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precedent, but he would say if you have an order

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let the members of the Council come together,

get their seats, and let the clerk call the names

and have all vacancies if any filled, and then

Previous to the opening of the Council the question of

attend to prayers.. He referred to the unnecessary delays

order on the point of the clerks calling the names

in all Legislative bodies, assisting from questions

and seeing the Councillors, seated and vacancies filled ,in

of order.. Prayer was then made by Councillor

case of the absence of any one of the Councillors, before

Geo. Coulson.. The clerk called the names, Councillors

prayers, was agitated and several of the Councillors

all present but Wm. Snow Harlow Redfield was called

spoke on this subject pro. & con. (To Wit) Geo. W. Harris

upon to fill his place.. The clerk read the former

J. M. Benson, Jas. Allred, Geo Coulson, N. S. Bulkley

minutes,, Wm Snow came in and took his place..

Jacob G. Bigler & Aaron Johnson. Prest O. Hyde

Councillor J. M. Benson made some comments

coming in the question was submitted to him..

on the minutes.. Prest O. Hyde said he understood

there were some who threatened taking vengeance,

He said the Prest of the Council had a right to

and had said they would resort to brutal means

conduct, and direct the order of the Councils.. He

if action was had in this Council and referred to

said he could not recommend establishing a

Councillor L. Stoddard spoke relative to the man-

ners

in which the Council should meet these cases, said

if the Council not handle such cases the Law of

the land could,, refered to the late election and

the candidates &c said brother J. D. Parker came to

Bro. Geo. A, Smith, E. T. Benson and himself and  
wished

us to nominate a deputy to act in his place, as he  
was

not able to do it, and we declined, telling him to