### BRILLIANT PAGEANT OF SIR KNIGHTS

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Knight, young or old, but who will remember with pleasure the ball and reception of the conclave of 1896.

Indeed, the gathering was a most remarkable one. Arrayed in plume and sword were men whose personal worth and standing voiced the high character of the order whom their

worth and standing voiced the high character of the order whom their membership honored.

Congressmen, mayors of cities and other high officials standing in groups with men high in professional, military and business life, presented a scene impressive and not soon to be forgotten by the observer.

The tollets of the ladies were in keeping with the dignity and impor-

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R. E. SIR JAMES H. CODDING. Of Towards, Grand Commander, 1893.

visitors of being at home where it was possible for them to wear their elegant full dress gowns, which ladies traveling from a distance would hesitate to entrust to the ruining agencies of trunk or traveling case. Many of the visiting ladies, however, appeared in full evening dress. A number wore full evening dress. A number wore semi-evening dress, which, from their richness of coloring and material, were fully as attractive as the others and tended to relieve the monotony of the lighter shades.

"What shall be worn to the Temp-lars' ball?" has, of course, been the uppermost question in many feminine minds for weeks past. One young lady at present visiting in Scranton, whose home is many hundreds of miles away, has been considerably exercised for several days past over the non-arrival of a gown expected from home. Yes-terday she made a special trip to the express office, where she attempted to bribe the accommodating expressman with a view of securing the special delivery of the desired garment.

FINE FLORAL DISPLAY.

The floral display and decorations were, like all of the other complements of the event, suitable to the time and occasion. As in the decorations are the decorations are the decorations are the suitable to the decorations are the decoration are th tions which have converted the main thoroughfares of the city during the past two days into a dreamland of variegated colors, the electric lights and figures played a prominent part. A number of these were Masonic emblems, but scores of red, white and blue incandescent lights were strung about the boxes and balconies and intertwined in the floral stringers hanging from the ceiling to the possessing no greater significance than being indicative of the pleasing art of

ne decorator. The most artistic sence of the electricnterior decorations. From the top of the proscenium was suspended a huge red cross, the outline of which was emblazoned with red incandescent lamps, and attached to its top was the crown symbol, also electric. About the arch in large white incandescent lettering appeared "43"d Annual Con-

Red, white and blue lights appeared everywhere, among the strings of laurel which were strung from the top of the proscenium high above the dancers' heads and along the front of the balheads, and along the front of the bal-cony and gallery railings. Roses, carnations, honeysuckle, rhododendrons and snow balls dotted and relieved the green laurel, which hung over the railings, of balcony, gallery and boxes and enclosed the elevated music stand. The electrical work was done by the Suburbas company, under the direction of C. S. Jennings. Clark was the florist.

THEY ARRIVED EARLY. As early as 8.15 o'clock the Sir Knights and their fair companions began to arrive. The early birds were nearly all out-of-town parties and they showed their wisdom in entering the theater so soon, as by 9.15 o'clock the main and balcony floors were literally packed with guests. Until 10 o'clock the stream of guests was uninterrupted, and finally the theater contained the largest throng in its history. Hundreds were unable to obtain seats and scores

couldn't get even desirable standing room until late in the evening. The crush was so great that Chief of the Fire Department Hickey, fearing fatal consequences from a possible fire panic, ordered the aisles cleared, the draperies tied back from the exits and doorways and everything else done to facilitate vacating the theater. Six firemen were on duty in all parts of the structure until after it was closed for the night.

music was a delightful feature It was executed by twenty orchestra and as many band pieces, forty in all, and was under the direction of Profes-sor R. J. Bauer.

A running supper was served begin-ning at 10 o'clock in the specially built dinning hall at the rear of the the-ater building, and to which entrance was made from the stage. Hanley was the caterer and was assisted by a corps of fifteen waiters and a large kitchen force. The menu as as follows:

Sliced Tongue.

Ham Sanwiches.
Bread and Butter Sandwiches.
Creecents.
Pickles, Olives. Radishe
Angelfood Cake, Layer Cake.
Chocolate Cake. Radishes

olate Cake. Cocc Ice Cream. Coffee.

