

# The Museum Collection

No.28

## The Opening of Grove House Orphanage



A pictorial souvenir of the opening of  
Grove House Orphanage  
on Monday 18th April 1927

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## **INTRODUCTION**

This book in the Museum Collection Series is a copy of the Souvenir book issued in 1926/27 to commemorate the opening of Grove House Orphanage.

The size of the original Souvenir is slightly over A4, the page sizes in this edition have been reduced in order for it to fit in with the size of the other Museum Collections.

The Order, that is the Grand Lodge of England, purchased the premises in 1926 for £10,000 to use as a orphanage, this was because of the prolonged arguments at Grand Lodge over the question of legal ownership of the R.A.O.B. Orphanage at Aldridge (near Walsall), these premises being paid for, but not owned by the Order.

It took the Order nearly six years to raise the funds to complete the purchase together with a further £12,000 that was spent in adapting the premises specifically for our requirements. To raise the necessary funding for the purchase, and more importantly to furnish the orphanage, members were urged to “buy” a brick or a yard of turf at a cost of one shilling (5p.) each. They were presented with a numbered certificate to commemorate their purchase, although it was not intended as a deed of ownership.

Since Grove House is built of stone and not bricks, could it be that this is where our present and past Grand Secretary’s learnt the art of parting members from their money? Occasionally these certificates are produced today by the descendants of donors in the hope that there may be some monetary value to the estate of the member.

Grove House orphanage was officially opened on Easter Monday, 1927 by the former Lord Mayor of

London Bro. Colonel and Alderman Sir Louis Newton Bart., and the parade of members took three hours to march from Harrogate Railway Station with four brass bands. In those days the Railway Station was not at its current location, but was situated on the Leeds Road, not too far from the present Prince of Wales roundabout.

The Grand Lodge Offices moved into Grove House in 1926, having previously occupied the living room of Brother Wilson-Marsh in Cheltenham (Gloucestershire). He is the third (up until this date) Grand Secretary to have been expelled from the Order.

At first the offices were accommodated in the Drawing room, which now provides a combination of three rooms – (bedroom 3, a filing room and for the Grand Secretary’s secretarial staff).

The present single storey office extension along Skipton Road was built in 1933 and was intended at a later date to have a second and third floor added for extra dormitory accommodation for the orphanage. This addition has not, to date, taken place.

Grove House Orphanage operated from 1926 until Christmas 1947 even though some Army units were stationed here during World War II (1939-1945). With the introduction of the new “welfare state” that would look after the population from the ‘cradle to the grave’ widows and other guardians were, understandably, reluctant to be parted from their children. The Order changed its policy by returning the children to their families and provided cash benefits to enable the children to be looked after at their own homes.

Trafalgar, the original Harrogate Convalescent Home in Valley Drive, was closed and Grove House adapted to become a convalescent home for members of the Order only, providing rest, recuperation and a change of air.

In 1966 to mark the Centenary of the Grand Lodge of England, Grove House was adapted to provide permanent residential care for aged members without family or dependants. In 1980 the female dependants of members were admitted as convalescent patients.

1983 saw Convention agreeing that joint member and spouse convalescent applicants were to be admitted to Grove House. The same year Grand Lodge approved the necessary motion that allowed the Trustee's to accept fee-paying guests into the Home, with a view to augmenting the upkeep and maintenance costs.

The whole of the story of all the Convalescent Homes owned by the Grand Lodge of England may be told in a future Museum Collection book, but for now, this introduction is but a brief history of Grove House.

Read and enjoy

*Mick Walker ROH*

*November 2010*



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ROYAL ANTEDILUVIAN ORDER OF BUFFALOES  
GRAND LODGE OF ENGLAND.



SOUVENIR  
OF THE OPENING OF  
GROVE HOUSE ORPHANAGE  
HARROGATE.



