HALF A CENTURY OLD.

SEMI-CENTENNIAL OF ST. MATTHEW'S CHURCH CELEBRATED YESTERDAY.

An Imposing Ceremonial—Mass Celebrated by Cardinal Gibbons—Sermon by Rev. Father Richards—History of the Structure.

With the fairest of skies, the most resplendent of altar lights and the grandest of music, the fiftieth anniversary of the dedication of St. Matthew's Catholic Church was observed yesterday with imposing ceremonies. The old edifice was thronged with members of the congregation and strangers in the city. The pontifical high mass at 11 o'clock was celebrated by Cardinal Gibbons, with the Very Rev. Dr. Magnien, S. S., assistant priest; Rev. J. A. Walter of St. Patrick's Church, deacon of the mass; Rev. James F. Mackin, sub-deacon; Revs. M. J. Walsh and John Lloyd, deacons of honor, and Revs. T. J. Kervick and E. A. Williams, masters of ceremonies.

The cardinalate colors prevailed in the altar coverings and the pulpit was decorated with evergreen and smilax. To the left of the sanctuary a throne, embellished with scarlet tapestry, had been provided for His Eminence, Cardinal Gibbons.

The music of the mass was of the highest order of excellence. The numbers sung were as follows: "Asperges Me," by G. Thunder; "Kyrie Eleison," by George Wichtl; "Gloria in Excelsis Deo," by Saverio Mercadante; "Credo in Unum Deum," by E. Silas; "Sanctus et Benedictus" and "Agnus Dei," by Charles Gounod. Before the sermon, "Veni Creator," by Gannon, and at the offertory, "Jubilate Deo," by Diabelli—a soprano obligato, solo and chorus.

The following-named ladies and gentlemen composed the choir: Soprani—Mrs. Laidee Rossiter, Mrs. Smith, the Misses Mary Sweeney, M. Phillips, Annette Gibson, Rita Weltzel, L. Chapman, Lillian Hunt and Mrs. H. Conquest Clark; alti—The Misses Marguerite Nolan, Blanche Yewell, Laura Zeh, Emma Dougherty, Lucy Patterson and Eva Cowling; tenori—Messrs. William H. Burnett, Charles M. Connell, Nulta C. Davies and James Patterson; bassi—John H. Nolan, Michael A. Donnelly, George R. Sheriff, Edward L. Barbour, Peter C. Treanor, A. H. Ritter, John F. Blackmar; baritone, L. E. Gannon—choirmaster. Mr. Waldecker was organist.

The sermon was delivered by the Rev. J. Havens Richards, S. J., president of Georgetown University. It was brief but impressive, and in the course of which the distinguished prelate and scholar referred to the continuity of the Catholic Church, which had withstood the rise and fall of empires and republics; whose prosperity was always progressive and never backward. He spoke of the beautiful ceremonials of the church, its blessed sacrament, which through the ages had sustained its priests and people in always having the presence of Christ before them, and which gave them hope of a better and a higher life hereafter. To attain that higher life, he said, that all should live in a higher devotion to their religious duties, and more and more in the love of God.

At the close of the sermon the choir sang the "Laudate Dominum," followed by the blessed sacrament and benediction.

Rev. Dr. Chapelle entertained the Cardinal and the reverend clergy at dinner at the pastoral residence adjoining the church.

The history of St. Matthew's Church is very interesting. In 1838 Rev. Father Matthews, the pastor of St. Patrick's, began the formation of the new parish of St. Matthew. The ground upon which it is built was purchased from W. S. Nicholls, and its first pastor was the Rev. John P. Donelan, who had for his assistant his brother, Rev. James Donelan, who upon the former's transfer to the Detroit diocese succeeded as pastor. The second pastor was the Rev. Henry Meyers, who died in 1874, pastor of St. Vincent's Church, Baltimore. The third pastor was Rev. John B. Byrne, whose assistant was Rev. E. L. S. Waldron. The former died at Mount St. Mary's College, Emmitsburg, Md., and the latter a few years ago at Pikesville, Md. The fourth pastor was Rev. Charles E. White, who ministered to this flock for twenty-one years. He had great ability both as a speaker and writer on the leading subjects of the day and was a cultivated musician. He enlarged the church, placed in it the fine organ now in use, and frequently conducted the choir even when his voice quivered with age and weakness. At his death, April, 1878, he was succeeded by the Rev. Francis E. Boyle, a Baltimorean. His first mission was to Rockville.