Fruit. Lemonade.

IN THE BOXES. The lower boxes were occupied by the commandery officers and their For a brief period R. E. Sir Warren L. Thomas, grand master of the United States and R. E. Sir John S. Bartlett, of Buffalo, a past grand com-mander of New York, were present, the latter being accompanied by Mrs.

and Miss Bartlett.
Following a half hour introductory concert the ball was opened by one of the best conducted grand marches ever seen in Scranton, especially so consid-ering the great number which partici-puated and the groups which occupied the edge of the dancing space. The march was led by Sir J. Frank Siegel, master of ceremonies, and Mrs. Siegel; E. Sir W. L. Connell, chairman of the general committee on the reception and ball, and Mrs. George F. Barnard. Sir

off the gallery on the third floor. The main lobby was used as a promenade and for the serving of lemonade and frappe.

THE BALL COMMITTEE. The ball committee consisted of E. Sir W. L. Connell, chairman; Sir J. Frank Siegel, master of ceremonies, and Eminent Sir Charles B. Derman, sec-

retary: Eminent Sir Charles B. Derman, secretary: Eminent Sirs Thomas Barrow-man, Charles Dudley Sanderson, Frank S. Baker, R. A. Zimmerman, R. H. Patterson, A. J. Colborn, Frederick L. Brown, T. Frank Penman, and Sirs T. C. Von Storch, John M. Kemmerer, C. L. Hill, C. W. Gunster, Everett Warren, C. S. Senmans, W. S. Diehl, A. J. Con-nell Frank Phillips, H. W. Hull, W. L. Matthews, J. L. Wentz, Rufus J. Foster, Walter M. Dickson, S. C. Gernon, W. H. Evans, C. J. Carter, J. W. Kennedy, R. J. Williams, W. S. Boyd, jr., H. A. Con-nell, A. Kolb, H. C. Reynolds, H. C. Sanderson, W. M. Marple, W. C. Squires, G. W. Jenkins, E. E. Teal, H. H. Archer, Willis, A. Kemmerer, Frank

P. Christian, Fred. Bleckly, Charles R. Connell, Eugene H. Shiffer, Harry N. Dean, T. B. Howe, Walter L. Henwood, O. E. aughn, J. D. Fuller, A. A. Lindabury. The Important subordinate committees whose work was directly responsi-ble for the success of the ball were as follows: Programmes, printing, etc., Sir Rufus J. Foster, chairman; E Sir

Frederick L. Brown, E. Sir Charles D. Sanderson; decorations and ball, Sir J. Frank Siegel, chairman; Sir W. S. Frank Siegel, chairman; Sir W. S. Boyd, jr., Sir Frank Phillips; music, E. Sir Charles B. Derman, chairman; E. Sir Frank S. Barker, Sir Eugene Shiffer; refreshments, Sir John M. Kemmerer, chairman; Sir Charles S. Seamans, Sir R. J. Williams; floor discretions, F. Sir Charles D. Sanderson rectors, E. Sir Charles D. Sanderson, Sir Frank Phillips, Sir C. L. Hill, Sir J. L. Wentz, Sir W. C. Squires, Sir W. J. L. Wentz, Sir W. C. Squires, Sir W. A. Kemmerer, Sir John M. Kemmerer, Sir T. C. von Storch, Sir Charles H. Gunster, Sir C. J. Carter, Sir Rufus J. Foster, Sir William Carr, E. Sir R. H. Patterson, Sir Fred Beckley, Sir Geo, B. Jermyn, Sir E. H. Lynde, Sir Walter L. Henwood, Sir Charles R. Congell

The ball souvenir was a handsomely

Miss Medway—Pink organdie.
Miss Klefer—White silk, with green velvet trimmings.
Mrs. George Mott—Cerise and black

Miss Allie Dale-Yellow satin, turquoise blue veivet trimming and lace Miss Grace Balley—Pink silk and

mulle.

Miss Birdsall—American rose crepe.

Mrs. George W. Jenkins—Black silk
and white trimming.

Mrs. Sidney Henwood—Pink silk and Mrs. Harry Connell-Pearl brocade silk, with pearl trimmings. Mrs. John Mears—Green velvet, with

spangle trimming.

