

PERFECT SILENCE IS REQUESTED, AND THE COMMITTEE RESPECTFULLY SOLICIT THE AUDIENCE TO MAINTAIN SAME.

Thirty-sixth Season.

Gorton Philharmonic Society.

(Established 1854.)

BELLE VUE GARDENS

(BY KIND PERMISSION),

June 3rd, 1923, at Eleven a.m.

TO assist the progress of the Society, Ladies and Gentlemen are cordially invited to become Honorary Members. All particulars may be obtained from present Members, or the Secretary.

Annual Subscription, 4s.

May be paid to any Member of the Committee, or to Mr. J. D. Hardman, Secretary, at the table.

- 1. MARCH "Imperial" ELGAR
- 2. OVERTURE ... "Merry Wives of Windsor" NICOLAI
- 3. AIR "Allah be with Us" ... WOODFORDE-FINDEN
(From *A Lover in Damascus*).

Miss Winifred V. Dunsford, L.L.C.M.

H! when the dark on many a heart descends,
 Our joy more swiftly runs,
 Our joy more swiftly runs.
 Heart of my heart, our great love never ends
 Though set ten thousand suns.

Allah be with us when that last deep night
 Shall wrap us round about,
 And love be with us with her steadfast light,
 When death our lamp burns out.

The SEATS
 are intended
 for
 ELDERLY
 PERSONS
 and
 LADIES.

- 4. THREE IRISH DANCES ANSELL
- 5. SUITE... .. "Merchant of Venice" ROSSE
- 6. PROCESSION OF THE GRAIL (*Parsifal*) WAGNER
- 7. OVERTURE "Hansel and Gretel"... .. HUMPERDINCK
- 8. AIR "Alas! those Chimes" (*Maritana*) WALLACE

Miss Winifred V. Dunsford, L.L.C.M.

ALAS! those chimes so sweetly stealing
 Gently dulcet, gently dulcet to the ear,
 Sound like pity's voice revealing
 To the dying death is near.
 Still he slumbers, how serenely,
 Not a sigh disturbs his rest;
 Oh! that angels now might waft him
 To the mansions of the blest.

Yes, yes, those chimes so softly swelling,
 As from some holy sphere,
 Sound like hymns of spirits telling
 To the dying peace is here.
 Come! abide with us in heaven,
 Here no grief can reach thy breast.
 Come! approving angels wait thee
 In the mansions of the blest.

- 9. SELECTION "Pirates of Penzance" SULLIVAN

Conductor: Mr. J. F. RIDGWAY.

ACCOMPANIST - - - - - MR. FRED BRITTON.

Vocalist for July Rehearsal:

Mr. Thos. H. Robinson (Tenor).

Piano supplied by ALBERT WAGSTAFF,
St. Mary's Gate, and Ashton Old Road, Manchester.