

Motion to grant letter by Mr. Wray.  
Seconded by Mr. Wilson.

Vote taken and carried.

Closed with prayer by Rev. Teyssier.

Alfred Henry  
Acting clerk.

Sept. 7. 1941

Joint Meeting of Elders & Trustees of Elden Ridge  
Pres. Church, after Worship Service.

Members present:

Mr. A. R. Ashbaugh, L. C. Rosensteel, George Mosshangher  
Ross Wilson & Sloan Wray.

Members absent:

Mr. E. E. Townsend, S. R. Hine, and A. R. Henry.

Trustees present:

Mr. Will Howard, Alfred Bair, & Walter Walker  
Trustee absent: Mr. C. Hood.

Meeting called to order by moderator.

A service New Testament was displayed gotten  
from Pres Book store. Purchased for James  
Hawey.

Mr. Rosensteel made motion to pay for  
it. (\$1.00) out of the Benevolent fund of the  
church.

Second by Mr. Wilson. Motion carried.

Mr. Teyssier read docket of meeting of  
Presbytery.

Mr. Sloan Wray was named commissioner  
to Presbytery principle

Alfred Henry, alternate

Following this. - A discussion as to the  
observance of Perma State College, Sunday  
Oct. 19. No action taken on the matter.

A discussion of World-Wide Communion  
service. It was decided to retain the  
present date of communion which is the  
last Sunday of October - than the Oct. 5<sup>th</sup>  
as designated by General Council of the  
Church. - No further discussion on the matter.

The finances of the church presented so that a report could be made at the meeting of Presbytery. (Aid-Receiving church)

Closed with prayer by Ross Wilson

Mr Ross Wilson

Clerk. Pro Tem.

Session Meeting Sept. 21. 1941

After church

Members present:

Rev. Trymer. Mr Wray. D. C. Rosensteel  
Ross Wilson, Alfred Henry

Members absent:-

Mr E. E. Townsend, S. R. Hine, George  
Moubaugher, A R Arklaugh

Motion by Mr. Wilson. That we rescind  
motion of last Sunday for communion on  
Oct. 26<sup>th</sup> for Oct. 5<sup>th</sup> this year.

Seconded by Mr Wray.

Voli taken and carried

Motion by Mr Wray:- That we observe  
Oct 5<sup>th</sup> as World-Wide Communion Sunday

Seconded by Mr. Wilson

Voli taken and carried.

Verbale agreed upon. That we have  
preparatory services Friday evening two  
weeks. Mr Moubaugher to prepare  
elements. Communion service at 11.15 A.M.

Closed with prayer by Rev. Trymer.

Alfred Henry

Acting clerk.

Session Meeting Oct. 5<sup>th</sup> 1941 before church

Members present:- Rev. Trymer, Ross Wilson, <sup>S. R. Hine</sup>  
George Moubaugher, A R Arklaugh, Alfred Henry

Members absent: Mr E. E. Townsend, D. C. Rosensteel

Opened with prayer by Mr Wilson.

Mr Clarence Rosensteel (nee Jean Kennedy) was  
admitted by letter from Ebenezer Pres  
church of Jewersville, Pa.

Voli taken and carried

Closed with prayer by Mr Arklaugh

Session meeting Oct 12 1941 After church.

Members present:

Rev. Deyssier, Ross Wilson, Sloan Wray, and Alfred Henry

Members absent:-

Mr. E. E. Townsend, S. R. Hine, L. C. Rosensteel and George Mosbaugh, A. R. Ashbaugh

Letters were presented to session from First Presbyterian church of Vandergrift, Pa of Mr. Harry P. Fresh and wife Martha Elizabeth nee de Veier and daughter Patricia Ruth.

Motion to admit by Mr Wray.

Seconded by Mr Wilson

Vote taken and carried

Closed with prayer by Mr Wilson.

Alfred Henry  
Acting clerk.

Session Meeting January 11<sup>th</sup> 1942

The session met at the conclusion of the morning worship.

Members present: Rev Deyssier, Presiding Mr. George Mosbaugh, Ross Wilson, Sloan Wray and L. C. Rosensteel.

