

Court

- G. Wood
Master
- W. C. May
- H. R. Frisby.
Wardens
- J. S. Lescher
- J. P. Jones
- J. B. Herring
- C. L. Collard
- J. H. Evans
- J. P. Theobald
- R. P. Jones
- W. Chappell
- J. H. Skilbeck
- W. S. Collard

A Court of Assistants

held at the Guildhall on Tuesday the
14th day of January 1873.

Present

George Wood Esq^r Master in the Chair.
 Mess^{rs}: W. C. May & H. R. Frisby. Wardens.
 Mess^{rs}: Evans, W. S. Collard, Theobald, J. Jones, Skilbeck
 R. Jones, Lescher, Chappell and Herring.

The Master paid Twelve Guineas to the Member
present.

The Minutes and proceedings of the last Court were
read approved and confirmed.

Petition of Phoebe Evans praying relief was read
M^r: Wood moved

That the sum of £3.3. be given to her

Seconded by M^r: R. Jones

Carried unanimously

Petition of Emma Truste praying relief was read.
M^r: J. Jones moved

That the sum of £2.2. be given to her.

Seconded by M^r: May.

Carried unanimously.

✓ M^{rs} Truste was called in and £2.2. paid to her by the Master.

✓ M^r W. J. Collard moved

That the sum of £5.5. be given to the Royal Society of Musicians.

Seconded by M^r Wood

Carried unanimously.

Letter of The Providence Poor Night Refuge read

M^r Lescher moved

That the sum of £2.2. be given.

Seconded by M^r Skilleck

Motion lost on a shew of hands.

M^r Herring having reported the death of M^r John Wood, the late clerk.

M^r Lescher moved

That the Clerk be directed to call upon M^r Poole of Bartholomew Close, who would assist him in obtaining any books or papers, which had not been delivered over by the late M^r John Wood.

Seconded by M^r Wood.

Carried unanimously.

M^r Herring moved

That in future all fees to be received

should be paid over to the Treasurer to be capitalized
and that when the sum received should amount to
£50. the same should be invested.

R. P.
Seconded by M^r Jones

Carried unanimously.

M^r Lescher moved

That the Treasurer be requested to pay to the
Master the sum of £100.

Seconded by M^r Evans

Carried unanimously.

The account of the Corporation of London for Meetings
for the past year and the Assistant Hall Keepers Account
for gratuities (together £2.12.6) were presented, ordered
to be paid and paid accordingly by the Master.

Read approved and confirmed

[Signature]
Master.

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A Court of Assistants

held at the Guildhall on Tuesday the
8th day of April 1873.

Present

George Wood Esq^{re} Master in the Chair
M^{rs} W. C. May and H. R. Frisby Wardens
M^{rs} Lescher Chappell R. P. Jones, Herring
Theobald, Skilbeck, J. Jones & W. S. Collard.

The Master paid Eleven guineas to the Members present.

The Minutes and proceedings of the last Court
were read approved and confirmed.

The Clerk reported that since the last Meeting M^r James
Southby Bridge had died, and thereupon

M^r Lescher moved

That the Members of this Court have with much regret heard of the
death of their highly esteemed and respected friend and colleague M^r
James Southby Bridge and they desire to offer his Son, The Rev^d
J. H. Bridge & the other Members of his family their sincere sympathy
and condolence.

Seconded by M^r Wood and carried unanimously

The Clerk was directed to send a copy of the foregoing resolution
to the Rev^d J. H. Bridge.

Read approved and confirmed

George Wood
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W. Wood
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Thursday the 10th day of April 1873.

Freedom of
Mr William
Cordy Herring

William Cordy Herring of N^o 40 Aldersgate
Street in the City of London Gentleman - son of John Barnum
Herring - was this day admitted and sworn into the
Freedom of this Company by Redemption.

Livery.

The said William Cordy Herring also this day took
upon himself the cloathing and Livery of this Company
and paid his Freedom and Livery and Stewards Fines
and Fees.

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 A Court of Assistants
 held at the Guildhall on Tuesday
 the 8th day of July 1873

Present.

George Wood Esq^r - Master in the Chair
 W. C. May Esq^r - Wardens
 Mess^{rs} Theobald, Chappell, Lescher, P. Jones, J. Jones
 Herring and W. S. Collard.

The Master paid Nine Guineas to the Members
 present.