Miss Sterling-Pink silk, with chifon.
Miss Grace Norton—White silk, with green velvet. Miss Edith Norton—Pink silk, with tulle trimming. Mrs. Dr. Hall—Pink silk. Miss Anna Robinson—Blue silk, with

ace trimming. Miss Killam—Yellow dimity.

Miss Farries—Green silk and organ-

Miss Howe-White silk cerise, with velvet trimmings. Mrs. J. Alton Davis—Cream satin. Mrs. W. L. Connell—Pink satin, with lace trimming.

Mrs. C. B. Penman—White satincerise, with velvet trimming.

Mrs. Aubrey Powell—Persian silk

and white lac Miss Anna Cake-Duchesse satin and point lace, diamonds Miss Louise Matthews—White silk and violets, Mrs. Dr. G. E. Hill—Fancy brocade silk with diamonds.

Mrs. Charles S. Seamans—Black Brocade satin with jeweled trimmings.

Miss Annette Henwood—Pink silk, diamond ornaments.

Mrs. I. F. Everhart—Black brocade

and scarlet waist, black lace and jet Miss Clara Hughes-Dresden Organdie over pink silk. Mrs. Charles R. Connell-Pale pink

burg-Mawne silk with pearls.

Mrs. Clara Sinker, Miss Mae K. Keifer, Mrs. W. C. Van Blarcom, Miss Anna R. Brick, Mrs. Will Carr, Miss Mary E. Monies, Miss Emaline Killam, Mrs. A. G. Thomason, Sir W. S. Boyd jr., and wife, Miss Gertrude Zurfliet, Miss Ella Boyd, Miss Anna Boyd, Sir Frank H. Jermyn and wife, Sir George B. Jermyn and wife, Sir Walter M. Jernayn and wife, Miss Jermyn, Mrs. N. Y. Leet, Miss Olive MacIntosh, Mrs. M. R. Walter, Mrs. F. T. Schoen, Mrs. Jacob ter, Mrs. F. T. Schoen, Mrs. Jacob Lotz, Mrs. Dr. Alexander, Mrs. I. F. Everhart, Mrs. Katharine E. Wilcox, Sir C. E. Hill and wife, Miss Louise Brocade satin with pearl trimmings. Mrs. George Kansberg, East Strouds-

had been courteously extended the commandery as a headquarters, were handsomely decorated with palms, plants, Australian pine and creeping plants. The rear porior was reserved for the refreshment tables which were tastefully ornamented with a number of large tardeners filled with assorted Mrs. Dr. Hall, Mrs. B. C. Green, Sir William Darling, Miss Carrie Darling, Mrs. Charles Griffin, Sir L. V. Rausch and wife, Sir W. H. Brutzman, Mrs. William Blume, Miss Carolina R. Bloom, E. Sir William L. Connell and wife, Mrs. Barnard, Miss Connell, E. tastefully ornamented with a number of large jardenieres filled with assorted cut owers. During the hours of the reception, which lasted from 8 o'clock until 11 o'clock, the Sunbury Military band which the commandery brought with it to the city, discoursed music from the main reading room.

The ladies of the auxiliary were beautifully cowned and gractonely received. Sir A. B. Holmes, Sir George B. Hone and wife, E. Sir E. H. Ripple and wife, Miss Florence Richmond, Sir E. A. Bartl and wife, Miss Konecuy, Miss Woeeher, Mrs. Joseph Danner, Mrs. D. T. Swartz, Miss Agnes Nichols, Mrs. John McCracken, Sir Schuyler Gernon and wife, Miss Minnie Gernon, Sir S. E. Davis, M. D., and wife, the Misses Davis, Sir F. L. Martin, Mrs. Livy S. Richards, Miss Martin, E. Sir F. L. Amsden and wife, Miss McComb Mrs. J.

