

bright. I have no doubt that with returning prosperity the Templar Order in Canada will show good and solid progress. However it is quality, not quantity that we require to keep our beloved order on such a pedestal that all will respect and admire it. By being true to our obligations and principles, by living up to its beautiful teachings, we shall not only do honor to the order and ourselves, but attract the best and the noblest of our fellow men. By allowing no petty jealousies to appear in our midst, by everyone striving for the best interests of Templarism we will not only

“Command success,
But we'll do more, we will deserve it.”

Very fraternally,

‡ WILL H. WHYTE,
Deputy Grand Master.

Moved by M. E. Sir Knight E. T. Malone, seconded by R. E. Sir Knight C. F. Mansell, and

RESOLVED.—That the report of the Deputy Grand Master be referred to the Grand Council for action thereon.

PROVINCIAL PRIORS' REPORTS.

LONDON DISTRICT.

To the Sovereign Great Priory of Canada :

SIR KNIGHTS,—At the Annual Assembly of Great Priory held in Toronto in September, 1894, I had the honor of being elected to the important position of Provincial Prior of this district. I now beg to submit a brief report on the condition of Templary in this district. I have had the pleasure of visiting all the Preceptories under my charge, in some instances several times. My first official visit was made to Richard Cœur de Lion, No. 4, London, on the 12th of December, accompanied by R. E. Sir Knight Dubber, and met with a most cordial welcome. This Preceptory is flourishing and its progress is rapid ; work every meeting. V. E. Sir Knight Norris, the Presiding Preceptor, is well skilled and perfect in his knowledge of the ritual, and is ably supported by his staff of officers, not excluding past officers. Their style of conferring the degrees