Royal Antediluvian Order of Buffaloes

— G.L.B. —



SOUVENIR  
of the  
Opening of Grove House

Monday :: April 18th, 1927

At 3 p.m.,

By

Bro. Colonel and Alderman Sir Louis Newton, Bart.,

Lord Mayor of London, 1923-4.



DR. COLONEL AND ALDERMAN  
SIR LOUIS NEWTON, BART.,  
LORD MAYOR OF LONDON, 1923 - 4





[Photo by]

[Dewey, Harrogate.]

THE MAYOR OF HARROGATE,  
CAPT. WHITWORTH.



A. W. FOX, ESQ.,

FROM WHOM GROVE HOUSE WAS PURCHASED. A DONOR OF £250.

# OUR NEW ORPHANAGE

## Grove House :: Harrogate

**I**T is with great pleasure that we submit this Souvenir to our Members, as a record of one of the most important events that has ever taken place in the history of the Order.

It had been apparent for the last few years, that some steps would have to be taken to find accommodation for the Orphans, who were unable to secure admission at Aldridge, without overcrowding.

It will be admitted that no stone has been left unturned to make Grove House a model Orphanage.

Grove House occupies a notable position in a district world-famous for its health-giving properties. Within ten minutes' walk of Harrogate railway station, and consequently subject to the advance of the urban developments incidental to a growing district, the residence has the characteristic features of a country mansion of the highest class, and the grounds are disposed to preserve these amenities to the best advantage.

The Royal Baths and Kursaal are within fifteen minutes' walk. The Harrogate Golf Links and the Pannal Links are both within two miles. The Municipal Schools are within two minutes' walk, and the Public Baths three minutes' walk. The Secondary Schools are also within five minutes.

The views from the Observatory Tower extend to the White Horse on the Hambleton Hills, near to Thirsk.

So far as the internal part of the building is concerned, the place has been re-arranged from roof to cellar.

We are writing this prior to our Opening Day on Easter Monday, and we are sending up a Prayer that the weather will be favourable to us. If it is, we anticipate having a record day, so far as the Order is concerned.

We have arranged a very fine programme of events, and we hope our members will have a very enjoyable day.

The Bands engaged are the 5th Batt. West Yorks. Regiment (The Prince of Wales' Own), and the Harrogate Borough Band.

Community Singing has been arranged, and is to be organized by "The Daily Dispatch" (Allied Newspapers Ltd.).

Boy Scouts and Girl Guides will help.

We hope to arrange a few Side Shows.

Film Companies have been written to : the Gaumont Co., and Pathé Frères.



Lieut. J. Ord Hume.

One of the outstanding items upon the Programme will be the playing by the massed Bands, of the "Grove House March," composed by Lieut. J. Ord Hume, R.O.H., and the Bands will be conducted by Lieut. Ord Hume. Lieut. Ord Hume is well-known throughout the musical world, and we have a musical treat in store for us, I am sure. The "Grove House March" will be on sale in the grounds at one shilling each. Every Member of the Order should obtain a copy of this.

It is impossible adequately to thank Bro. Ord Hume for coming to Harrogate to-day, Easter Monday, to conduct the Bands. It is only fair to mention that on Easter Tuesday, he is judging and conducting a very large Band Contest in Belfast, and it will be very difficult to get there in time, but he is determined to help us in every possible way, and we thank him from the bottom of our hearts for what he has done.

We are delighted to report that we are approaching the £5,000 mark ; money received from our generous Lodges and Members to assist us in the purchase of this very desirable Orphanage.

The whole of this money has been subscribed voluntarily, and in my opinion it reflects the greatest credit upon the members of our Order.

Every Bed in the Orphanage—136 in all—has been subscribed for, in addition to sixteen Lodges and Members who have given us 25 Guineas towards a Ward, and in one case we received a generous gift of £250.

We hope that the Brethren will help us in connection with the Shortboys. Twenty-five have already been subscribed for. The Shortboy is a small Chest of Drawers—one for the use of every child, and a very handsome Plate is placed upon each of these for a gift of £2 2s.

