

Lockport, Niagara Co. NY

Niagara County

Be it remembered that at a meeting of the male members of the Universalist Society held at the court house in the Village of Lockport on the twelfth day of September one thousand eight hundred and thirty six pursuant to public notice and according to the Statute incorporating and regulating Religious Societies in such case made and provided[,] Job Potter and Demas Perry were duly nominated and elected to preside at said meeting and to certify and return the proceedings thereof to the Clerk of said County[;] that at said meeting it was unanimously resolved and agreed that said Society should forever hereafter be known and distinguished by the name and title of "the First Universalist Society of Lockport[.]" The following persons were then and there duly elected Trustees of said Society to wit: Eliott Servis[,] Erastus Parson[,] Tamelane T. Roberts[,] John Jackson and Stephen B. Ballou[.] [A]nd the said trustees and their successors in office shall forever hereafter be known and called by the name and title of "the First Universalist Society of Lockport."

In witness whereof were have hereunto set our hands and seals the day and year above written

Job Potter
Demas Perry

Niagara County

On this twenty ninth day of September in the year 1836 before me personally appeared Job Potter and Demas Perry to me known to be the same persons described in and who executed the within certificate and they satisfactorily acknowledged that they executed the same

W. Hunt
First Judge of Niagara County

Recorded September 30th, 1836 at 12 O clock M & examined

A. H. Moss clerk

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