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were separately sustained On motion The President of the Stake and Council were sustained On motion the Seventys were sustained as a Quorum On motion Conference adjourned to meet at Zarahemla on the 6th of Oct 1854

J W Briggs Pres

S Blair Clerk

Oct 1854¹

Conference met / pursuant to adjournment & called to order by Br Cline Br J W Briggs was chosen by the voice of the Conf to preside Over said Conference -

On motion Zenas H Gurley was appointed Clerk of said Conference Choir then sung an approp(ri)ate Hymn The Conference ~~then~~ was then opened by Prayer by Br J W Briggs - The Choir then sung We know that we know he

The President then read the 15th Chapter 1st Corinthians & in a clear & lucid man(n)er showed that the principles there in inculcated were peculiarly applicabile to us and to those to whom it was Originally addressed by the Apostle On Motion Ers. J W Eriggs, & R Newkirk were appointed to visit Br George White & ascertain his views, faith & purpose in relation to the Latter Day work In which he as an Apostle is engaged

On Motion of Zenas H Gurley & second by Wm Cline that Henry H
be cut
Dean & John Cunningham / off from the Church

of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints for Apostasy & an assumption of authority testimony proving said charges, according to the Law was then produced Whereupon the action of the Church was then taken on said motion & the before named H H Deam & John Cunningham was cut off from the Church On motion the Conference adjourned until early Candle Light for Prayer Meeting

Conference met pursuant to adjournment & spent the evening in Prayer On motion Conference adjourned to meet at 10 O'clock on the 7th AM

Conference met pursuant to adjournment & Opened by Prayer & Singing President then read a part of two Chapters in the New Testament & proceeded to instruct the Church in the Order of the Priesthood showing clearly that the same was the Order of God & in a very impressive manner urged the necessity of its being understood & observed by us as the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter day Saints - -

On motion Conference adjourned until half past 2 O'clock P M

Conference / ^{met} according to appointment & open(e)d by Prayer & Singing. President then read Revalation (sic) given 1841. On motion Jason W Briggs was sustained as President of the Twelve

Quorum of the Twelve & the Represen(t)ative of the Legal Heir to the Presidency of the Priesthood

On motion George White, Reuben Newkirk, Daniel B Razy, Zenas H Gurley be sustained as Apostles

On Motion Wm Cline was sustained as President of the Stake of Zarahemla On motion Cyrus Newkirk was sustained in his Office of Councilor(sic) to the President of the Stake On Motion Br Wm Cline was White be sustained as second Councilor (sic) to Br Cline On Motion this Conference suspend from the exercise of their Priesthood all holding the same & also disfellowship all such as have departed from the Faith & from the Jurisdiction of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints at Zarahemla untill they return and make satisfaction On motion Br David Houry was sustained as one of the Seventy On Motion Brs Wm Day & Wm White were Ordained Elders in Quorum of Seventys On Motion all holding Priesthood are sent by the Church to preach the Gospel as the Doors may Open

On motion all belonging to the Church holding Priesthood that have not received their Licenses shall receive them from this Conference

On motion this Conference adjourn untill the 6th of April 1855

Jason W Briggs Pres

Zenas H Gurley Clerk

April 6, 1855¹

Conference met / pursuant to adjournment On motion Br J W Briggs was chosen President of the Conference

On Motion Br Zenas H Gurley was chosen Clerk of the Conference several hours was spent in Praying Singing & Exortation Conference adjourned until 10 Oclock AM the 7

Conference met pursuant to adjournment Opened by Singing & Prayer by Br Briggs

The President then read 2 Section from the Book Covenants and made suitable comments on the same The following business was then transacted On Motion Br Jason W Briggs / was sustained as President of the twelve & Representative of the Legal Heir

On Motion Br Daniel B Razy² was sustained as an Apostle remarks * by Er Razy Briggs & Gurley On motion Br Reuben Newkirk was sustained an Apostle Br Razy

1 Interpolated in different handwriting

²Razy spelled Rasey in Church History