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ABBREVIATIONS.—Unl. coh., unlawful cohabitation; Utah Pen., Utah Penitentiary.

APRIL.

Mon. 1.—In the First District Court, Anthony Heiner was sentenced to three months' imprisonment and to pay a fine of \$200 and costs for unl. coh.—Thomas O'Bray, of Paradise, released from the Utah Pen.

Tu. 2.—Thomas H. Winter, who had been sentenced at Provo, the day previous, to one year's imprisonment for polygamy, was incarcerated in the Utah Pen.

Thurs. 4.—Bishop W. H. Lee, of Woodruff, Rich Co., and M. B. Wheelwright of Ogden, released from the Utah Pen.—The steamship *Denmark en route* from Copenhagen to New York broke its shaft and was disabled. On the following day the unfortunate steamer met the steamship *Missouri*, which took the crew and passengers of the *Denmark* on board, and subsequently landed some of them on the *Azores* and brought the others to Baltimore, Md.

Fri. 5.—Disastrous prairie fires raged in Dakota.

Sat. 6.—The 59th annual conference of the Church commenced in Salt Lake City and was continued until the 8th.—Sanford Bligham, of Riverdale, Weber Co., released from the Utah Pen.

Sun. 7.—In the General Conference of the Church, held in Salt Lake City, a First Presidency was sustained consisting of Wilford Woodruff, President; George Q. Cannon, First Counselor, and Joseph F. Smith, Second Counselor. This was the fourth time in the history of the Church that a First Presidency was organized.

Mon. 8.—Apostle Francis M. Lyman, Eli B. Hawkins of Benjamin Utah Co., Robert Crawshaw, of Cache Co., Henry Ballard, of Logan and Stephen Nye, of Ogden, were released from the Utah Pen.

Tu. 9.—Daniel B. Hill, of Wellsville, Cache Co., released from the Utah Pen.—Elder J. B. Reid and a missionary companion were seized by a mob and expelled from their field of labor in Georgia.

Wed. 10.—President O. C. Hoskins released from the Utah Pen.

Thurs. 11.—James H. Brown, of Logan, released from the Utah Pen.

Sat. 13.—In the First District Court, J. J. Naef, was sentenced to three months' imprisonment and costs, for unl. coh.—William F. Reynolds released from the Utah Pen.

Mon. 15.—Bishop Robert Davidson, of Logan, released from the Utah Pen., where he had been confined for living with his wives.—Elder Arza Adams died in American Fork, Utah Co.

Tu. 16.—The Saddle Rock restaurant, on Main Street, Salt Lake City, destroyed by fire.—Madame Albani, the world-renowned lyric artist, sang for the first time in the Salt Lake Theatre.

Wed. 17.—Joseph Alma Reese suicided at Spanish Fork, Utah Co., by taking strychnine.

Fri. 19.—A large number of prominent excursionists from Colorado and other States visited Salt Lake City.

Sat. 20.—In the First District Court, at Provo, the following named brethren were sentenced as follows: William Grant, of American Fork, to 20 months' imprisonment and costs, for adultery; John C. Harper to five months and \$200 fine and costs, for unl. coh.; Sylvester Bradford to 100 days and \$25 fine and costs for unl. coh.; James Smain to 85 days and \$50 fine and costs, for unl. coh.; Thomas R. Jackson to 12 months' imprisonment and costs for adultery; James H. Tidwell to 60 days and costs, for unl. coh.; Joseph C. Stiekney to six months and costs, for adultery, and Joseph S. Murdock to 35 days for unl. coh. George H. Brimhall and John Adams, who promised to obey the law, went free.—George W. Walz suicided in Ogden by taking chloroform.

Mon. 22.—Thomas Wilson, of Ogden arrested on a charge of unl. coh.—Franklin S. Richards delivered a very able address before the U. S. Supreme Court, at Washington D. C., in the Hans Nielsen *habeas corpus*

case.—The steamship *Missouri* arrived in New York with 365 people from the wrecked steamer *Denmark*.—The Oklahoma country, in the Indian Territory, was opened for settlement in accordance with President Harrison's proclamation. It is estimated that 50,000 persons assembled on the borders, and as soon as the guards were withdrawn, a wild rush was made to secure good claims. In the excitement, which lasted for some time, much lawlessness and numerous crimes were committed.

