

APPLEBY MAGNA.

PRESENTATION TO DR. AND MRS. SALMOND.—An interesting ceremony took place at Appleby Magna recently, when a presentation was made to Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Salmond by the people of Appleby Magna, Stretton-en-le-Field, Norton Juxta, Twycross, and Snarestone, to mark the occasion of their marriage. Upwards of eighty subscribers, headed by a committee, waited upon Dr. and Mrs. Salmond at their home, Lindores. Mrs. Tunnadine, of Appleby Magna, in introducing the proceedings, said it had given the committee great pleasure to get up the presentation, and that the delay in pushing it forward was due to the fact that they wished to give something which would be useful and which had not already been received amongst their wedding presents. She had great pleasure in calling upon Mr. Lilley, sen., of The Beeches, Appleby Magna, as the oldest inhabitant of the village, to make the presentation—(applause). Mr. Lilley, sen., wished Dr. and Mrs. Salmond long life and prosperity. He felt sure that no one could be better liked, and he congratulated the doctor on going into double harness. It gave him great pleasure to present to Dr. Salmond an arm chair, and to Mrs. Salmond a tea service and tray. Mrs. Salmond, in reply, thanked them very much indeed, in a brief speech, and Dr. Salmond said that their gift of the arm-chair was a complete surprise, as it had been kept secret to the last moment. It had always been a pleasure to work amongst the people of the district, and he felt sure that they would extend to his wife the same friendly spirit which they always shewed to him, and he was proud to introduce her to them that day. He understood that the list of subscribers numbered about 200, and he thanked the committee and the individual subscribers for their kindness and good wishes to Mrs. Salmond and himself. The events of the afternoon would remain for them a very happy memory. Afterwards all present were entertained to tea by Dr. and Mrs. Salmond.

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