DESERET EVENING NEWS: SATURDAY, JANUARY 23, 1904.

The Library "" Church Historian's Office. The Search For Rare Old Books And the Classification of New Ones. other songs, making a total of 295 hymns. The fourteenth edition was published by the Deserst News in 1871. This was the first Utah edition and was published under the direction of Elder George Q. Cannon. This edition con-tained 345 hymns and 432 pages. The fifteenth edition was also published by the "Now" in 1862 with the same num. never miss the water till the well e miss the water til the well is a true saying. The bless-b, health, happiness and all at are bestowed upon us are appreciated until they are his way towards shelter. Before he arrived at his destination he was discovered and attacked by a number of mobbers, who gave chase all the while pelting him with stones. Calling on since the organization of the Church the Lord for strength he made good use of his time and escaped with the printed copies of the revelations, terthere has been given to the Saints first part was devoted to evidence in proof of the Book of Mormon, and covmuch valuable and necessary instrucribly frightened but successful. So far as known these were the only copies the "News" in 1883 with the same num-BOOKS WANTED. ber of hymns and pages. Since that date many other editions have been published both in Liverpool and in Utah. In 1890 the twentieth edition ered 147 pages. The second part, 42 pages, was an answer to objections to the Nephite record, and the third part tion to guide them in their course. A Many of the publications mentioned bove are on file at the Historian's ofgreat deal of this information has been ver preserved. The title page of the book of com-mandments was as follows: published, some of the records have was a proclamation and warning to the ice, but some of them and others not mentioned, are not. The office would Gentiles of America. So far as we know but one edition of this successful been preserved; but in the early days was published at Liverpool and in 1899 ike to secure the copies they do not nove and even some of those that they it was as it is now: what was easy of access was not retained. The value of George Q. Cannon & Sons published, in Salt Lake City, the twenty-third edi-tion. From 1840 to 1851, there were 54,-000 copies of the hymn book published Intile work was ever published. The author afterwards apostatized and fol-lowed James J. Strang. Later he set up a church, or a society, of his own, which was of short duration. BOOK Special mention of some of thes ns and the importance of OF wanted should be made in order that individuals who have them and could old publicat in appeals more strongly COMMANDMENTS. reserving in England alone. are engaged in making FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF THE urnish, or exchange them, may know than ever before since the of the Church. In case of the fact. Of the Book of Mormon, any of the first editions would be giadly received. The editions of 1869, 1876, 1881 Elder Benjamin Winchester, pub-lished in 1842, "A Synopsis of the Holy history nost CHURCH OF CHRIST, THE VOICE OF WARNING. organizatio. in case of something not the mind, how necessary ORGANIZED ACCORDING TO LAW, lished in 1842, "A synopsis of the Holy Scriptures and Concordance," in which the synonymous passages were ar-ranged together. The book was com-piled for the use of the Elders of the Church, and was of great value to them in that day. The work was one of 256 closely written pages including the appendix of 41 pages. The follow-ing year Elder Winchester wrote and published. "A History of the Priest-One of the most successful publicadispute ON THE tions for use in proselyting is the Voice of Warning. The first edition was pub-lished in New York in 1837, and the ennd all between, if any, are wanted, of the Doctrine and Covenants the first our American editions, the edition of il records which contained haing Ci 6TH OF APRIL, 1830. is the ruling of the au-ZION. he Church that so far as leate copies of all works threed in New York in 1837, and the en-threedition of 3,000 copies was sold and distributed by the year 1839 when the second edition of 2,000 copies was pub-lished by the author, the late Apostle Parley P. Pratt. The book was copy-righted in the year 1837, in the southern district of New York. A peculiar fea-ture of the second edition was an effect 1876 (Utah), 1875 and the early Euro-pean editions; the edition of 1882, and some later editions. Of the Hymn book the first nine editions, the eleva horities PUBLISHED BY W. W. PHELPS & ossible all editions, whether in CO. the Church or against it, preserved. The Historian's alished 1833. schalf enth, twelfth, fifteenth to nineteenth designated as the deposipublished, "A History of the Priest-hood, from the beginning of the world ditions; also the early American edi-lons if any are extant. Of the Voice THE SEVERAL EDITIONS. mee has works of the kind. Espe-the works published by, or irection of the Church, be The first edition of the Doctrine and ovenants was published at Kirtland, hood, from the beginning of the world