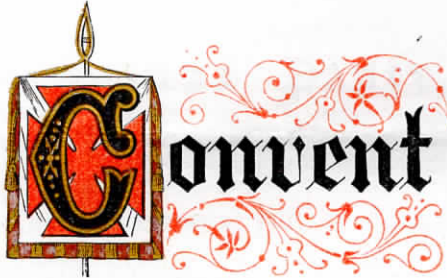




Patron, Her Most Gracious Majesty The Queen.
His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales, K.G., K.P., &c., &c.,
Grand Master.



of the United Religious and Military Orders of the Temple
and of St. John of Jerusalem, Palestine, Rhodes, and Malta.

You are hereby summoned, together with such Knights as shall
be entitled to be present, to attend

A Convent General,

to be holden at The Freemasons' Hall, Molesworth Street, Dublin,
on Friday, the 30th day of October next, at Four o'clock, prompt
time.

The Convent General will be opened in ample form.
The Master K. L. will be called by the Arch-Registrar.
The Minutes of the last Convent General will be read.
A Motion will be made that the Minutes are correctly recorded.
The Arch-Treasurer will be elected.
The Auditors will be elected.
Motions pursuant to notice will be made.
A Motion will be made for a Grant for Expenses.
Notices of Motion for the next Convent General will be given.

The Banquet will take place at the Freemasons' Hall, Molesworth Street, Dublin, at
Seven o'clock, prompt time. Tickets One Guinea.

Dinner will be provided for those Knights only whose applications for Tickets shall
have been received at least three days previous to the Meeting, vizt.—Tuesday, the 27th
of October.

Done in Dublin, this 9th day of October, A.L. 5878, A.O. 756, A.D. 1874.

J. F. Townshend, LL.D.,

Arch-Chancellor.

Convent General.

30TH OCTOBER, 1874.

Agenda Paper.

The Convent General will be opened in ample form.

The Arch-Registrar will call the master roll.

The Minutes of the last Convent General will be read.

A motion that the Minutes are correctly recorded will be made.

The following notices of motion given at the Special Grand Conclave on 9th May, 1873, will be moved:—

Proposed by Sir Knight Captain Philips.
Seconded by Sir Knight General H. Clerk:—

“That, as past rank is abolished for the future, a Cross of Merit be instituted, to be conferred upon those Knights who have served the Order well, and may be recommended for the same by their Provincial Prior.”

Proposed by the Earl of Limerick, Great Prior of England and Wales.—Seconded by Sir Knight Major S. H. Clerke, Sub-Prior :—

“ That the Grand Master be empowered to appoint foreign Knights of distinction Knights Grand Cross and Commanders, such appointments not to be reckoned in the number of those honours respectively limited to each Nation by the Statutes.”

The Arch-Treasurer will be elected.

The Auditors will be elected.

The Convent General will be closed in ample form.

J. F. TOWNSHEND, LL.D.,

ARCH-CHANCELLOR.

United Orders of the Temple and Malta.

IN respect for the memory of the late Great Prior of Ireland, SIR KNIGHT HIS GRACE THE DUKE OF LEINSTER, who departed this life on the 10th of October inst., all Knights meeting in their Preceptories, Great Priories, or Convent General, are requested to wear Mourning for the space of Three months.

The Arch-Chancellor of the Order has directed that the Knights of the United Orders should be apprised that in consequence of the very recent death of the late Great Prior of Ireland, the Banquet intended to be given after the Meeting of the Convent General on 30th October instant will not take place. The Arch-Chancellor trusts that the good feeling of the Brethren of the Order will excuse and approve the step which he has thus felt bound to take in the absence of His Royal Highness the Grand Master.

By Order,

J. LAMBERT SIM,

Sub-Marshal.

15, PORTUGAL STREET,
LINCOLN'S INN, LONDON.

October, 1874.

Hilts of Swords and Jewels to be covered with Crape, and a Crape Scarf to be substituted for the Riband.

It is particularly requested that this form may be filled up and returned as directed, on or before the 23rd of October, 1874.

EMINENT SIR KNIGHT,

In reply to the Summons received from the Arch-Chancellor, I beg to state—

* [or not.] That I do* _____ intend to be present at the Convent General, on Friday, the 30th of October, 1874.

* [or not.] That I shall* _____ be present at the Banquet at the FREEMASON'S HALL, Molesworth Street, Dublin.

Yours fraternally,

Name in full.

Address in full.

Rank in Preceptory.
[Put Name of Preceptory.]

1874.

To

THE SUB-MARSHAL.