

CASTLE AND TEMPLE.

Each Order Began Its Annual Sessions Yesterday.

AFTERNOON'S BIG PARADE

In Four Divisions It Traversed the City's Streets.

KNIGHTS AND LADIES ATTEND THE OPEN PUBLIC SESSION AT THE ACADEMY OF MUSIC IN THE MORNING—COMPETITIVE DRILL WON BY ST. MARY'S, OF ALLENTOWN—CRUSH OF PEOPLE AT THE BALL AND SUPPER AT THE SCRANTON BICYCLE CLUB HOUSE, GRAND CHIEF HUNSICKER RECOMMENDS DISCIPLINE FOR OFFENDING MEMBERS.



GRAND CHIEF F. P. HUNSICKER, The Most Eminent Active Officer of the Pennsylvania Grand Castle.

President McKinley was remembered at yesterday morning's opening session of the Grand Castle of Pennsylvania, Knights of the Golden Eagle. The following message was started over the telegraph wires at noon:

The Grand Castle of Pennsylvania, Knights of the Golden Eagle, in annual session convened, sends greeting to President McKinley expressing the confidence of its members in the righteousness of our cause in making war upon the enemies of humanity.

Our order inculcates the teachings of the Saviour of mankind, the Fatherhood of God and the Brotherhood of Man, and we therefore tender our earnest sympathy and approval to you personally, to the congress of the United States, and to those in authority directing the conduct of this crusade against the oppression of the weak and downtrodden.

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A CAUSTIC COMMENT. It will be seen that the letter virtually offered a threat that, if I did not appoint Past Chief Walker, on a committee, the votes of his castle would be given to another candidate.

I submit this matter to you, hoping you will give such expression as will deter others from offering such threats and insults to your grand chiefs in the future. I have also to complain of the tactics adopted by the above named association, or its members, who have traversed the state, visiting castles and spreading discord, destroying that harmony which has existed up to this year.

The grand chief asks that action be taken in the case of Crescent castle, No. 98, of Philadelphia, for issuing a circular letter to members of the order asking their support of Past Grand

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SICK HEADACHE, FEMALE COMPLAINTS, BILIOUSNESS, INDIGESTION, DYSPEPSIA, CONSTIPATION, AND ALL DISORDERS OF THE LIVER

Observe the following symptoms, resulting from diseases of the digestive organs: Constipation, inward piles, fullness of blood in the head, acidity of the stomach, nausea, heartburn, disgust of food, fullness of weight of the stomach, sour eructations, sinking or fluttering of the heart, choking or suffocating sensations, dizziness, yellowness of the skin and eyes, pain in the side, chest, limbs and sudden flushes of heat, burning in the feet.

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Chief Davis Casselberry, of Pennsylvania castle, No. 14, for the post of grand master of records. Five thousand copies were distributed. Chief Hunsicker refers to the matter as follows: "I desire to draw your attention to Section 13, Article IX, of the constitution, which states that such circulations are wrong and improper, as they would cause elections to degenerate to the worst features of political campaigns, and I have no hesitation in saying that the methods complained of herein were of the lowest possible political type."

It was 10:30 o'clock when the opening session of the Academy of Music, of Music, Seldom has any organization met in a more lavishly decorated hall in Scranton. The balcony and gallery railings, proscenium walls and every other spot on which colors could be displayed to advantage were covered, draped or hung with the stars and stripes and nation's colors of red, white and blue.

MANY LADIES PRESENT. Knights and spectators occupied the seats on the main floor. The front rows of the balcony chairs were reserved for members of the Grand Temple, Ladies of the Golden Eagle. The Allentown band, one of the three best organizations of the kind in the state, was stationed on the main floor near the stage. Its several selections contributed largely to the pleasure of the session.

On the stage were the elective and appointive grand officers and local past chiefs and members of the general committee. Past Chief Henry Geiss, chairman of the reception committee, presided as master of ceremonies. After a selection by the band, six speeches, two each being of welcome and respect to the Academy of Music, were made by the grand officers and members of the general committee. Past Chief Henry Geiss, chairman of the reception committee, presided as master of ceremonies.

MR. TOBIN'S RESPONSE. Past Grand Chief L. H. Tobin, of Philadelphia, made an eloquent response. At no time he said had the country been more in need of the sterling principles of patriotism and of the uplifting of humanity taught by the order. He felt sure that the Knights individually and collectively would to a man be found ready to respond to any call in defense of their country.

Judge H. M. Edwards happily began his address by a running sally of humor in reference to the Ladies. He extended greetings from the county. It was fitting, he said, that as a county official that he should bear witness to the good influence of the church and patriotic societies upon our government. He considered these two kinds of institutions the country's greatest safeguards. The upholding of the law, he said, did not rest wholly with the court; the court and the law were only a check, a restrainer; the observance



GEORGE M. OKELL, Chairman of the Local Grand Committee of Arrangements.

of the law depended on the tone of the people. Such organizations as that of the Golden Eagle tended toward better citizenship.

