

consider the proposed increase with power to act.

The Hon W. W. Astor
The Hon F. D. L. Astor

On the proposition of the Master seconded by Past Master A. F. Hill the Hon. William Waldorf Astor and the Hon. Francis David Langhorne Astor were unanimously elected to the Freedom and Livery of the Company.

Bennett Memorial

The clerk read a letter relating to the Memorial to the late Dr. G. J. Bennett (Past Master). Resolved that a donation of £5-5-0 be made.

Ground Rents

The clerk read a letter from Messrs Healey & Baker asking if the Company's ground rents were now for sale. The clerk was instructed to reply in the negative.

The following accounts were passed for payment:-

City Press - Subscription £ - 13-0

Clerk - Salary and Disbursements £ 38- 1- 6

Beadle's Salary £ 6- 11- 3

Stationers Company - Hire of Hall £ 12- 10- 0

Buzzards Ltd. - St. Cecilia cake £ 1- 1- 0

Waterhouse & Co. - Fees and disbursements, re
Income Tax on Collard Fellowship } £ 24- 18- 0

Ede & Ravenscroft - Storage & Hire of Gowns £ 7- 3- 0

Carnegie Scholarship

The clerk reported that Mr. Arthur George Haley was recommended for the Carnegie Scholarship at the Guildhall School of Music. The recommendation was accepted. On the proposition of Sir Hugh Allen it was resolved that the Guildhall School of Music should be requested to make future nominations at a longer interval before the Court and that the practice should be revived of having