

fund which might be available to help all Musicians whether they were Members of the Company or not

Sir Frederick Bridge pointed out that the Royal Society of Musicians had large funds to help Musicians generally and he did not think any part of the proposed fund should be available for assisting persons other than those connected with the Company. The Master was also of this opinion and said he was quite prepared to contribute and after further discussion on the proposition of Mr Edgar, seconded by Mr Hunter it was unanimously resolved that a Committee be appointed to consider the advisability of forming a Benevolent Fund. And on the proposition of Sir Frederick Bridge seconded by Mr Hunter it was resolved that the Committee should consist of the Master and Wardens Sir Frederick Bridge the Treasurer (Mr J. C. Colford) ^{Mr F. Harwood Teacher} Sir Homewood Crawford and Messrs A. H. Littleton A. J. Hill and G. B. Edgar

Mr Hill stated that he had received a letter from Mr J. Meade Falkner a Liveryman of the Company enclosing a cheque for £21 as a contribution towards the proposed fund and it was arranged that Mr Hill should hold the money for the present

Marching Song

In the unavoidable absence of Sir Homewood Crawford the Senior Warden proposed that the best thanks of the Master Wardens and Court of Assistants be accorded to Colonel A. G. Balfour and Captain A. J. Shelton M. V. O. of Kneller Hall for the immense trouble taken by them to secure an adequate and successful performance of the Soldiers Marching Song by Captain W. de Courcy Shelton late R.A. and performed for the first time before the Court of the Company and its Guests at Stationers Hall on the

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