There are also of course our Guinea subscriptions, and we have collected by this means nearly £3,000.

We do sincerely thank the Members for what they have done for us, and we know that, when our Brethren throughout the Kingdom have surveyed and seen what we are endeavouring to do for the Children, we shall receive further gifts, and further subscriptions for such a glorious cause.

If anybody had prognosticated, less than twenty years ago, that we should be in a position to purchase Property such as Grove House, they would have been looked upon as having taken leave of their senses. Yet we have done this, and more, as we must not forget that in addition to this Property, we have established our Orphanage at Aldridge, purchased three Convalescent Homes, besides furnishing them ; and it is only because we have worked together, each imbued with the true spirit of the Order, that we have accomplished such wonderful performances.

We must not, of course, overlook our War Annuity Fund. Although this has required no Buildings, since about 1919 we have collected for this fund alone almost £100,000, and we have been able to grant Annuities of £25 per year each to nearly 150 aged and deserving Members.

It is only fair to mention the great assistance that has been given us by the Members of the Local Committee, and the ladies.

We should also like to extend our thanks to The Mayor and Mayoress (Capt. and Mrs. Whitworth), the Town Clerk (Turner Taylor, Esq.), and the Members of the Corporation, for their very great assistance in making this Opening such a success.

We hope that we shall have a fine day, and we shall all enjoy ourselves, and go away determined to do even more than we have done in the past, on behalf of our little ones.

We are hoping Brethren, that as a result of the Members having the opportunity of seeing what we have endeavoured to do, that we shall get further Missionaries to go out into the high-ways and by-ways of Buffaloism, throughout the World, and to enlist the sympathy and support of everyone of our Brethren. Our ambition is that the whole of the money paid for Grove House, should be paid for by voluntary efforts.



BRO. LEONARD J. AULTON, R.O.M.  
P.O.P./J.E.N.G.L. TRUSTEE.  
SECRETARY, ALTON, ONTARIO.

To our Brethren particularly, we would say, that some of we older Members, have endeavoured to erect a Monument for our Order as a record of our philanthropic work. We have laid a firm foundation: we have built the corner-stones: THE ORPHANAGES, THE WAR ANNUITY, THE CONVALESCENT HOMES, and OUR WIDOW, ORPHAN and BENEVOLENT FUNDS.

Perhaps some of us will not see the Building completed, or see all we hope come to pass, but we leave it as a sacred charge to those who will have to follow us, to carry on the great work on behalf of the Order, we all love so well.



THE GOLD KEY.  
PRESENTED TO  
BRO. SIR LOUIS NEWTON,  
B.M.S.



**THE  
FIREPLACE.**

**VIEW OF THE  
CELEBRATED  
CHIMNEY PIECE  
AND STAIRCASE.**





ONE OF THE DORMITORIES.  
THIS WAS FORMERLY PART OF THE PICTURE GALLERY.  
NOTE THE "SHORTBOYS."



THE DINING ROOM.



## How we secured Grove House

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IT might be interesting to the Members to know how we first got into touch with Grove House.

Grove House, as is probably well known, is a beautiful mansion and grounds, and was formerly the residence of the late Samson Fox of Water Gas Fame, and he was also Chairman of the Leeds Forge Company. He was the proprietor of the celebrated patent for Corrugated Tubes. Samson Fox died twenty-five years ago. Shortly after his death, the contents of the mansion were sold, and for some time, the house and grounds failed to find a purchaser.

It was brought to the notice of several public bodies. The Working Mens' Club Movement were approached to see if it could be used for a Convalescent Home. The Amalgamated Society of Railway Servants failed to get support to buy it, and the Harrogate Infirmary Committee also disagreed re its purchase.

