

## Letter from Norway

Lars Lerum writes under date of June 7th that he and his family had arrived safely in Norway, and our readers will undoubtedly be interested in reading the following extracts from his letter to the Enterprise.

At the time of writing Mr. Lerum and family had just been participants in a wedding ceremony, as a brother of Mrs. Lerum was celebrating his wedding. It is the custom to celebrate for three or four days and five meals a day are served.

At this time of the year everything looks at its best and there are flowers in profusion. But everything a person needs to buy costs four times as much as it did when Mr. Lerum was home before. A krone will buy practically nothing, as people soon find out when they reach the country. Houses and farms

pared to give all the neighboring towns a stiff run for their money.

have quadrupled in value, and in places are not to be bought for money.

The journey across the ocean was uneventful. After a stay of two days in New York, where everyone was greedy for money, they drove through the city to the dock and boarded the ship "Stavangerfjord," which left New York May 14th. The next day all the passengers were assigned to life boats and given instructions as to how to abandon ship in case of emergency.

On Sunday, May 16th, there were services on board conducted by Rev. J. A. Akre, and on other occasions there were speeches by Captain Ergens and by the many Norwegian pastors who were among the passen-

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