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Nov. 18th AD 1848

Counselors present but Ira Oviatt Henry

W. Miller, Jerome M. Benson..

Prayer by Geo. W Harris.. The clerk read the former
minutes, Bro. William Snow made some exceptions
to

the record of Pres. O. Hyde remarks on precedent..

Pres. P . Hyde made some remarks relative to it

Geo. W. Harris moved to accept the minute as
they

are,, carried..

Pres. O. Hyde proposed bringing some busi-
ness before the council,, said he had feelings
with

regard to father Alpnens Cutler and Bishop
Calkins,,

he felt that all was not right there, and he had

the testimony within call,, said some of the Council

also knew it, and he did not care what men's

mission might be, if they were drinking in a

wrong spirit, it should cone out,, he had writen

a letter and Bro. Lyman Stoddard had been down

and read it to them, and they had taken a copy
of the letter,, Pres.Hyde read the letter
which expressed

clearly his feelings.. Called on Bro. Stoddard to
make

a report.. Councillor Ira Oviatt came in..

Councillor L. Stoddard said he had been to see
the

branch

at Father Cutlers,, said they manifested a curious
spirit, and

Bro. Calkins took exceptions to Bro. Hydes letter
being

address

to the Branch and not to Father Cutler on himself..

Bro. Hyde said he had writen and sent the let-
ter

advisedly for he felt it was time for the letter to be sent, or he would have seen the Council before sending.. Said he had acted advisedly and by authority..

Bro Stoddard said Father Cutler and all there tho't the mission given them carried them beyond all Authority here..

Bro. Hyde give some illustrations of men being beyond the reach of Authority on the power of