Bro. J. Symington, R.O.H., a past Provincial Grand Primo of Harrogate, thought it would be an excellent place for a Convalescent Home for our Order. He mentioned the matter to his fellow Delegates who were proceeding to Scarborough for the Convention. It was on Bank Holiday Monday in 1925, that Bro. Symington and his colleagues had an interview with Bro. Thomas and Bro. Boden. It is perhaps only fair to say that we had been approached by many Members in various parts of the Country in connection with properties, and perhaps at the moment, we did not give the matter the attention it deserved. However, fortunately Bro. Symington is a very insistent Member, and he was not satisfied to allow the matter to be forgotten. Shortly after the Convention the Executive were at work in Harrogate prior to the Quarterly Meeting of the Grand Lodge in Leeds. Bro. Symington came up to the Royal Hotel about 10 p.m., and again pressed the claims of Grove House upon the Members of the Executive. He offered also to come up next morning in his car, to take anyone interested over the house.

He came up as promised, and we made a party and went down. We could see, of course, at once, that it was too large for a Convalescent Home, but a bright idea struck one of our Members that it would do splendidly for an Orphanage. After further enquiry, and viewing, the Members of the Executive at once saw what a fine proposition it was, and decided to report the matter to Grand Lodge.

What subsequently transpired, is of course well known to us all.



FRONT VIEW OF THE STABLES.

THE HOME OF OUR HEAD GARDENER WHO HAS BEEN ON THE ESTATE OVER 40 YEARS.

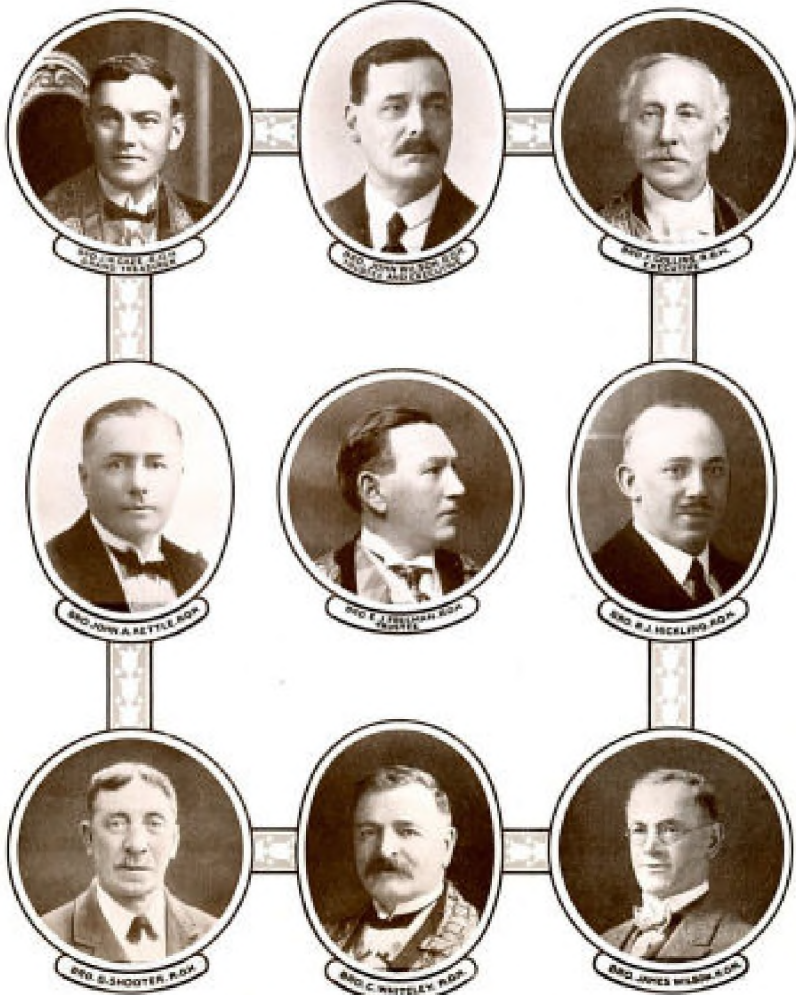


THE OBSERVATORY.

