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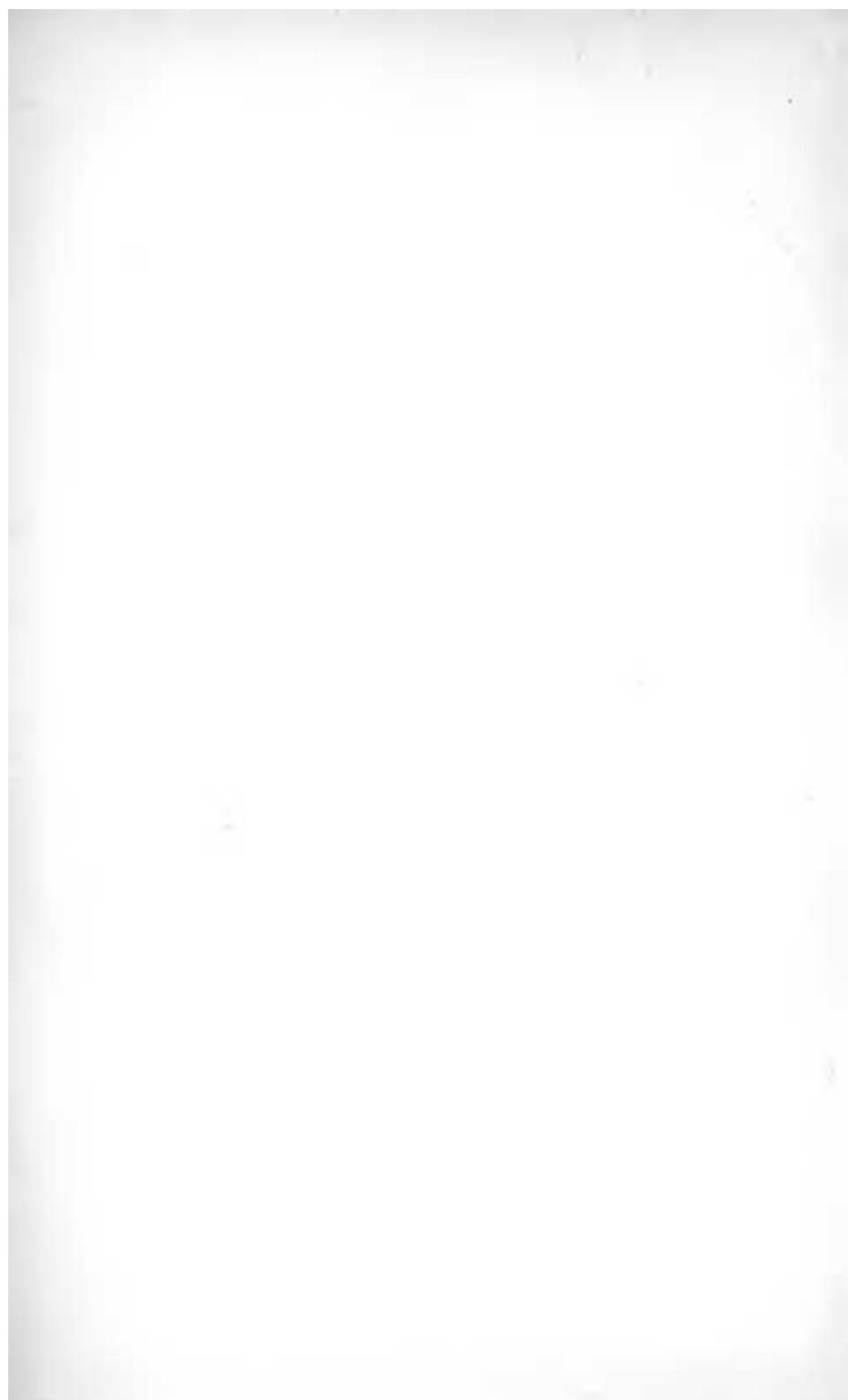
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## The Centennial Services.

**A**n account of the services held in St. Mark's Church, on Sunday, May 7, 1899, and Tuesday, May 9, 1899, to commemorate the one-hundredth anniversary of the dedication of the church, on May 9, 1799, with the sermon preached by the Rt. Rev. the Bishop of the diocese on Sunday morning, the addresses made by the Rev. Drs. Huntington, Coe and Richey, and Dean Van Amringe, on Sunday evening, and the historical address delivered by the Rev. Dr. Dix on Tuesday at noon.