H. Phelps, Mrs. Kay, Miss Josie Phelps, Miss Hand, Sir Ralph H. Grant and wife, eived bouteniers.
The Corinthian Chasseurs command-Mrs. Arthur Thomas, Mrs. Beldon, Miss Bennett, Sir Luther Keller, Sir Charles Miller and wife, Mrs. George Mott, Sir ery, No. 53, of Philadelphia, kept open house in their headquarters at room 288 G. W. Jenkins and wife, Mrs. O. Eshel-man, Mrs J. H. Eshelman, Miss Bertha at the Jermyn last evening until 11 o'clock. Refreshments were served during the evening to visiting Knights and ladies. The commandery is the well-Jenkins, Miss Anna Wells, Miss Alice Evans, Mrs. Gomer Price, Mrs. Frankladies. The commandery is the well-known mounted organization from Quaker City, which attracted considerable attention in the parade yesterday. The Sir Knights with their ladies who lin Powell, E. Sir R. A. Zimmerman and wife, Mrs. M. C. Bertalett, Mrs. E. F. Chamberlain, Mrs. F. W. Hazzard, Mrs. E. D. Silliman, Miss Mabel Ross, Miss Madeline Hazzard, Mrs. Arthur welcomed their visitors were: Gener Frothingham, Miss Frothingham, Sir Frank M. Moyer, Sir J. D. Fer-ber, Sir E. E. Teal, Sir F. D. Brewster, M. D., Sir Willis Kemmerer and wife, Sir F. L. Christian, Sir E. C. Kinsley

Grand Commandery's Morning Secret Session and Afternoon Installation. At 9 o'clock this morning and at

o'clock this afternoon the Grand com mandery members will convene at the Frothingham theater. The morning session is to be secret and will include the election of officers; the afternoon session will witness the semi-public in-stallation of newly elected officers, to which admission may be secured by ticket or Templar emblem.

The ladies of the auxiliary were beau-tifully gowned and graciously received the calling Sir Knights and ladies who attended during the evening to the number of several hundred. The visit-ing ladies were presented with a sou-venir paper cutter in the design of a Templar sword and the gentlemen re-ceived boutenlers.

alissimo H. J. Zeigler, Captain General Henry G. Bruner, P. E. C. Edward Parry; P. E. C. John H. Crankshaw, Sir Edward Taggert, Sir Louis Phil-lips, Sir Seymour Ingals and Sir John and wife, Sir C. Lynde and wife, Mrs. Clara Sinker, Miss Mae K. Keifer, G. Storey.

PROGRAMME FOR TODAY.

Matthews, Sir W. L. Henwood and wife, Sir S. W. Finn and wife, Miss Hattle least that which there has been no

dered a serenade yesterday afternoon by the Bogart band of Hallstead.

E. Sir Frank H. Piatt, of Tunkhannock, is one of the important committee on charters and dispensations.

E. Sir and Rev. Charles M. Stock, of Hanover, the grand prelate, is one of the committee on grievances and appeals. The members of Kadosh commandery of Philadelphia, distributed over 1,000 souvenirs since their arrival Monday night. George W. West, of Phillipsburg, N. J., a Sir Knight of Hugh de Paynes commandery, Easton, is in the job printing business.

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The national flag of "Free Cuba" is displayed by Williams Bros., Lackawanna avenue. Many will be interested to see the patriot's emblem.

Robert L. Barker, of Hospitaler commandery, Lock Haven, is six feet seven and one-half inches tail. He is the tailest Sir Knight in the state.

The Tribune office acknowledges with pleasure the serenades tendered it by the Ninth Regiment band of Wilkes-Barre and the Lawrence band of this city yesterday afternoon.

After the parade the Bogart band of Hallstead marched to Adams avenue and tendered Garrett Bogart, superintendent of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western railroad, a serenade.

Scranton is well represented on the "next place of meeting" committee. R. E. Sir Joseph Alexander, jr., is its chair-



E. SIR JAMES B. YOUNGSON.

Of Pittsburg, Grand Senior Warden. man, and E. Sir Edward P. Kingsbury is one of the five members.

The Ninth Regiment band of Wilkes. Barre-played for a half hour in front of the Spruce street entrance to the Jermyn yesterday afternoon. The applause accorded their selections demonstrated the ability of the organization to maintain its old-time reputation as one of the first-rate sical aggregations of the state.