to the present time, written in defense of the doctrine and position of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints." The work contained 168 pages and in appearance was after the style of the Voice of Warning. This work as well as his "Synopsis" was pubture of the second edition was an offer by the author to the effect that he would of Warning the first and the third and fourth American, also the first two dally should under the To an extent this has been O. in 1835. On the title page the state-ment is made that the contents were give \$300 to anyone who could success-fully refute the theological principles in English editions: early editions of the adhered to, but in the shifting of scenes, the drivings and mobbings under which Key to Theology and editions of many compiled by Joseph Smith, Junior: Oli-ver Cowdery, Sidney Rigdon and Fred-erick G. Williams, presiding Elders of the Church. The book was printed by F. G. Williams & Co. for the propriethe book. It reads: other early publications and periodihas gone, all documents, the Church has gone, an documents, writings and periodicals could not be preserved as they should have been. In those days there was but little time Three hundred dollars is offered by Three hundred dollars is offered by the author of this work to anyone who will successfully refute the principles of theology herein set forth. The scrip-tures being the test; and the decision to be made by three disinterested per-sons, who are not attached to any re-JOSEPH F. SMITH JR. lished in Philadelphia. During the troublesome times at Nauvoo Elder Winchester also left the Church and for a time was associated with Sidney -----think of such things. tors. The edition contains 254 pages of revelations, including the lectures on In order that all books, tracts, maga-Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and revelations, including the fectures on faith, the minutes of a conference of the Church held Aug. 17, 1835, pertain-ing to the publication of the book, an alphabetical index of 23 pages, and one page of "Notes to the Reader," which is an explanation of the typographical errors in the body of the work. The back doc contains a prograp by the thes and other publications, in the va-Diarrhoea Remedy. sons, who are not attached to any re ligious party. P. P. PRATT, may be preserved, the rious editions. The uniform success of this remedy + authors and publishers should remem-ber these things and without walting, TRACTS AND PAMPHLETS. has made it the most popular prepara-ation in use for bowel complaints. It is everywhere recognized as the one New York, 1839. JOSEPH F. SMITH, JR., or expecting written requests, should Three other editions were published, Among the tracts and pamphlets too numerous to be mentioned in detail were: "Mormonism Unveiled, Zion's Watchman Unmasked," a reply to Mr. L. R. Sunderland's attack on the Gos-pel, by Parley P. Pratt, printed in New York in 1838, 48 pages. "Only Way to be Saved," a tract by Elder Lorenzo Snow, published in London in 1841; "A Lecture on the Authenticity of the Book of Mormon," by George J. Adams, Boston, 1844, 24 pages, "A Dissertation of Nebuchadnezzar's Dream," by W. L. Appleby, Philadelphia, 1844, 24 pages, and many others. Among the tracts and pamphlets too two in America and one in England be-fore 1546, making a total of 13,000 cope that the required copsee to it at Who Has Charge of the Church Records at the Historian's Office. remedy that can always be depended upon and that is pleasant to take. For is are placed in the proper depository. ies of the work distributed before that date. The second European edition was published in 1846, and since that time book also contains a preface by the publishers dated Kirtland, Feb. 17, 1835. The revelations contained within the A history of each separate publication. sale by all Druggists. whether great or small, if it pertains tion of the book was published by Ebe- | tained an "advertisement" explaining to the Gospel, or is a tirade against the truth, should be kept. This can only be The revelations contained within the book range from 1828 to 1834. In the year 1845 the third American edition of the Doctrine and Covenants was published by John Taylor in Nau-voo. It was copyrighted by Newel K. Whitney and George Miller. This edi-tion contained the revelations that ap-peared in the 1835 edition with some ad-ditions, including the section on the mar-tyrdom. The same year (1845) the first European edition was published by Wil-ford Woodruff and Thomas Ward. It was printed by the firm of James & Woodburn, 39 South Castle street, Livnezer Robinson and Don Carlos Smith. The edition was stereotyped by Shepthe object of the republication and an "introduction" of over five pages "by Z. copies of the little work have been pub-lished by the tens of thousands. In done by having them on file in the poperly designated place. It is far easier to preserve a book at the time of obligation than it is offer Morning, Noon and Night hard & Stearns of Cincinnati, Ohio, and contained 571 pages. The next edi-tion (the first European) was printed