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Correspondence.

ST. IMIER, Switzerland,
November 5, '67.

Editor Deseret News:—Realizing the interest you have for the welfare of the Kingdom of God and the spread of truth in these the latter days, and thinking a few items from this far off country might be of some little interest to you, I venture to write a few lines for your perusal, although I am rather a poor hand to communicate my thoughts on paper.

In company with br. John Hoagland I arrived in Switzerland about the last of August, 1865. We were welcomed by brothers Wm. P. Nebeker and George B. Spencer. At first we were entirely ignorant of the languages spoken here, could not even ask for the most simple though indispensable necessaries to sustain life, but we found good and kind friends who administered to our wants we applied our minds to study, the Lord blessed us and our efforts, and we soon began to talk a little, though very slow and broken. It was some weeks before we could attempt to speak in public, and my first trial was a task for me; yet I hardly knew who had the most difficult task, I to speak a few words in broken and patched up sentences, or the hearers to make sense of what was said, and understand my meaning. By diligence and practice the difficulties began to disappear gradually, and I became firmer as my knowledge in German increased; but I am still unable to converse as freely as I should like to do; nevertheless I shall not complain, but will rejoice in doing what I can.

From April until August of this year, br. Hoagland and I were the only valley Elders in this mission. We did what we could for the good cause, and were assisted by some good, faithful native brethren. In August we had the pleasure of welcoming brothers K. G. Maeser and O. Ursenbach, who had come to join us, and we were very glad to see them. During the last two months I have been traveling with br. M., visiting the several branches, preaching, visiting and instructing the Saints in their houses, &c.

While we were together our course led us to some of the principal cities in Switzerland, and we also saw four of its beautiful lakes. When we arrived at Landschlacht, (a small village on the shores of Lake Constance), br. Hoagland joined us, and while on the way from there to Herisau, about 20 miles walk, were caught in a storm which reminded us of January more than October; however we made the trip all right. This storm did considerable damage in some parts of East Switzerland, by breaking down fruit and other trees, and causing a sudden freshet that injured factories and mill dams, and soaked some cellars, etc. In some of the more mountainous districts a sharp frost killed many plants and gave vegetation quite an autumnal appearance. The grain and potato crops are light, in some places hardly returning the seed; hay and fruit crops are better than last year.

I believe the cholera which has been raging in Zurich has subsided, but very few if any cases are heard of now. As yet I have not heard of a single case amongst the Saints, although some are living in houses which the epidemic has visited. Many were swept away by it.

The Saints, as a general thing, feel well, rejoice in the principles of the everlasting gospel and are anxious to gather to Zion; but they are poor, and as times are hard and wages low, many of them must have help or they never can gather. They are anxiously looking and praying for help.

The brethren laboring with me in this mission are feeling well and are energetic in their labors. We have all sorts of tales and prejudices to contend with, and we receive many striking testimonies of the truth while defending and spreading the same. I am happy to say that, notwithstanding all opposition, the work moves slowly onward, the truth continues to spread; and some are found who are honest and brave enough to believe and embrace it. The principles of the Gospel of life and salvation are so plain and simple that it often seems strange to us that people cannot understand it. Some consider it too simple to have any weight or power; they want something more wonderful, startling or difficult to comprehend than the plain truth, yet they will close their eyes to many wonders in this dispensation, and look on them as a thing of naught. I find it less difficult to get people to acknowledge that we teach Bible doctrine, than to get them to believe and embrace the Gospel. The blindness and shadow of darkness which are upon the people is astonishing. The clergy are also teaching and counseling. They tell the people to "beware of the 'Mormons,' we are a good for nothing yet dangerous set and they must keep out of our way," etc. Notwithstanding all this and much more, we find some who will receive our testimony and be numbered with the Saints of God.

As for myself I rejoice in the good work, and desire to do all in my power for its furtherance. The wicked may scorn, ridicule and howl, but the principles of the everlasting Gospel will bring all through safely, who yield strict obedience to them and to the servants of God. I am thankful that I have come here to defend the truth and gain an experience. I often think how many of my young brethren almost shudder at the thought of going on a mission, and feel as if it was too hard a task; yet God blesses His servants and assists them continually, and it is one of the best things that could happen to us, young men, when we are sent to labor in the vineyard of our Lord. It is true we often feel weak, but Our Heavenly Father will help us as long as we are faithful to our trust, and when we have Him for our friend and assistant we are strong enough. To this every brother who has faithfully labored in the ministry will, I think, bear witness, for they have experienced it themselves.

I have already written to a considerable length, but before closing, I will say a few words relative to the Saints corresponding with their friends in this country. Many write very seldom or not at all; some write once in a while, but something is written which is not well understood, and which causes surmisings as to their comfort, freedom of the pen or their happiness. Some write occasionally, and very good letters; it is a pleasure to read them. It would be a great help to the Elders, a source of satisfaction and comfort to many Saints and friends here, and a furtherance to the latter-day work if the Saints in Utah would write more frequently, not only to Saints here but to their relations and friends; thereby showing them that they have the liberty to write when and as they please, and also giving testimony that what the Elders are now proclaiming is the work of God, and that they are not deluded or blindly led to some awful place of misery and ruin.

Ever praying for the spread of righteousness and the welfare of the faithful,

I subscribe myself

Your brother in the Gospel,

JOSEPH S. HORNE.

A series of experiments took place lately in Paris, with a view to trying whether oxen might not be spared the frightful tortures it is supposed they endure on being felled with sledge hammers. Physiologists had affirmed that severing the section of the spine will strike the animal down as if struck by lightning, but the experiments have not corroborated this opinion. Oxen not only showed signs of life, but gave evidence of suffering for more than fifteen minutes after this operation. Experiments were tried on sheep and calves with a similar result.