A large number of visiting Knights with their ladies were taken about the city by a court of Knights delegated for that purpose. According to pre-arranged plans those desiring a sight-seeing tour assembled at the Jermyn shortly after the noon hour. From there about 100 carriages were driven to the various points of interest about the city. Four different parties were shown through the mysteries of a coal mine at the Pine Byook shaft, under direction of Sir Arja Williams. Other parties were shown about the different mills and factories by Sir H. H. Archer. A number of carriages enjoyed the beautiful boulevard drive to Elmhurst. man, and E. Sir Edward P. Kingsbury i

THE CANDID BOY.

Scene on a North Carolina Railroad, Where Lads Scrambled for Coppers.

From Harper's Magazine.

The train drew into a station on the Atlantic Coast line, en route for Jacksonville, and the rear car was immediately besieged by small darkies, clad in rags, and clamoring for a nickel.

"Why don't you boys go to work instead of begging?" asked one of the travelers.

stead of begging?" asked one of the travelers.
"We ain't a beggin'," returned one of the lads; "we's workin'."
"Oh—and what is your businesss?"
"Scramblin'," replied the spokesman, showing a set of teeth beside which the ivory keys of a plano would have seemed like amber.
"Scramblin',? And what is that?" asked the tourist.
"Shoot up a nickel an' you'll see " re-

"Shoot up a nickel an' you'll see," re-plied the spokesman, and the nickel was tossed, and the tourist at once perceived two things first, what scrambling was. and, second, why the rags of a South-ern darky seems to be the raggedest

rags in creation.

After the struggle for the possession of the nickel was over, one of the smaller boys, who looked tired and as pale as

a negro can be asked for another to "sumpin t' eat."
"Something to eat! Why don't you go home and get it?" "Ain't got no home," he replied, his eyes growing wide. "What? No home? Why, where do you sleep?" "Dont' never sleeep," was the answer. The boy received a quarter for his

HERMANN'S CAREER.

The Missing Minister Was Known in in Minneapolis.

in Minneapolis.

Minneapolis, Minn., May 26.—Rev. Frances Hermann, who is so badly wanted in Salt Lake City on suspicion of having caused the death of Henrietta Clawson and Annie Samuelson, is not unknown in Minneapolis. He came here in 1891 and presided over a charge for about six months, after which he removed to West Superior. Meanwhile Hermann, who claimed to have been a widower while in Scotland, had married a Miss Bertha Wangan, of Minneapolis, Shortly afterward Mrs. Hermann proved of unsound miniand it was necessary to send her to an insane asylum. A few hours previous to the time set for her removal there, she suddenly died.

Although circumstances in connection with her death were somewhat suspicious, no action was taken in the matter. A year after this, Hermann wooed and won the hand of Miss Lowen, of lowa, the ceremony being performed in Minneapolis. During this time he was still a resident of West Superior, where he resided until the fall of 1893, a few months after his second marriage. From West Superior he removed to Salt Lake City, Utah, where his second wife died shortly after his removal there.

Chronic Rheumatism Cured. Dr. B. H. Hettinger, Indianapolis, Ind. Dr. B. H. Hettinger, Indianapolis, Ind., says: "For several months after spraining my ankle I was severely afflicted with Rheumatism. I finally tried Detchon's 'Mystle Cure' for Rheumatism, and in 4 days could walk without my cane; two bottles cured me sound and well. I take great pleasure in recommending the 'Mystle Cure' to all who are afflicted with Rheumatism." Sold by Carl Lorenz, Druggist, 418 Lackawanna avenue, Scranton.

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## INTERIOR OF THE FROTHINGHAM DURING THE KNIGHT'S TEMPLAR BALL.

engraved programme, which was handed each lady as she left the theater. It was an enlarged duplicate of the dancing cards used, but was encased in an extra-heavy, kid-finished cover, with a heavily engraved ball announcement on the front, and an embossed red cross contained in an engraved banner on the back cover. The whole was tied with the black and white Templar

Some of the gowns worn were as folows: Mrs. A. J. Connell-Pearl satin trimmed with pearls; diamond ornament.

Mrs. Frank Jermyn—Lavender satin
and Chiffon.

