

At a Court of Assistants of the Worshipful
Company of Musicians held at the Half Moon Tavern
Gracechurch Street on Wednesday the 0th day of January 1800

Present

- M^r Gough Master
- M^r Huson Upper warden
- M^r Crofs Renter warden
- M^r Chivow M^r Moore
- M^r Rutter M^r Steele
- M^r Harrop M^r Robinson
- M^r Wadd M^r Smith
- M^r Ashley

The Minutes of the last Court were read
and confirmed.

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Paid 12 Gentlemen of the Court 5/each . 3 .. 0 .. 0

Received of Tho^s Wood one of the persons } 15 .. 17 .. 6
 applied to by the Clerk, his Livery & Stewards fines

Answers were received from the following persons
requiring payment of their Livery & Stewards fines. viz.

Mr Betts . One year allowed in which he will take
it up if able .

John Gwillim excused sine die
Tho^s Gwillim . D^o - D^o

James Longman Bank, stated he was a Clerk
there, that he was not in business, nor likely to be,
therefore the elective Franchise would be of little use to
him - but the Court not considering that a sufficient
reason - directed application to be made accordingly

David Cäke excused sine die

John Hayes excused till better able

Tho: Tabor excused till next Court

Christ: Heaps. - D. -

Motion made & carried that M: Whittell write as
Solicitor to the Company to

M: Mullett

Billinghursts

Succraft

Farlow .

} For Stewards fines

and the remainder of the persons who have not noticed
the last application .

A Memorial was presented by M: Smith
addressed to this Court, signed William Goode, Deputy
Chairman, in the name of the Committee of the Association
for the relief of the Poor of the City of London and parts adjacent
soliciting the patronage and support of the Court, and being
read was ordered to lie on the Table .

At a Court of Assistants of the Worshipful
company of Musicians held at Guild Hall
on Wednesday 9 July 1800.

Present

Mr J Gough Master

Mr W. Mason Upper Warden

Mr Givens

Mr. Ria

Mr Weston

Mr Wadd

Mr Key

Mr Steel

Mr Robinson

Mr Hardy

Mr Smith

Alderman Watson

The Minutes of the last Court were read
& confirmed. & also the Minutes of the
2nd of April.

A Motion was made second & carried
that the Minutes made on the 2nd
of April be entered — viz^t.

Present

Mr J Gough Master

Mr W. Mason Upper Warden

Mr Hanop

Mr Robinson

Mr Wadd

Mr Steel

Mr Key

The Clerk reported that James Longman

of the Bank persisted in declining the
payment of his fines; and that
William Seecroft, also of the Bank,
declined the same pleading his age 70
Two Gentlemen were paid 5^l. each,
M. B. not being able to make a
Court, adjourned, sine die.

Continuation of the 2nd July

~~Paid 12 Gent. 5 each 3. 0. 0~~

The Death of Mr Whittell late Clerk
to this Company being reported,

Resolved, that a Court be held on
Wed July 16. for the purpose of electing
a Successor whose Salary shall during
the pleasure of the Court be Twenty
pounds a year for doing the business
of the Company as usual

A Motion was made by Mr Waddell
seconded by Mr Mison and carried
the affirmative that the Beadle in
future be allowed Five Guineas
in lieu of collecting of the Livery
the usual Annual Livery Dinner.

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Mem. ordered for

Livery & Steward ✓ Gen. Poole of Palgrave Place
 Steward attended & paid his
 Livery & Steward's fine — 15.17.6

Livery & Steward ✓ John Truman Bishopsgate
 within attended & paid his
 Livery & Steward's fine — 15.17.6

Free Redemption ✓ James Manning Chelsea
 Street purchased his Freedom
 & paid his Livery & Steward's fine — 18.16 —

Free Redemption ✓ Daniel Wood Totten Square Genl.
 purchased his Freedom & paid
 his Livery & Steward's fine — 18.16 —

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Paid 12 Gns of the Court 3 —

Paid J. M. M. M. M. M. M.
 Livery — 1 —

Ment. ordered for

Unanimously agreed that the Annual Court
 shall be held at Cannonbury House on Monday
 the 21st instant, for 90 at 5¹/₂ o'clock & 1¹/₂ desert, at
 4 o'clock.

At a Court of Assistants of the Worshipful
Company of Musicians held at Guildhall
London on Wednesday the 16th day of July

1800
Present

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| Mr. Gough | Master |
| Mr. Huson | Upper Warden |
| Mr. Hardy | Mr. Steele |
| Mr. Chivers | Mr. Ellis |
| Mr. Pica | Mr. Robinson |
| Mr. Wadd | Mr. Smith |
| Mr. Weston | & |
| Mr. Hey | Mr. Ashley |
| Mr. Moore | |

The Minutes of the last Court were read
and confirmed

A Motion was made by Mr. Wadd and seconded
by Mr. Chivers that the Election by Ballot for
a clerk be dispensed with, there being but
one Candidate

Henry Woodthorpe
Elected Clerk

The Court accordingly proceeded to the Election
of a clerk for the remainder of the present year
in the room of Mr. Thomas Whittell deceased
when Mr. Henry Woodthorpe being nominated
was unanimously elected.

Free
of Serv.

