

ensuing year.

Prendergast  
Trust

The Clerk reported that the sum now in hand on Income Account amounted to £41. 9s. 8d. He stated that 7 Rectors or Vicars had been applied to, the last being the Rector of St. Andrews Holborn but he had been unable to obtain a suitable Boy so far no doubt on account of their being so profitably employed owing to the shortage of man labour.

The Clerk also stated he had been able to make most satisfactory arrangements with Novello & Co Ltd and Rudall Carte & Co Ltd to take Apprentices without premiums and to give them a small increasing wage.

Past Master Sir Frederick Bridge read a letter from Mr. H. Davan Wetton the Organist of the Foundling Hospital saying he would be willing to take a Boy as an Apprentice, and the matter was referred to the Committee.

The Imperial  
Property  
Investment Co Ltd

A letter was read from the Imperial Property Investment Co Ltd asking for a contribution towards the costs of the Aircraft Insurance but it was decided to take no action in the matter.

St. Cecilia  
Celebration

The Clerk reported that the Dean & Chapter of St. Paul's would again welcome the Company at the Cathedral on St. Cecilia's Day and he asked whether he was to engage the services of a full Choir as usual or not.

Several Members of the Court expressed the opinion that under existing financial conditions the Company ought not to go to any extra expense in the matter and on the resolution to this effect being put it was declared to be carried. A Count however was demanded when the following votes were given:

For the Resolution not to go to further expense.

The Master

The Senior Warden

The Junior Warden

Against

Past Master Alderman Sir Edward E. Cooper  
" " Sir Homewood Crawford