Book of Mormon Census Project

A0065, 1830 Book of Mormon

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1830 Book of Mormon, John A. Widtsoe

Provenance:

Two distinct stamps listing John A. Widtsoe.

Features and Notes:

Spine: Gold lines visible. Noticeable wear on top of spine. Scratch/rub marks on very bottom (removal of library call numbers?).

Spine Lettering and Label: Black title ribbon attached. Small format title. Gold lettering visible.

Cover: various scratch marks on front cover. Wear marks on upper and lower right corners. Bottom Edge showing wear/crumbling. Back cover: noticeable scratches and wear on upper and lower left corners.

Binding: Spine/cover connected, two front end papers, two back end papers.

Title Page: attached. Water stains in lower left corner. Noticeable foxing/spots in 2nd title lines set. Very faint cockling upper left and right corners.

Text: Noticeable cockling in upper left and right corners. page 579/580 page number in corner, cut/ripped out, main page remains. First Nephi page has significant dark spot lower center through the words "make" and "the learning". Thin water staining on edge of paper block.

Inscription: None

Notes: Front inside cover: Ink Stamps of "John A Widtsoe" in cursive, (one right-side up, one upside down). Front end paper recto: Different Ink Stamp of "John A Widtsoe" in block lettering. Preface Page: "iv". Page 144 line 36: "about". Page 212: "122". Proper page number 487. Page 521: "mur-derers". Three Witness page, line 10, "seen"

Additional pictures taken, including:















