

as possible the expenditure on matters which are not of pressing importance, and it has therefore been suggested that, in the circumstances the Musicians' Company might be disposed to present a copy of the publication in question to the Council. If the Company could see its way to do this, I can assure you that the Committee would greatly appreciate the gift. I may say that both the Carpenters' Company and the Drapers' Company have recently very kindly presented the Council with copies of their published works.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant

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Dear Sir,

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I am in receipt of your letter of the 21st inst, and have much pleasure in sending you herewith a copy of the Company's last Hans Book, for the use of the Council's Library.

I trust the Book may be found of public interest and I am sure my Lord will feel it a privilege to have been able to comply with your request and