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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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but,

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do you hold to the Iron Rod, for you will find that this

was that the one should satisfy the other, which would

is the Rod. He then concluded by blessing the people.

be a dangerous precedent. The 70s have acted, & all well,

President Snow expressed his satisfaction of what had

because of press of business, but, altho a full quorum of

been said,& added.If we only thought, that if the Lord

the twelve have full power to act, also a full quorum of

had not put the proper Persons in the Presidency, but

the Seventies have full power to act, yet it must be in

wanted any of us in it, he would let us know.

their proper place, in their own field, not in presence of

Elder Hyde then said, that the Spirit he had, told

their Superiors, unless invited so to do. When the first pre=

him that the Presidency and Council here, will come out

=sidency send one of the 12, they put all their power upon

right, that he felt well , and does not rejoice in the over=

him, & so on, in the Church. It is the Priesthood and

=turning any of the acts of our brethren, but wished all

power to the great God. When a man departs from this

things to work together for good. Elder Harloe Redfield,

mode he gets into darkness, the Spirit leaves him,

made some appropriate remarks in concurrence

with

the foregoing, and so forth. After which the public meet=

=ing was closed by Elder Hyde. The minutes of the meetings of September, October, & November last were then

read & approved. Moved, seconded, & carried that the

Ordination to George Eyre of Unionville, be the

President & his councillors, after the close of the meeting

in Decbr last be , and is approved of Moses Moss was then

proposed for Ordination into this quorum, & recommended

by Elder Hewill Presdt of one of the quorums of Seventies,

which was carried by vote. It was then carried that

John Davis of Myer's Mill, be ordained also, & they were

Ordained by Elders Harloe Redfield & Jacob G. Bigler

Amos