

Albany, Albany Co. NY

We the undersigned pursuant to legal notice assembled with others in the Universalist House in Herkimer Street the 25th instant for the purpose of forming a religious society and were nominated to receive the votes of electors for trustees. This is to certify that the following persons were unanimously elected at the above mentioned time and place to serve as trustees of the First Universalist Society in the City of Albany viz. Stephen Van Schaak, Ebenezer Murdock[,], Aaron Hawley[,], Christian [Abbemann?], Lewis Farnham[.] In witness whereof we affix our hands and seals.

Albany[,], March 26th 1830

Stephen Van Schaak
Ebenezer Murdock

Witness: James L'Amoureux

I hereby certify that on this 26th day of March 1830 personally appeared before me Stephen Van Schaak & Ebenezer Murdock both to me personally known to be the same persons mentioned in the above certificate & who signed the same & they duly acknowledged that they executed the same for the uses & purposes therein mentioned.

Let the same be recorded.

Louis L'Amoureux
Judge of Albany Com. Pleas

Recorded and compared with the original March 26th 1830 at 5 o'clock P.M.

C. A. TenEyck clerk

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