Brook, Elder in the Church of Christ." England alone 15 editions were distrib-uted by 1898. The work has been trans-St. Louis-New York Trains Although the publishers claimed that the book was a reprint of the third uted by 1898. The work has been trans-lated and published in Danish, Swed-ish, German, French, Dutch, Spanish and other languages. It is also pub-lished in many and used in all mission-ary fields at the present day. Before the death of Elder Pratt the Church received the right to publish the work. In England the copyright has been maintained, but in America this is not the case and some who are not of our leave St. Louis Union lication than it is after many years Station daily over Vandalia-Pennsyl-yunia Short Lines as follows: The Atfrom the second American edition and was published by Brigham Young, He-American, or Nauvoo edition, it con-tained the index and was after the style Then-when a book is needof neglect. I nell-when a book is need-ef badly-a high, and in many respects an unreasonable price, is demanded. To-day the first edition of the Book of Mor-mon is offered for sale in different lo-Varia Short Lines as follows: The At-lantic Express at 7:24 a. m., the Key-stone Express at 8:44 a. m., the New York Limited at 12:30 noon, the East-ern Express at 8:15 p. m. and the New York Express at 11:35 p. m. Inquire of J. M. Chesbrough, A. G. P. Agt., 809 Century Building, St. Louis, for further beformation. ber C. Kimball and Parley P. Pratt, by order of the Prophet Joseph Smith, in of Orson Pratt's edition of 1849. We may safely conclude that the publishers had a copy of this edition; if not they cer-tainly had some other edition contain-ing the index, or else how could they copy it? The Nauvoo edition had no index. It therefore is certain that the the year 1841. In the three previous editions the testimonies of the wit-nesses appeared in the back of the book, but in the European edition the and many others. CHURCH PERIODICALS. califies, ranging from \$25 to above \$50 s copy. The early editions of the Doc-trine and Covenants, and the volumes Of the periodicals of the Church the first published was the "Evening and Morning Star," which was commeticed front of the book as they now appear in all later editions. This edition was printed by J. Tompkins & Co., Liverthe case, and some who are not of our faith have revised it to suit themselves, Woodburn, 39 South Castle street, Livof the Evening and Morning Star; Mesinformation. publishers knew that they were falsify-ing when they stated the reason why erpool. This edition contained a pre-face of five pages by Thomas Ward, who at that time edited the Millennial Star. It also contained the revelations, senger and Advocate; Times and Seain Independence, Jackson county, Mo., in June, 1832, with William W. Phelps as editor. After 14 numbers had been issued the printing office at Indepen-dence was destroyed by a mob, July 20, 1833. Subsequently (in December, 1833.) ave added to the work and published sons, and the Millennial Star, cannot they reissued the book; besides they knew that they were trespassing when they undertook their task of publishit, and now they are paiming it off on to the people, so far forgetting themselves, be obtained for many times their orig-inal price, if they are to be found at all. pool, England, and according to the contract was to have been 5,000 copies, Every Movement Hurts. star, it also contained the revelations, including that of the martyrdom, which are found in the third American (1845) edition, and the English copyright was secured by the publishers. The fourth American edition was also published their honor, and the rights of owner-ship as to refuse credit to the author of When you have rheumatism. Muscles Many men are willing to pay large sums for old works, merely to have them as relies and curiosities; but to but 4,050 copies were all that were ever issued from the press and deliver-ed. The following statement from Eling another edition, for all editions were copyrighted. The sole object of the pubfeel stiff and sore and joints are pain-ful. It does not pay to suffer long from the work 1833. Subsequently in December, 1833.) the paper was continued at Kirtland, Ohio, where ten more numbers, making 24 in all, were published by Oliver Cowdery. After the completion of the second volume, the name of the paper lisher was evidently to make financial this disease when it may be cured so promptly and perfectly by Hood's Sar-saparilla. This medicine goes right to the spot, neutralizes the acidity of the the Church these works are of the ut. der Pratt will be of interest here: WRITTEN IN PRISON. most value, for in them, to a great ex-tent, the doctrines and history of the Latter-day Saints are to be found; and In 1869 an edition of the Book of Morand printed by Elder John Taylor at Nauvoo in 1846. This was the last American edition to appear before the Elder Parley P. Pratt in 1839 also ublished a work of some 215 pages en-Manchester, Jan. 18, 1841. mon in the Deseret Alphabet was pub-lished under the direction of Elder Or-Messrs, Tompkins & Co., Drs. 1841 To Parley P. Pratt.

