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The high council was organized 21 July 1846 to preside over all the Latter-day Saints then living east of the Missouri River. The council's headquarters were at Kanesville, Iowa. Minutebook and papers related to high council meetings, including high council courts. Most of the minutes were recorded by the council's clerk, Evan M. Greene. Some of the minutes in folder 2 were recorded by Jacob G. Bigler. Included in the minutebook are Oliver Cowdery's 5 November 1848 statement upon returning to the Church. Following the minutes are lists of liquor licenses granted (1848) and marriages performed (1846-1848).

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J. Welden to bring up as his own child. Said bro.

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Welden had since died, and the boy was left on the

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widows hands, and he wished to know what was to be done with him. Several Councillors spoke upon the subject, and it was finally concurrantly recomended that Councillor Evans take the boy in to his possession and deliver him over to the disposal of Bishop Lane.

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Councillor Baum asked if it was his duty as bishop to take tithing of those who were industrious but scar

The High Council met pursuant to adjournment and opened by prayer from Prest Harris

cely able to live &c.. Prest. O Hyde came in.

The Clerk not being present on account of sickness,

Councillors Browning, Snow, Evans, and Pres't

it was voted on motion that C. C. Pendleton act as clerk

Hyde, all spoke in terms not to mistaken, of the necessity of all saints fulfilling that law, as necessary

pro tem.

to sanctification, and a complete salvation.

Existing Councillors all present except J. Bigler, who is up

The subject of an appeal for redress, or a revision

at the mishes.

Councillor Evans said he was acting Bishop in the

Welsh Branch. Spoke of some orphan children and

in particular of a boy, who had been taken by brother

of action, of a decision of the high Council some two

years ago, in the case of J. Helting; by which decision

he was cut off. was spoken upon by Pres't Hyde and improper course he had taken.

Helting not being present (himself and family being sick) it was unanimously voted that his