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Minutes of A Confer of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day
Saints held at Zarahemla April 6th 1856

Conference met pursuant to adjournment on Motion by the President
of the Stake Eld Jason W Briggs was chosen President of the Confer-
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On Motion Eld Samuel H Gurley was chosen clerk of the Conference
The Choir then sung after which Prs Briggs then Prayed after which
he proceeded to address the Conference on the welfare of Zion & reason
Why we meet in Conference & the privilege (sic) each has so assembled
- The President then requested Eld Z H Gurley to Preach - who complied
& spoke from Malickia(sic) 3 - Chapt 2 & 3 vers Elder Briggs com-
pared the Latter Day Work to the Journeying of the Children of Israel
out of Egypt

Conference then adjourned untill 6 Oclock

Conference met pursuant to appointment for Prayer Meeting The
Spirit of God was manifest & the best of Brotherly feeling prevailed
Conference adjourned untill 1 oclock the 7th inst

Conference met pursuant to adjournment called to Order by Eld J W Briggs Prayer by Daniel Razy remarks were then made by the President on the business necessary there to be attended to by the Conference

On Motion Eld Jason W Briggs was present to the Church to be sustained in his Office as President of the Church & representative of the Legitimate Heir - Motion carried

On motion Eld Daniel Razy was presented to the Church to be sustained as an Apostle Motion carried

On motion Elder Samuel Powers was presented to the Church to be sustained as an Apostle Motion carried

On motion Eld Reuben Newkirk was presented to the Church to be sustained as an Apostle Motion carried

On motion Eld Zenas H Gurley was sustained as an Apostle -

On motion Eld David Newkirk was sustained an Apostle

On Motion Eld George White was presented to the Church to be sustained as an Apostle. It was further added as a clause to that Motion that he be sustained if he receive the admonition that his brethren had previously sent. Motion carried

On Motion Wm Cline was presented to the Church to be sustained as President of the Stake of Zarahemla Motion Carried -

On Motion Cyrus Newkirk was presented to be sustained as Assistant Pres of the Stake at Zarahemla Motion carried

On Motion the Seventy were sustained as a body except Wm Day

Moved and seconded That Br Wm Day be suspended - this amendment was then annexed that he also be Disfellowshipped as a Member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints untill he returns & makes satisfaction

Motion Carried Conference adjourned untill the 6th of Oct 1856

Jason W Briggs Pres

Samuel N Gurley
Clerk of Conference

Zenas H Gurley
Church recorder

Notice of Br Wm Days trial & expulsion which took place near the middle of May following - Br Day demanded a trial where upon an Elders court was called the the President of the Stake & he was tried on the following charges, viz. - Apostasy & unchristian like conduct - After a candid & due examination of several witnesses the court unanimously pronounced him guilty & on the following Day his case was presented to the Church & he was expelled therefrom

Zenas H Gurley

Church recorder