

men in responsible positions—had had a restoration of polygamy suggested to them. It was done cautiously, but——

“Brother R—— said that God is the same yesterday, to-day, and forever. He said that the principles of God’s truth are changeless and eternal too— that the principle of celestial or plural marriage was as true to-day as ever it had been. And he was followed by Brother S——, who declared that the Lord would restore polygamy and open up a way for His people to practise it—and there would then be an opportunity for the young men assembled, and others, to live that part of their religion—and while it wouldn’t be compulsory, any one rejecting it would stand responsible at the judgment-seat for failing in his duty. You can imagine——

“You know the arguments they would use, and the way they would play on the ambitions of some of them with the idea of reaching high positions in the church,