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Record of quorum meetings held in Pottawattamie County, Iowa, January 1848-September 1851, as well as business matters and ordinations. Record begins 2 January 1848 with reorganization of quorum. James Sloan was newly appointed clerk. William Snow acted as president until August 1850. Lyman Stoddard served as president pro tem from then until February 1851, when George Coulson became president. Most meetings seem to have been held at Blockhouse Branch. Meetings were discontinued shortly after February 1851, per note of James Sloan at end of record. At back of the volume is roster of quorum members, listed by branch, with occasional notations regarding disciplinary actions, deaths, and removal of individuals to other places. Minutes report remarks of numerous church leaders, including Orson Hyde, George A. Smith, Ezra T. Benson, and Almon W. Babbitt, as well as remarks by Oliver Cowdery when he requested rebaptism on 5 November 1848 (pp. 9-10).

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in one month from this time to be enrolled. on motion, it was

carried, that James Alred and George Coulson act as councillors

to the President pro tem. further business was postponed until the

first sunday in September next, to be held in this meeting ground or in the Music Hall.

James Sloan, Clerk. Lyman Stoddard Presdt= pro tem.

Sunday September 1st 1850. The quorum of High Priests assembled

at the meeting ground at Kanessville, the day being pleasant, and

after singing and Prayer, as usual, proceeded and arranged the

names of all the Members of this quorum now in this County as

residents, from the original record of names, the names given in

to the clerk since the last meeting, and on diligent enquiry

now made from those now present. John Dickson, Mc Olneys

branch, John Wright, Council Point, Alfred B Child, Big

Pigeon branch, William A. Weston, Springville branch, Barrum

B. Messenger, Carterville branch, Thomas A. Curtiss, Springville

branch, and Cornelius Nanloovin, Carterville, were respectively

recommended for Ordination into this quorum, and received

by unanimous votes, and Ordained accordingly. It was then

carried by vote, that the next meeting of this quorum take place

in the Music Hall at the usual hour upon Sunday the 29th day

of September just in consequence of the meeting of the general Confe=

=rence which will take place on Sunday the 6th of Oct next. The

meeting was then adjourned, & dismissed as usual.

James Sloan, Clerk. Lyman Stoddard, Presdt
pro tem.

Sunday September 29th 1850. The High Priests
quorum met

in the Music Hall in Kanesville, at ten oclock a m
agree=

=able to adjournment. The President and his Coun-
sellors

were present, The meeting was opened by prayer
by Elder

George Coulson, The minutes of the meetings
since the

7th day of April last were then read and approved.

The President then arose, and said, If those pro-
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a Spirit of division and so forth, appear here, I will

combat then here. If those presiding will all stand

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