

Utica, Oneida Co. NY

Copy of a notice given by the Pastor of the Universalist congregation in Utica June 18th & 25th & 2^d July 1837. A meeting will be holden in the basement of the church on Monday July 3^d 1837 at 7 oclock PM for the purpose of organizing a Religious Society and electing Trustees for the government and transaction of the business of the same[.] The members and friends of this congregation are generally and respectfully invited to be present[.]

Utica July 3^d 1837

In accordance with the above notice a number of persons worshipping in the Universalist Church in this city met for the purpose of organizing a religious Society and organized by appointing Rev. D. Skinner and O. Hutchinson chairmen[.] Adjourned till Monday evening next 10th inst. at 7 oclock [sic] PM[.]

July 10th 1837

Met pursuant to adjournment the said Rev. D. Skinner & O. Hutchinson members of the said Society presiding there being no elders or church wardens belonging thereto and resolved to organize a religious Society to be known by the name of the First Universalist Society of Utica N.Y. and elected the following gentlemen Trustees[:] Woodman Kimball, Tho^s L. Kingsley, Joseph P. Newland, Orrin Marshall, Alvin White, Benjamin F. Jewett & Orrin Hutchinson. We the undersigned hereby certify that the above proceedings were had at the time and for the purpose therein named.

Utica July 11th 1837

Dolphus Skinner
Orrin Hutchinson
Chairmen

Oneida County

On this 11th day of July 1837 before me Chester Hayden first Judge of the said County came Dolphus Skinner & Orrin Hutchinson above named & severally acknowledged that they executed the foregoing certificate

Chester Hayden
first Judge of Oneida

Recorded this 11th day of July 1837 3 oclock [sic] PM

James Edgar Deputy Clerk

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