

APPENDIX.

FUNERAL SERVICE OF THE REV. MR. DOHERTY. (1)

On Thursday, 23rd May, 1872, all that was mortal of the gifted young divine, Rev. P. J. Doherty ; of the brain so full of lively wit and repartee ; of the tongue so eloquent and entrancing ; of the hand that guided that pen so facile,—all were returned to mother-earth amidst those marks of respect which humanity delights in paying to the memory of departed friends. The funeral left the Presbytery of St Roch's at half-past nine, attended by an immense concourse of citizens. The arrangements, under the control of Mr. Marcoux, were perfect ; and the attention of Captains Voyer and Heigham, in detailing a number of policemen to preserve order, was the subject of commendation on all sides. Immediately following the body were the relatives and friends of the deceased, succeeded by the members of the St. Patrick's Institute, who wore crape on their arms, and who mustered in large numbers to pay their last tribute of respect and love to him who had presided over them as their President, and to whom they were so largely indebted for many evenings of amusing and, at the same time, instructive intercourse. Through the kindness of the Rev. Mr. Charest, the *Curé*, these gentlemen were provided with seats in front of the Sanctuary.

Arrived at St. Roch's Church, which, from floor to ceiling, was heavily draped in black, the body was met at the door by a large concourse of clergymen, presided over by the Rev. Mr. Charest, who intoned the *Miserere* and other psalms peculiar to

(1) Written by one of his many friends.