Members absent: Mr. E. E. Townsend, S. R. Hine, A. R. Ashbaugh and Alfred Henry.

It was moved and seconded that Mr Sloan Wray represent the church at the next meeting of presbytery January 13<sup>th</sup> at the First church, Indiana, Pa.

Mr. L. C. Rosensteel, was elected as the alternate.

Other matters of general welfare were discussed but no action taken.

The meeting adjourned with the moderator leading in prayer.

Emil S. Deyssier  
Clerk. Pro-tem

No. not copy.

Session meeting Mar 2 1942

Meeting at the manse. Monday evening

Trustees present:

Members present - Session Rev Teyssier.

Mr B. A. Wilson, L. C. Rosensteel, George  
Moubaugh and Alfred Henry. Rev Teyssier.

Members absent

Mr. E. E. Townsend, S. R. Hine, A. R. Ashbaugh  
and Sloan May.

Trustees. Mr. J. C. Hood. W. W. Walker.

Trustees absent - Alfred Bain.

Meeting opened with prayer by Rev.  
Teyssier.

Business.

To check church roll as to members.

No definite action taken as to church  
roll. Some members had moved out of  
the bounds of <sup>the</sup> church and never lifted  
their letters; some deceased and no record.

Session meeting following morning services  
March 22 1942.

Members present

Rw Teyssier, Mr L. C. Rosensteel, George Montaugher,  
Ross Wilson and Sloan Weay.

Members absent.

Mr E. E. Townsend, S. R. Hine, A. R. Ashbaugh and  
Alfred Henry.

It was moved and seconded that the per capita  
tax, of  $\frac{1}{4}$  per member, amounting to \$20.<sup>88</sup>  
be paid out of the regular benevolent fund.

The treasurer be instructed to do so before the  
3rd of April 1942

Discussion of the roll, but no definite action  
taken.

Discussion of canvass of community, but no  
definite action taken.

Motion moved, and seconded that the pastor,  
and treasurer prepare a chart showing the  
names of members, and friends and  
their contributions toward the current  
fund of the church, This to be posted in  
the church for next Sunday, being the last  
Sunday of the year, and then monthly  
following afterwards.

No other business at this time, the session to  
meet again after the congregational  
meeting to approve the minutes of the  
year, and to make out the statistical  
reports in readiness for the spring  
meeting of Presbytery.

The moderator closing the meeting  
with prayer.

Emil S. Teyssier  
Clerk. Pro-tem

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Session Meeting Apr 6 1942 at Mantle.

Members present:

Rev. Teyssier, Mr Ross Wilson, Alfred Henry

Members absent:

Mr. Edward Townsend, S. R. Hine, L. C. Rosensteel  
George Morbaugher, Sloan Wray and A. R. Ashbaugh.

Opened with prayer by Rev. Teyssier

A letter from Mrs. Edna Ewing asking for her  
letter "also son Raymond" to unite Community  
Methodist Church Banning Cal.

Motion to grant by Ross Wilson, ~~off~~

Seconded by Alfred Henry

Vote taken and carried.

A letter from Genevieve (Kodiche) asking for  
her letter to unite Apollo Methodist Church.

Motion to grant letter by Ross Wilson

Seconded by Alfred Henry

Vote taken and carried.

Reports made up for presbytery

Session meeting reports or minutes read and  
discuss for the past year.

Adjourned to meet next Sunday

Closed with prayer by Alfred Henry

Alfred Henry

Acting clerk.

Session meeting Apr 12 1942 After church

Members present:

Rev. Teyssier, Ross Wilson, Sloan Wray, George  
Morbaugher and Alfred Henry.

Members absent:

Mr E. E. Townsend, S. R. Hine, A. R. Ashbaugh  
and L. C. Rosensteel.

Alfred Henry nominated Mr. Ross Wilson  
an delegate to presbytery at Ford city Apr. 14  
Seconded by George Morbaugher

Alfred Henry nominated Mr. Sloan Wray  
an alternate.

Seconded by Mr. George Morbaugher.

