

### Violoncello and Pianoforte

Mr Cobett offers Fifty pounds and Mr H. L. Steinberg also a Member of the Company adds Twenty pounds for further Prizes, whilst Captain A. S. Beaumont a generous and zealous amateur, will provide a sum of Fifty pounds for the expense of publishing any compositions that may be deemed worthy of being printed

In addition to this there is an amount of £25. 8. 2 in the Treasurers hands being the balance over for use from the last "Phantasie" competition. Altogether the money available for the Prizes and expenses amounts to One hundred and forty five pounds. The success of the Phantasie competition in evoking a new type of concerted string chamber music is universally admitted in the world of music, and Mr Harlstone's Prize composition has been received with much gratification.

It is recommended that a Committee be appointed to proceed with the matter in a similar way to that in which the First Phantasie competition was dealt with and that it be an instruction that only British born Composers are allowed to enter.

On the proposition of Sir Frederick Bridge seconded by the Senior Warden it was unanimously resolved that Mr Cobett's further generous offer be accepted on the understanding that the competition should put the Company to no expense and the Clerk was directed to communicate with Mr Cobett accordingly.

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