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AFTER-LUNCHEON REMARKS

YOUR MAJESTY, YOUR ROYAL HIGHNESSES, EXCELLENCIES,  
MADAME AMBASSADOR, FRIENDS.

THE OCCASION THAT HAS BROUGHT MRS. HUMPHREY, MRS. DANIEL  
AND OUR PARTY TO NORWAY IS A SAD ONE FOR ALL OF US HERE TODAY.  
BUT WE ARE PROUD THAT THE PRESIDENT HAS DESIGNATED US TO HONOR  
THE MEMORY OF ONE OF THE GREAT CITIZENS OF THE WORLD-- WHO WAS  
AT THE SAME TIME ALWAYS A GREAT SON OF NORWAY-- TRYGVIE LIE.

HOWEVER SAD THE OCCASION MAY BE, WE ARE ALSO HONORED AND  
PLEASED THAT WE HAVE HAD THE OPPORTUNITY TO RECEIVE THE  
HOSPITALITY OF YOUR MAJESTY AND HIS FAMILY. AS YOU KNOW, MY

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MOTHER WAS BORN IN NORWAY. TOMORROW I SHALL VISIT MY FAMILY AGAIN IN KRISTIANSAND. I AM PROUD TO BE A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES. I AM ALSO PROUD THAT I COME FROM THE PEOPLE OF NORWAY. OUR TWO COUNTRIES BELIEVE IN DEMOCRATIC PRINCIPLES AND IN HUMAN EQUALITY. WE LOVE FREEDOM. WE KNOW THAT ALL THESE THINGS REQUIRE THE PRICE OF COURAGE AND OF RESPONSIBILITY. AND WE ARE WILLING TO PAY IT.

AS ONE OF MY LAST OFFICIAL DUTIES IT IS AN HONOR TO VISIT THE LAND OF MY FOREFATHERS AND TO SHARE THIS FINE MEAL AND THIS MOMENT OF COMPANIONSHIP WITH YOUR MAJESTY, YOUR FAMILY AND

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YOUR ASSOCIATES. ON BEHALF OF ALL YOUR GUESTS THIS DAY MAY I SAY "TAKK FOR MATEN".

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