

We append the description of the P. G. C.'s Jewel. The colored lithograph shows it to be very beautiful, but the design is incorrect, according to the rules of Heraldry:—

The Maltese Cross is bright yellow gold, richly hand-chased in leaves and flowers on the arms. The legend *In Hoc Signo Vinces* is raised in block letters. An olive wreath richly wrought in green gold, encircles a black onyx cross, in the centre of which is set a brilliant diamond of one carat weight.

The reverse is left plain for an appropriate inscription. The jewel is suspended by gold links from a bar of yellow gold handsomely chased and ornamented. On the bar rests the coat of arms of Michigan wrought out in gold of several shades; green, yellow, red and white—the American Eagle surmounting the shield in the State Arms.

Over all a bar of yellow gold chased and ornamented to correspond with the lower bar, holds a ribbon in colors of cherry and gold, to which the arms and yellow bar are attached. The words "Grand Commandery," in raised block letters appear on the bars.

Sir Kt. Wm. P. Innes, of Grand Rapids, is Grand Recorder.

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The Annual Conclave of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of the State of New Hampshire, was held in the city of Concord, Tuesday, September 30th, 1879. Sir Kt. Albert S. Wait, R. E. Grand Commander.

Seven Commanderies represented.

We extract the concluding sentence of the Grand Commander's address:—

Connected with the Masonic institution, the Order of the Temple, as in the periods of its early history, has come to occupy a position of prominence in modern times. So long as it maintains the high character for moral worth it at present bears, it will continue to hold a prominent rank in the acceptation of the social world, and will bear an honorable part in giving it direction. But the moral instincts of