Judge Edwards paid an eloquent compliment to the sentiment expressed in the words "golden rule" and "eagle." He concluded with a witty invitation to "partake" within certain limits and assured the visitors that everything was open to them, the doors of the county jail excepted.

The response and concluding address was by Past Chief J. McKinley, of Philadelphia. The substance of his remarks was highly patriotic. After thanking the local committee and Knights he entered upon a laudation of the order's benevolent stimulation of moral and mental culture, its avoidance of sectarian and political controversy and its purpose to uplift mankind.

TELEGRAPHED TO PRESIDENT. Mr. McKinley read the resolutions endorsing the present war and moved their adoption. They were carried by a rising vote and were ordered telegraphed to President McKinley. From the beginning to the end of the meeting each patriotic reference brought forth great applause.

THE SELFISH BRAIN.

How It Robs the Stomach and What Follows the Robbery.

According to Dr. Quincey, the supreme prize in life is the union of a fine intellect and a healthy stomach. Why this combination of blessings is so rare is easy to see. The brain is selfish and the more active it is, the more blood it takes from the stomach. That the stomach may need the blood for the digestion of a rough, indigestible dinner makes no difference to the brain. Hence so many clever men are more or less dyspeptic, and some of them say, with Alexander Pope, "my life is a long disease."



HARRY P. REINICKE, Lieutenant General of the Military Branch of the Order.

Following was the marshal and the staff, who headed the second division of Grand castle representatives: Marshal, C. A. Shunkwiler, of Reedsville; chief of staff, G. W. Sherr, of Norristown; aids, W. H. Bearstler, of Pottsville; J. M. Babl, of Reading; H. B. Groman and A. F. Gibbons, of Philadelphia; F. H. Jackson, of Bryn Mawr; H. F. Schlater, of Cold Point; M. F. Harley, of Berwyn; Marks Heilman, of Pottstown.

The organizations and individuals in line were as follows: First Division—Grand castle and national military officers in carriages and mounted; Allentown band and St. Mary's commandery, No. 7, of Allentown; Harmony commandery, No. 29, of Harrisburg; Williamsport commandery.

Second Division—Lawrence band, of Scranton, and representatives of the grand castle; grand officers in carriages; members of the grand temple, Ladies of the Golden Eagle, in thirty-three carriages.

Third Division—Guth's band, of Scranton, and Dorian castle, No. 27, of Philadelphia; Taylor Cornet band and Taylor castle, No. 49, of Nanticoke.

Fourth Division—Citizens' band and John Star castle, No. 18, of Scranton; John Wesley castle, No. 39, of Pottsville; Henry Clay castle, No. 27, of Oliphant; Bristol band and Moltke castle, No. 28, of Scranton; Citizens' band, of Pottsville, and Augusta castle, No. 38, of Scranton; Clyde Park castle, No. 26, of Scranton; Electric Star band, of Clark's Summit, and Hoarston castle, No. 14, of Scranton; Electric City castle, No. 25, of Scranton.

The route was north on Washington avenue, to Mulberry, to Wyoming, to Lackawanna, to Franklin, counter-march to Adams, to Spruce, to Jefferson, to Pine, to Washington, to Spruce street where the parade was dismissed.

REVIEWING PARTY. Three carriages contained the party who reviewed the marches from a point in front of the fountain in Court House square on Washington avenue. In one carriage was the following military staff of the National Military Branch: Lieutenant General H. P. Reinicke, Assistant Adjutant General E. S. Johnson, Colonel A. C. Lytle and Color Sergeant E. C. Absalom, all of Philadelphia. Standing in another carriage were Past Chief L. H. Tobin, Grand Chief F. P. Hunsicker, Grand Master of Records J. D. Barnes and Grand Vice Chief W. H. Pelly. In the third vehicle were Grand Sir Herald C. H. Webster, Grand Keeper of Exchequer H. C. Gearhart, Grand High Priest D. Gary Lewis and Grand First Guardsman George C. Stahl.

Of the reviewers the only one who did not salute the commandery and castle committees was the pastor of the military staff. Their chaplains were raised, however, in deference to each national flag carried by a color bearer.

Immediately following the parade the competitive drills were held on Vine street in front of the high school building. The smooth asphalt pavement and a big open space furnished splendid facilities for the drilling. Strong ropes had been stretched across the street in two places and along the curbing. This precaution and the presence of a number of policemen in charge of Acting Chief Gurrell and Sergeant Dieter kept a big crowd of spectators in check.