Samuel King late Apprentice of John
Mackenzie Citizen and Musician for 7 years
from 17th November 1777 was this day
admitted to the Freedom of this Company
of Servitude and sworn

Corner of Widegate Street
Bishopsgate, Bilman.

Livery & Steward

Samuel King also paid his Livery & Stewards
Fines 15. 17. 6

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Richard Slater, son of Thomas Slater late
of Ashby de la Zouche in the County of Leicester
Timber Merchant deceased, was this day admitted
to the Freedom of this Company of redemption
and sworn
No. 61. Newgate Street, Linen Draper.

Paid 13 Gentlemen of the Court 5^s each - £ 3. 5. 0

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At a Court of Assistants of the Worshipful
Company of Musicians held at Guildhall on
Wednesday the 8th day of October 1800.

Present

M ^r Gough	.....	Master
M ^r Huson		
M ^r Crofs	}	Wardens
M ^r Hardy	.....	Treasurer
M ^r Rice	.....	M ^r Steele
M ^r Wadd	.....	M ^r Robinson
M ^r Key	.....	M ^r Smith

M^r Ashley.

Livery & Steward

The Minutes of the last Court were read and confirmed.

Free
& Servitude

The Court proceeded to elect Officers for the Year ensuing, there being in nomination for Master . . . M^r Huson

M^r Crofs

Free
& Servitude

and M^r Huson was unanimously elected.

Upper Warden

M^r Crofs

M^r Smith

Free
& Servitude

and M^r Crofs was unanimously elected

Renter Warden

M^r Smith

M^r Ashley

Livery & Steward

and M^r Smith was unanimously elected

The new elected Master & Wardens were sworn

Free
& Servitude

Clerk

M^r Henry Woodthorpe

Beadle

James Stampor Messenger

Committee

Master and Wardens with M^r Hardy, M^r Rice,
M^r Wadd and M^r Steele and M^r Gough.

M^r Hardy desired to resign the Office of
Treasurer.

A Motion was made by M^r Warden Cross and seconded
by M^r Smith that the consideration thereof be adjourned
till the next Court, carried in the Affirmative

Also to take into consideration the nomination of
a third Trustee in the room of M^r Garfield deceased.

Livery & Steward

John Walter paid his Livery and Stewards Fine
£15..17..6.

Free
& Servitude

John Christopher Rehden late Apprentice of
Rowland Jones Citizen and Musician for 7 years from
the 22^d day of April 1793 was this day admitted
to the Freedom of this Company & Servitude & Sworn.

N^o 58 Dorset St. Salisbury Court - Taylor. £1..16..0.

Free
& Servitude

Thomas Bennett late Apprentice of James Welsh
Citizen and Musician for 7 years from the 28^d day of
March 1793 was this day admitted & Sworn
of this Company & Servitude & Sworn

N^o 7 Stepney Green - Callander. £1..16..0.

Free
& Servitude

William Suttaby late Apprentice of John Cwance
Citizen and Musician for 7 years from the 2^d day
of June 1788 was this day admitted to the Freedom
of this Company & Servitude & Sworn

N^o 27 Threadneedle St. Pocket Book Maker
£1..16..0

Livery & Steward

William Suttaby also paid his Livery and Stewards
fines - - - - - £15..17..6.

Free
& Servitude

General Christopher Ashley late Apprentice of
his Father John Ashley Citizen and Musician for
7 years from the 22^d day of October 1784 was this
day admitted into the Freedom & Servitude & Sworn
Pimlico - Musician - - - - - £1..16..0.

Free
Appatrimony

Richard Godfrey Ashley Son of John Ashley -
Citizen and Musician, was this day admitted to the
Freedom of this Company Appatrimony & sworn
Fathers Copy 17 } £1.16:0
Born 8. Sept. 1774 } Pimlico - Musician

Free
Redemption

Richard Carruthers produced his admission
to this Company by redemption on the 31st day of
May 1800, signed "Thomas Whittell" the late Clerk to
whom he paid his fine &c.

Ordered that his Name be entered upon the
Books accordingly

A Motion was made by the Master and seconded
by Mr Wadd, that the acting Executors of the late
Mr Thomas Whittell, Clerk of this Company be
requested to permit Mr Henry Woodthorpe the
present Clerk to peruse Mr Whittells Books -
and Papers in order to ascertain the accounts -
between this Company and the Deceased.

The Master reported that 106 of the Livery -
Dined at the Annual Dinner at Canonbury House.

A Motion was made by Mr Wadd and seconded
by Mr Warden Cross, that the Committee be desired
to settle and audit the Treasurer's Accounts up to
Michaelmas last, and report the same to the
next Court. carried in the Affirmative.

Also the late Clerk's Account to the time of his
Death.

Ordered that the Clerk do wait upon Mr Davis
late Under Sheriff to Mr Blackall and request the
payment of ten pounds 17/6 as the fine for his
admission on the Court of Assistants of this Company

The petition of Susanna Harrop, Widow of Daniel
Harrop, a Liveryman, praying relief, being read
Ordered that she be relieved with a Guinea
Paid 11 Gentlemen of the Court 5^s each £2:15:0

Mr Hardy resigns
Treasurership -