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17 June 1848

2 ocl. P. M. Present of the Counselors William Snow

Ira Oviatt, Aaron Johnson, no, filled by Moses Daily,

Geo. Coulson, Hiram Clark, A. H. Perkins, E. M. Greene

Lyman Stoddard, Silas Richards, no. filled by Geo. W. Harris

H. W. Miller, N. S. Bulkley, J M Benson place filled

by Lyman Stevens.. Pres. O. Hyde Col. Chas. M. Johnson

were present. H. W. Miller in behalf of the committee on

Indian affairs made Report.. The Report was accepted..

Counselors J M Benson & Aaron Johnson came in

at 3 ocl. - Col. Chas. M Johnson made report

of the scout after the Indians on the (B.) He was,,

and tendered his resignation also presented the

Adjv Report giving the names of those who

who turned out on the occasion..

The Report and Resignation were accepted..

Moved for a military organisation, seconded..

Remarks by Pres. Jos. Young,, followed by H. W. Miller

O. Hyde, Geo. W. Harris.. Question carried..

Col. C. M. Johnson spoke on organisation..

Moved that the council appoint a Col.- to organise

carried.. pres, O. Hyde moved that col- Chas. M. Johnson

be appointed he said Col--- of the whole of the

military among the saints in Pottawatamie

County,, carried.. H. W. Harris moved that a Lt.

Col-& Major be appointed. Carried..

Pres. O. Hyde after a short consaltation with Col-

Chas. M Johnson,, nominated Abram C Hodge

Lt. Col.-- and Philemon C. Merrill Major..

Carried,, Chas. M Johnson acknowledged his good

feelings and acceptance of the office of Col

Abram C. Hodge also acknowledged his good

feelings and acceptance of the office of Lt Col

Major Philemon C. Merrill was not present

Remarks by several.. Council appointed the

4th of July next a muster day when all the