Tu. 23.—Bishop Henry Tingey, of Brigham City, and William Watterson, of Logan, released from the Utah Pen.

Wed. 24.—Eli H. Day, of Mt. Pleasant, and O. C. Larsen, of Ephraim, released from the Utah Pen.

Thurs. 25.—Elder Joseph S. Allen, once a member of Zion's Camp, died in Huntington Emery Co.

Fri. 26.—In the First District Court, at Ogden, Samuel Oldham was sentenced to six months' imprisonment and \$100 and costs, for unl. coh.—James Howard, of East Bountiful, George B. Bailey, of Mill Creek, and Isaac W. Fox, released from the Utah Pen.—By a terrible collision of two trains on the Colorado Midland Ry., near the Hagerman tunnel, on the Continental divide, Col., a number of people were killed.

Sat. 27.—A small company of Saints (26 souls) including two returning Elders, bound for Utah, sailed from Amsterdam, Holland.—Thomas P. Cloward released from the Utah Pen.

Sun. 28.—Soren Christensen, a stockman, was cruelly murdered in the presence of his wife and child, at Deseret, Millard, Co., by James A. Wright.—Eighteen persons killed in a Grand Trunk railway accident, near Hamilton, Canada.

Mon. 29.—Miles Grant lectured on the history of the world in the Salt Lake Assembly Hall.—Elder David Garner, a member of the Mormon Battalion, died at North Ogden, Weber Co.—Andrew Anderson arrested at Huntsville, Weber Co., on a charge of unl. coh.

Tu. 30.—This day being the centennial anniversary of the inauguration of the first President of the United States, the day was observed as a national holiday throughout the country.—Hyrum Barton, of Salt Lake City, released from the Utah Pen.

MAY.

Elders J. F. Chidester and G. E. Burgess, were mobbed and banished from their field of labor by a mob in South Carolina, where they labored as missionaries.

Wed. 1.—Three little girls died from the effects of eating poison parsnips at Chester, Sanpete Co.—In the Third District Court, Salt Lake City, B. H. Roberts was sentenced to four months' imprisonment and to pay a fine of \$200 and costs, for unl. coh.—Henry Rampton, of East Bountiful, released from the Utah Pen.

Fri. 3.—Martin Gann, of Sugar House Ward, and Peter C. Christensen, of Mayfield, Sevier Co., released from the Utah Pen.

Sat. 4.—Peter Swenson, of Cache County, released from the Utah Pen.—A small company of Hollandish Saints, in charge of Elder Krumperman, sailed from Liverpool, England. The company arrived in New York, May 15th.

Sun. 5.—Henry W. Stanley, the great African explorer, left Albert Nyanza, Africa, homeward bound.

Mon. 6.—Arthur L. Thomas appointed governor of Utah, as successor to Caleb W. West.—The grand exposition at Paris, France, opened.—Samuel Brannon, once a prominent Elder in the Church and later a very wealthy real estate owner in California, died in Sonora, Mexico.—Elder Collett died in Mexico.

Tu. 7.—Elijah Sells appointed secretary of Utah; Daggett appointed surveyor general.

Wed. 8.—Andrew Hansen released from the Utah Pen.—The *City of Paris* completed the fastest ocean voyage on record, in crossing the Atlantic in 5 days 23 hours and 7 minutes.

Fri. 10.—Thomas Gunderson, of Mill Creek, released from the Utah Pen.

Sat. 11.—After a lengthy trial in the

Third District Court, Salt Lake City, Howard O. Spencer, accused of killing Sergeant Pike Aug. 11, 1859, was acquitted.—In the First District Court, at Ogden, Bendt Petersen was sentenced to four months' imprisonment and \$100 fine and costs, and Thomas H. Bullock, to a similar term with fine and costs, for unl. coh.—Nedson Eardley, of Salt Lake City, and his plural wife, arrested on a charge of adultery.—Dr. O. C. Ormsby arrested on a charge of unl. coh.—Niels Aagaard released from the Utah Pen.

