

**Dansville, Steuben Co. NY
(Rogersville)**

State of New York
Steuben County

We the undersigned two of the members of the religious society thereafter mentioned hereby certify that on the 30th day of May 1852 the male persons of full age belonging to a religious society in which divine worship is celebrated according to the rites of the Universalist church and not already incorporated met at the place of public worship heretofore occupied by the said religious society in the town of Dansville in said county for the purpose of incorporating themselves, and did then and there elect by plurality of voices Joseph Philips[,] Elisha Robinson and John M. Bryant as trustees of the said society. And the said persons did then and there also determine by the like plurality of voices, that the said trustees and their successors should forever hereafter be called and known by the name or title of the Trustees of the First Universalist Society of the Town of Dansville. Witness our hands and seals this 24th day of July 1852.

*Asa Upson
J. Healy*

Signed and sealed in the presence of J. H. Taber

Steuben Co.

On this 19th day of August 1853 personally appeared before me J. H. Taber to me known who being by me duly sworn did depose and say that he resided in the town of Dansville in said county[,] that he was acquainted with Asa Upson and Joshua Healy and knew them to be the persons who executed the above certificate[,] that he was present and saw them sign seal and execute the same, and that they each and every [one of?] them acknowledged the execution thereof to him whereupon he became the subscribing witness thereto.

C. S. Swift
Justice of the Peace

Recorded December 16 1853 at 11 o'clock A.M.

P. P. Hubbell Clerk

Steuben County Incorporation Records, p. 202