

Niagara, Niagara Co. NY
(Niagara Falls)

In the Matter of the Organization of the First Universalist Society
of the Village of Niagara Falls, N.Y.

At a meeting of the Universalist congregation of the Town & County of Niagara held at the Eagle Tavern in said Village on the evening of the thirteenth of May 1844 pursuant to notice given to said congregation according to the Statute in such cases made & provided for the formation of Religious Societies[,] Whereupon Parkhurst Whitney & Nathan Robinson were called to the chair as moderators to superintend the counting of votes given for Trustees of said society[,] the vote of said congregation resulted in the choice of three Trustees to regulate the temporal concerns of said Society as required by statute[.] Parkhurst Whitney, Nathan Robinson [and] Theodore G. Hulett were elected by said congregation to be the Trustees of said society & by vote of the said congregation the society should be known as the First Universalist Society of the Village of Niagara Falls, N.Y.

Given under our hands & seals this the 13th day of May A.D. 1844

P. Whitney
Nathan Robinson
Moderators

Personally appeared before me the undersigned one of the Judges of the Niagara County Courts Parkhurst Whitney & Nathan Robinson the persons named in the foregoing instrument & severally acknowledged that they had executed the above instrument on this sixteenth day of May 1844

Lothrop Cooke
Judge of the Niagara County Courts

Recorded June 15, 1844 at 10½ o'clock [sic] A.M.

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