

A Dickens Evening

23rd November 1992

NOVEMBER seems quite some way off but this is the best opportunity to draw attention to a rather special meeting.

On the 3rd of November we are organising an evening of Dickens readings after the manner in which Dickens himself excelled.

The reader is Professor Dr. George Curry, M.A., Ph.D., Professor Emeritus of the University of South Carolina. He was a pupil at the Dover Boys' Grammar School.

He made a successful and profitable hobby of his "Dickens Evenings" which follow the traditional pattern of Dickens' own readings.

Professor Curry regularly performs at the National Portrait Gallery, London, and every Christmas at the British Embassy, Washington.

He performed at the Rochester Dickens Festival and has performed in many centres world-wide of the English speaking Union.



We owe his appearance in Dover to the personal contact of our Vice-President, Miss Lillian Kay, and Professor Curry is very pleased to be coming back to Dover.

He wishes to waive his usual fees; he wants the occasion to be open to the public and to be free of charge. The evening is being sponsored by the Complete Financial Services who now occupy the "David Copperfield House" in the Market Square.

Admission will be by programme.

There will be a raffle with unusually good prizes. Professor Curry wishes all profits to go to Dover charities and we shall make sure that these are as generous as possible.

So, do note the date in your diary and be sure to arrive early on the evening of 23rd November because the meeting is open to the public and it will be first come first served.

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