Mon. 13.—Bishop Peter C. Jensen and James Keller, of Mantua, released from the Utah Pen.—A number of young men were arrested in Draper, Salt Lake Co., for hoodlumism.—The U. S. Supreme Court reversed the decision of the First District Court of Utah, in the Hans Nielsen *habeas corpus* case, and decided that a man can not be convicted of two different offences (adultery and unl. coh.) which are covered by the same transaction, etc.

Tu. 14.—Alvin W. Saunders, of Nebraska, appointed Utah Commissioner, to succeed A. L. Thomas.—Hans Nielsen, whose case had been carried to the U. S. Supreme Court, on a writ of *habeas corpus* was released from the Utah Pen.

Wed. 15.—P. F. Goss released from the Utah Pen.—In the Manchester police court, England, William H. Nicholas and Adolphus D. Bolitho, confederates of William Jarman, the anti-Mormon lecturer, were fined 20 shillings and costs, each, for disturbing a "Mormon" meeting the previous Sunday.

Thurs. 16.—In the First District Court, at Ogden, James L. Sorenson was sentenced to three months' imprisonment and costs for unl. coh.—In the Second District Court, at Beaver, C. J. Arthur, of Cedar City, and Frank W. Young were sentenced to six months' imprisonment and \$300 fine and costs, each, for unl. coh.—Arthur L. Thomas took the oath of office and succeeded Caleb W. West as Governor of Utah.—Randolph H. Stewart, of Moab, Charles B. Oakley and O. P. Borg released from the Utah Pen.—Seven hundred houses destroyed by fire in a suburb of Quebec, Canada.

Fri. 17.—J. B. Reynolds and August Svendsen released from the Utah Pen.

Sat. 18.—Thomas Chamberlain, of Graham, Kane Co., released from the Utah Pen.—The steamship *Wisconsin* sailed from Liverpool, England, with 142 Saints on board, including 8 returning missionaries, in charge of Mayhew H. Dalley. The company arrived in New York on the 29th and in Salt Lake City June 4th.—Americans carried all their points in the Samoan conference, held at Berlin, Germany.

Mon. 20.—John Welch, of Paradise, Cache Co., and F. G. Ralph, of Hyrum, Cache Co., released from the Utah Pen.

Tu. 21.—In the Second District Court, at Beaver, Martin B. Cutler was sentenced to six months' imprisonment and \$300 fine and costs, for unl. coh., and John P. Maxwell to six months for adultery.—Amos Gillispie accidentally killed on the Park City division of the U. P. Ry., at Wanship, Summit Co.

Wed. 22.—Enos Stookey, of Clover, Tooele Co., died suddenly in Salt Lake City.—The dead body of Dr. P. H. Cronin, who strangely disappeared from his home in Chicago, two weeks previous, was found in a sewer.

Thurs. 23.—In the First District Court, at Ogden, S. N. Lee was sentenced to three months' imprisonment and \$100 fine and costs, for unl. coh.—Jens P. Hansen, of Ephraim, Sanpete Co., released from the Utah Pen.

Fri. 24.—Judge Zane reappointed chief justice for Utah, by President Harrison.—In the Third District Court, Salt Lake City, James Dean was sentenced to 110 days' imprisonment and to pay a fine of \$200 and costs, for unl. coh.—Joseph S. Murdock, of Heber City, Wasatch Co., Elijah A. Box, of Brigham City, and John Ash, sen., of Logan, released from the Utah Pen.

Sat. 25.—In the First District Court, at Ogden, Knud Emmertsen, of Huntsville, was sentenced to six months' imprisonment and costs, and Jens N. Hansen to two months and costs, for unl. coh.—Joseph Carlisle, of Mill Creek, released from the Utah

Pen.—L. A. Wright, a negro, cut his throat at the Utah Pen.

Sun. 26.—William C. Rounds released from the Utah Pen.—Reno, Nevada, was partly destroyed by fire.—The funeral of the murdered Dr. Cronin took place at Chicago, and created much interest.

Mon. 27.—In the First District Court, at Ogden, Richard Jessup, of Millville, Cache Co., was sentenced to two months' imprisonment and costs, and Rasmus Jeppson, convicted of polygamy, was sentenced to pay a fine of \$50 and costs, for unl. coh.—P. O. Sullivan, who had been arrested in Chicago on suspicion of being one of Dr. Cronin's murderers acknowledged the crime. A very sensational trial followed; others were arrested.

