

few as a professional musician

Palmer
Scholarship

The Clerk presented a Report he had prepared as to the Palmer Scholarships and pointed out the difficulties that had from time to time arisen with regard to obtaining ex-choristers from St Pauls and Westminster Abbey. Mr Saxe Wyncham suggested the advisability of extending the Scholarships to choristers as well as ex-choristers of St Pauls and Westminster Abbey and the matter was further adjourned until the next Court it being arranged that the Master should interview Dr Macpherson the Organist of St Pauls and P. M. Hill should interview Mr Nicholson the Organist of Westminster Abbey both Liverymen of the Company in the meantime and ascertain their views on Mr Saxe Wyncham's suggestion.

Col. J. A. C. Somerville
C.M.G., C.B.E.

The Master ^{proposed} ~~reported~~ that the Hon. Freedom of the Company should be presented to Col. John Arthur Loghill Somerville C.M.G., C.B.E. on his retirement from the post of Commandant of the Royal Military School of Music in recognition of his services for the advancement of Music in the Army and Letters from Past Masters Sir Home Wood Crawford and Major A. G. Chamier were read cordially supporting the suggestion.

Sir F. Bridge
Memorial

The proposition was seconded by Mr Alcock and carried unanimously. A letter was read from Mr Sidney N. Nicholson, M.A., Mus. Bac. the Organist of Westminster Abbey and a Liveryman of the Company asking if the Court would associate itself with the proposed memorial to the late P. M. Sir Frank Bridge, G.V.O., Mus. Doc. The application was very sympathetically received and the Clerk was instructed to obtain details for submission at the next Court.

Leo Stern Gift

It was reported that Mr Gethyn Wykeham George had been recommended by the Director of the Royal College of Music as the

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