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PREFACE.

The first publications of the Society were issued in the year 1813, the year following its organization. During the first twenty-seven years of its history eleven pamphlets were issued, containing matters of interest and value, which were followed by the proceedings of May and October, 1839, of May, 1848, and October, 1843. With October, 1849, begins the publication of the Proceedings in order. In addition to the Proceedings proper, occasional commemorative pamphlets and reports upon special subjects have been issued. With October, 1880, a New Series was begun, and the practice of furnishing an index with each volume was inaugurated. But until the present time there has been no key that would unlock the treasures stored in the older publications. This want has now been supplied by the thoughtful care and judicious labor of Mr. Stephen Salisbury, Jr., who has prepared this "Partial Index" for publication, thus bringing the Society still deeper in his debt. He has been materially assisted in the work of preparation by Mr. John J. Riordan, of Worcester.

As the name implies, this work is not put forth as a full index, but rather as a much-needed aid in learning what subjects have been discussed before the Society in nearly three-score years, and also where the various essays, reports, etc., may be found.

The whole number of separate pamphlets embraced in this Index is seventy-five. As each pamphlet is complete in itself, the Proceedings can only be cited in the partial index by the date of publication. Following the "Index" will be found a Table of Contents of the "Archæologia Americana," the "Proceedings" and separately published Pamphlets of the Society, made by Mr. Nathaniel Paine, giving the prices of such as are on hand and for sale.

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