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that Idea.. This was the feelings of the whole council.. Remarks

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by Bro's Alred & Snow who said if Bro. Bird bring out all who are

and being called upon to make his confession and two or three times

in connection with him in this thing the Council will then

interrogated on the subject he wabered it,,Pres. Alred came out

forgive him but he must know that he cannot get the stain

and declared he was not right at heart,, that he did not ma---fest

from him.. Remarks by several,, Counselor Stoddard obseved there

a spirit of contrition,, he brought nothing forward without

were many things presented themselves to him which were severe

being asked.

trials in this matter,, and seem to palliate in some degree for

He said he was sorry but did not ask forgiveness,,some

these things,, and refered to a circumstance of hogs

remarks by Counselors Draper and Stoddard.. Pres. Alred proposed

being driven

the councils having the house to themselves, with the prisoner..

into Camp at Garden Grove,, also to John Gheens having

The Brethren retired,, Counsrlor A. H. Perkins said he wanted to

been licenced to gamble &c.. Remarks by others,, William Bird

know if there was a conspiracy,, for certain things presented to him

said he had been made acquainted -----these and other

circumstances of like nature, which had led him in-

to it..

Rehearsed some of the transactions at puella last winter..

He then stated that Thomas Brown had solicited him

to join in making bogus and have one half they could

make.. The Council then required the obligation to be administered to Bird By L. Stoddard,, after which the Council forgave

him,.. It was then moved that the following ordinance be received

and adopted to be come a law unto this people residing on the

Potawatamie Lands.. (To Wit)

Be it ordained / by the High Council of the Church of

Jesus Christ of Letter Day Saints.. Resident upon the Potawatamie

Lands,, that any person belonging to said Church who shall steal from

the Brethren, he, or she shall pay four fold the amount, or in case

they have not the amount of property they shall receive not exceding thirty nine

lashes and if they shall seal from a person not belonging to

the Church but living among us they shall make satisfaction