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was changed to "The Latter-day Saints' Messenger and Advocate." This paper, a 16 page (octavo size) monthly, was continued for three years under different editors and was finally sus-

blood, which causes rheumatism, and puts an end to the pain and stiffness. Biliousness is cured by Hood's Pills, 25c

The first Church work ever published this dispensation was the Book of Memon, an abridgment of the records ket by the prophets of God among the andent inhabitants of this continent. The Prophet Joseph Smith commenced translation in the winter of 1827 and 1829. The first edition of the Book of Mormon was printed by Eghert B. Grandin for the Prophet Josph Smith, at Palmyra, New York, and Issued from the press early in 1830. This dilion consisted of 5,000 copies, and on the utile page the words appear, "By Joseph Smith, Junior, author and pro-prietor," On the next page the copy-right appears in full. It reads:

Northern District of New York, to

Be it remembered. That on the 11th day of June, in the fifty-third year of the independence of the United States of America, A. D., 1829, Joseph Smith, Jr. of the said district, hath deposited in this office the title of a brock the this office the title of a book, the fight whereof he claims as author, in the words following, to wit: "The Book of Mormon: an account written by the hand of Mormon, upon plates taken from the plates of Nephi. Wherefore it is an abridgment of the records of the people of Nephi; and also of the Lamanites, written to the Lamanites, who are a remnant of the house of Israel, and also to Jew and Gentile; written by way of commandment, and also by the spirit of prophecy and reve-lation. Written, and sealed up, and hid up unto the Lord, that they might oyed; to come forth by the tift and power of God, unto the interthereof, sealed by the hand , and hid up unto the Lord In due time by the way the interpretation thereof f God: an abridgment taken k of Ether. Also which is the people of Jared, which at the time the Lord language of the people building a tower to Which is to shew unto the house of Israel, things the Lord hath done athers; and that they might vovenants of the Lord, that not cast off for ever; and s convincing of the Jew and Jesus is the Christ, the nifesting Himself unto And now if there be fault. mistake of men; wherefore it the things of God, that ye spotless at the judgment -By Joseph Smith, Jr., Proprietor. mity to the act of Congress ed States, entitled, "An act uragement of learning, by copies of maps, charts and he authors and proprietors les, during the times there-"an act supplementary ultied 'An act for the enof learning, by securing maps, charts and books, ors and proprietors of such

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R. R. LANSING, Clerk of the Northern District of New York.

The term "author and proprietor" caused some comment and objec-but in making the statement the het merely complied with the law # land. (See History of the Church I: 58). This edition contained 588 DAROS

SUBSEQUENT EDITIONS.

cond edition was published in Parley P. Pratt and John 1837. Oliver Cowdery did 1837, This edition contains a by the publishers in which they that they have "obtained leave a 5,000 copies of the same, from holding the copyright." The first holding the copyright." The first on had been previously distributed the Elders, and the demand for the the also for the Doctrine and Coven-was so great that the new edition therefore published. In this edi-some of the typographical errors is had crept into the first edition e corrected, the published work was efully compared with the original auscript by President Joseph Smith. For Cowdery, Parley P. Pratt and suges. In the year 1840, the third edi-