Minutes of the session for the past year  
read and approved.

Motion by Mr. Wilson. That the session go on record  
unfavoring the discontinuing of aid from presbytery.  
Seconded by Mr. Wray.

Vote taken: not-unanimous

Closed with prayer by Mr. George Moubaugher.

Alfred Henry  
Acting clerk.

Session meeting. May 17. 1942. After church  
Members present.

Rev. Teyssier. Mr. Ross Wilson, A. R. Ashbaugh  
George Moubaugher, Sloan Wray, L. C.  
Rosensteel and Alfred Henry.

The trustees were present.

Mr. Walter Walker. Alfred Bair. Prof.  
Campbell and Mr. McCullough

Members absent. Elders

Mr. E. E. Townsend, and S. R. Hine

Motion by Mr. Wilson.

That the session go on record as favoring  
the discontinuing the aid from presbytery.  
Some discussion followed by both elders  
and trustees. Seconded by Mr. Wray.

Vote taken by session but not unanimous  
By Mr. McCullough.

That we table the matter of aid from  
presbytery until after the June meeting of  
presbytery.

Seconded by Mr. Rosensteel.

Vote taken and carried.

Discussion

That we try to arrange a joint meeting  
of officers of both churches in the near  
future.

Closed with prayer by  
Mr. Rosensteel. Rev. Teyssier.

Motion. - That the congregational  
chairman call a meeting of the congregation  
to discuss the pastoral call and aid from  
presbytery 2 by Mr. Moubaugher June 7  
Vote taken carried

Session meeting Apr 26 1942  
Before church.

Members present:

Rev Teyssier, Mr Sloan Weay, Ross Wilson, A.R. Ashbaugh, George Mossbaugh and Alfred Henry.

Members absent-

Mr E. E. Townsend, S.R. Hine, and E.C. Rosenstiel.

Opened with prayer by Mr Wilson.

Business:-

Miss Thelma Louise Bair 12

Miss Vilma Lucille Coleman 12

presented themselves before the session for admission to the church on confession of faith.

Rev Teyssier propounds the questions.

Rev Teyssier was criticized for asking them questions beyond their knowledge.

Motion to admit by Mr Weay.

Seconded by Mr Ashbaugh.

Vote taken and carried.

Communion services followed.

Mr Wilson attended presbytery at Ford City  
Apr 14. 1942

Closed with prayer by Mr Wilson.

Session meeting June 7 1942 After church

Members present:

Rev Teyssier, Mr A.R. Ashbaugh, Sloan Weay, E.C. Rosenstiel, Ross Wilson and Alfred Henry.

Members absent-

Mr E. E. Townsend, S.R. Hine and Geo. Mossbaugh.

Business. - To elect delegate to presbytery June 9<sup>th</sup>

Mr Wilson nominated Mr George Mossbaugh.

Seconded by Mr Rosenstiel.

Vote taken and carried.

Mr Ashbaugh was named alternate for commissioner to presbytery June 9 at Templeton.

Closed with prayer by Rev Teyssier.



Session meeting June 28 1942

After church

Members present

Rev. Dyssier. Mr. A. R. Ashbaugh, Ross Wilson,  
George Mostaughen, Sloan Wray, Alfred Henry

Members absent

Mr. E. E. Townsend and S. R. Hine

Motion. - That a vote of thanks be extended  
by the session to Mr. David Rosenstiel for his  
faithful services as a pianist and for other  
aid rendered to during the church services

Vote taken and carried.

Motion - by Mr. Ashbaugh

That Mrs. Ross Wilson be elected as pianist  
for the coming year.

Seconded by Mr. Mostaughen

Vote taken and carried

Mr. Wray - nominated Mrs. Hawey as  
assistant pianist.

Seconded by Mr. Ashbaugh.

Vote taken and carried.

The choir

Mr. Rosenstiel nominated Mr. Ashbaugh  
as chairman of the choir.

Mr. Mostaughen suggested that Mrs. Robert  
Baker act as co. worker with him in  
organizing a choir as to what they think  
best.

Seconded by Mr. Wray.