Tu. 28.—The Board of Trade organized in Salt Lake City, to construct Chamber of Commerce building.—Jens Mortensen of Brigham City, released from the Utah Pen.—William M. Palmer arrested at Nephi, on a charge of unl. coh.

Fri. 31.—Fire destroyed McKimmins's livery stables on East Temple Street, Salt Lake City; loss \$4,000.—John Thorp and Ole A. Jensen released from the Utah Pen.—The great Johnstown (Penn.) calamity took place, in which hundreds of lives were lost, and whole towns, villages, bridges, etc., entirely destroyed.

JUNE.

Sat. 1.—In the First District Court, at Ogden, Thomas Godfrey, of Clarkston, Cache Co., was sentenced to four months' imprisonment and \$100 fine and costs, and Thomas Griffin, to six months and \$100 and costs, for unl. coh.; W. T. Reid was sentenced to four months and \$100 and costs.

Sun. 2.—Great flood in China; 6,000 lives lost.

Mon. 3.—Chief Justice Charles S. Zane qualified and went on the bench, succeeding Judge Sandford.—Andrew Nielsen, of Richfield, and Andrew Rasmussen, of Sanpete County, released from the Utah Pen.—Eight prisoners overpowered the jailer at the Salt Lake City prison and escaped. They were subsequently recaptured.—The body of Alma P. Richards, of Morgan County, Utah, (murdered about the 2nd of August, 1888) was found near Russell Station, on the A. G. S. Ry., Mississippi. It was exhumed, placed in a metallic coffin and shipped to Utah, where it arrived in charge of Elder John Morgan, June 8th.

Wed. 5.—Stephen Mott, of American Fork and Martin Bushman released from the Utah Pen.

Thurs. 6.—The body of A. E. Manning, of Hooper, found near Point Lookout in Box Elder County, murdered.—Joseph A. A. Bunot arrested in Ogden, on a charge of unl. coh.—Elder Simeon Atwood died from the effects of an accident, at Benjamin, Utah Co.—Great fire at Seattle, Washington Ter.; loss \$10,000,000.

Fri. 7.—William C. Prows, of Kanosh, liberated from the Utah Pen.

Sat. 8.—David Jackson crushed to death under an ice wagon, near Salt Lake City.—James Ritchie released from the Utah Pen.

—The steamship *Wyoming* sailed from Liverpool, England, with 359 Scandinavian, Swiss and German Saints, including 18 returning missionaries, in charge of Elder Lars S. Andersen. The company arrived in New York on the 19th and in Salt Lake City on the 26th.

Sun. 9.—Bishop Joseph S. Black arrested at Deseret, Millard Co., on a charge of unl. coh.—The body of Elder Alma P. Richards, (killed in Mississippi) was re-interred in Morgan County, Utah. Nearly the whole county turned out in honor of the occasion.

Mon. 10.—Hoyt Sherman, jun., appointed Receiver of the Salt Lake Land Office.—F. A. Nowberger, of Logan, released from the Utah Pen.

Tu. 11.—A grand concert given in the Tabernacle, Salt Lake City, to aid the Johnstown flood sufferers in Pennsylvania.

Wed. 12.—George Manwaring, of Salt Lake City, and Soren C. Thygesen, released from the Utah Pen.—Plenic train wrecked near Armagh, Ireland; 74 lives lost and a large number injured.

Fri. 14.—Thomas Didriksen, of Spanish Fork, released from the Utah Pen.—Favor-

able termination of the Samoan convention, at Berlin, Prussia: American views prevailed.

Sat. 15.—Preston Lewis, of Big Cottonwood, and David A. Sanders released from the Utah Pen.; also William Ball and William Gurney, of Lehi, and Anthony Heiner, of Morgan City.—Three young men (William Laing, Harry Heuser and John W. Sullivan) were drowned by the capsizing of a boat during a heavy wind storm on the Great Salt Lake, near Syracuse. Their bodies were subsequently found.

