

A Court of Assistants of the Worshipful Company of Musicians
held at Guildhall London on Wednesday the 5th day of January 1820

Present J. Glennie Esq^r Master
Messrs Chapman } Warden
James }
J. Gough Esq^r Treasurer

Messrs Rutter Steiner
Steele Velafons
Fellows Bingham
Ashby Ashley

Court called over and Messrs Wadd, Moore, Asford
and Green made default.

The Master paid Twelve Members thereof 10/- each
for early attendance.

The Minutes of the last Court and Committee were
read and confirmed.

It being moved and duly seconded "That Joseph
Steele Esq^r, the late Treasurer, be empowered to pay over the
balance of £6⁰ 9⁰ of this Company's Cash (admitted to be
in his hands) to the present Treasurer and that his receipt
should be a sufficient discharge for that amount." The same
on the Question being put was carried in the affirmative.

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William Gibbs, the late Apprentice of Thomas
Ashby Citizen and Musician of London by Indentures
for seven years was this day admitted into the Freedom
of this Company by Probitude on the Testimony of his
late Master ... And sworn &c.

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Vacancy
declared

On the representation of Mr. Warden Chaplin the Master
declared a Vacancy in the Court of Assistants of this
Company by the death of the late Mr. Thomas Wood.

Henry Martin Esq. who was on the 13th October last elected
one of the Court of Assistants of this Company having
transmitted a Letter addressed to the late Master
signifying "That he could not take on him, that Office as
"being about to reside in the Country and that he was therefore
"compelled to resign the Honour intended for him at present"
And it being moved and seconded "That the purport of
"the said Letter should be complied with" On the Question
being put the same was carried in the Affirmative.

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On the Motion of the Treasurer and duly seconded It
was Ordered that the several Vacancies in the Court
of Assistants be taken into consideration at the next
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Charity: *Mrs. Woodcock the Widow of the late Thomas Spadberry formerly a Liveryman of this Company was this day in her Petition relieved with One Guinea.*

Ordered that the Treasurer be requested to advance the Master 50 £ for the Use of the Company.

And that the Stamp Duty on admissions of Freeman into this Company be paid up to the present time.

John Peter Son of John Peter late of Dover in the County of Kent Watchmaker deceased was this day bound Apprentice to William Folkard Citizen and Musician of London by Indentures for seven years. In consideration of true and faithful Service &c.

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Bound in presence of the Master in Court 17/4

The Treasurer Reported That he had received 100^l 10^s for the half year's Dividend on the Company's Stock in the Old South Sea Annuities due in Octo. last.

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17th February 1820

Edward Reilly the late Apprentice of John Riley late Citizen and Musician of London deceased by Indentures for seven years dated 23rd July 1806 was this day admitted into the Freedom of this Company by Scrivitude On the Testimony of John Higgins also Citizen and Musician &c And duly sworn &c

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10th March 1820

John Meryweather Son of Francis Meryweather of Pichard Street Commercial Road in the County of Middlesex Pocket-book maker was this day bound Apprentice to William Suttaby Citizen and Musician of London by Indentures for seven years In consideration of true & faithful Service &c

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By the Master

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25th March 1820

William Abbott Son of John Knott Abbott late of the City of Bristol Stater deceased was this day bound Apprentice to Walter Page Citizen and Musician of London by Indentures for seven years In consideration of true and faithful Service &c

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By the Master

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25th March 1820

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 * William Ward Esq. Son of George Ward of Northwood
 in the Isle of Wight, in the County of Hants Esq. was
 this day admitted into the Freedom of this Company
 by Redemption. And duly sworn &c. £. 0. 0
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N. 34 New Broad Street.

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* Henry Baynes Ward Esq. also Son of the above-
 named George Ward Esq. was this day admitted into the
 Freedom of this Company by Redemption And duly sworn &c.

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A Court of Assistants of the Worshipful Company of Musicians
helden at Guildhall London on Wednesday the 3rd day of April 1820

Present... J. Gennie, Esq. Master

Messrs... Chaplin }
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 Jones }

Jos. Gough Esq. Treas^r

Messrs... Rutter }
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Court called over and Messrs Madd, Ford & Ashley made Ex parte

The Master paid 13 Gentlemen of the Court 10^s each for early-attendance

The Minutes of the last Court and Business done since were read and confirmed

It having been moved and seconded that two of the Vacancies in the Court of Assistants of this Company be filled up at the next Court

Mr. John Rutter Jun^r was proposed by the Treasurer and seconded by Mr. Warden Jones

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Mr. Joseph Todd by Mr. Fellows & seconded by Mr. Warden

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And it was Ordered That Notice thereof be inserted in the
Summonses for that day.

Ordered that a List of the Livery of this Company be
printed as a pamphlet and 300 Copies struck off And
that as many of them as may be necessary be distributed
at the Annual Dinner.

