PREACHING THE GOSPEL.

Continuation of Elder John L. Smith's Narrative.

JANUARY 11, 1864, BALE, Switzerland.—At 2 o'clock p. m. fifteen of the brethren of the Priesthood met in fast and prayer meeting, which we continued until a late hour, when we adjourned until the morning. We then conversed upon the prospects of the Lord's work in these lands, and asked questions as to what could be done, to improve us, and make each of us more useful in our labors. During the conversation I discovered that several felt that their way would be the best. I then requested Elder Serge L. Ballif to address the brethren. He arose and for a moment looked each one in the face. Turning to me, his face fairly shining, he said: "Shall I speak what I feel?" I replied, "Certainly." For a few moments he looked down from one to the other, and then he spoke for about twenty minutes filled with the power of the Holy Ghost. When he sat down I saw he was perspiring profusely. Brother John Huber followed with a strong testimony as to the necessity of being obedient in carrying out instructions. As the fire of the Spirit began to burn it was but a short time until all were still and seemed only waiting to receive what the Lord might have to reveal. I arose and looked upon them and addressed them as the Spirit suggested. After an hour had passed, which seemed only a few minutes, I saw some of them in tears, as they said: "Oh! how blind and dull of comprehension I have been." All united freely to sustain the authorities of the Church, at home and abroad. Some few local changes were made, and some two or three were dropped from the Priesthood. The Lord truly blessed us and all went to their fields of labor renewed in Spirit and well repaid for the time spent together, and with the love of the truth in our hearts.

During the last of the month I received a letter from President George Q. Cannon from Liverpool, requesting me to make inquiries of the different emigration agencies, as to the price, time, etc., for emigrants to New York, Boston or Quebec from Bremen and Havre, with instructions, etc. I looked up the various items and forwarded to him as soon as possible.

Secured our office in Bale, for three months, keeping Brother Ballif or myself there to attend to the business, etc. We made some interesting trips to the different parts of the mission. I kept with me as much as possible Elder J. Huber, he being a ready writer, and found him susceptible of being taught, and laboring in the ministry with much zeal. So when emigration times arrived I had him posted in the affairs of the mission and left perfectly safe in leaving him in charge of affairs.

I entered into arrangements with Mr. J. Bertie, emigration agent at Basle, for our emigrants via Havre, France, to New York, to leave Basle about the 1st of May, 1864, Mr. Bertie to be responsible for all delays and expenses accruing after leaving Basle.

On the 2d and of May, 1864, our company being ready, went per railroad train from Basle to Paris, Elder S. L. Ballif as conductor, with return free ticket to Basle. Several of L. A. Perrand's emigrants joined us here. We arrived at Havre at 6:30 a. m. of the 4th, 119 souls. Mr. B.'s business man led the people to a hotel, which was filled with Mormons, all being well cared for. I had accompanied them to Havre as I wished to know how far the company could be depended upon. After our arrival I learned that the packet ship Windermere (French) would not be ready for sea before the 12th. I wrote immediately to President Cannon (Liverpool) from which I extract:

"Sunnyside necessarily is for some time to accompany the Saints, who can speak with them in their own language as well as the English, would suggest that Elder Ballif or myself accompany them to New York or Florence, and after seeing them started on the Plains, return to our field of labor. Either of us is ready to follow your advice in the matter, though we have made to arrangements for such an unpleasant voyage. Yet I do not feel justified in exposing our people to the merciless plucking of a band of runners, etc. Could you suggest any way out of the difficulty? Please answer by telegraph, followed by letter, address, J. L. Smith, care of J. Bertie, Havre, as I do not wish to act without your sanction."

On the 6th I received per telegraph, "Think Ballif had better accompany people. Will write you. Cannon."

Consequently we are busy arranging for the departure of the company. Elders Frederick Unsenback, wife and daughter arrived from Geneva. We spent some time in conversation with him. He took steamer for New York.

On the 9th of May, 1864, I received instructions prepared by President Cannon; also word that he is called by President Brigham Young to spend some time at Washington with Senator Hooper and others but expects to return in a few weeks. While lying here waiting for the ship, I united four couples in the bonds of matrimony, and had some good times with the Saints.

On the 19th of May—All being ready, went on board ship Windermere and organized our company with S. L. Ballif president, with John Lederman and Frederick Gass as counselors, and gave some instructions. At 12 o'clock noon hoist all sides and the Windermere sailed for New York, all feeling in best of spirits. I remained to hotel, which seemed like a deserted mansion, wrote some letters upon business, and took the night train for Paris, where I arrived at 3 a. m.

As per request of the superintendent of emigration affairs, I spent a couple of hours with him at his office, answering many questions. Upon leaving the office he turned to one of his employees and said, "You will see that Mr. Smith lacks no nothing; all is true to him, he is highly recommended." I took 3 p. m. train for Basle where I arrived at 7 p. m. of the 27th instant. Found Elder J. Huber at the office. The street number had been changed by order of the city fathers, to 36.

By letters from the districts I find most of our meetings closed by the police since emigration. After spending a few days at the office with Elder Huber I took train for Geneva and arrived in the evening; and though I have been absent for some months I find Sister Jennie Grammer has our office looking as bright and cheerful as of old, with a good warm fire in the grate. We spent some days here and got the ill feeling that existed somewhat allayed, when we visited St. Imier and held several meetings. We have been highly favored of the Lord for His Spirit which has attended us, to Him be all praise.

Our totals of the half yearly report made up to the 30th of June, 1864, were: 14 branches, 12 Elders, 10 Priests, 7 Deacons, 56 baptized, by emigrant, 132 disfellowshipped, 2 died—total members 556.

July—I spent the time in the office until the 20th when with J. Huber took train for Thun. Upon returning about the middle of the month former Huber applied for a continuation of residence in Basle which was denied. Upon asking the reason, he was told by the clerk that he did not know only that he had been so ordered. We packed our books and papers and went to Zurich; meeting closed and police watching every place where "Mormons" were wont to congregate. We visited several of the Saints in east Switzerland, doing much traveling on foot, being shadowed by police, or spies, almost constantly. We located our band sanctuary at a hotel in Zollbrucke and spent a day in visiting the town of Glarus, located at the end of the lake, against high cliffs capped with snow with only one outlet except by water. This place was burned about a year since, no less than result since of stone. Upon returning in the steamboat we were suddenly addressed by a policeman who placed his hand upon my shoulder and said, "You come go and stay with me tonight." Before I had time to answer, Brother Huber had placed his hand upon his shoulder and said, "I am ready to go," and they marched off together. I caught Huber's eye as he glanced toward the hotel half a mile away, and up the hill beyond, not another word was spoken. He passed to his lodgings in one direction and I to mine in another. After arriving at my room I asked the landlord if my companion had come in yet. He replied he had not. I ordered supper and soon retired. At daylight I took breakfast and satchel in hand started up the mountain. I was soon joined by my friend Huber who remarked that his lodging was the bare walls of a room without supper. He said they found soon they had the wrong man and released him at daylight. After a few miles walk we were over the cantonal lines.

We spent some days visiting numbers of scattering friends, occasionally meeting from ten to twenty at midnight, and having an hour or two together, and were I counted so many as thirty persons present. We were highly favored of the Lord, and often whispered to change our route, which we did and afterwards learned we had avoided traps that had been set for us. On July 31st we arrived at Lausanne, a honey town on the banks of Lake Constance, tired and footsore, after night. That bath in the lake and the night's rest after, I shall not soon forget. I received several letters here and spent the most of the day in reading and answering, also one from S. L. Ballif, of their safe arrival at New York city, on the 8th of July.

JOHN L. SMITH.

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