

FIRST CONCERT

OF THE ANN ARBOR

CHORAL UNION

GIVEN AT

M. M. GORON,

TUESDAY EVE., DEC. 16, '79.



PROFESSOR FRIEZE,

President of the Society and Accompanist,



MR. CALVIN B. CADY, CONDUCTOR.



The Choral Union will be assisted by the following Solo Talent:

MRS. IDA BLAKESLEE, PIANIST,

MRS. E. ALLEN, SOPRANO,

MISS MARIAN SMITH, ORGANIST,

MR. SPEIL, VIOLONCELLIST.

Programme.

PART FIRST.

1. SONATA PATHETIQUE.....BEETHOVEN
a. Grave, b. Allegro Molto Con brio, c. Adagio Cantabile, d. Allegro (Rondo).

MRS. BLAKESLEE.

2. AIR—*O, had I Jubal's Lyre*.....HANDEL

MRS. ALLEN.

3. ORGAN SOLO—*Overture to Stradella*.....BUCK—FLOTOW

MISS MARION SMITH.

4. *a. THE LONG DAY CLOSES*.....SULLIVAN
b. VINTAGE SONG.....MENDELSSOHN

DOUBLE MALE QUARTETTE.

5. PIANO FORTE SOLO—*a. Gondollied*.....RICHTER
b. Spinnlied.....WAGNER—LISZT
c. Caprice Brilliant.....RAFF

MRS. BLAKESLEE.

PART SECOND.

1. CHORUS FROM THE MESSIAH—*For unto Us a Child is Born*....HANDEL

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2. SONATA FOR PIANO AND 'CELLO.....MENDELSSOHN
a. Allegro, b. Scherzo.

MRS. BLAKESLEE AND MR. SPEIL.

3. *a. THE WATER LILY*.....GADE
b. MAY SONG.....MENDELSSOHN

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4. CONCERTO IN C MINOR (with REINECKE's Cadenza).....BEETHOVEN

Solo Piano by MRS. BLAKESLEE.

Orchestral Part on the Piano by MR. CADY

5. CHORUS FROM THE MESSIAH—*Lift up Your Heads. O Ye Gates*...HANDEL

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Words of the Choruses in Part II.

1. For unto us a child is born, a son is given, and the government shall be upon his shoulders, and his name shall be called Wonderful! Counsellor! the Mighty God! the Everlasting Father! the Prince of Peace.

THE WATER LILY.

FROM THE GERMAN.

3. *a.* The water-lily's splendor
Shines on the placid lake;
Its leaves of innocence glitter
On cups of snow-like flake.
- 'Tis when the moon-beams scatter
Their silver light below,
The leaves of that fair flower
Their greatest beauty show.
- Around the lily sailing
Now a white swan appears,
Who sings so sweet, so softly,
As he the flower nears;
- He sings so sweet, so softly,
Would fain pass, singing, away.
O lily, virgin flower,
What doth his song betray?
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MAY SONG.

FROM THE GERMAN.

6. The snow is gone, May cometh on,
The flowers are springing, the birds are singing,
On every tree sweet melody!
Come forth ye fair, the dance prepare,
Your tresses shining with garlands twining;
To such delights kind May invites.
Ah! who shall say when comes the day,
From us to sever these joys forever!
Then cheerful be, 'tis God's decree,
For this kind Heaven our life hath given.
Enjoy to-day while yet ye may.
5. Lift up your heads, O ye gates,
'And be ye lifted up, ye everlasting doors,
And the King of Glory shall come in.
Who is the King of Glory?
The Lord, strong and mighty; mighty in battle.
Who is the King of Glory?
The Lord of Hosts, he is the King of Glory.
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NOTICE.—The pianos have been tuned for this concert by Mr. C. Smart, who is highly recommended by Mr. Meakin as his successor in the business of tuning. Those desiring his services can leave orders at Andrews' Book Store, Ann Arbor, or at the Music Store of J. P. Weiss, Detroit.

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