

On Monday the 23rd November 1908 the Members of the Company attended the annual St. Cecilia Commemoration at St. Pauls Cathedral at 4 p.m.

The Master (The Right Honorable The Lord Mayor) and the Sheriff attended in state

The Members met in the Lord Mayors Vestry and proceeded in Procession to the West Door to meet the Lord Mayor and Sheriffs subsequently proceeding in Procession to the Choir where Stalls were reserved for them

After the Service the Procession preceded the Lord Mayor and Sheriffs in the same order to the West Door and after their departure returned to the Lord Mayors Vestry

A beautifully worked Banner of St. Cecilia presented by Mr. W. H. Ash J. P. the President of the Livery Club was used for the first time and carried at the head of the Procession the Companys other Banner being carried in its usual place

A Processional Hymn "As the World turneth from Evening to Morning" written for the occasion by the Reverend Bernard Reynolds M. A. Prebendary of St. Pauls and the Music for which had been composed by Sir George C. Martin M. V. O. Mus. Doc. a Member of the Company was sung for the first time and the Music with the exception of the last Hymn was by Dr. John Blow (1648-1708) in commemoration of the Bi-centenary of his death

The Livery Club of the Company held a Banquet at Stationers Hall in the evening the Chair being taken by Mr. W. H. Ash J. P. the President of the Club at which the Lord Mayor and Sheriffs the Archdeacon of London, Canon Newbolt and several other of the Cathedral Clergy and Officials were present and special music suitable for the occasion was given