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PROJECT NAME: **_"Books of Mormon"**_____

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Description of items

The ten items proposed include the **Book of Mormon** and other writings by Joseph Smith, an account of the massacre of Smith and his brother Hyrum, and several early rebuttals to the Mormon faith and criticisms of the Mormon community in Nauvoo, Illinois. Half of the titles were published in Illinois or Missouri.

How they address “Illinois Culture and Heritage”

The current presidential race included for the first time a Mormon seeking the nomination. This inspired a renewed focus on the Mormon migration across the country and settlement in Illinois. After Joseph Smith published the **Book of Mormon**, a number of Mormon communities were established in New York, Ohio, and Missouri. The antislavery Mormons were driven from the slave state of Missouri when mobs, joined by the Missouri State militia, massacred twenty people and forced approximately fifteen thousand to the free state of Illinois. Although initially welcomed, non-Mormons watched the hard-working Mormon population grow to twenty thousand and the creation of the largest city in Illinois at the time. Economic problems, political disputes, and jealousy led to the Illinois General Assembly withdrawing the charter for the city of Nauvoo in 1844 and asking the Mormons to leave the state. In the following year, they migrated west and resettled in Salt Lake City, Utah.

SIUE's Mormon Titles for CARLI Book Digitization Initiative - Spring 2008

Title	Publication Year	# of Volumes	Edition	Publisher	OCLC #	Checked OCA site yes/no
The early history of Nauvoo : together with a sketch of the people who built this beautiful city and whose leaders suffered persecution and martyrdom for their religion's sake (S.A. Burgess)	192-	1		Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints (Independence, MO)	11510576	yes
A brief history of the leading causes of the Hancock mob, in the year 1846 (Josiah B. Conyers)	1846	1		Cathcart & Prescott (St. Louis, MO)	191883875	yes
A dialogue between Adam and Eve, the Lord and the Devil, called the endowment : as was acted by twelve or fifteen thousand, in secret, in the Nauvoo Temple, said to be revealed from God as a reward for building that splendid edifice, and the express object for which it was built (Increase Van Deusen)	1847	1		C. Kilmer (Albany)	191886727	yes
The voice of truth : containing General Joseph Smith's correspondence with Gen. James Arlington Bennett; appeal to the Green Mountain Boys; correspondence with John C. Calhoun, ESQ.; views of the powers and policy of the government of the United States; pacific innuendo, and Gov. Ford's letter; a friendly hint to Missouri, and a few words of consolation for the 'globe;" also, correspondence with the Hon. Henry Clay (Joseph, Smith)	1844	1		John Taylor (Nauvoo, IL)	191886884	yes
An authentic account of the massacre of Joseph Smith, the Mormon prophet, and Hyrum Smith, his brother : together with a brief history of the rise and progress of Mormonism, and all the circumstances which led to their deaths (Geo. T. M. Davis)	1844	1		Chambers & Knapp (St.Louis, MO)	191884550	yes
The adventures and experience of Joseph H. Jackson : disclosing the depths of Mormon villany practiced in Nauvoo (Joseph H. Jackson)	1846	1		[s.n.] (Warsaw, IL)	02562477	yes

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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 record of the people of Nephi, and also of the Lamanites ... an abridgment taken from the Book of Ether also.... (trans. Joseph Smith)	1920	1		Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints (Salt Lake City, UT)	03897124	yes
The letters of an apostate Mormoni to his son (Hans. P. Freece)	1908	1		Wolfer Press (NY)	03122288	yes
The history of the saints, or An expose of Joe Smith and Mormonism (John C. Bennett)	1842	1		Leland & Whiting (Boston, MA); Bradbury, Soden, & Co. (NY); E.S. Norris & Co. (Cincinnati, OH)	06824739	yes
Wife no. 19, or The story of a life in bondage : being a complete expose of Mormonism, and revealing the sorrows, sacrifices and sufferings of women in polygamy (Ann Eliza Young, Brigham Young's apostate wife)	1876	1		Dustin, Gilman & Co. (Hartford, CT)	00670912	yes