

kind message of sympathy which you have sent behalf of the Worshipful Company of Musicians and asks me to convey to you her very sincere thanks. My father was looking forward with pride and pleasure to the position that he was to hold as the first Master of the New Century. He was always anxious to promote the welfare of the Company and extend its usefulness and no one enjoyed more thoroughly than he did the pleasant social gatherings at the Albion Tavern.

May I add a word of thanks to you personally for your expressions of appreciation and esteem?

Yours sincerely

J. J. R. Stainer

A letter from Miss Biggs applying for relief was read whereupon

Mr Jones moved

That the sum of Three Guineas be given to her as a Donation

Seconded by Sir Frederick Biggs

Carried unanimously

A letter from Mr Thomas Dupen was read applying