Mon. 17.—In the First District Court, Isaac E. D. Zundell, of Washakie, Box Elder Co., was sentenced to four months' imprisonment and \$100 and costs, William McNeal to three months, \$100 fine and costs, and Frank Whitehead to three months and costs, all for unl. coh.—Benjamin Perkins, of Rabbit Valley, Andrew Anderson, of Grass Valley, John T. Covington, of Orderville, Cornelius McRevey, of Washington, James H. Langford, of Circle Valley, Carl Olson, of Mayfield, Soren Jacobsen, of Bountiful, and Charles Frampton, of Fillmore, were released from the Utah Pen., having served terms of imprisonment for breaking the Edmunds law.

Tu. 18.—Andrew Andersen, of Huntsville, arrested on a charge of unl. coh.—Elder William Abbott died in the Sugar House Ward, Salt Lake Co.

Wed. 19.—Terrible rioting and bloodshed in Bangkok, China.

Fri. 21.—Jacob Hafen, Joseph S. Barney, L. D. Watson, William R. Butler, Francis Webster, Sylvester F. Jones, Simon F. Topham and Niels Nielsen released from the Utah Pen.

Sat. 22.—The steamship *Wisconsin* sailed from Liverpool, England, with 172 souls, including 12 Hollandish Saints and nine returning Elders. The company arrived in New York harbor July 3rd, landed on the 5th and arrived in Salt Lake City on the 12th.—P. C. Geertsen, of Huntsville, released from the Utah Pen.—Mother Jane Eastham died in Grantsville, Tooele Co.

Sun. 23. Twenty-five houses buried in Johnstown, Penn.

Mon. 24.—The Utah Supreme Court ordered the Church farm leased to John R. Winder for \$401 per month.—Niels P. Rasmussen, of Brigham City, released from the Utah Pen.

Tu. 25.—In the First District Court, at Ogden, Andrew Stratford, of Brigham City, was sentenced to six months' imprisonment and \$100 fine for unl. coh.

Wed. 26.—The Old Folks of Salt Lake County had a pleasure excursion to Ogden.—John Oberg, of Richfield, and Henry W. Sanderson, of Fairview, and Frands C. Christiansen released from the Utah Pen.—Mrs. Jerusha Gibbs Fox, wife of Jesse W. Fox, sen., died in Salt Lake City.—General Simon Cameron, a Pennsylvania veteran statesman born March 8, 1799, died.—Judge Berry rendered his anti-Mormon decision at Blackfoot, Idaho.—A large number of people were killed and injured, in a Pennsylvania Ry. collision at Latrobe.

Thurs. 27.—John Groves, of Sugar House Ward, L. P. Christensen, of Richfield, Mons Rosenlund, of Mayfield, and Gotlieb Ence released from the Utah Pen.—Bishop James Watson, of the Nineteenth, Ward, Salt Lake City, died.

Sat. 29.—Patriarch William Box died in Brigham City, Box Elder Co.

JULY.

Mon. 1.—Elder Charles H. Hales died in Spanish Fork, Utah Co.—Bishop George Facer, of Willard, Box Elder Co., and J. E. Naef released from the Utah Pen.—The city of Durango, Col., burned; loss \$300,000.—A railway train on the Norfolk and Western Ry., plunged into a creek, near Lynchburg, Va.; many were killed and maimed.

Tu. 2.—General George R. Maxwell died in Salt Lake City.—John D. T. McAllister, of St. George, arrested at Milford, Beaver Co., on a charge of unl. coh.—Elder Levi Thornton died at West Portage, Box Elder Co.—Halley, Idaho, partly destroyed by fire; loss \$500,000.—The town of Princeton, Butler Co., Ohio, destroyed by a terrible wind-storm.—In Kwangtung, China, six thousand

lives were lost and seven villages destroyed by floods.

Wed. 3.—By an explosion of fire-damp in a coal-mine at St. Etienne, France, three hundred miners were entombed, and 185 perished.

Thurs. 4.—Independence day duly observed throughout the country.

Sat. 6.—Elder Jefferson Adair died at Nutrioso, Apache Co., Arizona.—A lumbermen's strike in Duluth, Minn., terminated in bloodshed.

Sun. 7.—Elder George Manwaring died in Salt Lake City.

