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FUNERAL SERVICE FOR DR. STANWELL

Wide Preston Representation

A LARGE number of doctors, Freemasons and representatives of public bodies in the town were present at the funeral service at St. Saviour's Church, Preston, to-day, for Dr. Charles Oliver Stanwell, of Frenchwood-avenue, Preston, who died on Friday.

Dr. Stanwell, who had practised for many years in Preston, was Divisional Surgeon of the Frenchwood Division of the St. John Ambulance Brigade. He was also a Past Master of the Stanley of Preston Lodge of Freemasons (No. 2,600).

In addition, he was honorary physician at Shepherd-street Mission, and was for a considerable time medical officer of the local branch of the N.S.P.C.C.

The service was conducted by the Rev. J. Baxendale, vicar, assisted by the Rev. J. H. Finch, vicar of St. Paul's. The organist, Mr. H. Halsall, played the organ voluntary, "I know that my Redeemer liveth," from the "Messiah."

After the service, the funeral party left for the Manchester Crematorium.

The personal mourners were:—Mrs. C. O. Stanwell (widow), Mr. H. B. Stanwell (brother), Miss Isla Stanwell (sister), Miss M. Cox (sister-in-law), Mr. A. H. Cox (nephew), Miss Elvery (niece), and Miss Edith Taylor (maid).

Among the members of the medical profession present were:—Dr. Rayner, Dr. Toulmin, Dr. R. A. E. Lowry, Dr. Mary Lowry, Dr. Derham, Dr. W. H. Pimblett, Dr. Pimley, Dr. Ainsley, Dr. Williams, Dr. Davies and Dr. Dixon.

PRESTON ST. JOHN BEARERS

The St. John Ambulance Brigade was represented by Corps Superintendent Captain F. F. Millington, Superintendent J. J. Lane, Superintendent W. H. Johnstone, Lady Officer Superintendent Mrs. Howard, Lady Officer Miss Chirnside, Lady Officer Mrs. Harrison, and Mr. H. B. Brierley (hon. secretary of the Preston Centre). A party of N.C.O.'s and men of the Preston Corps acted as bearers.

The Stanley of Preston Lodge was represented by:—W. Bro. T. Robinson (Vice Master), Bros. E. W. Gardner (senior warden), A. C. M. Lillie (junior warden), J. B. Harrison (secretary), W. Bros. W. A. Marson, R. Ward, T. H. Bailey, T. B. G. Deacon and A. T. Eginton (Past Masters), and Bros. G. Robinson, A. Wiles, C. Smirk, G. L. Johnson, J. Wilson, G. Middlecott and J. G. Jones.

The following Lodges were also represented:—4,072, 113, 343, 335 and 32.

Also among those present and the institutions represented were:—Mr. W. Margerison (chairman), Mr. T. Slater (secretary), Mr. J. Wilson and Mr. Thornton (representing Shepherd-street Mission); Mr. J. H. Toulmin (N.S.P.C.C. and the Police Convalescent Home Fund); Mr. J. Gibson, Preston Royal Infirmary; Councillor T. C. Rainford; Mr. J. H. Tonge, Mrs. A. C. M. Lillie, R. Heaps, Mr. J. Topping, Mr. W. B. Robinson, Mr. E. Nickson and Mr. and Mrs. J. Nelson.

The funeral arrangements were by Mr. D. Whittle, London-road.