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Record of tithing donations and "offerings for the poor" received by Jacob G. Bigler, bishop of the Kanesville Branch, and Aaron Johnson, presiding bishop of Pottawattamie County, Iowa, October 1849-January 1852. Includes information about distributions to the poor of Kanesville and vicinity and an account of labor and materials donated toward the construction of the Log Tabernacle, 1849-1850. Also contains a brief section entitled "Bishops Docket," which reports ecclesiastical court cases brought before Bishop William W. Lane and his counselors, Jacob G. Bigler and Lorenzo Johnson, 1850-1851.

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Kanesville August 15th AD 1850 this day Noah S Bulkley preferred

a charge before me against John W Bell for drunkenness

and for for fighting Quarreling & the said Bell was

notified in writing by JG Bigler to appear at the Tithing

house on Saturday 2 instant at four O clock PM of said

day to answer onto said charge defendent appeared according

to the notice and humbly confessed and was forgiven

Kanesville Sept 6 this day Came Margaret Cunnington

and Entered complaint against her Husband (William

Cunnington) for improper treatment to herself

he was notified to appear on the seventh and by

the testamony of Ira Ames and wife and also

by the testamony of Plaintiff and defendent it

was Clearly proven that the plaintiff Margarett

Cunnington was the aggressor and most in fault

and after some very appropriate Remarks and

good Council being given by the Court they ware

advised to be at peace with Each other and live

to gather as Saints of God and they aggreed to

do so

On Saturday 21st of Sept 1850

J Wright and Martin L Benson met at the

D Tithinghouse to have a matter of deal settled

between them and after a long and tedious

investigation it was was decided the Martin

L Benson was indebted Josiah Wright the sum

of Seventeen dollars and nine Cents and that

M L Benson pay over to the Court one dollar for

the benefit of the Poor he paid the dollar and

asked for an appeal to the high Council
at its next sitting granted the parties all
notified to attend the High Council on the appeal
w on Saturday 28 instant at ten Oclock AM
W W Lane Bishop