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The Councillors James Allred } for Plaintif

and Aaron Johnson }

Ira Oviatt } for Defendant

and George Couson }

Spake each in his turn showing the liabillity of man to Err, and the impropriety of using mans past Errors in such cases, and making public Capital of them in such a way, and the inconsistancy of the course of each of the parties.

[========] rehearsed some instances of horse hunting & falling in company with [==========] &c but utterly denied any intimacy with he whatever, also denied the incident refered to by Benson..

Benson said h e did not think it imperative on him to bring this thing before the Council at that time, but thought enough if he could save his own girl from prostitution

Prest O. Hyde said he wished to be the guardian of this people.. Said where the spirit of the Lord was there was a freedom and frankness both with the males and also the the females, and we are to receive this familiarity and as form God.. We live here to beget friends for an Eternal inhabitance and parents should watch over their children, with a jealous eye, relative a drawn,, said a mans acts have got to be honorable that he may hold an honorable station.. I do not say the testimony will eleminate [=========] but I do say it would look more honorable for him to be more circumspect and keep his hands off from the Ladies,, Bro Benson

did not think I would bring this before the Council,

I should not have thought, he would have let

such a thing pass as this has for a length of

time,, and I think less of his bringing it up

at such a time, What? let a man go on in his

wickedness untill you see a chance to effect his