By 4,050 Copies delivered -2,430 lbs. paper at \$19..86-1-3

Balance due 41-1-9 "In April, 1841, Mr. Tompkins'entered

into a written agreement to print another edition of the Book of Mormon and to furnish paper and print 950 ex-tra copies at his own expense, to make up for that number deficient in the former edition, as per above statement and which were to have been delivered

by Christmas last. Having failed to do so, I now bring the above claim for breach of contract and short delivery as per former agreement."

was secured, but the books were never published, and shortly after this Tompkins & Co. failed. The copyright of the first European edition is as follows:

Then entered for his copy-published by J. Tompkins, Liverpool, the property of Joseph Smith, Jr. The Book of Morof Nephi. Translated by Joseph Smith, Jr. First European from the Second American edition. Received five copies.

GEO. GRIMHILL.

Stationers

which is practically the same in all re-cent editions, was placed at the end of lished the third European edition at 15 Wilton street, Liverpool. Another change which he made was to number speaking temporally. the verses of the different chapters throughout the book. In December, 1878, Elder Orson Pratt went to Eng-land for the purpose of publishing a stereotyped edition of the Book of Mormon and of the Decting and Con-

Mormon and of the Doctrine and Cov-enants. This edition of the Book of Mormon, called the "first electrotype edition" was divided by Elder Prate in-Valuable footnote references which are such helps to the study of the work. The edition of 623 pages was issued from the press in 1879. The second elec-trotype edition (European) was pub-lished at Liverpool in 1881. The follow-ing year an American edition with footnote references was issued from the press in Salt Lake City. This, how-ever, was not the first Utab edition for

ANTI."MORMON" ISSUE.

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At a conference of the Church held

The copyright for this second edition

Feb. 8, 1848.

GEORGE GRIMHILL.

The above written is a true copy of an entry in the register book of the company of stationers, kept at the hall of the said company. Witness my hand this 17th day of February, 1841.

Warehouse keeper of the Company of

The first European edition contained 643 pages and was the first edition in which an index appeared. The index, cent editions, was placed at the end of the volume, where the testimonies had previously appeared. The second Eu-ropean edition w: *P* published by Orson Pratt at 16 Wilton street, Liverpool, in 1849. This edition had 563 pages, the only change being the transfer of the index to the fore part of the book. In 1852 Elder Franklin D. Richards pub-lished the third European edition at 15

to chapters and verses as we now have it. He also added to this edition the valuable footnote references which are

ever, was not the first Utah edition, for in 1871 an edition was published in Sait Lake City, and another probably in 1876. Previous to this time (1871) most of the Church literature was in-sued from the press in Literature.

sued from the press in Liverpool.

About the year 1858 an "Anti-'Mor-non'" edition of the Book of Mormon was published in New York by James O. Wright & Co. The object of publishing this edition is both amusing and contemptible: It was printed, accord-ing to the statement of the publisher, from the third American edition (Nauvoo) and was given to the world because of "a general desire for information in regard to the ha-ture and origin of the Book." and, because "the apostacy of the great body of the Church, through the influence of false teachers, who pri-vily brought into the Church damnable beresize even dearcher the Louid that brought they have for a long time sup-pressed the book on account of its pointed condemnation of their practises,

this edition the index was placed in the Hawalian front of the book. The book contained 336 pages. The third European edition, 216-5-0 IS85; Swedish, in 1878; Spanish, in 1886; Maori, in 1888; Dutch, in 1890; and in Samoan in 1903. An edition on India paper bound with flexible (Oxford 236 pages. The third European edition, which in all respects was similar to the second, was published by Samuel W. Richards in 1852, and the fourth edition was published by Orson Pratt in 1854. This edition was also without change. The fifth European edition was pub-lished by Brigham Young, Jr., in Liver-pool in 1866. In the year 1876 the Des-eret News published the first edition of the Doctrine and Covenants divided instyle) covers, was published in Liver-pool by Rulen S. Wells in 1898. This was the sixth (European) electrotype edition. In 1900 Elder Platte D. Lyman published the seventh electrotype edi-tion. The Northwestern States mission ublished an edition called the fourth (American) electrolype edition, in Kan-sas City, Mo., in 1902, and the Deseret

the Doctrine and Covenants divided into chapters and verses, and containing the sections as they now appear. Orson News has published many editions the past 36 years, the latest being the edition of 1993. DOCTRINE AND COVENANTS.

