

**LeRoy, Genesee Co. NY**

We, Charles Cravens and Alanson T. Drake of the town and village of LeRoy in the County of Genesee, do hereby certify that on the twenty second day of June A.D. 1859 the "First Unaversalist Society" of LeRoy was organized by the election of trustees as hereinafter stated, to-wit, at a meeting of the religious society known as Unaversalists, held on that day, at [?] Hall, in the village of LeRoy, at which we undersigned were members, and being the place where such Society stately attend for divine worship, of which said meeting for two successive weeks and at least fifteen days previous thereto, due public notice was given by the minister of said Society, in the manner directed by the Statute in such case made and provided, on which day and at the place aforesaid, and at such meeting the undersigned two of the members of said society designated for that purpose by a majority of the male persons of full age belonging to said Society there assembled, presided at such election, to receive the votes of the electors, and to be the judges of their qualifications, and of the persons elected—and thereupon by a majority of voices of the persons so assembled and qualified the following named persons were duly elected to serve as Trustees for such Society, according to law, that is to say—Hamden I. Olmsted, John Thwing, Alba Paul, Henry Steuber, and Gideon I. Crofoot. And we, the inspectors aforesaid so presiding at such meeting, hereby further certify and return the names of the Trustees, so thereupon elected, and that the name or title by which the said Trustees and their successors in office as such shall forever hereafter be called and known, is and shall be, "The Trustees of the First Unaversalist Society of LeRoy," and which is herein and hereby particularly mentioned and described in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided—

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seals, on the day and year first above written.

*Charles Cravens*  
*Alanson T. Drake*

Signed and sealed in presence of J. H. Lent

State of New York  
Genesee County

On this 24<sup>th</sup> day of June A.D. 1859 before me personally came Charles Cravens and Alanson T. Drake, who are to me personally known to be the same persons described in and who have executed the foregoing instrument in writing, and severally acknowledged to me that they had executed the same.

*J. H. Lent*, Notary Public in and for said county

A true copy of the original recorded 25 June 1859 at 10 o'clk A.M. & examined

*Geo. H. Holden* Dep Clk

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