

to put in force the several orders of this Court respecting the settling the accounts of Mr Hardy the late Treasurer of this Company

Mr Croft further reported that in pursuance of the order of the last Court he had given directions to the Broker to purchase £100 old south sea Annuities but was informed that the Company could make no addition to their present Stock that being a dead Stock - and Mr Hardy had refused to transfer the said Stock out of his own Name as one of the Trustees of the Company to any other

Ordered that a new account be opened in the old South sea Annuities and that William Chivers Esq. Solomon Wadd Esq. and John Rutter Esq. be the Trustees for this Company and that the Stock be purchased in their Names

Wm Chivers Esq.  
Sol. Wadd Esq.  
Jn. Rutter Esq.  
appointed Trustees of Stock.

Mr Woodthorpe presented a Letter to the Court requesting to resign his situation as Clerk of the Company which was read as follows

Mr Woodthorpe requests to resign

Gentlemen

I beg leave to resign the Office of Clerk to your Worshipful Company, which I cannot do without returning you individually as well as collectively my particullar thanks for the repeated Marks of kindness received from you; and I hope it will not be deemed presumption in me to beg to recommend to your notice and favor, my Son, who has for some time past officiated as Assistant Clerk

I have the honor to be  
Gentlemen  
Your Obedt. humble Servant

Guildhall  
13. Oct. 1702

To the Master Wardens and Court  
of Apprentices of the Company of Musicians  
London

W. Woodthorpe

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