the sections as they now appear. Orson Pratt divided the book into chapters and verses and it was published by David O. Calder, who was at that time editor of the "News." The edition con-tained 448 pages in large, clear type, and was indexed by sections. The copy-right was secured by the publisher. The colouring year Elder Orson Pratt jour-Nov. 1, 1831, the Prophet received the revelation known as section one, in the right was secured by the publisher. The following year Elder Orson Pratt jour-neyed to England for the purpose of publishing new (electrotype) editions of the Book of Mormon and Doctrine and Covenants. These books were completed and placed in circulation in 1879. They were divided into chapters and verses, and had the focustor references, being Doctrine and Covenants. This revela-tion the Lord calls the "Preface unto the book of my commandments which I have given them (His servants) to pub-lish unto you O inhabitants of the earth.' At this conference the Elders considered the question of publishing were divided into chapters and verses, and had the footnote references, being the first publications of the kind. The second electrotype edition was publish-ed in 1882, the third in 1984, and the fourth in 1888, all in Liverpool. The 1988 editors was applied by Rules S the Eook of Commandments and decid-ed that 10,000 copies should be printed. (History of the Church, Vol. 1: 222). A number of the brethren also arose and stated that they were willing to testify to the world that they knew that the revelations received by the Prophet were of the Lord. In due time the revelations which were to be published in the Book of Commandments, were solected and dedicated by prayer by President Joseph Smith: and at a con-ference of the Church held Nov. 12, 1831, at the home of Father Johnson, in Hiram, the revelations were received. he Book of Commandments and decidnants has also been translated and pub-lished in Welsh, Danish. Swedish, Ger. Hiram, the revelations were received with thankspiving. Of the event the Prophet wrote as follows: "After de-L. D. S. HYMN BOO

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liberate consideration in consequence The Latter-day Saints' Hymn Book of the boos of revelations now to be printed, being the foundation of the Church in these last days, and a benehas without doubt gone through more changes than any other publication of the Church. As early as July, 1830, Emma Smith was appointed by revela-tion to make a selection of sacred hymns to be had in the Church. That the made a selection we have from the fit to the world, showing that the keys of the mysteries of the kingdom of our avior are again entrusted to man; and the riches of eternity within the compass of those willing to live by every word that proceedeth out of the mouth of God—therefore the conference voted that they prize the revelations to be worth to the the revelations to be worth to the selected by Emma Smith in fulfiliment of the revelation." These hymns were hurch the riches of the whole earth, According to commandment (see Sec. to have been published at or about the time the Book of Commandments was, 69, Doctrine and Covenants) Oliver time the Book of Commandments was, Cowdery and John Whitmer were uptype were destroyed. Just when the covery and some where were ap-pointed to carry the revelations to the land of Zion, where they should be published. Before these brethren left on this mission they were blessed under ist edition in America of the hymn ook was printed we can not say, but here was an edition published in 1839 before, by D. W. Rogers, but this dition was later discarded by the the hands of the Prophet Joseph Smith for this great work, or, as the minutes state, it was "voted that Joseph Smith, " Church and a new one ordered published. (History of Joseph Smith, Mill, Star, vol. 17: 360). r., be appointed to dedicate and con-ecrate these brethren and the sacred