Mrs. Ed. Jermyn—Pink Dresden silk. Mrs. P. S. Page—White silk, pink lace trimmings.
Mrs. George Hallstead—Pink Dresden silk, green velvet trimmings.
Mrs. Clarence Schrerer—White mulle.
Miss Bertha Jenkins—Pink silk with

Chiffon trimmings.
Miss Belin—White silk.
Miss Margaret Gibbs—Blue Chiffon. gold trimming.
Mrs. T. H. Watkins—White satin with pearl trimmings,
Mrs. Gomer Price—White Dresden
silk, green velvet trimming and dia-

monds.
Miss Florence Seybolt—Black satin

Miss Florence Seybolt—Black satin with gold spangles.
Mr. Dr. Leet—Lavender moire with point lace trimmings.
Mrs. Colonel Ripple—Grey silk with white satin trimmings.
Mrs. George Benore—Blue Chiffon.
Mrs. Willis Kemerer—Blue Dresden silk; pearl trimmings; Chiffon.
Miss Arja Williams—Grey silk trimmed with green and Chiffon.
Mrs. Bert Green—White silk trimmed in lace.

Miss Mattle Davis, Thomasville, Ga.

—Light blue silk trimmed with black
Chiffon.

Mrs. Frank Phillips—White mulle and

Mrs. John Burke-Black Chiffon, with diamonds, Miss Lillian M. Bird—Pink silk, Miss Knitner-Swiss and lace. Mrs. George Watson-Gray silk with

Miss Frances Falkenburg-Yellow slik trimmed with violet velvet.

Mrs. Walter L. Henwood—French organdle trimmed over pink slik.

Mrs. Dr. Lewis Alexander—White and pink organdle over white ilk.

Miss Mary E. Monies—White Chiffon.

Mrs. A. G. Thomason-Robins egg blue satin with black veivet trimmings and duchess lace. SOME OF THOSE PRESENT. Following are the names of many who

vere among the Scranton people pres-E. Sir Arja Williams and wife, Mrs. Powell, Sir W. S. Millar, Sir Frank Phillips, Sir W. C. Squires, Miss Hughes, Sir R. J. Foster and wife, Miss Sterling, Miss Foster, Sir E. T. Wheaton and wife, Sir Frederick Beckley and lady, Sir James G. Bailey Beckley and lady, Sir James G. Bailey and wife, Sir G. A. Muller, Mrs. Robert Schimpff, E. Sir R. A. Zimmerman and wife, Sir John Horn, Mrs. Fahrenholt, Miss Fahrenholt, E. Sir F. L. Brown, Mrs. P. S. Page, Sir Myron Kasson and wife, Sir J. S. Swisher and wife, E. Sir E. L. Buck and wife, Sir C. S. Seamans and wife, R. E. Sir Joseph Alexander, jr., and wife, Mrs. C. B. Scott, E. Sir Joseph Danner, Sir Thomas M. Flitcroft and wife, Mrs. W. C. Vanflacor, Sir H. N. Dean, Miss Norton, Miss Mercercau, Sir Robert Williams and wife, Miss Leah Heath, Mrs. C. L. Frey, Sir F. W. Mason, Miss Anna Mason, Miss Howell, Sir George M. Watson and wife, Sir Richard Nape and wife, Mrs. Newton Johnson, Sir Frank Barker and wife, Miss Alice Frank Barker and wife, Miss Alice Barker, Miss Jeanne McKenna, Sir J. ball, and Mrs. George F. Barnard. Sir George B. Jermyn and Mrs. George B. Jermyn and Mrs. Jermyn, and Bir Rufus J. Foster and Mrs. Norman Foster. The dance programme consisted of thirty-six numbers.

