

OBJECTS

THE OBJECTS OF THIS ORDER SHALL BE

TO PROMOTE habits of Total Abstinence in its members and in society, and by all lawful methods to limit and destroy the traffic in alcoholic beverages.

TO RECLAIM those who have become victims of appetite to lives of sobriety and virtue.

TO PROVIDE Sick and Insurance Benefits by which the families of this Order may be comforted in bereavement and distress, and saved from penury and want.

TO DEMONSTRATE to all the physical advantages of Total Abstinence by showing that total abstainers have fewer attacks of and make more rapid recovery from sickness, are less liable to accident, and enjoy longer life than non-abstainers.

TO EXEMPLIFY a spirit of FRATERNITY which shall care for the sick and visit the widow and the fatherless in their affliction, and help one another in social and business life as occasion may offer.

TO CULTIVATE a high sense of HONOR in all our dealings, and a chivalrous regard for the PURITY that should characterize the relation of the sexes, recognizing that the law of Purity is equally binding upon man and woman.

TO EVER RECOGNIZE IMMANUEL as the Captain, Commander and Counsellor of the Royal Templar, and do nothing in our Fraternal relations unworthy of His Leadership.