

ballotted for and accepted, of which the Registrar shall notify him. The Fee for Installation must be first paid, for which his proposer shall be held responsible. And this Encampment shall not act upon the petition of any Candidate, whose residence is nearer to some other Encampment, without first making reference thereto as to the character and standing of the petitioner, and the information received shall be read by the Registrar before the ballot is taken.

## IX.

The following *Declaration* must be signed by every Knight desirous of *joining* this Encampment, and read by the Registrar at the time of proposition, viz. :—

*To the Eminent Commander, the Knights-Officers, and Knights-Companions of the William de la More The Martyr Encampment of Masonic Knights Templar and of Malta, Quebec, Canada, held under the Banner of the Grand Conclave of the Royal, Exalted, Religious, and Military Order of Masonic Knights Templar and of Malta in England and Wales :*

I

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do by my

Knighthood declare that I was on the day of  
A.D. 18 , duly installed a Knight of the Royal,  
Exalted, Religious, and Military Order of Masonic  
Knights Templar and of Malta,, in the  
Encampment at under the Jurisdic-  
tion of and was last a Member