

amongst the chosen to murmur, saying, Why go we not hence forthwith, wherefore have we been beguiled with promises?

“But those set in authority over them went amongst the people, speaking good words unto them, saying, Wherefore murmur ye? Surely in a little while will they let you go. Albeit they knew nothing.

“Now after ten days came messages, saying, Surely on the day before the Sabbath shall ye go out.

“And all the people shouted, and said, Great is the Commission of Doctors.

“Then Neish, chief of the mighty men of valour, calling together his Captains and his Lieutenants, commanded them, saying, Thus and thus shall ye do. Ye shall not shout, nor make any noise with your voice, neither shall any word proceed out of your mouth, so long as the trains remain standing still in the station. For lo! is it not written in the book of King's Regulations.

“On the 8th day of the 9th month of the 3rd year of the war against William, Emperor of Germany, that reigned in Potsdam, departed the children of Neish, even 182 men with their women and their children and their dogs, a very great multitude.

“Moreover, there was much joy amongst those that departed, and they made merry, saying, Behold, Mürren shall be covered with snow, and the