As the one-hundredth anniversary of the consecration of St. Mark's Church approached, the vestry resolved to celebrate the interesting event by a series of services, differing in character and affording opportunity for the participation of the present representatives of the various churches and other institutions in the city of New York, which have had an historical connection with St. Mark's during the past century.

The anniversary day, May 9th, fell on a Tuesday, and it was therefore decided to begin the celebration on the preceding Sunday and to request the Bishop of the diocese to preach on

Sunday, and the rector of Trinity to deliver an historical address on Tuesday.

The institutions which it was desired to have represented, and the reasons therefor, are as follows :

Trinity, as the "mother of churches" in New York, to whom St. Mark's largely owes its existence; St. George's, St. Paul's, Christ Church and the French Church du St. Esprit, as being the only other ones organized before St. Mark's; the Collegiate Dutch Church, as St. Mark's stands partly on the site of Gov. Peter Stuyvesant's chapel; the General Theological Seminary, as the land which it occupies was given by a member of St. Mark's—Clement C. Moore—and another member—Peter Gerard Stuyvesant—endowed the St. Mark's Church in the Bowery Professorship of Ecclesiastical History; Columbia University, the second rector of St. Mark's, the Rev. Dr. Harris, having been at the same time president of Columbia College; the Anthon Memorial Church, because it was founded by St. Mark's Church. It also seemed fitting to invite the rectors of the neighboring parishes and former assistant-ministers of St. Mark's. This general plan was carried into effect—a few only of those invited being unable to accept—in the manner detailed in the copy of the order of exercises which follows :

SUNDAY, MAY 7TH, AT 11 A.M.

Conducted by the Rev. C. H. Babcock, D.D., the minister in charge, the Ven. Archdeacon C. C. Tiffany, D.D., the Very Rev. Dean E. A. Hoffman, D.C.L., and the Rev. Walter Dela-

field, D.D., with Sermon by the Rt. Rev. the Bishop of the Diocese.

SUNDAY, MAY 7TH, AT 8 P.M.

Conducted by the minister in charge and the Rev. Messrs. A. C. Kimber, D.D., T. R. Harris, D.D., and W. M. Geer, with addresses by the Rev. Drs. Huntington, Coe and Richey, and Dean Van Amringe, of Columbia University.

TUESDAY, MAY 9TH, AT 12 M.

Conducted by the minister in charge, the Ven. Archdeacon C. C. Tiffany, D.D., and the Rev. Messrs. Percy S. Grant and Wm. R. Harris,\* with an historical address by the Rector of Trinity Parish.

### CHOIR.

Mrs. Caroline Mihr-Hardy, Soprano.

Miss Miriam C. Griswold, Alto.

Mr. Bayard Hawthorne, Tenor.

Mr. John C. Dempsey, Basso.

Mr. Willis Howard Alling, Organist.

Mr. Wm. Edward Mulligan (invited), Organist.

AND A PICKED CHORUS OF TWENTY VOICES.

Choirmaster,

Mr. John C. Dempsey.

### SUNDAY MORNING, MAY 7TH.

ORGAN PRELUDE.....	<i>C. M. Widor</i>
PROCESSIONAL, Hymn No. 520.....	<i>Messiter</i>
VENITE.....	<i>Plain Chant</i>
TE DEUM LAUDAMUS.....	<i>Dudley Buck</i>
JUBILATE DEO.....	<i>Miles B. Foster</i>
INTROIT, Hymn No. 194.....	<i>H. W. Parker</i>
KYRIE ELEISON.....	<i>Gounod</i>
HYMN No. 391.....	<i>Rossini</i>
SERMON, by the Rt. Rev. Henry C. Potter, D.D., LL.D., D.C.L.	
OFFERTORY ANTHEM, from "Stabat Mater".....	<i>Rossini</i>
SANCTUS.....	<i>Dykes</i>
COMMUNION, Hymn No. 225.....	<i>Hodges</i>
GLORIA IN EXCELSIS.....	<i>Old Chant</i>
RECESSIONAL, Hymn No. 521.....	<i>Bainbridge</i>
POSTLUDE, March Religieuse.....	<i>Alex. Guilmant</i>

\*A grandson of the second rector of St. Mark's.