

From Antient times no master or fellow could be absent from his Lodge, especially when summoned to appear, without incurring grave censure, unless it appeared to the Master and Wardens that pure necessity hindered him."—ANTIENf CHARGE.

## Ancient Free and Accepted Masons.



W. Bro. George Williams King, W.M.  
" John Alfred Stewart, S.W.  
" William Henry Maye, J.W.

Dear Sir and Brother,

You are requested to attend a Regular Lodge, which will be held at the Masonic Hall, St. Nicholas Street, on Wednesday, the Twentieth of October, 1897, at 6.45 o'clock p.m.

I am, Dear Sir and Brother,

Yours fraternally,

Jos. J. Wood,

Hon. Secretary.

Ethelbert Lodge, Worcester,  
17th October, 1897

### Business.

- 1.—To open Lodge at **6.0 punctually.**
- 2.—To read and, if approved, confirm the minutes of the last Regular Lodge.
- 3.—To read Correspondence.
- 4.—To initiate Mr. Harry St. John Wilding, Aged 41, of the Grammar School, Evesham, School Master, proposed by Bro. L. J. Wilding, and seconded by W. Bro. H. G. Budd.
- 5.—To pass Brother E. T. Ruthven Murray.
- 6.—To receive Subscriptions due.
- 7.—To collect Alms.
- 8.—To transact any other business which may arise for the good of Masonry in general, or Lodge 280 in particular.

**NOTE.**—Refreshments will be provided for those Brethren only who signify their intention to remain, by letter, addressed to W. Bro. H. Rowe, P.M., 10, Lansdowne Crescent, Worcester.