

**Stark, Herkimer Co. NY
(Van Hornesville)**

At a meeting of the Inhabitants of School District No. One in the town of Stark on the 20th instant according to Legal notice George Ten Broeck and Abraham R. Van Horne were appointed to preside at said meeting—

Resolved that we do hereby form a Society for the purpose of erecting a suitable building for Religious Worship and that said building shall be the property of the Evangelical Lutheran, the Methodist Episcopal and Universalist churches to be occupied by them in 1st 2nd and 3d alternate weeks. Provided nonetheless that when not occupied by those whose right it is to occupy it shall be opened and free for the use of either of the other specified denominations or any other Evangelical Christian denomination—

Resolved 2nd that said building shall be located at VanHorn[e]sville in the town of Stark and county of Herkimer—

Resolved 3rd that the number of trustees for said Society be five and that the following named persons were duly elected viz: 1st Class [?] T. E. Van Horn—2nd class Nicholas Shaver, John Kinter—3rd class Frederick Brown Jr. and David Elwood.

Resolved, 4th, that it shall and may be lawful for said trustees after the election and completion of said house of public worship for a majority of them for to sell or rent at public sale the slips or pews of said house—

We hereby certify that the above is a true and correct record of said meeting[.] Given under our hands and seals the day and year above written.

*George Ten Broeck
Ab^{rn}. R. Van Horne*

State of New York
Herkimer County

On the 20th day of December 1841 personally appearing before me the above named George Ten Broeck and Abraham R. Van Horne known to me to be the persons [?] and who executed the above Instrument and severally acknowledged the execution thereof for the purpose therein expressed—

Com. J. E. Van Horne

Recorded Dec. 27, 1841 at 2h P.M.

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