

INAUGURATION OF THE SOLDIERS' ORPHANS' HOMESTEAD

The fact that the time for formal opening of the Soldiers' Orphans' Homestead, located at this place, had been changed from the 13th to 20th of November, has created some misunderstanding. We observe that some of our exchanges announced that it will occur on the 12th, and others on the 13th, and only a few have it right. The opening will positively take place on the 20th of November.

The occasion will be one of more than ordinary interest. Bishop Simpson and Rev. Dr. Newton have signified their intention to be present. Other eminent speakers have been invited and are also expected.

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THE SOLDIERS' ORPHANS' HOMESTEAD

The exercises connected with the Inauguration of the Soldiers' Orphans' Homestead will take place this Tuesday afternoon--commencing at 1:30. The Sabbath Schools of the town are expected to participate; and there is a prospect of a large attendance from the county. If the day be fair there will be speaking in the afternoon at the Homestead. If not fair the exercises will be held in Christ Church. The exercises in the evening will be held in Christ Church. Besides Bishop Simpson and Rev. H. B. Newton, Rev. Alexander Reed, D. D., Rev. Dr. Clark of Albany, Ex-Gov. Pollock, Generals Howard, Gregory and Hoffman are expected to be present.

Bishop Simpson and Dr. Reed will speak in the afternoon at the "Home", and Rev. Mr. Newton and Dr. Clark, in the evening at Christ Church.

An Ode, specially written for the occasion, by Mrs. James of Philadelphia, will be sung afternoon and evening.

Capt. Earnshaw is marshal of general procession; and Capt. Hunter marshall of the Sabbath School.

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