THE WORSHIPFUL COMPANY OF MUSICIANS



COBBETT MEMORIAL COMPETITION - 1955

(Walter Willson Cobbett : Master 1928 - 29)

To celebrate the Jubilee of the Cobbett Fantasy Competition, 1905, the Company offers a prize of Fifty Guineas for a Chamber Work for any combination of 3, 4 or 5 instruments; the playing time not to exceed 30 minutes.

The Manuscript (score only) must be submitted to:-

The Clerk,

The Worshipful Company of Musicians, I, New Court, Lincoln's Inn, W.C.2.

by 31st December, 1955. Envelopes to be marked "Cobbett Competition" in the top left-hand corner.

Compositions will be judged by Sir Arthur Bliss (Master of the Queen's Musick), Dr. Herbert Howells and Dr. Edmund Rubbra, the Company reserving the right to withhold the prize, if so advised by these Judges. The result will be announced during April 1956.

The score must be presented anonymously and must be clearly marked with a motto and accompanied by a sealed envelope bearing the same motto on the outside and enclosing the name and address of the Composer.

The copyright of the winning Composition will remain with the Composer but the Company reserves the right of first performance of the work and to retain the Manuscript submitted. The Composer may be requested to furnish legibly written parts.

Only the name of the successful Competitor will be published. The Manuscripts of other Competitors will be returned by the Clerk, if the sealed envelope is marked "Please return".

The Competition is only open to British subjects.

W. GRAHAM WALLACE.

Chairman of the Competition Committee.