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Illinois Wesleyan University

Mid-Year Convocation

Honoring the Founders

February 9, 1955

11:00 A.M.

Memorial Gymnasium

PRESIDENT MERRILL J. HOLMES, Presiding

Orchestral Prelude—Sailor's Song
Choral
Minuet

Grieg
Mendelssohn
Mozart

University Orchestra
Mario Mancinelli, Director

Procession—"Pomp and Circumstance"
(Audience will stand during Processional and remain standing through Invocation)

Elgar

The Star Spangled Banner

Invocation

DR. SIDNEY A. GUTHRIE

Collegiate Choir—"Almighty and Everlasting God"
Lloyd Pfautsch, Director

Gibbons

Scripture

DR. E. E. ATHERTON

Presentation of Speaker

PRESIDENT MERRILL J. HOLMES

Address—"Go Home, Young Man"

EDWARD C. LOGELIN, JR.

Conferring of Degrees

PRESIDENT MERRILL J. HOLMES

Doctor of Divinity—Clarence Harold Diercks
Doctor of Laws—Leonard Bert Ettelson
Doctor of Humane Letters—Edward Charles Logelin, Jr.

Presentation of Box Containing Records for the Cornerstone, Men's Dormitory

HOWARD IOAS, '55

Alma Wesleyana

From hearts aflame, our love we pledge to thee,
Where'er we wander, over land or sea;
Through time unending loyal we will be—
True to our Alma Mater, Wesleyan.

When college days are fully past and gone,
While life endures, from twilight dream til dawn,
Grandly thy soul shall with us linger on—
Star-crowned, our Alma Mater, Wesleyan!

Benediction

DR. FRANK MARSTON

Recessional—March from "The Prophet"

MEYERBEER

THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS OF THE CLASS OF 1955 HAVE COMPLETED
ALL REQUIREMENTS FOR DEGREES AT THE END OF THE FIRST
SEMESTER. DEGREES WILL BE CONFERRED IN JUNE.

James K. Almeter
Mary Ann Cornell
Marilyn Howe Eichelberg

Velma Mae Gorsage
DeWayne L. Hein
Kenneth G. Helland

Roy William Strawn
Eleanor Frances Wilcox
Deane R. Williams