude we owe you, and of expressing the kindly and fraternal regard we individually bear you as a brother.

Allow us to present you with *this jewel* which we hope you will accept and wear as a genuine token of our esteem, and which when you look upon, will remind you of the many happy hours spent by us together, and that neither time nor distance can sever the tie that has so firmly bound us to each other.

We trust that when we shall be summoned to leave this sublunary abode, we may meet each other in that Grand Lodge above, where the Worlds Great Architect lives and reigns for ever.

Signed on behalf of Prince Ruperts Lodge, A. F. and A. M.

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J. GRAHAM, T. D.
J. G. MILNE.
J. M. SWETMAN.
R. B. ALBERTSON.

A. R. MACDONALD, P. M.
WM. N. KENNEDY, S. W.
M. COYNE, J. W.
S. F. B. MOUCE, TREAS.
H. T. CHAMPION, SEC.

Committee.

On being presented with the jewel and address, W. Bro. Patterson replied as follows.

W. Past Master and Brethren,

With mingled feelings of surprise, pleasure and regret I have listened to your truly masonic address. *Surprise*, because I had not the slightest expectation that the little I have been enabled to do to forward the interests of the craft is in any respect worthy of such high commendation as you have bestowed on it. *Pleasure*, because esteeming you all I rejoice to have such abundant proof that the regard is mutual. *Regret*, because I am reminded by the words of farewell contained in your address, that the time is fast approaching when the cordial intercourse we have now held with each other, for many months, must be interrupted.

I assure you brethren that no such testimonial and symbol of your feelings was re-