THIS WILL BE USED AS THE ISOLATION HOSPITAL.



CHAIRMAN, VICE-CHAIRMAN, AND SECRETARY OF THE GROVE HOUSE COMMITTEE, 1927



GROVE HOUSE SUB-COMMITTEE - 1927.

# Programme of the Official Opening

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The Grove House Orphanage will be officially opened on Easter Monday afternoon, April 18th, 1927, at 3 p.m., by BRO. ALDERMAN AND COLONEL SIR LOUIS NEWTON, Bart, Lord Mayor of London, 1923-4, assisted by the Mayor of Harrogate, the Bishop of Knaresborough, several of our clerical Brethren, and other distinguished gentlemen.

A Procession has been arranged; will those taking part please fall in at the Royal Hall (bottom of Parliament Street), Harrogate at 1-30 p.m.

The Procession will be headed by the Band of the 5th West Yorkshire Regiment and the Harrogate Borough Band, and will leave the Royal Hall at 1-45 prompt. Brethren are desired to wear one jewel only.

2-30 to 3 p.m.—Community Singing under the auspices of the "Daily Dispatch," including the Song, specially composed for the opening—"The more we work together." The "Daily Dispatch" have arranged with BRO. LEUT. J. ORD HUME, R.O.H., to conduct the singing.

3 p.m.—Opening of the Orphanage by BRO. ALDERMAN AND COLONEL SIR NEWTON LOUIS, Bart. The Gold Key will be used (photo of which is shown in this Souvenir).

Our distinguished guests will then proceed to the Balcony and the following order of Service will be carried out.

HYMN.—"JESU, LOVER OF MY SOUL." (Led by the Massed Bands.)

Jesu, lover of my soul,  
Let me to Thy bosom fly,  
While the gathering waters roll,  
While the tempest still is high;  
Hide me, O my Saviour, hide,  
Till the storm of life is past;  
Safe into the haven guide,  
O receive my soul at last.

Other refuge have I none;  
Hangs my helpless soul on Thee;  
Leave, ah! leave me not alone,  
Still support and comfort me.  
All my trust on Thee is stay'd,  
All my help from Thee I bring,  
Cover my defenceless head  
With the shadow of Thy wing.

Pentecost grace with Thee is found,  
Grace to cleanse from every sin;  
Let the healing streams abound;  
Make and keep me pure within;  
Thou of life the fountain art:  
Frothy let me take of Thee;  
Spring Thou up within my heart,  
Rise to all eternity.—AGOS.

PRAYERS.—BRO. REV. J. W. HIND, Cullingworth Vicarage, Bradford.

BRO. REV. JOHN BUCHANAN, C.P., M.A., Vicar of St. Luke's, Leeds.

LESSONS.—Read by REV. S. T. DAWSON, M.A., Vicar of St. Luke's, Harrogate,  
and BRO. REV. S. E. LOWE, Vicar of Otley.

DEDICATION CEREMONY AND BLESSING.—By the RIGHT REV. THE LORD  
BISHOP OF KNARESBOROUGH, D.D., assisted by the acting Chaplain BRO.  
REV. W. E. WORSLEY, M.C., C.T.A. (C.P.), Vicar of Oulton (Calverley Lodge).

HYMN.—"ETERNAL FATHER, STRONG TO SAVE."

ETERNAL FATHER, strong to save,  
Whose arm hath bound the restless waves,  
Who bid'st the mighty ocean deep  
Its own appointed limits keep:  
O hear us when we cry to Thee  
For those in peril on the sea.

O Christ, whose voice the waters heard,  
And hush'd their raging at Thy word:  
Who walk'dst on the foaming deep,  
And calm amid the storm didst sleep:  
O hear us when we cry to Thee  
For those in peril on the sea.

O Holy Spirit, who didst brood  
Upon the waters dark and rude,  
And bid their angry tumult cease,  
And give, for wild confusion, peace:  
O hear us when we cry to Thee  
For those in peril on the sea.