On May 22, 1882, the Rev. Dr. Chapelle, who had for many years been pastor of St. Joseph's Church, Baltimore, became pastor of St. Matthew's, where he still remains. In addition to his well known ability as a theologian he is a most excellent practical manager in every thing connected with the interests of his large parish.

When the corner-stone of St. Matthew's Church was laid by Archbishop Eccleston among the interested spectators were President Tyler and Mr. Fillmore (afterwards President) who occupied a carriage. On the platform were seated heads of departments, officers of the Army and Navy, President Goldsborough and others of the Board of Aldermen. The church was dedicated September 21, 1840, by Archbishop Eccleston, and two years later, May 15, 1842, the indebtedness having been liquidated it was consecrated by the same prelate.

The first series of sermons preached in the church was by Father Rider, president of Georgetown University, and attracted distinguished audiences, including President Van Buren. Since that date nearly every President has attended some service at St. Matthew's. On May 14, 1841, President John Tyler's sister was baptized there by Father Donelan. It has been the favorite church of members of the diplomatic corps, and some imposing ceremonials in honor of foreign rulers have taken place within its walls. The solemn obsequies for the repose of Pope Pius IX. and for King Alfonso of Spain, the funeral years ago of the Spanish Minister, that of the Portugese Minister, and more recently that of General Phil Sheridan, presented scenes of military and diplomatic pageantry such as had been rarely witnessed in any church in the country. Mr. William Keefe, who in 1840 was an altar boy at St. Matthew's, and who took part in the consecration of the church in the procession of acolytes, was present yesterday. He is still in vicorous health.

The vesper service was also largely attended and the music rendered very fine. The choir of St. Matthew's has a national reputation. It was the good Father White who brought the choir to that degree of excellence which it has ever since maintained.

SHOT AT THE OFFICER.

A Colored Roman Who Came Very Near Being a Murderer.

Officer Hatton and a number of other officers of the Fourth Precinct were skirmishing around in East Capitol alley yesterday afternoon looking for crap players. Hatton was crawling up to a game that was in progress, when there was a sharp report from a revolver and a bullet came whizzing through a board fence in close proximity to him.

At the same time George Perry, a colored man, started on the run up the alley and two or three officers at his heels. He proved to be quite a sprinter and gave the officers a very lively chase. They sent several shots after him, but this had no effect.

On E street, between Delaware avenue and First street, he disappeared into a stable and hid himself under some hay in the loft. The officers thought sure that he had escaped them, and were about to give up the search when a stir among the hay in one corner of the loft revealed the ruffian's hiding place. Even after being arrested the prisoner resisted vigorously, and bit Officer Hatton's thumb badly.

Perry was in the Police Court this afternoon. Officer Hatton told Judge Miller his story, and although there were half a dozen other witnesses to the assault on the officer the Judge said that he did not care to hear any more, and bound Perry over to the grand jury in $1,000 bonds.

THEY ACTED IN SELF-DEFENSE.

Officers Stenhouse and Murphy Declare They Had to Use the Baton.

Editor Critic: I have the honor to respectfully request that you will, in justice to Mr. Murphy and myself, publish the following reply to Mr. Carlisle's report in yesterday's *Post:*

Mr. Carlisle should adhere strictly to the truth in making statements, and if he had done so I think that affairs would assume a different appearance. He was sitting on his own doorstep in a beastly drunken condition, and knowing that he had a gold watch in his possession, I used my utmost endeavors to wake him and have him go into his house.

I gave him a good shaking and at last he jumped to his feet and dealt me a furious blow on the left breast when I struck him. Had I not had a good hold of his left arm at the time I should certainly have been knocked down. He struck me the second time when he received a second blow, he then attempted to strike Mr. Murphy when I slipped my nippers on him and we took him to the station.

After the doctor had put two stitches in his head he begged so pitifully to have the charge withdrawn, as there had been a charge preferred against him, that the charge was withdrawn and the charge of intoxication entered in its place.

It is an untruth that we went to Mr. Carlisle's house and said "that if he would let it drop it would be all right."

I don't know how the porch of his house could have been covered with blood, as not a blow was struck on his porch, and he was not allowed to go up on it.

