

their way to have wagons and teams, even to the last family that wanted to come; and so will it continue to be with the Saints who are determined to come home to Zion according to counsel.

The Saints were late in their emigration this year, and for the last two or three weeks, have suffered from occasional snow storms in the mountains, which retarded their progress, and helped to make them short of provisions; but some two hundred or more teams and wagons went from the Valley to their assistance, taking to the various camps some forty or fifty thousand pounds of flour, and large supplies of vegetables, which enabled them to come in, in safety.

Elders John Taylor, Erastus Snow, and Franklin D. Richards, arrived also August 11, on return from their missions to Europe; Elder Taylor having brought apparatus for an extensive sugar factory, which he is locating at Provo, Utah county; and Elder Richards brought two large globes, three feet each, to present to the University of Deseret.

The Book of Mormon is now in print in the English, Welsh, French, German, Danish, and Italian languages; and preparations are making to translate and publish it in Chinese, Burmese, Spanish, and other languages.

A Special Conference of the Elders was held at the Tabernacle, on the 28th and 29th of August, which was fully attended, and a most animating spirit prevailed, when many Elders were selected and set apart for their various missions as follows:—

EUROPE. *England*:—Daniel Spencer, Charles A. Harper, Isaac Allred, John Van Cott, Mellen Atwood, Chancey G. Webb, Charles Smith, Sylvester H. Earl, David Grant, Thomas W. Treat, Benjamin Brown, James T. Park, Perrygrine Sessions, Osmyn M. Duel, John A. Hunt, James Pace, William Burgess, jun., Levi Nickerson, William Glover, Edward Martin, Levi E. Riter, John S. Fullmer, Richard Cook, John Oakley, William Clayton, William Pitt, John C. Hall, William Woodward, James G. Willie, Daniel D. McArthur, Moses Thurston, John Perry, William Empy, Spicer Crandell, John Mayer, Elias Gardner, Noah T. Guyman.

Ireland:—Daniel Toner, John McDonald.

Wales:—Dan Jones, Daniel Daniels, Thomas Jeremy.

France:—Andrew L. Lamoreaux.

Germany:—George Mayer, George C. Riser, Jacob F. Secrist, William Taylor.

Berlin:—Orson Spencer, Jacob Houtz, Moses Clough.

Norway:—Eric G. M. Hogan, Canute Peterson.

Denmark:—George Piersey.

Gibraltar:—Edward Stevenson, Nathan T. Porter.

ASIA. *Hindoostan*:—Nathaniel V. Jones, Amos M. Musser, William Fotheringham, Samuel A. Woolley, William F. Carter, Richard Ballantyne, Truman Leonard, Robert Owen, Robert Skelton.

Siam:—Chancey W. West, Sterne Hotchkiss.

China:—Hosea Stout, James Lewis, Chapman Duncan.

AFRICA. *Cape of Good Hope*:—Jesse Haven, Leonard I. Smith, William Walker.

AMERICA, &c. *Nova Scotia and British Provinces*:—John Robinson, Benjamin T. Mitchell, O. D. L. Buckland, Joseph Miller.

West Indies:—Jesse Turpin, Alfred B. Lambson, Darwin Richardson, Aaron Farr.

British Guiana:—James Brown, Elijah Thomas.

Texas:—Preston Thomas, William Camp, Washington Jolly.

New Orleans:—John Brown.

St. Louis:—Horace S. Eldridge.

Iowa:—Daniel Miller.

Washington City:—Orson Pratt.

AUSTRALIA:—Augustus Farnham, Josiah W. Fleming, John Hyde, Paul Smith, Burr Frost, James Graham, William Hyde, John S. Eldridge, Absalom P. Dowdle.

SANDWICH ISLES:—William McBride, Ephraim Green, Edgerton Snyder, James Lawson, Thomas Kairnes, Nathan Tanner, Reddick N. Allred, Reddin A. Allred, Benjamin F. Johnson.

About seventy-four of those Elders whose missions were to the Eastern continent, and some of the British Provinces, left about the 15th of September, journeying by way of the South Pass, and Missouri river; accompanied by Elder Orson Pratt, of the Quorum of the Twelve, who was appointed at the same Conference, on a mission to Washington city, and to preside over the Saints in the United States, and the British Provinces in North America. President Orson Hyde arrived, with his family, from Potawatomie, September 21st. Elder Parley P. Pratt is within the Territory, on