O Trinity of love and power,  
Our brethren shield in danger's hour;  
From rock and tempest, fire and foe,  
Protect them whosoever they go:  
Thou evermore shall rise to Thee  
Glad hymns of praise from land and sea.  
—AMEN.

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Vote of thanks and Presentation of the Gold Key to BRO. SIR LOUIS  
NEWTON, Bart, by the Grand Prince of England (BRO. COUNCILLOR BEN INNES,  
R.O.H.).

Vote of Thanks to the Mayor and Mayoress (CAPT. AND MRS. WHITWORTH),  
and the Members of the Harrogate Corporation, The Lord Bishop of Knaresborough,  
and all our Visitors, by J. C. E. CARTWRIGHT, R.O.H., Deputy Grand Prince  
of England.

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GOD SAVE THE KING.

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The Music specially written for this occasion by BRO. LEUT. J. ORD  
HUME, R.O.H.

After the Ceremony, BRO. SIR LOUIS NEWTON, Bart, the MAYOR OF  
HARROGATE, and our other distinguished Guests will hold a Reception in the  
large Marquee and will be pleased to meet any of our Brothers of the Order.

4 o'clock.—The GROVE HOUSE MARCH. Specially written for the occasion,  
will be played by the Massed Bands and Conducted by the Composer,  
BRO. LEUT. ORD HUME, R.O.H.

# Grove House :: Harrogate.

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## Programme of Music by the Massed Bands

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The following Programme of Music will be played by the Bands during the Day in different parts of the Ground:

1. GRAND ENSEMBLE .. "The National Anthem" .. *Dr. Bull.*  
(God Save the King.)  
(Special arrangement with Fanfare of Trumpets.)
2. NATIONAL SONG .. "Land of Hope and Glory" .. *Edward Elgar.*  
(Published by Boosey & Co. Ltd., London.)
3. TWO POPULAR ITEMS—
  - (a) Valse Ballad .. "Sleepy Head" .. *Jesse Green.*
  - (b) Intermezzo .. "Coming through the Cornfields" .. *Horatio Nicholls.*(Both Numbers published by the Lawrence Wright Music Co.)
4. The R.A.O.B. MARCH .. "Grove House" .. *Bro. J. Ord Hume.*  
(Composed and published expressly for the R.A.O.B., G.L.E., Orphanage Fund.)
5. TWO POPULAR ITEMS—
  - (a) Intermezzo Fox-Trot .. "Memories of You" .. *Randa Russell.*
  - (b) Intermezzo Fox-Trot .. "Mary Lou" .. *J. R. Robinson.*(Both Numbers published by B. Feldman & Co., London.)
6. PROCESSIONAL MARCH OF THE—"Silver Trumpets" .. *Viviani.*  
(Published by the "Cornet Journal," Sibsey, Boston, Lincs.)

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The whole of the above Programme of Music has been arranged by  
BRO. ORD HUME, R.O.H.

HON. DIRECTOR OF MUSIC - - - - - BRO. J. ORD HUME, R.O.H.

REFRESHMENTS will be available at various Stalls in the Grounds.

CATERERS — Henry Angel & Co., Ltd., Farm Shops, York.

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LUNCHEONS SERVED	—	12 to 3 o'clock.	2/6 per head.
TEAS	..	3 to 6-30 o'clock.	1/6 per head.

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## DON'T FORGET TO VISIT THE BAZAAR IN THE LARGE DINING ROOM.

STALLS arranged by the LEEDS, HARROGATE, WOMBWELL AND OTHER PROVINCES. Proceeds of all Sales go for the benefit of the Grove House Funds.

Various side shows in the grounds, including BOWLING COMPETITIONS, etc.

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**SPECIAL NOTE TO MOTORISTS.**—The Education Authorities have kindly allowed the Grove Road Council School Playground to be used as a Parking Ground, for Light Cars.