Ordered that the Treasurer be requested to purchase
100 Additional Stock in the Old South Sea Annuities
for the Use of this Company.

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James Brown Esq^r Son of Alexander Brown of Aberdeen
in the Kingdom of Scotland Esq^r was this day admitted
to the Freedom of this Company by Redemption And sworn

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The said James Brown afterwards paid his
Livery and Stewards Fine and 2/6 to the Poor.

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Henry Baynes Ward Esq^r this day paid his
Livery and Stewards Fine and 2/6 to the Poor

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Free
& Redⁿ } Thomas Herring Son of John Herring of the City
of Norwich Manufacturer was this day admitted into
the Freedom of this Company by Redemption And sworn &c.

Aldersgate Street Druggist

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Livery and Stewards Fine and 2^s 6^d to the Poor

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Livery } William Ward Esq^r this day paid his Livery and
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& Redⁿ } Throner Buckle Herring also a Son of the abovesaid
John Herring of the City of Norwich Manufacturer was this
day admitted into the Freedom of this Company by
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Mr David Davis who was on the 13th day of October
last Electa one of the Court of Assistants of this Company
this day paid the Fine for Admission viz: £ s d
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8th April 1820

Nicholas Thorpe Son of Nicholas Thorpe late an Ensign
in his Majesty's 88th Regiment of Foot deceased was this
day bound Apprentice to Daniel Button Citizen and
Musician of London by Indentures for seven years
In Consideration of true and faithful Service &c

By the Master

22nd June 1820

William Bourke Son of Jeffery Bourke late of
Sawington Parls in the County of Surrey Gentleman
was this day admitted into the Freedom of this
Company by Redemption - And duly sworn &c

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held at Guildhall London on Wednesday the 5th July 1820

Present A Glennie Esq^r - Master
Chaplin
Mess^{rs} and } Warden
Jones }
Joseph Gough Esq^r Treasurer

Mess^{rs} - Ritter Mauns
Steele Green
Holloway Delapont
Ashby Davis

Court called over and Mess^{rs} Wadd Moore and
Bingham made default and also Mess^{rs} Aprax Ashby

The Master paid 12 Gentlemen of the Court 10/6
each for early attendance.

The Minutes of the last Court and Business
done since were read and confirmed.

M^r David Davis who at a former Court was
elected an Assistant of this Company and paid his
Ass^{ts} sworn. Fine thereupon was ^{this} day sworn into the said Office
and took his Seat accordingly.

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Ordered that the Livery of this Company be treated with a Dinner at Canonbury House on Thursday the 27th July instant to be for 70. Persons at 7 Shillings of Bread & 1/6 the Desert And that no Soda Water Cyder or extra Liquor be allowed at the Company's Expence - And that 200 Tickets be provided for admission.

Livery Dinner

Mr. John Rutter Jun^r was unanimously elected a Member of the Court of Assistants of this Company.

Assistants Elected

and Mr. Joseph Todd was also unanimously elected a Member of the said Court.

The Widow Ann Cox was on her Petition Ordered to be relieved with 1 Guinea which the Master paid to her in Court.

Charity

William Williams a Liveryman and Pensioner of this Company was on his Petition Ordered to have 5^l returned to him in lieu of his Livery Fine which was this day paid to him in Court by the Master.

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23 August 1820

Martin Shepherd Son of Joseph Shepherd of
Kingsleigh in the County of Berks. Farmer was
this day admitted into the Freedom of this Company
by Redemption - And sworn &c.

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John Dench Son of William Dench of Tower Royal
Court Queen Street Cheapside London Carver & Gilder was
this day bound Apprentice to James Parker Citizen
and Musician of London by Indentures for seven
years ... In consideration of 20 £

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By the Master

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4th October 1820.

Fredrick Henry Ridley Son of Joseph Ridley Citizen
and Musician of London was this day duly admitted
into the Freedom of this Company by Patrimony on
the Testimony of his said Father And sworn &c.

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helden at Guildhall London on Wednesday the 11 day of October 1820

Present A. Glennie Esq. Master

Mr. Jones - Warden

Mess ^{rs}	Butler	Staines
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	Steele	Bingham
	Fellows	Davis
	Ashey	Todd

Court called over and Mess^{rs} Warden Chaplin Gough Waddel
Asford Delafons and Ashey, made default.

The Master paid 12 Members of the Court 10/6 each for
early attendance.

Mr. Joseph Todd, who was at the last Court, elected a
Member of the Court of Assistants of this Company was this
day sworn into the said Office - paid his Fine thereon and
took his seat accordingly

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The Master Reported That 67 Persons dined at
the last Livery Feast at Canonbury Tavern on the
27th July last.

A Letter was presented to the Court addressed to the Clerk of this
Company from Nicholas Carlisle Esq^r Secretary to the Commissioners
appointed by the late Act of Parliament for inquiring into
Charities under the care of the several chartered Companies -
requesting "A Statement of all Charities under the Manage-
ment of this Company" And on the same being read, was
moved by Mr. Fellows and duly seconded "That the Clerk
be directed to write to the said Mr. Carlisle informing him
that there are no Charities or Benefactions whatsoever
under the management of the Musicians Company - Which on
the Question being put was carried in the Affirmative."

