LeRoy, Genesee Co. NY

At a meeting of a number of the Inhabitants of LeRoy and vicinity convened at the Round House situated in the village of said town, on the 21st day of September 1831, pursuant to previous legal notice for the purpose of organizing themselves into a Religious Corporation according to the rules of the Revised Statutes of this State[,] L. L. Sadler was chosen Moderator and Jacob Hawes Secretary—Whereupon, we, whose names are undersigned were duly appointed to receive the votes for trustees to constitute such Society, and we do hereby certify that Isaac Johnson, S. W. Carpenter and Jacob Hawes were elected by a plurality of votes to superintend and manage the temporal affairs of the society and to constitute said corporation, Hereafter to be known and distinguished by the name of the first Universalist Society in LeRoy, Genesee Co. and state of N.Y. Given under our hands and seals, this twenty third day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty one.

Aldredge W. Barret H. H. Carpenter

Genesee County

On the third day of January, one thousand eight hundred and thirty two, before me the subscriber, a commissioner of deeds in and for said county appeared Aldredge W. Barret an[d] Hezekiah H. Carpenter, known to me to be the same persons described above, and who executed the above instrument and duly acknowledged they executed the same. Let it be recorded.

Rufus Robertson Commissioner &c.

A true copy of the original Recorded the 5th day of January 1832, at 1 o'clock P.M.

B. Pringle Dep Clk

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