No one thing was forgotten which concerned the comfort of dancers and spectators. Two large check rooms were maintained, one on either side of the arcade entrance, while in the theater dressing rooms alert maids attended the tellets of the ladies. The gentlement's smoking and dressing rooms were

Brown, Sir C. L. Van Buskirk and wife, effort to Res 3 seret, will be the report Sir C. R. Connell and wife, Mrs. Cathoric Cobb, Miss Lillie M. Cobb, Mrs. Home of Pennsylvania and the reports Sidney Henwood, Miss Annetta Hen-wood, Mrs. William Connell, Miss Agnes L. Nicol, Mrs. W. B. Kellum, Mrs. John Burke, Mrs. Frances Falken-bury, Miss Jennie Mae Ziegler. Miss Alice Ziegler, Miss Mary A. Davies, Sir J. D. Hackett and wife, Miss Minnie Cowan, Sir A. J. Connell, M. D., and wife, Sir Jacob Hetzel and wife, Sir ers or grand commanders. C. J. Carter and wife, Sir Charles Heuston and wife, Mrs. Weins, Sir T. H.

NIGHT'S RECEPTION.

One in the 1. M. C. A. Parlors and the Other in Hotel Jermyn. One of the most elaborate receptions tendered by any commandery since the arrival of the Knights in the city was the one held by the Clay commandery, No. 36, of Philadelphia, in the left par-lor of the Young Men's Christian Asso-

ciation hall last evening. The recep-tion was to all Knights and was in charge of the Ladies' auxiliary of the charge of the Ladies' auxiliary of the commandery, an organization numbering more than ninety members.

The ladies who are present in the city and presided over the function of last evening are: Mrs. Clippard P. Allen, president; Mrs. William McCoach, second vice president; Mrs. William McCoach, second vice president; Mrs. Edgar McDowell, treasurer; Miss Mary McCune, secretary: Mrs. M. Harmer Brooks, Mrs. David L. Laird, Mrs. George Eller, ir. Mrs. Fred Munch. Mrs. Samuel Y. Mrs. David L. Laird, Mrs. George Eiler, jr., Mrs. Fred Munch, Mrs. Samuel Y. Tomson, Mrs. Louis C. Scheuehle, Mrs. Reuben A. Shetzline, Mrs. Charles W. Miller, Mrs. Samuel T. Evans, Mrs. George Kessler, Mrs. James A. Connelly, Mrs. Daniel Sutter, Mrs. Theodore Drake, Mrs. J. Addison Eberly, Mrs. James W. Baird, Mrs. John W. Martin, Mrs. Harry L. Hinckle, Mrs. Thomas W. Evans, Mrs. Joseph Pollit, Mrs. A. K. Gregory, Mrs. William McIntyre, Mrs. E. V. McCawley, Mrs. Robert McNeil, Mrs. James Henry, Mrs. Fonh G. Vogler, Mrs. Thomas Holt, Mrs. Frank H. Herst, Mrs. A. Y. Hanna, Mrs. James W. Hisward, jr., and Mrs. Edward A. Parker.

BEAUTIFUL DECORATIONS. The left parlors, front and rear, which

place at 10 o'clock and in accordance with the Templar constitution, only members of the Grand commandery o'clock is a most impressive ceremony. The music will be by the boy choir of St. Luke's church, under the direction

of Professor J. Willis Conant and E. Sir Charles B. Derman; and by the Courturier Concert band of Easton. A number of delightful pleasure jaunts have been arranged for the ladies and their escorts. There will be an excursion to the Scranton Lace Cur-tain Manufacturing company's works under escort of the president, Sir John M. Kemmerer. All ladies wishing to go will assemble at the Delaware. Lackawanna and Western station at 9 a. m., where, by courtesy of General Man-ager W. F. Hallstead, a special train will be ready to take them to the fac-tory, a distance of two miles. A drive over the city for visiting ladies and escorts is another pleasure arrange-ment. Carriages will be at Hotel Jer-myn at 2 o'clock. There will also be visits to the mines, steel mills and other points of interest. Parties desiring to visit the mines will assemble at the

visit the mines will assemble at the executive committee headquarters, Frothingham's arcade, 2 p. m., from whence they will be conducted to the Pine Brook Colliery of the Lackawanna Iron and Steel company, at the foot of Penn avenue. Parties will be taken to the steel mills and other points as desired. Executive committee headquarters at Frothingham's arcade is designated as a bureau of information, where all visitors may apply for information con-cerning the above mentioned entertain-ment and all such matters as may be desired.

CONCLAVE NOTES.

It will be R. E. Sir Yohe after today. Grand Commander Spencer is unmar-Mrs. William F. Hallstead was ten-