I trust you will do us the justice to publish this, and add that this statement can be substantiated by several reliable and respectable citizens of the District.

Mr. Carlisle is a large, brawny man, and has the reputation of being one of the strongest on the wharf, where he works. He has been on our blotter before, no later than August 1, for an assault on a gentleman named Perkins, and not only that time has he been charged with offenses, but many times before.

ADAM STENHOUSE,
Private Met. Police Dept.

September 21, 1890.

[Officer Murphy has also made a statement, corroborating the above.—Ed. CRITIC.]

CHARGED WITH AN ATROCIOUS CRIME.

A Lustful German Who Feloniously Assaulted Two Little Girls.

George Tiebert, an aged German, was locked up at the First Precinct Station last night for committing a felonious assault upon two young girls, named Annie Robinson and Mary Wittstat. The assault was committed in a barn in the rear of No. 304 Tenth street northwest. Both girls were badly bruised, but were able to appear against Tiebert in the Police Court to-day.

In the Police Court this afternoon Judge Miller listened carefully to the evidence given by the two little girls, also to that given by Dr. Ellyson of the Emergency Hospital. There were two distinct charges, and Judge Miller required Tubert to furnish $2,000 bail in each case for his appearance before the grand jury.

Wimodaughsis' New Home.

That progressive society, known as the Wimodaughsis, have issued a circular, stating that a building will be secured for meeting purposes. The building will not only have meeting and business rooms, but a library, reading and reception rooms, a thoroughly-equipped gymnasium, an art gallery and a natatorium. The larger hall will be used for the annual conventions of the National American Woman Suffrage Association, the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, the Association of Collegiate Alumnæ, Woman's National Press Association, Woman's Relief Corps, the Red Cross and Labor and Indian Associations, Federation of Clubs, and all the various benevolent, literary and social societies of women, which are now dependent on the courtesy of hotels and churches for a meeting place.

A Reception to Miss Blaine.

A number of the many friends of Miss Nina B. Blaine attended and participated in an enjoyable reception and dance given in that very popular young lady's honor at her Capitol Hill home on last Saturday evening. Some of those present were Misses Addie Blaine, Bella Jost, Margaret Blaine, Katie Dempsey, Nina Blaine, Katherine Fitzpatrick, Mae Blaine, Margaret French, Blondine Blandford and Messrs. Charles W. Fair, Thomas Ewing, George R. French, T. W. B. Middleton, Gleliart Clark, Arthur Buchanan, Arthur Clifford and Elmer E. Houck.

Struck by a Cable Car.

A large crowd was attracted to the corner of Pennsylvania avenue and Seventh street last night, in consequence of Michael Sullivan having been struck by a cable car. Everybody supposed that Sullivan had been very seriously hurt and he was taken in the patrol wagon to the Emergency Hospital, where it was ascertained that he was more scared than injured. He was afterward taken to his home, No. 220 O street northwest.

No One Wanted the Pistol.

There were fifty-five prisoners huddled in the two dark cells in the Police Court dungeon this morning when Bailiff Maddigan spied the plated barrel of a revolver lying on the stone floor. He at once took possession of it and turned it over to Judge Miller. The weapon was not loaded, and there was not a single man in the cell who would claim ownership to it.

AT THE SCENE OF HIS CRIME.

The Defaulting Route Agent Breaks Down When He Meets His Wife.

George Harris, the route agent recently taken from here to St. Louis charged with the theft of mail-matter from a Chicago and Alton mail-car, broke down completely when confronted by his young and pretty wife in the District Attorney's office last Friday. He supposed that she had deserted him, but to the contrary she followed him to the seat of his crime and place of confinement.

The meeting between the husband and wife, and also that between Harris and his father, was declared the most affecting that ever occurred in the St. Louis Federal building. Harris, on his way to St. Louis, passed directly through Vincennes, Ind., where his wife and father were, but he expressed no desire to stop and see them. They, however, heard of his having passed through the city and followed him directly to St. Louis.

SOME USE IN THE CENSUS.

A Criminal Traced by It who Had Defrauded the Pension Office.

From the New York Sun.

The tracing of criminals is a peculiar use to which to put the census returns, and yet that is what has just been done in a case out in Colorado. A series of pension frauds had been perpetrated in that State, and agents of the Pension Office had traced them to one man, whom they were about to arrest, when he suddenly disappeared. No trace of him or his family could be found.