The Court then proceeded to the Election of Officers for
this Company for the year ensuing and there being no
nomination

For Master

Master Elected

Mr. John Chaplin
and
Mr. Richard Jones

The said Mr. John Chaplin was declared to be
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The said Mr. Richard Jones
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Mr. Joseph Staines

Upper Warden

And the said Mr. Richard Jones was declared duly Elected.

For Under Warden

The said Mr. Joseph Staines
and
Mr. John Nutter

Under Warden

And the said Mr. Joseph Staines was declared duly Elected.

Joseph Gough Esq. was continued Treasurer for the year
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It was then moved by Mr. Steele and seconded by Mr. Follows
"That Solomon Wadd, Esq. be continued a Member of the
"Court" Which on the Question being put was carried
unanimously in the affirmative.

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The newly Elected Master Wardens, Treasurer, with
Messrs Steele Delafors Green and Glennie.

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M^r Daniel Wood was continued Clerk

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James Hampson Messenger Beadle

Ordered That an Adjourned Court be summoned for Wednesday the 18 day of October instant at Guildhall to swear M^r John Chaplin the newly Elected Master into that Office.

The newly Elected Wardens M^r Richard Jones and M^r Joseph Staines were then sworn into their Offices.

Daniel Button this day paid his Livery, Fine and 2/6 to the Poor.

Livery.

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11 October 1820

Benjamin Chaplin Griffin son of William Griffin late of the parish of Saint Pancras in the County of Middlesex Gentleman deceased was this day bound Apprentice to Robert Beauchamp Citizen and Musician of London by Indentures for seven years In consideration of 9/6

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At an Adjourned Court of the Musicians, day of October

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At an Adjourned Court of Assistants of the Worshipful Company
of Musicians held at Guildhall London on Wednesday the 18th
day of October 1820.

Present - A. Glennie Esq^r.

Mess^{rs} Jones & Staines } Wardens

Mr. Gough, Treas^r.

Mess^{rs} Rutter Bingham
Chaplin Staines

Court called over and Mess^{rs} Widd, Moore, Pele, Fellows &
Ashby Axford Green Delapour Ashby and Todd made default
And there being only the Master Wardens and five
Assistants present Mr. John Chaplin the Master Elect
was sworn into his Office. And the Court not being full, so
as to transact any other Business the same was adjourned.

At
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* Henry Clinch the late Apprentice of Joseph Todd
Citizen and Musician of London was this day
admitted into the Freedom of this Company by
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And duly sworn &c.

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11 December 1820

Thomas Heawood Son of John Heawood late Citizen and Musician of London deceased was this day admitted into the Freedom of this Company by Patrimony on the Testimony of Nathaniel Saunders Citizen and Fishmonger of London And duly sworn

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His Baptismal Register 25 Nov: 1769
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At a Committee of the Worshipful Company of Musicians
 holden at the King's Head, Tavern in the Poultry London on
 Wednesday the 13th day of December 1820

Present John Chaplin Esq. Master

Messrs. Jones & Davies } Wardens

Messrs. Stale, Green & Glennie

The late Master's Accounts with this Company for the last year were audited and compared with the several Vouchers Audit... appears thereby that he has disbursed on their Account $256^{\text{L}} 9^{\text{s}} 5^{\text{d}}$ and received for their Use $244^{\text{L}} 14^{\text{s}}$ making a Balance of $12^{\text{L}} 15^{\text{s}} 10^{\text{d}}$ due to him from the Company... Which was paid over to him this day by the present Master

The Clerk's Account for the same year was also audited by which it appears that he has disbursed for their Use... the sum of $65^{\text{L}} 10^{\text{s}} 2^{\text{d}}$ and received on their Account $59^{\text{L}} 18^{\text{s}} 6^{\text{d}}$ making a Balance of $5^{\text{L}} 11^{\text{s}} 8^{\text{d}}$ due to him from the Company Which was also paid by the Master to him.

The Bradles Account for the same year was likewise audited making a Balance of $9^{\text{L}} 19^{\text{s}} 0^{\text{d}}$ due to him from the Company after deducting 10^{/-} for Quarterage collected by him to Christmas last and other monies received by him on Account... Which Balance the Master this day paid him.

M^r Robert Kent presented a Bill for printing and Stationary for the last Year of ^{£ 5} 9^s 10^d which was examined and approved of.

The List of the Yeomanry of this Company was examined and the Clerk was directed to write to several of them to take up their Sivery at the next Court.

16 December 1820

Free } Thomas Bond Son of Stephen Bond of
Redⁿ } Birmingham in the County of Suffolk Farmer was
this day admitted into the Freedom of this Company
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