

Canada is passed under review at Hamilton, 1898, and extracts made from the Grand Master's address and Correspondence report. The former he terms a "well prepared paper" and the latter "an excellent review."

Sir Knight Chase reviews all the various Jurisdictions, but enters into discussion with none of the corps.

We would respectfully suggest to the Grand Recorder that his list of Grand Recorders requires a little revising as regards Canada. The Executive Officer of the Sovereign Great Priory is the "Grand Chancellor. Canada receives more than her share, being allotted two places in the list.

Membership, 405 ; gain, 11.

Walter E. Storm, Wilmington, Grand Commander.
Horace H. Munson, Wilmington, Grand Recorder.

NORTH DAKOTA—1898.

Ninth Annual, Fargo, June 6th,

The proceedings of this jurisdiction did not come to hand last year, but we have them for this year's review.

R. Em. Sir Knight John D. Black, Grand Commander, presided over the Ninth Annual Conclave. He reported peace and harmony and had granted a dispensation for the formation of a new Commandery. Sir Knight Frank J. Thompson is an energetic Recorder. In his report he thinks the time has gone by when the members of the Order of the Temple can sit down and say to those eligible, "come in or stay out as you please, it makes no difference," for "there are too many other Orders extending encouragement to those who are seeking fraternal affiliation." He thinks many true and tried men would unite with the Order if the proper encouragement were given them.

No report on Correspondence,

Membership, 449 ; net increase, 14.

Theo. F. Branch, Jamestown, Grand Commander.
Frank J. Thompson, Fargo, Grand Recorder.