The officials at last received valuable information to the effect that their man was somewhere in Rio Blanco County, Col., but where they could not discover. As the county is a pretty extensive one, it would be a long and tiresome task to search for him in the ordinary way, and some bright mind suggested that perhaps the Census Office could assist in the search. Accordingly, permission was obtained for an examination of the schedules returned from that county, with the result that the man for whom they were looking, with his wife and family, was in a little out-of-the-way mining camp in an obscure corner of the county. He was arrested, and is now in jail awaiting trial, and the ends of justice are served.

ANDY JOHNSON'S TOAST.

His Barber Tells Some Interesting Stories About Lincoln's Successor.

From the San Francisco Examiner.

History is not altogether written in books nor carried in the minds of savants. The sources of historical information are varied.

For instance, says the Indianapolis *News*, one may get an idea of the character of President Andy Johnson from a talk with his barber, who happens to live in this city, and is none other than George L. Keeble, one of the proprietors of the Young Men's Christian Association barber shop.

"I might have been the first free colored man to be married in the White House," said George, "but I was not willing to wait until we could go from Nashville to Washington. It happened in this way:

"My wife was Mrs. Johnson's maid. She waited on the front door of the Johnson mansion and was very affectionately treated by the family.

"When Governor Johnson went to Washington, knowing that I was waiting on Mrs. Johnson's maid, we were asked to go along and be married at the Capital.

"The circumstances of my courting were unusual. One day I was walking past the governor's house when I saw a captain of the army, well known in Nashville, walk up to Mr. Johnson, who was in the yard, and begin to use abusive language.

"Among other things I remember he called Johnson 'a traitor.' Johnson fired up in an instant.

"His right hand and arm were paralyzed. With his left he struck out briskly and tumbled the captain down upon the grass. After that guards were placed about the premises, with instructions to exclude all persons not having passes.

"This interfered somewhat with the other young fellows who were, like myself, paying attention to Mrs. Johnson's maid. But it helped me.

"The maid at the front door told the guards to admit me, and by the time the governor was ready to go to Washington I had prosecuted my courtship to a successful result."

"How did Mr. Johnson conduct himself toward the colored people?"

"He was free and easy with us. For instance, he would come down to my barber shop of a morning and about the the first remark would be: 'Well, George, do you know where I can find a good mint julep?'"

"I generally knew where to find one and he would always invite me over to try the liquor with him. In drinking he would generally propose a toast, and this was the most common one: 'God bless the white folks and the Lord save the niggers.'"

Fined for Selling Without License.

George W. Dwyer was to-day fined $50 for selling liquor without a retail license at No. 408 Twenty-sixth street southwest. One witness out of five testified that he had purchased whisky in the place by the glass, but could not give the date. Campbell Carrington, the counsel for Mr. Dwyer, noted an appeal.

Washington Stock Exchange.

Miscellaneous Bonds — U. S. Electric Lights 1st, 6's, 100; U. S. Electric Light 2d, 6's, 100; W. & G. R. R. 10-40 6's, R'98-'23, 103; W. & G. Convertible, 6's, 135; Masonic Hall Ass'n, 5's, C 1888, 107; Wash. Market Co., 1st Mort., 6's, 110; Wash. Market Co., Imp., 6's, 116; Ist'd & Seaboard Co., 6's, C 1907, —; Wash. Lt. Infantry, 1st, 6's, 1904, 99; Wash. Lt. Infantry, 2d, 7's, 1904, 99; Wash. Gas Light Co., Ser. A, 6's, 1, 16; Wash. Gas Light Co., Ser. B, 6's, 117; Hygienic Ice Company, 1st Mort., 6s, —; American Security and Trust, 101.

National Bank Stocks—Bank of Washington, 450; Bank of Republic, 270; Metropolitan, 260; Central, 275; Second, 200; Farmers and Mechanics', 185; Citizens', 109; Columbia, 170; Capital, 113; West End, 90; Traders', 125; Lincoln, 118.

Railroad Stocks — Washington and Georgetown, 350; Metropolitan, 100; Columbia, 70; Capitol and North O Street, 63; Eckington and Soldier's Home, 68; Georgetown and Tenleallytown, 54; Brightwood, —.

