

SIR KNIGHTS HAVE CAPTURED SCRANTON

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a door at the rear of the stage. In the lecture room and every other detail of this all-important convocation nothing has been left undone to make the affair an elaborate one and a feature that will remain a pleasant memory to those who attend it.

SKETCH OF COMMANDERIES.

Brief histories of the Grand, Coeur de Lion and Melita.

SCRANTONIANS HONORED. John H. Dusenbury and Right Eminent Sir Joseph Alexander, Jr., two living Scrantonians, are past grand commanders of the Knights Templar in this city.

THE COEUR DE LION. One of the oldest and strongest commanderies in the state is Coeur de Lion, of this city.

ER, SIR ANDREW B. HOLMES, Commander of Coeur de Lion Commandery.

er: Sir W. H. Perkins, prolate; Sir Joseph Alexander, Jr., senior warden; Sir E. Hunt, junior warden; Sir Thomas Dickson, generalissimo; Sir E.

H. Kirlin, treasurer; Sir Edward Kingsbury, junior warden; Sir N. F. Marsh, warden; Sir Joseph Godfrey, captain general; Sir W. P. Carling, warden; Sir R. Searle, standard bearer; Sir Ezekiel Fisher, sentinel.

OFFICERS AND MEMBERS. The present officers of Coeur de Lion are: Eminent commander, E. Sir Andrew B. Holmes; generalissimo, Sir Charles W. Gunster; captain general, Sir Arja Williams; treasurer, E. Sir Edward L. Buck; recorder, E. Sir Edward L. Buck; trustees, E. Sir Ezra H. Ripple, E. Sir Fred J. Amstutz, E. Sir Charles W. Gunster, E. Sir Daniel H. James; senior warden, Sir Joseph H. Dusenbury; junior warden, Sir William S. Meigs; standard bearer, Sir Morris A. Clark; sword bearer, Sir Thomas E. Laidlow; warden, Sir Frank M. Moyer; captain of the guard, Sir Joseph Ansley, Jr.; first guard, Sir Willie A. Kemmerer; second guard, Sir George W. Hestzel; third guard, Sir Dean; surgeons, Sir Alex. J. Connell, M. D., Sir A. Lindabury, M. D., Sir Albert Kull, M. D., Sir Frederick D. Brewster, M. D., Samuel A. Samuels, Sir Jacob F. Hestzel; representative on hall committee, E. Sir E. L. Buck; quartermaster, Sir U. O. Schoonmaker; commissary, Sir John M. Kemmerer; committee on drill, E. Sir A. B. Holmes, Sir Charles W. Gunster, Sir Arja Williams; committee on uniform, E. Sir Charles H. Williams, E. Sir Frank S. Barker, Sir William S. Boyd; tri guard, Sir Charles W. Bleckley, Sir William S. Quirens, Sir G. A. Miller, Sir Elias W. Finn, Sir William R. Williams, Sir Eugene H. Shiffer, Sir Henry A. Connell, Sir J. James Taylor, Sir Joseph H. Gunster, Coeur de Lion has the following members: Frederick J. Amstutz, E. Sir A. Adams, Samuel Arnold, Joseph Ansley, Jr., Edward L. Buck, Daniel Bartholomew, William C. Beaumont, Thomas Barrowman, Neal C. Broadhead, Emmet Brown, E. Frank S. Barker, William K. Beck, Frederick L. Brown, George Beemer, Victor A. Beemer, Edmund A. Barth, William S. Boyd, Jr., Frederick W. Bleckley, Frank B. Beers, Frederick D. Brewster, M. D., Edwin A. Banfield, William L. Connell, Harry A. Connell, Alexander J. Connell, M. D., Joseph L. Chapman, Joseph J. Carr, Morris A. Clark, Frank L. Clarke, Frank P. Christian, Charles R. Connell, John R. Courtright, Everett L. Dickson, Daniel H. Dale, George E. Dale, Matthew C. Deitch, Charles D. Deery, Joseph H. Danner, Willard A. Dean, Wilson S. Decker, William M. Darling, Harry N. Dean, W. Haydn Evans, Edward Evans, John S. Ferguson,

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ing. He bears his 76 years of age well and is well known in Templar circles in this section of the state and in southern New York.

Among the hundreds of strangers here, one whose face is not unfamiliar to the Melita commandery is that of the Right Eminent Sir John G. McAskie, of Easton, Pa. He is a bank official and has been observed in the city for some time.

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ROUND-UP ON THE RANGE.

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Pierre, S. D., May 25.—Round-up on the cattle on the Missouri river range began today and it is no unusual thing to see a section of country about 135 miles long and ninety miles wide, covering approximately 12,000 square miles, a section larger than many of the eastern states.

PRIEST FINED FOR ASSAULT. Leaves His Pulpit and Hits a Young Man in the Face.

Peoria, Ill., May 25.—There is trouble in the Roman Catholic parish of Kickapoo, a few miles from this city, late Sunday morning. Rev. Father A. Buchler left the pulpit to strike Joseph Heintz, one of his parishioners, a blow in the face, and the young man, 19 years of age, swore out a warrant charging the priest with assault and battery.

OCTOGENARIAN TRIES SUICIDE. Fails, and Whips His Granddaughter Because She Rescues Him.

Rushville, Ind., May 25.—James Story, of Rushville, an octogenarian, attempted suicide by hanging. He had thrown a rope over a beam in a woodshed and was adjusting the noose about his neck when his little granddaughter discovered him.

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