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THE BOOK OF MORMON:
AN ACCOUNT WRITTEN BY
THE HAND OF MORMON,
UPON
Plates taken from the Plates of Nephi.

Therefore it is an abridgment of the record of the people of Nephi, and also of the Lamanites: written to the Lamanites who are a remnant of the house of Israel; and also to Jew and Gentile: written by way of commandment, and also by the Spirit of prophecy and of revelation. Written and sealed up, and hid up unto the Lord, that they might not be destroyed; to come forth by the gift and power of God unto the interpretation thereof; sealed by the hand of Mormon, and hid up unto the Lord, to come forth in due time by the way of Gentile; the interpretation thereof by the gift of God.

An abridgment taken from the Book of Ether also; which is a record of the people of Jared; who were scattered at the time the Lord confounded the language of the people when they were building a tower to get to heaven; which is to shew unto the remnant of the House of Israel what great things the Lord hath done for their fathers; and that they may know the covenants of the Lord, that they are not cast off forever; and also to the convincing of the Jew and Gentile that JESUS is the CHRIST, the ETERNAL GOD, manifesting himself unto all nations. And now if there are faults, they are the mistakes of men; wherefore condemn not the things of God, that ye may be found spotless at the judgment-seat of Christ.

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Walter’s “Letter of Appointment” from President Penrose
Releases.—Elders John J. Hendry, Sheffield, and Walter M. Jones, Newcastle conference, were honorably released and sailed for home July 9th, 1908, per s.s. Arabic.

District Meetings.—The elders in charge of the Batley branch are stationed at Morley, and have spent the past three months tracting this neighborhood. As a result of their efforts thirty strangers attended two special district meetings held in the Morley Co-operative Minor Hall, on Sunday, July 12th, 1908, and manifested marked interest in able discourses upon the first principles of the gospel given by the elders present, A. K. Chatfield, clerk of the Leeds conference, D. L. Kerr, and Nephi Gledhill. Twenty of the saints were present from Batley branch, about four miles distant, the services there being closed for this occasion. The first meetings in Morley have scored a decided success, and betoken a bright outlook for the establishing of an additional branch in the Leeds conference.

Arrivals.—The following elders arrived for Europe per s.s. Republic, July 11th, 1908: Clement L. Rawlins, John M. Bernhisel, Jr., Lewiston; Wilford N. Moses, Smithfield; Bertrand T. Pond, Logan; Vincent Bennion, Taylorsville; Isaac A. Packer, Shelley, Idaho; Walter A. Sells, John C. Hall, Nephi; Ralph H. Jones, Provo; John G. Sharp, Union; Henry Watson, Herman F. Hansen, Frank Meadows, Salt Lake City; George W. Perry, Robert L. Heyborne, Cedar City; Joseph T. Wise, Mount Pleasant; Frederick J. Price, Paris, Idaho; Jens D. Nielsen, Mant; Hans Christian Hansen, Weston, Idaho; Charles A. Lindstrom, Santaquin; Emil W. Weed, Raymond, Canada; Joseph A. Brockbank, Spanish Fork; Edmund L. Smith, Murray; Albert Hofer, Blackfoot, Idaho; George E. Jorgensen, Castle Dale; Joseph H. Gwilliam, Rexburg, Idaho.

Appointments.—The elders who arrived for the British mission, July 12th, have been appointed to labor in the following conferences: Clement L. Rawlins, Wilford N. Moses, Birmingham; John M. Bernhisel, Jr., Bertrand T. Pond, Vincent Bennion, Liverpool; John G. Sharp, George W. Perry, Joseph T. Wise, Irish; Ralph H. Jones, Henry Watson, Frederick J. Price, London; Walter A. Sells, Leeds; John C. Hall, Sheffield; Isaac A. Packer, Newcastle.

Successful Socials.—On Tuesday evening, June 30th, a very successful social was held in honor of Elder Walter M. Jones, who returned home on the 9th inst. The many saints and friends of the West Hartlepool branch (Newcastle conference) united themselves together in showing respect to this faithful servant of the Lord. There were over one hundred and fifty in attendance, in-
conceded that one in his state was in ignorance and unbelief; but when "the key of knowledge" was restored to him he certified the gospel he then preached was not of man, but he was taught it "by the revelations of Jesus Christ." (Gal. 1:12.)

When the nineteenth century dawned upon the world it found them in a condition similar to the Jews at the time of the Savior. Man believed merely from education and tradition that during the Apostolic age men had enjoyed revelations, beheld visions, and through faith had been enabled to know the will of God concerning them—for they had done the will of God and had the "more sure word of prophecy." (II. Peter 1:19.)

This dispensation of the fulness of times was ushered in by God the Father and Jesus Christ manifesting themselves in vision to Joseph Smith. The key of knowledge was restored to the earth, and by the restoration of divine communication the Church of Christ has been re-established upon the earth after the exact pattern of the primitive Church. By the same principles and ordinances being obeyed, men are enjoying the Millennial morning that has burst upon the world. The marvelous work spoken of by Isaiah, 29th chapter, has been accomplished; the eyes of the blind are seeing out of obscurity, they that have erred are coming to understanding. The meek and honest in heart are once again rejoicing in the Stone of Israel.

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FROM THE MISSION FIELD.

Successful Social.—A very successful party was held July 26th, 1910, in honor of Elder Walter A. Sells, who for the past year has been laboring in the Ripon branch (Leeds conference). A dressing-case was presented to him by the members and friends of the branch, to show their love and esteem towards him. All had a fine time, and wished him a safe journey home.

Releases and Departures—The following named missionaries have been honorably released and sailed for home July 30th, 1910, per s.s. Canada: From Scandinavia—Hans Mickelsen, Hyrum Nielsen, Hannah Nielsen. From Sweden—A. George Lavin, David W. Woodard. From Switzerland and Germany—George Scheck, J. D. Montague. With the company were seventeen emigrants, in charge of Elders Hans Mickelsen, Hyrum Nielsen and David W. Woodard.

Special Service.—On Sunday evening, July 24th, 1910, a special service was held in the Imperial Rooms, Cheltenham, Cheltenham branch (Bristol conference), and an excellent evening's enjoyment