Closed with prayer by Mr. Ashbaugh.

Mr. Mostaughen attended funeral by lay at  
Templeton.

No action taken in regard to aid

Session Meeting July 19 1942

After Church

Members present

Rev. Teyssier, Mr. Weay, Ross Wilson, A. R. Ashbaugh, George Mosbaugher and Henry

Member absent.

Mr. E. E. Townsend and S. R. Hine

Communion to be observed the coming Sunday. Mr. Wilson to take care of the elements.

Rev. Teyssier to have his vacation during the month of August:

No services Aug 9-16-23

Motion by Mr. Weay.

That we closed Sunday school during the pastor's vacation Aug 9-16-23

Seconded by Mr. Ashbaugh.

Vote taken and carried

Closed with prayer by Rev. Teyssier

Session meeting, August 30 1942

After church. Members present: Rev. Teyssier

Mr. Mosbaugher, Ashbaugh, Rosesteel and Weay.

Members absent: Mr. Hine, Henry and Wilson

Discussed, "Loyalty to Christ" program. No action

Discussed, Memorial & Resolution in the death of Mr. Townsend. No action taken.

Motion, moved and seconded, that Mr. Alfred Henry be elected to serve as the clerk of session of the Elder Ridge Pres. Church. This office was vacated in the recent death of Mr. E. E. Townsend. Motion carried.

Matter discussed relative of Rev. E. G. Teyssier being absent from service on the 13<sup>th</sup> of Sept.

The providing of a speaker for the day was placed in the hands of Rev. Teyssier.

This was done by common consent:

Matter pertaining to Rev. Teyssier doing extra work (in the way of helping farmers and other tasks) while serving as pastor

was discussed, but no immediate action taken.  
 Motion to adjourn was in order, Motion carried.  
 Mr. A. R. Ashbaugh closed the meeting with  
 prayer.

E. S. Teyssier Moderator and  
 Clerk for Term.

Session meeting Sept. 6 1942 After church  
 Members present, Rev. Teyssier, Mr. Weay, Wilson  
 Ashbaugh, Mosbaugh and Henry.  
 Members absent, Mr. Hine and Rorensted.  
 Mr. Wilson - nominated Mr. Weay as commissary  
 to presbytery at Freeport Sept. 15<sup>th</sup>  
 Seconded by Mr. Ashbaugh Vote taken and carried  
 Mr. Mosbaugh named Mr. Ashbaugh as alternate  
 Seconded by Mr. Wilson.  
 Alfred Henry nominated Mr. Wilson to continue  
 on church council.  
 Seconded by Mr. Mosbaugh.  
 Voted taken and carried.

Closed with prayer by Pastor

Session meeting Sept. 20<sup>th</sup> 1942 After church  
 Members present. Rev. Teyssier, Mr. Ashbaugh,  
 Weay, Mosbaugh, Wilson and Henry.  
 Members absent. Mr. Hine and Rorensted.  
~~Was~~ time commission Oct. 15 to Nov 8<sup>th</sup>  
 Communion services to be observed Oct. 4<sup>th</sup> Mr.  
 Rorensted to provide the elements.  
 Rev. Teyssier asked to be absent Sept. 27<sup>th</sup>  
 Mr. Mosbaugh suggested that Mr. Teyssier  
 be the speaker. Seconded by Mr. Ashbaugh.  
 Closed with prayer by Rev. Teyssier

Session meeting Oct 4. 1942 After church  
Members present.

Rev. Teyssier, Ashbaugh, L. Weay, Rosensteel,  
Mosbaugher, Wilson and Henry.

Members absent. Mr. Hine.

Business.

Motion by Mr. Mosbaugher. In absent of pastor.  
That Rev. Teyssier be allowed to supply the  
pulpit - to the best possible way when he  
has to be away.

Seconded by Mr. Ashbaugh.

Mr. Weay additional during his absent  
Seconded by Mr. Wilson.

with prayer  
Closed by the pastor.

Session meeting Oct 15 1942 After church.

Members present.

Rev. Teyssier. Mr. Weay, Mosbaugher, Wilson  
Rosensteel, Ashbaugh and Henry.