The School is just opposite Grove House Entrance.



A VIEW OF THE GROUNDS.





BRO. THE REV. J. W. HIND,  
CALLINGWORTH VICARAGE, BRADFORD.



REV. S. E. LOWE,  
VICAR OF OTLEY.



THE REV. S. T. DAWSON, M.A.,  
VICAR OF ST. LUKE'S, HARROGATE.  
SPOVE HOUSE IS IN THIS PARISH.



REV. R. MACPHERSON,  
PREBEND OF BISHOP CATHEDRAL.

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A FEW OF OUR CLERICAL BRETHREN WHO ASSISTED AT THE OPENING.



OUR GROVE HOUSE ORPHANAGE COMMITTEE, 1927.

BRO. B. JONES, GRAND PRINC. CHAIRMAN.



HARROGATE LADIES' COMMITTEE,  
Mrs. Wray - President.



HARROGATE P.G.L. GROVE HOUSE COMMITTEE,  
Bns. Coates, K.O.M., P.G.P. - Chairman.



" BILLY."



ONE OF OUR GRAND LODGE OFFICES.

# Band of the 5th Batt. West Yorkshire Regt.

(P.W.O.), (T.F.),

BY KIND PERMISSION OF LT. COL. H. HARRINGTON AND OFFICERS.

## PROGRAMME OF MUSIC.

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|-----------------------|--------------------------------|-------|-------------------------------|
| 1. MARCH .. ..        | " Grove House "                | .. .. | <i>Lt. J. Ord Hume</i>        |
| 2. OVERTURE .. ..     | " Lustspiel "                  | .. .. | <i>Keler-Bela</i>             |
| 3. WALTZ .. ..        | " Speak "                      | .. .. | <i>Nicholls</i>               |
| 4. SELECTION .. ..    | " Patience "                   | .. .. | <i>Sullivan</i>               |
| 5. FOX-TROT .. ..     | " My Cutey's Due "             | .. .. | <i>Robin &amp; Von Tilzer</i> |
| 6. ONE-STEP .. ..     | " All Scotch "                 | .. .. | <i>McKenna</i>                |
| 7. HUMORESQUE .. ..   | " A Musical Switch "           | .. .. | <i>Alford</i>                 |
| 8. FOX-TROT .. ..     | " Wait Till to-morrow Night "  | .. .. | <i>Arr. Lt. J. Ord Hume</i>   |
| 9. MARCH MEDLEY .. .. | " Martial Moments "            | .. .. | <i>Winter</i>                 |
| 10. SERENADE .. ..    |                                | .. .. | <i>Schubert</i>               |
| 11. SONG .. ..        | " I Love the Moon "            | .. .. | <i>Rubens</i>                 |
| 12. MORCEAU .. ..     | " Parade of the Tin Soldiers " | .. .. | <i>Jessel</i>                 |
| 13. QUICK STEP .. ..  | " Carry on "                   | .. .. | <i>Winson</i>                 |

GOD BLESS THE PRINCE OF WALES.

REGIMENTAL MARCH - " CA IRA."

GOD SAVE THE KING.

CONDUCTOR - - - - - MR. TOM WALKER, B.M.

# Harrogate Borough Prize Band.

CONDUCTOR - MR. H. BREIDEN.

## PROGRAMME OF MUSIC.

1. MARCH .. .. " Grove House " .. .. *Lt. J. Ord Hume*
2. SELECTION .. .. " Songs of Scotland."
3. (a) ORIENTAL FOX-TROT " Way Down Home."
- (b) VALSE .. .. " I wish I had my old Gal back again."
4. SELECTION .. .. " Oberon " .. .. .. *Weber*
5. FANTASIA .. .. " A Night in Switzerland."  
   (With echo effects).
6. SUITE .. .. .. " Bohemian " .. .. *Lt. J. Ord Hume*
7. (a) A FLEMISH REVERIE " Have You Forgotten Yvonne ? "
- (b) FOX-TROT .. .. " O! Charlie take it away ! "
8. CONTEST MARCH .. .. " Senator." .. ..
9. SELECTION .. .. " A Garland of Classics " .. .. *Rimmer*
10. SUITE .. .. .. " A Rustic Holiday."
11. SELECTION .. .. " The Gondoliers " .. .. *Sullivan*
12. FOX-TROT .. .. .. " Good Night."
13. DESCRIPTIVE FANTASIA " Fox and Hounds " .. .. *Hawkins*
14. MARCH .. .. .. " The Outpost."

