

heartily thanked for his further liberality and it was decided that the amount should be invested in the names of the Trustees as part of the Company's Funds without attaching any condition thereto

St. Cecilia  
Celebration

On the proposition of the Master seconded by Mr Edgar a vote of thanks was passed to Sir George Martin M. V. C. Mus. Doc. the Succentor of St. Pauls Cathedral (the Rev<sup>d</sup> S. J. Childs Clark) and the Rev<sup>d</sup> Prebendary Reynolds for their assistance in connection with the St. Cecilia Celebration at St. Pauls on the 22<sup>nd</sup> November last

Stationers Hall

A letter was read from the Clerk to the Stationers Company stating that his Company would be prepared to remit £10. 10. 0 on account of the payments for the use of the Hall for 1909 and on the proposition of the Master seconded by the Senior Warden a vote of thanks was passed to the Stationers Company for the concession

Miss Mary A. E. Biggs

Miss Henrietta

Grove Biggs

The Clerk reported the death of Miss Mary A. E. Biggs an old Annuitant of the Company and a letter was read from the Rev<sup>d</sup> Douglas Leonard Curate of St. Lukes Walthamstow asking that the annual donation might be continued in favor of her Sister Miss Henrietta Grove Biggs and on the proposition of Mr Lescher seconded by Sir Homewood Crawford it was decided to do so subject to the Clerk being satisfied that Miss H. G. Biggs was the daughter of a Freeman of the Company

Military Band

Competition

The following Report was read and directed to be entered on the Minutes  
Re The Military Music Pieces Competition

It is only necessary to report that on Dec<sup>r</sup> 6<sup>th</sup> a performance was given of the Five Prize pieces in the Stationers Hall by the Band of the Grenadier Guards under the direction of Lieut Albert Williams. To this performance all the Members of the Company and their Ladies were invited together with some distinguished musicians and the Press critics