Mon. 8.—School election in Salt Lake City. Liberals carry eight districts, namely, the 4th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 12th, 13th, 14th and 20th; the last named by gross fraud.—Poul Poulsen, of Richmond, Cache Co., released from the Utah Pen., having served a nine month's term for polygamy.

Tu. 9.—In the First District Court, at Ogden, James Bywater was sentenced to six months' imprisonment and \$150 fine and costs, for unl. coh.—The Whitney Ward, of Oneida Stake, Idaho, was first organized with Charles Chadwick as Bishop.—John L. Sullivan, in a prize fight at Jackson, Mississippi, whipped Jake Killrain, and thus retained his title as champion of the world.

Wed. 10.—Bishop Lars S. Andersen, of Ephraim, Sanpete Co., arrested on charges of unl. coh. and polygamy.—A large number of editors and representatives of the press from Nebraska, visited Salt Lake City.—Honorable Frank M. Brown, president of the proposed Colorado Canyon Ry., was drowned in the Colorado River (in Marble Canyon), eight miles below Lee's ferry, Southern Utah.

Thurs. 11.—Sylvester Bradford released from the Utah Pen.

Fri. 12.—Elder Peter S. Barkdull died at Farmington, Davis Co.—Wm. J. Ryan was fatally shot by the sheriff of Tooele County, at Garfield beach.—The President appointed E. H. Parsons marshal and C. S. Varian district attorney for Utah.

Sat. 13.—In the contest for the office of sheriff of Bingham County, Idaho, Judge Berry decided against the "Mormons", throwing out a sufficient number of votes cast by seceders from the Church to effect his purpose.

Sun. 14.—Mrs. Rachel Terry and daughter burned to death in the Nineteenth Ward, Salt Lake City.

Thurs. 18.—E. H. Parsons succeeded Frank H. Dyer as U. S. marshal for Utah.—J. H. Tidwell released from the Utah Pen.—Father James Burgon, of Union, Salt Lake Co., died, being 96 years old.—Stephen Stephensen, of Levan, Juab Co., met with a horrible death at Milford, Beaver Co.—Two hundred houses burned in Constantinople, Turkey.

Fri. 19.—Disastrous floods in West Virginia and Southern Ohio.

Sat. 20.—Peter Barton, of Kaysville, and Charles Hampshire of Mt Pleasant released from the Utah Pen.

Sun. 21.—"Cattle Kate" Maxwell and James Averilly lynched at Sweetwater, Wyo., by a mob for stealing cattle.—Four hundred houses burned at Paks, Austria.

Mon. 22.—Elder Henry Peck died at Malad, Oneida Co., Idaho.

Tu. 23.—Charles J. Abbott suicided in Salt Lake City, by taking morphine.—Judge Rufus K. Williams, of Ogden, died at Logan.—The funeral services over the remains of the late Amos Maycock, took place in North Ogden, Weber Co.

Wed. 24.—Father James Curley, of Georgetown College, the oldest priest in America, died near Washington, D. C., 94 years old.

Thurs. 25.—Sheriff DeLa Mare, previously arrested for the killing of John Ryan, at Garfield Beach, was admitted to \$2,000 bail, to await the action of the grand jury.

Fri. 26.—Baldwin H. Watts, of Kanosh, Millard Co., released from the Utah Pen.—Elder Wilson Lund died in Paragonah, Iron Co.—Elder Stephen Robert Wells died in St. George, Utah.

Sat. 27.—Captain Amos succeeded Arthur Pratt as warden of the Utah Pen., the latter having filled the office since Jan. 30, 1888.—Earl of Fife and Louisa (daughter of the Prince of Wales) married.—Richard

Jessop, of Millville, Cache Co., and M. F. Bell, of Richmond, released from the Utah Pen.

Mon. 29.—Extensive forest fires raged in many parts of the Northwest.

Tu. 30.—A disastrous storm visited New York, New Jersey and other States.—Louis T. Webb accidentally killed while coupling cars at the R. G. W. Ry. depot, Salt Lake City.

Wed. 31.—The Union Depot at Ogden was opened with a banquet, speeches, etc.—John L. Sullivan arrested in New York for fighting Kilrain in Mississippi, July 9th, and started for that State the following day.