

did not return, I fled & turned my head to look & saw the man with his gun in a shooting position & shortly after, while running I was shot by him, & I made my way to Ray City. Parley P Pratt was in the battle - Moses Rowland one of Capt. Bogart's men, & several of the mormons was killed in that battle. 5 of Bogart's company including myself were wounded, and further this deponent saith not - (Matt Craven)

Maurice Phelps a utriusq; produced a sworn and sworn affidavit for the State (Lyon) and saith, that Parley P Pratt was in the battle with Bogart, Darwin Chase was one of the expedition but not in the battle Lyman Gibbs was in the battle thinks Benjamin Jones was in the battle Norman Shearer was also & wounded, I was called upon by Charles Le Rich to go down to Crooked River to help relieve some mormons prisoners who it was said had been taken by a mob, I first refused to go but being threatened with force I consented to go we proceeded to Mr Daniels field in Ray Co. where we were commanded to hitch our horses and we proceeded down to where Capt Bogart was encamped, my self in the extreme rear the fight was brought on but I was not in it. On our return from the battle ground near Log Creek timber in Caldwell Co we met Jos. Smith Jr Lyman Wright & others who went to the wounded and pronounced blessings on them & prayed for them to be healed & saved, when we started from Mr Daniels field hence the only command given that I heard was boys follow me given by the Commander, I have been in two Danite meetings the first I did not make any exceptions to, & in the second the following exceptionable was inculcated, "that we should take spoil or plunder in some cases" but it was objected to and I have never attended a Danite meeting since, the day before the mormons went to Adam on diakhmon J. Smith Jr in an address told an anecdote of a dutchman who had been applied to by a Capt. to purchase Potatoes &c Rigdon in speaking of dissenters who were unwilling to fight mobs, said that they ought to be pitched upon their horses with pitchforks & Bayonets and forced into the front of the battle & their property confiscated to the use of the army the anecdote spoken of above about the dutchman was told by Smith after Rigdon's address and without any



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Morris Phelps

John Corrie a citizen produced sworn &  
examined in behalf the State <sup>although</sup> that about last  
June I was invited to a private meeting in which an ef-  
-fort was made to adopt some plan to get rid of the dis-  
-senten, there were some things I did not like and opposed  
it with others & it failed. after that I met Pres Rigdon  
-he told me I ought not to have any thing to do with it  
-that they would do as they pleased, I took his advice, I learned  
-afterwards that they had secret meetings, but I was never  
-invited none of the 1<sup>st</sup> Presidency was present at the meet-  
-ing above refered to, we have a rule in the Church au-  
-thorizing any member to consecrate or give voluntarily  
-his surplus property to the Church for charitable purpo-  
-ses. Pres. Rigdon last summer preached a sermon  
-commonly called the last sermon, which seemed to have  
-for its object to produce a feeling among the people to  
-get rid of the dissenten for crimes alleged & because they  
-was a greed with them, in a few days there seemed considerable  
-excitement among the people, & the dissenten left. as I  
-advised them they were in danger. I was afterwards invited  
-to one of those meetings where an oath in substance the  
-same as testified to by Dr. Auld was administered. the  
-Society was ultimately organized into companies and  
-captains of tens & 50<sup>th</sup> were appointed. I took exceptions  
-only to the teachings as to the duties of that Society when  
-in it was said if one brother got into any kind of a dif-  
-ficulty it was the duty of the rest to help him out right or  
-wrong, at the second or at least the last meeting I attended  
-the presidency to wit Jos. Smith Jr. Hiram Smith & Sidney  
-Rigdon & also Geo. W. Robertson was there, there was at this  
-meeting a ceremony of introducing the officers of the Society  
-to the presidency, who pronounced blessings on each of them  
-as introduced exhorting to faithfulness in their calling &  
-they should have blessings. after this Pres Smith got up &  
-made general remarks about in substance as follows. Rela-  
-ting the oppressions the Society had suffered and they wanted to  
-be prepared for further events but said he wished to do nothing  
-unlawful & if the people would let him alone they would  
-preach the gospel & live in peace, towards the close he  
-observed to the people that they should obey the presi-