The Minutes and proceedings of the last Court
 were read approved and confirmed.

Mr Chappell moved
 That the vacancy on the Court, occasioned by the
 death of Mr J. S. Bridge, should be filled up at
 the next meeting of the Court.

Seconded by Mr Lescher
 Carried by a Show of hands.

And thereupon the following Gentlemen were nominated
 for appointment.

Mr W. M. Wilkinson	by	Mr Chappell
Mr J. C. Collard	by	Mr Theobald
Mr R. B. Warricks	by	Mr May

Resolved and Ordered
That the Court and Livery dine at the Albion
Tavern, Aldersgate Street on Tuesday the 26th day
of July 1843 at 6 o'clock precisely.

The Master reported

That he had attended the invitation of the Lord
Mayor and Corporation of the City of London
to the Banquet given at the Guildhall in honor
of His Majesty the Shah of Persia on the 20th
day of June 1843.

Read approved and confirmed

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Master.

George Wood
Messrs May
Messrs Lescher
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That Mr
Warden

At a Court of Assistants

held at the Guildhall on Tuesday
the 7th day of October 1873.

Present

George Wood Esq^r Master in the Chair.

Mess^{rs} May and Frisby Wardens.

Mess^{rs} Lescher, Evans, Chappell, Theobald, R
Jones, Shilbeck, W. F. Collard, J. Jones and
Herring.

The Master paid Twelve Guineas to the
Members present.

The Minutes and proceedings of the last
Court were read approved and confirmed.

M^r Wood moved

That M^r W. C. May be elected Master of
this Company for the ensuing year.

Seconded by M^r Theobald.

Carried unanimously.

M^r Wood moved

That M^r H. R. Frisby be elected Senior
Warden of this Company for the ensuing year.

Seconded by M^r May

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Carried unanimously.

Mr. May moved

That Mr. Chappell be elected Junior Warden
of this company for ^{the} ensuing year

Seconded by Mr. Lescher

Carried unanimously.

Mr. R. Jones moved

That Mr. C. L. Collard be re-elected
Treasurer of this company for the ensuing year.

Seconded by Mr. Wood

Carried unanimously.

Mr. Wood moved

That Mr. J. I. Shebald be re-elected Clerk
of this company for the ensuing year.

Seconded by Mr. W. S. Collard

Carried unanimously.

Mr. Wood moved

That Mr. Walker be re-elected Beadle of this
company for the ensuing year.

Seconded by Mr. Shebald.

Carried unanimously.

Mr. Shebald moved

That the Treasurer be requested to pay to Mr George Hood the sum of £.150.

Seconded by Mr J. Jones.

Carried unanimously.

Resolved and Ordered,

That Tuesday the 25th day of November next be fixed for auditing the Accounts for the past year and that the other Members of the Court and ^{and Justices} be invited to meet the Master and Wardens, at dinner at the Albion Tavern at 6 o'clock precisely on the same day.

A Ballot on the names of.

Mr Walter Meacock Wilkinson.

Mr John Clementi Collard.

Mr Robert Betson Warrick.

was taken and in the result there appeared to be for

Mr Wilkinson - - - 9 votes.

Mr Collard - - - 3 "

Mr Warrick - - - 0 "

The Master thereupon declared Mr Walter Meacock Wilkinson to be duly elected a Member of the Court of Assistants and requested the Clerk to inform him of his election.

Mr May moved

That the best thanks of this Court are presented to George Wood Esq^r for the able and efficient manner in which he discharged the duties of Master during the past year, for his exertions on all occasions to promote the welfare and Harmony of this Company and also for his uniform kind and courteous conduct to all its members.

Seconded by Mr Lescher
Carried unanimously.

Read approved and confirmed
W^m Hall May
Master.

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At an Audit Meeting held
at the Albion Tavern, on Tuesday
the 25th day of November 1873.

Present.

W. C. May Esq^r Master

G. Wood Esq^r late Master

Mess^{rs} Frisby and Chappell, Wardens.

The account for the past year of the receipts and
payments of George Wood Esq^r the late Master
was examined and vouched and certified to be correct.

The account for the past year of the receipts and
payments of C. L. Collard Esq^r the Treasurer,
was also examined and certified to be correct and a
balance of £197^{..} 6^{..} 4. found to be remaining in
his hands.

W. C. May
Master.