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V. E. ‡	Sir Knight Frederick J. Menet.
V. E. ‡	" James Moffatt.
E. ‡	" James O'Connor.
V. E. ‡	" Henry Robertson.
V. E. ‡	" James Seymour.
V. E. ‡	" W. B. Simpson.
E. ‡	" A. G. Smyth.
V. E. ‡	" Daniel Spry.
E. ‡	" George Watson.

The Sir Knights having arranged themselves under their respective banners, and formed the Arch of Steel, the V. E. ‡ Sir Knight W. B. Simpson, Provincial Grand Prior, preceded by the Great Officers and Officers, entered in procession, and was received thereunder, and having assumed the Throne, expressed the deep regret with which he made, as he was sure they would receive the announcement, that severe indisposition prevented the V. H. and E., the Great Prior, from being present. A constitutional number of Preceptories being represented by their qualified officers, the National Great Priory was opened in ample form at 12 o'clock, noon.

The Grand Chancellor reported from the Attendance Register the presence of Members and Representatives of duly warranted Preceptories in the several Provinces or Districts, as follows :—

PROVINCE OR DISTRICT OF ONTARIO (EAST).

HUGH DE PAYENS, KINGSTON.

E. Sir Knight ‡ Donald Ross E. Preceptor.

KING BALDWIN, BELLEVILLE.

V. E. Sir Knight ‡ Lawrence H. Henderson Past E. Preceptor.

GONDEMAR, MAITLAND.

Sir Knight ‡ John Moore Constable.