Members absent. Mr. Hine.

Trustees present. Mr. Bair, Walker, McCollough  
Campbell, also Mr. Earl Manner, George Weay.

Rev. Teyssier read a letter from the Mission  
board of General Assembly. asking what we  
had the bequest of Miss Dippie Smith funds  
invested.

Motion by Mr. George Weay in regard to Will.  
That a copy of the Late Miss Elizabeth B.  
Smith will be secured for the court of  
Allegheny County. discussion

It was suggested that Mr. George Weay  
make the contact to secure the copy  
Seconded by Mr. Manner, Mr. Wilson.

Vote taken and carried.

Closed with prayer by Alfred Henry.

Session meeting Jan 24, 1943 After church  
Members present.

Rev. Teyssier, Mr Sloan Weay, Mr Alvin Ashbaugh  
Mr Ross Wilson and Alfred Henry.

Members absent.

Mr Hine, E. C. Rosesteel and George Mousbaugh.  
Discussion in regard to communion service  
Members had been providing the elements in  
rotation

Mr Mousbaugh, was to provide the bread and wine  
for next Sabbath, Jan 31. Henry next.

Motion by Mr Wilson. That the secretary or clerk  
be instructed to issue an order on Mr Campbell  
Treas. to pay Mr W. S. Weay \$4.00 for copy of  
will of the late Miss Elizabeth Smith as  
registered in the books of Allegheny Co. Pa.

Seconded by Mr A. R. Ashbaugh

Vote taken and carried.

Mr. Keirney of Homer City asked that we increase  
of benevolence budget 20% for year 1942-3

Motion that we increase it 20% by Mr Weay  
seconded by Alfred Henry.

Closed with prayer by Mr. Weay.

No delegates appointed for presbytery

A letter from New York in regard to estate of \$9000.

Session meeting Mar 21, 1943 After church.

Members present: Rev Teyssier, Mr Weay, Wilson Rosesteel  
and Henry.

Members absent - Mr Hine Mousbaugh,  
Rosesteel and Ashbaugh.

Motion by Alfred Henry that Mr. E. C. Rosesteel be  
our commissioner to presbytery at West Graham Apr 13

Seconded by Mr. Weay. Vote taken and carried

Mr Rosesteel named Mr. Ashbaugh alternate  
seconded by Mr Wilson.

Motion by Alfred Henry that Miss Ewing be  
retained as treasurer for another year. 2nd by R-2

Motion by Mr Rosesteel. That the congregational  
meeting be held Apr 4 After church at which  
time we elect to Elders for a term of three years  
seconded by Mr Wilson. Vote taken and carried.

Closed with prayer by Alfred H.

Session meeting Apr. 11 1943 After church  
Members present.

Rev. Teyssier, Mr. Wray, Wilson, Ashbaugh,  
Rosensteel and Alfred Henry

Members Absent.

Mr. Samuel Hine and Mosbaugh her.

Business

The minutes of session book for the year  
were read and approved.

Motion. - That the statistical report be  
included in the minutes.

Motion. - That Mr. Wilson be the session's  
representative on the church council.

Closed with prayer by Mr. Wilson  
Alfred Henry, clerk

Session meeting, Friday evening Apr 23 1943

After church. Members present.

Rev. Teyssier, Mr. Ashbaugh, Wray, Wilson  
and Henry. Rosensteel.

Members absent.

Mr. Samuel Hine and Mosbaugh her.

Miss Marcella Helen Manner presented  
herself for admission to church member-  
ship by letter from the Pilgrim Holiness  
church of Clymer, Pa.

Motion. - by Mr. Wray. That Miss Marcella  
Helen Manner be accepted into church  
membership by letter.

Seconded by Mr. Ashbaugh.

Vote taken and carried.

Harry Ross Ewing 13 years

Mary Enice Ewing 11 years

presented themselves before the session  
for admission into church membership  
on confession of faith.

Rev. Teyssier had quizzed them previous  
to their appearance this evening.

They had studied a Junior book of church  
discipline

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