Insurance Stocks—Firemen's, 45; Franklin, 50; Metropolitan, 70; National Union, 30; Arlington, 170; Corcoran, 65; Columbia, 17; German-American, 175; Potomac, 90; Riggs, 5; People's 54; Lincoln, 54.

Title Insurance Stocks—Real Estate Title, 125; Columbia Title, 60; Washington Title, —.

Gas and Electric Light Stocks—Washington Gas, 60; Georgetown Gas, 50; U. S. Electric Light, 160.

Telephone Stocks—Pennsylvania, 25; Chesapake and Potomac, 71; American Graphophone, 164.

Miscellaneous Stocks.—Washington Market Co., 164; Washington Brick Machine Co., 353; Great Falls Ice Co., 350; Bull Run Panorama Co., —; National Safe Deposit, 225; Washington Safe Deposit, 125; Washington Loan and Trust Co., 42; National Typographic, 17; Mergenthaler, 2; Pneumatic Gun Carriage, 2; American Security and Trust Co., 64; Lincoln Hall, —; Hygienic Ice Co., —; Inter-Ocean Building Co., —.

HE SEIZED HIS WIG.

How a Fight in Congress Before the War was Suddenly Interrupted.

Washington Special St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

The bloodless and bruiseless fist fight between Congressman Wilson of Washington and Beckwith of New Jersey has started a flow of reminiscences of other ludicrous spats on the floor of the House. One of the best stories is told by Colonel Hinton, who was a newspaper correspondent here before the war. Some phase of the slavery question was up in the House. Owen Lovejoy of Illinois had been talking, and, as usual, he had aggravated the Southerners. Barksdale of Mississippi replied. Hot words passed. This was not the Barksdale of recent service in the House, but General Barksdale, who was killed during the war. As the interchange of invective grew more and more personal it seemed that an encounter was unavoidable.

Roger A. Pryor, then a young Congressman from Virginia, raised the lid of his desk and slipped out a pistol. Several others got ready. Just as the crisis was at hand a giant of a man from Wisconsin named Potter suddenly reached over from the Republican side of the House and made a grab for Barksdale. The Mississippian had long hair, which he always wore carefully brushed. To the astonishment of the whole House the luxuriant hair proved to be a wig. It came off, of course. Potter stood there dumfounded, holding the magnificent covering aloft and looking first at the hair and then at the bald head beneath. The House held its breath for a moment and then roar after roar of laughter drowned out all feeling of resentment. Pryor raised the lid of his desk, put back his pistol and laughed. Lovejoy sat down convulsed. Potter awkwardly restored the wig and then both he and Barksdale smiled. There was no more thought of fighting over slavery that day.

Deserve to Be Roasted.

From the St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Death by electricity may be a revolting method of execution, but it is not too revolting for the scoundrels who are wrecking New York Central trains.

If Washington Were Alive.

From the Courier-Journal.

George Washington wore a No. 11 boot, and he would have been greatly tempted to use it if he had lived to see the present Congress.

Died.

PLATT—On Sunday, September 21, 1890, at 9 o'clock p. m., Carlisle Patterson, aged 20 years, only son of Lieutenant Robert Platt, U. S. N., and H. E. Platt.

LYNCH—On Sunday, September 21, 1890, at 3:30 p. m., John, beloved son of Jeremiah and Sarah Lynch, aged 3 years, 4 months and 20 days.

Funeral from his parents' residence, 1713 Thirty-fourth street northwest, at 4 o'clock Monday, September 22. Relatives and friends respectfully invited.

SHEPHERD—On September 20, 1890, at 8:35 a. m., at his parents' residence, 1309 Georgia avenue southwest, W. J. Shepherd, Jr., aged 43 years.

Funeral Monday, 23d instant, at 2:30 p. m. from his parent's residence. Friends and family respectfully invited to attend.

DOUGLAS—At New Windsor College, Maryland, Friday, September 19, 1890, Gertrude, daughter of the late Henry and Annie Douglas, fell asleep in Jesus.

HEENAN—On the evening of September 19, 1890, Joseph Francis, infant son of John A. and Teresa Heenan, aged 1 year and 2 months.

MILLER—Departed this life on Thursday, September 18, 1890, Charles L., beloved husband of Alice P. Miller, of heart failure, in the 59th year of his age.

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