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**NEW ALBANY SECOND
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
COLLECTION, 1837-1917**

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SCOPE AND CONTENT STATEMENT

The collection includes session and congregational minutes and deaconess minutes, which document female deacons' service in the church from 1890 to 1902. Church registers document the membership and ordinances of the church. Historical clippings provide programs and ephemera of the early days of the church, and the minutes of the Knights of King Arthur's Roundtable show the records of a youth group.

BIOGRAPHICAL STATEMENT

The New Albany Second Presbyterian Church had its first meeting on Dec. 3, 1837. From the records of the New Albany Hutchinson church, which gives a brief history of the 2nd and 3rd churches, the creation of the 2nd church was based on a division between New School and Old School Presbyterianism. The church joined the New Albany 3rd church in 1917 and became the New Albany Hutchinson church.

PROVENANCE

Since Hanover College's roots are in Presbyterianism, many records throughout Indiana have been donated at various times to the Presbyterian Archives of Hanover College.

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SERIES 1 MINUTES, REGISTERS, HISTORICAL CLIPPINGS, 1837-1917

**Box 1 Session Minutes, 1837 Dec. 4-1913 Apr. 15
4 Fd.**

Fd. 1 Minutes, 1837 Dec. 4-1865 Apr. 8
1 v. : 316 p.

The last portion of the volume contains rolls of members, pastors,
and baptisms.

Fd. 2 Minutes, 1865 Apr. 24-1886 Dec. 15
1 v. : 303 p.

Fd. 3 Minutes and Register, 1886 Dec. 29-1902 Nov. 3
1 v.

Fd. 4 Minutes, 1902 Dec. 8-1913 Apr. 15
1 v. : 173 p.

**Box 2 Session, Congregational, and Deaconess Minutes and Church
Register, 1865 Apr.-1917 Jul. 8
4 Fd.**

Fd. 1 Session minutes, 1913 Apr. 1-1917 Jul. 8
1 v. : 106 p.

Fd. 2 Congregational minutes, 1906 Dec. 30-1917 Jul. 8
1 v. : 50 p.

Fd. 3 Board of Deaconess minutes, 1890 Dec. 31-1902 Dec. 3
1 v. : 107 p.

The minute book relates the choosing and ordination of several
women as deaconesses in the church and their meetings.

Fd. 4 Church register, 1865 Apr.-1976 Jun. 31
1 v.

**Box 3 Church Register, Historical Clippings, and Minutes of Knights of
King Arthur's Roundtable, 1849 Jan.-1917 Mar. 30
3 Fd.**

Fd. 1 Church register, 1908 Feb.-1917 Mar. 30
 1 v.

Fd. 2 Historical clippings, 1849 Jan.-1867 Dec. 17
 1 v.

Fd. 3 Minutes of Knights of King Arthur's Roundtable , 1906 Feb. 27-
1907 Mar. 26
 1 v.

The volume has youth taking upon themselves the names of the knights and esquires surrounding the Arthurian legend and using these names in their meetings and minutes.