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HOME-COMING OF THE SLOOPERS

Commemorating the Landing of the Sloop, Restau-
rationen, Sailing from Stavanger, Norway,
July 4, and Landing in New York
Harbor October 9, 1825.

Lat os ikkje forfedrene gløyma
Under alt som me venda og snu
For dei gav os ein arv til aa gjøima
Han er større enn mange vil tru.
—Ivar Aasen.

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SUNDAY MORNING, TEN O'CLOCK.

Rt. Rev. J. Nordby, President Eastern District,
N. L. C. A., Leader.

Opening Prayer Rev. T. Aarrestad

Hymn—

O store Gud vi love dig,
Vi sier tak evindelig!
Al verden sander det og vet,
At du er Gud av evighet.

Al engles hop og himles hær,
Lov, tak og pris for tronen bær,
Og sangen av serafer gaar
Saa langt som himlens hvælving naar.

Du hellig, hellig, hellig, er,
Gud, Sebaot, vor Herre kjær,
Og fuld er himlen al og jord
Utav din guddoms ære stor.

Ta os, trofaste Gud, i agt,
La ingen synd i os faa magt!
O vær os naadig Hørrer Gud,
Vær naadig alt til enden ut.

Liturgical Service Rt. Rev. J. Nordby

Vocal Solo Verne Sigmond

Sermon (Norwegian) Rt. Rev. H. C. Holm
President Iowa District N. L. C. A.

Song Trinity Male Chorus

Hymn—

Guds ord det er vort arvegods
Det skal vor avkoms være;
Gud giv os i vor grav den ros,
Vi holdt det høit i ære.
Det er vor hjælp i nød,
Vor trøst i liv og død;
O Gud ihvor det gaar,
La dog mens verden staar,
Det i vor æt nedarves.

Closing Prayer Rev. T. Aarrestad

SUNDAY AFTERNOON, TWO O'CLOCK.

Rev. Lars Harrisville, Chairman.

Prelude Cornet and Piano

Prayer Rev. S. A. Johnson

Hymn—

Praise to the Lord the Almighty, the King of
creation,
O my soul praise Him, for He is thy health and
salvation!

All ye who hear,
Now to his temple draw near,
Join me in glad adoration.

Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things so wondrously
reigneth,
Shelters thee under His wings, yea, so gently sus-
taineth;

Hast thou not seen
How thy desires e'er have been
Granted in what He ordaineth.

Praise to the Lord, who doth prosper thy work and
defend thee;
Surely his goodness and mercy here daily attend
thee.

Ponder anew
What the Almighty can do
If with his love he befriend thee.

Address of Welcome Mayor of City of Ottawa

Response Elrick Nelson

Song Trinity Male Chorus

Address Dr. J. A. Aasgaard
President of Nor. Luth. Ch. of America.

Vocal Solo Verne Sigmond

Hymn—

A mighty fortress is our God,
A trusty shield and weapon;
Our help is he in all our need,
Our stay what'er doth happen;
For still our ancient foe
Doth seek to work us woe;
Strong mail of craft and power
He weareth in this hour;
On earth is not his equal.

Benediction Rev. A. J. Krogstad

SUNDAY EVENING, SEVEN-THIRTY O'CLOCK.

Rev. T. B. Thorson, Chairman.

Prayer Rev. L. L. Masted
Sacred Song Service Trinity Male Chorus
Benediction Rev. L. P. Kjer

MONDAY MORNING, TEN O'CLOCK.

Rev. H. T. Haagenon, Chairman.

Concert Hentrich's Military Band
Invocation Rev. C. M. Vevle
Song: "Star Spangled Banner."
Address Miss Jane Atwater
Vocal Solo Verne Sigmond
Address Dr. O. M. Norlie
Song Trinity Male Chorus
Address Mrs. Manley Fosseen
Benediction Rev. S. K. Knutson

MONDAY AFTERNOON, TWO O'CLOCK.

Mr. Elrick Nelson, Chairman.

Concert Hentrich's Military Band
Invocation Rev. J. Valtinson
Vocal Solo Mrs. Roy Harrisville
Address Dr. J. A. O. Stub
Song Trinity Male Chorus
Address Attorney Russell O. Hanson
Address Hon. Chas. S. Deneen
Vocal Solo Verne Sigmond
Song: "My Country 'Tis of Thee."
Benediction Rev. G. A. Carlson

MONDAY EVENING, SEVEN-THIRTY O'CLOCK.

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Concert Hentrich's Military Band
Invocation Rev. A. O. Mortvedt
Song Selected
Addresses Prominent Centennial Visitors
Benediction Rev. Osmund Johnson

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