Two commanderies competed. They were St. Mary's, No. 7, of Allentown, and Harmony, No. 29, of Harrisburg. Each organization drilled with four sets of men in the ranks and officers to the total number of twenty-one. In command of the former were Captain H. E. Mullen, First Lieutenant Emanuel Rhinehart and Second Lieutenant C. T. Schenck. The Harmony officers were Captain D. A. Smith, First Lieu-

tenant R. A. Vordman and Second Lieutenant E. L. Reinfried.

JUDGES OF DRILL. Colonel F. L. Hitecock, Captain James E. L. Dyer, H. N. Dunbar, none of them a member of the order, were the judges. With no hint from them it was plain that St. Mary's commandery would be declared the winner. The precision, accuracy and speed of the command was pronounced far above the average of organized military companies.

St. Mary's was declared the winner of the first prize, \$150, by Colonel Hitecock, who spoke for the committee from the platform during the progress of the exercises. At the Scranton Bicycle club house, The Harmony commandery's second prize was \$80.

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DR. E. GREWER

Old Post-Office Building, Cor. Spruce St., and Penn Ave., Scranton, Pa. I was returned from his Western Trip, and will now remain permanently in this city.

THE DOCTOR IS A GRADUATE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA, FORMERLY DEMONSTRATOR OF PHYSIOLOGY AND SURGERY AT THE MEDICO-SURGICAL COLLEGE AT PHILADELPHIA. HIS SPECIALTIES ARE CHRONIC NERVOUS AFFECTIONS, CATARRHS OF THE UTERUS, WOUNDS AND BLOOD DISEASES.

The doctor and his staff of English and German physicians make a specialty of all forms of Chronic Nervous Diseases, Hysteria, Womb, Blood Diseases, etc.

Including Epileptic Fits, Convulsions, Migraine, St. Vitus' Dance, Wakefulness.

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Persons to Whom the Thanks of the Management Are Due. The following are the April donations received at the Home for the Friendless with the utmost gratitude:

Miss Frances Winton, books and games; Mrs. Wesley Pinnell, fruit, Rohlmann's bakeries, valuable gifts of linen, etc.; a friend, Mrs. C. C. Rose, clothing; F. L. Terpe, medicines; Mrs. D. E. Taylor, flowers; Mrs. R. B. Williams, fruit, jelly, flowers; Master Willie Connel, Easter gifts; Mrs. Ellen Shauger, fruit; Mrs. H. V. Seeley, ten dozen eggs; Mrs. G. D. Taylor, Robert and Mary McClave, Mrs. John Genger, Mrs. William Blume, Mrs. W. Watson, Mrs. N. Y. Lee, Mrs. E. L. Fuller, flowers; Mrs. R. J. Bennett, salad, sandwiches, etc.; Mrs. E. B. Sturges, toys; Mrs. L. A. Arnold, Mrs. Walter Greaves, Mrs. Ray Carter, Mrs. Berry, Mrs. Ella Willard, Mrs. Gless, Mrs. Nellie Colver, Mrs. Myers, Mrs. Stenner, Mrs. Confield, Mrs. Shaw, Mrs. Harvey, Mrs. Roth, Mrs. Martha, Mrs. H. H. Hens, Mrs. Wrightson, Mrs. Daws, Mrs. Hess, and Mrs. Vickers.

At the BANQUET. The music was by Lawrence orchestra. The supper in the banquet room on the second floor was served at tables to one hundred persons at a sitting.

This will be a busy day for representatives of the Scranton Bicycle club as for members of castles and temples not eligible to attend the sessions of the advanced organizations. There will be a picnic and reunion at Nay Aug Falls throughout the day, beginning at 9 o'clock this morning. It has been arranged by local castle and temple committees.

Business sessions of the Grand castle will be held in the Academy of Music from 9 to 12 and from 2 to 5 o'clock, during the same hours sessions of the Grand temple will be held in Andent Order United Workmen hall. At the Grand castle's evening session there will be an exemplification of the three degrees.

NEW SUBMARINE WONDER. It is a Boat Said to Be Owned by the Spanish Government. Mr. C. F. D. Pratt, of Dunmore, has received from his mother, who is in Portsmouth, England, a letter dated April 25, which speaks of the presence of Spanish war vessels in the English Channel. He notes the fact that Rev. M. Watkins, a son of Captain Watkin of the Paris (now the Yale) had offered prayers in All Saints' church, London, of which he is pastor, for his father's safety. The letter is especially noteworthy inasmuch as it is evidence that English sentiment is in full sympathy with the American cause.

Accompanying the letter was a clipping from the Portsmouth Mail of April 26, describing an alleged extraordinary submarine instrument which Spain had just bought from an English syndicate and which in the Mail's judgment was calculated to do great damage in naval warfare. The instrument is thus described: The submarine Worker is a large steel sphere, belted and studded so as to be able to resist all sea pressure at prac-