GOD SAVE THE KING.

F. WEATHERHEAD (Secretary).



BRO. GEO. COOKE, K.O.M., P.O. SEC.,  
HARROGATE,  
HON. SEC., LOCAL COMMITTEE.



MRS. H. L. MELNER  
OUR MATRON.



BRO. CARTER, K.O.M., P.O.P., HARROGATE,  
CHAIRMAN  
LOCAL COMMITTEE, GROVE HOUSE.



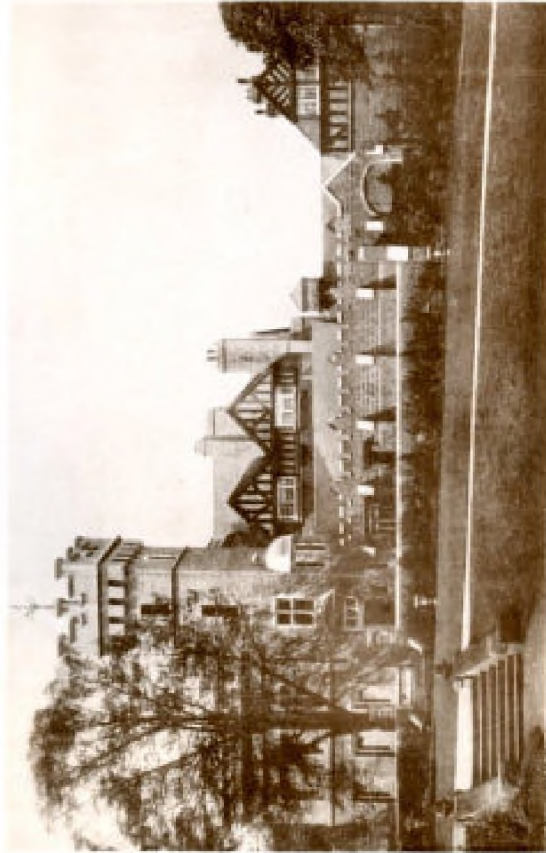
MISS BARBARA HARROGATE,  
DAUGHTER OF MRS. HARROGATE, HARROGATE,  
WHO HAS HELPED SO SPLENDIDLY WITH  
OUR "TRUNKIES".



BRO. FRANCIS F. BOYER,  
HON. ASSISTANT SECRETARY,  
GROVE HOUSE LOCAL COMMITTEE.



MISS EDITH BRAY,  
ONE OF OUR JUVENILE WORKERS.



EAST TERRACE.



## Grove House :: Harrogate.

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**S**TATELY home of fairest England,  
Verily art thou ;  
Set in scene of rarest grandeur,  
Decked with leaf and bough,  
Situate 'midst Yorkshire's glories,  
Picturesquely proud,  
Beautified by Nature's travail,  
Far from city crowd.

Firm, unshaken, thou hast weathered  
Many a varied spell ;  
Could thy walls but speak their story,  
What a tale to tell !  
Through the Springtime, Summer, Autumn,  
Winter, cold and bare,  
Thou hast sheltered Sons of Virtue ;  
Youth and maiden fair.

Surely, now, thy radiant splendour  
Brighter still appears ;  
Since thy purpose is to banish  
Orphan woes and fears ;  
Cheer, inspire the sons and daughters  
Of a Cause right royal ;  
Citizens of glad to-morrow,  
Britons, true and loyal.

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