

Days,—will be the present Emperor of France, Louis Napoleon; and who, according to Rev. 12: 17; 13: 5, 7; Dan. 7: 25; 12: 7, is to wage a dreadful war, for 3½ years, against the saints who are left behind at the first deliverance. But “whom the Lord shall consume with the spirit of His mouth, and shall destroy the with brightness of His coming,” 2 Thess. 2: 8.]

At another time, whilst silently lifting up his heart in prayer to God, he saw heaven opened, and from it a bright light shone down upon his head, and from above that light there came a voice saying, “*YOU ARE ANOINTED THE SAME AS KING SAUL!*” At that time he did not think much about these words, nor did he understand their meaning. But some time afterward, the Lord gave him to understand that he is to fulfill in Palestine, in the Millennium, the same office that king David fulfilled in past time; and also requested him to make it known to the people. This request seemed to him an unbearable task, being fully conscious should he make it known, he would immediately be regarded as crazy; and he, consequently, begged of the Lord to make it known Himself; in answer to which He said, “*Not then, until I see fit!*”

During his stay at a Camp-meeting, he saw the Lord as in the act of reaching down to him a Shepherd's crook, and saying, “*YOU ARE TO GO BEFORE MY PEOPLE.*” This act, accompanied by these words, seemed to leave him almost powerless, he felt himself to be such a poor, miserable creature. But he was told to look to Christ for help. And the Lord spoke to him