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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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I made a contract with Mr. Caldwell= I am the conclusion

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that they were in partnership because the old gentleman took

2 Wt. Noah Packard know that the two Biglers drew logs for

the responsibility of the altering the weights=

them and when the money was paid it was paid to the old

[==] the defence

gentleman knew nothing of any articles of Partnership

1 Wt Adam Bigler said Caldwell told him he had a load for

existing between them

Stutsman and then was another= I went and saw Stutsman

The clerk read the testimony of A. C. Willson =

when the day came Caldwell was sick I told Stutsman that I would go

3 Wt J. B. Stutsemen- testified that he did not make a bargain

and see Caldwell= I met him in the street asked him what he

in with Mr. Bigler, I

made my Bargain with you, and you

would take for his team to go up with - he said if I would find a

got Mr. Bigler, and when the day came to load up you

driver we would go haves in the load= I got Mark to go and

did not come but Mr. Bigler came and one had your

drive= He and his father were not in partnership= He did not ask

team- I judge him a partner with you as he attend the

his fathers advice or council in the matters=

weights= I paid some to the old gentleman & some to Adam-

At the close of his testimony the Council had 5 minute recess=

2 witness mark Bigler confirmed the testimony of
A.B.- he drove

the team for Adam=

Bro. Caldwell acknowledged that he called R.
W. Bigler a [===]

scoundrel= That he said the old man looked to him
like a

man that was laboring under the curse of God-
that he

would not give it up he would appeal and would
have it out

of him if it took him three years=