In an editorial in the Times and Searitings and all they have entrusted to ons, vol. 1, page 139, we read that "the their care to the Lord." At a con-ference held May 1, 1832, the brethren authorities here (Nauvoo) had taken cancelled their former action in re-gard to printing 10,000 copies and or-dered that 3,000 copies be printed in the first edition. It was further agreed that "William W. Phelps, Oliver Cowthe subject into consideration and were aware of the importance and necessity f publishing a hymn book at that place. The request was also made that all suitable hymns should be sent to dery and John Whitmer be appointed to review and prepare such revelations Emma Smith, who had charge of gath-ering the same. This contemplated for the press as shall be decided proper for publication and print them as soon edition must have been published in Nauvoo some time previous to Aug. 20, 1842. The first European edition was published in Manchester by Brigham Young, Parley P. Pratt and John Tayas possible at Independence, Mo.; the announcement to be made that they are 'published by W. W. Phelps & Co,' are 'published by W. W. Phelps & Co,' Elders Cowdery and Whitmer journey-ed to Independence where they met W. W. Phelps, and the three commenced to carry out the instructions of the con-ference and by the year 1833 quite a number of the revelations had been printed, but before the labor was comlor, in 1840. The edition consisted of 4,000 copies. One year later Parley P. Partt published the second edition of 2,000 in Manchester and in 1843 the third edition of 2,000 copies was published by Amos Fielding and Hyrum Clark in Liverpool. The fourth edition was 3,000 copies. It was published by Reuleted, the blood-thirsty mohocrats rove the Saints from their homes, desben Hedlock and Thomas Ward in Liv-crpool in 1845. The fifth edition, 2,000 copies, was published at the same place by Orson Spencer and Franklin D. Richards, in 1847. The sixth edition of 2,000 copies was published by Orson Spencer in 1848, the seventh 4,000 cop-les by Orson Pratt the same year. He also published the eighth edition of 4,000 copies the following year. In 1851 Franklin D. Richards published the ninth edition of 25,000 copies. This edi-tion supplied the demand for three years and in 1854 Orson Pratt pub-lished the tenth edition, 10,000 copies. ben Hedlock and Thomas Ward in Livarove the shifts from their homes, des-troyed the printing press, pied the type and threw the printed forms of the commandments into an old log stable. During these scenes the life of a "Mor-mon" was considered of little or no value. A Brother Taylor, who was liv-ing at Independence at the time, deing at independence at the time, de-sired to save some of the printed reve-lations. He therefore asked the privil-ege of Bishop Partridge, to make a journey to the stable and try to gave some of the copies. The Bishop told him that he would be taking his life in his hands to undertake such a thing. Nothing daunted. Brother Taylor went to the stable and, reaching through lished the tenth edition, 10,000 copies. The ninth edition contained 76 songs

ings, with some of his brethren, for the sake of the Gospel which they would not renounce. A second edition of the work was published for the author in New York, by J. W. Harrison, in 1840. It gives a true and concise account of the sufferings of the Saints while in the land of Missouri. Another work dealing with the Missouri, Another work deal-ing with the Missouri persecutions was "An Appeal to the American People; being an account of the persecutions of the Church of Latter-day Saints and of the barbarities inflicted on them by the inhabitants of the state of Missouri." This was a pamphlet of some 48 pages and was published by authority of the Church in 1839-1840, two editions,

ORSON PRATT'S WORKS.

pended in September, 1837. A new paper called "The Elders' Journal" sup plied its place, but only four number, were printed, two at Kirtland, Ohio were printed, two at Kirtuand, Cono, and two at Far West, Missouri, where the press had been removed. After the issue of the fourth number the press was destroyed by the mob, the last is-sue being dated Far West, August, 1833. The "Times and Seasons," the Church organ in Nauvoo, was first issued in the course item the dist number appearing fail of 1839, the first number appearing in November. The paper ran for one year as a 16 page (octavo) monthly periodical, but at the commencement of volume two, it was enlarged to a semi-monthly. It continued its exsemi-monthly. It continued its ex-istence until 1846 when the Saints were expelled from the state. The editors at different times were Ebenezer Rob-In 1840 Elder Orson Prait published in Edinburgh a pamphlet of 31 pages deal-ing with the Book of Mormon. It was called "An Interesting Account of Several Remarkable Visions and of the Late Discovery of Ancient American Records." This pamphlet has been republished several times and is now used in the mission field. Another work in defense of the truth Another work in defense of the truth

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