

Fleming, Cayuga County NY

At a Meeting of Universalists held agreeable to public notice given according to law in that case made and provided, for the purpose of organizing religious societies, at the School House near the dwelling house of Caleb Wadams Jr. in the town of Fleming in the county of Cayuga and State of New York on the 22nd day of December in the year of our Lord 1823[.]

Whereupon, it was voted that Newton Marsh serve as Moderator. Voted that Ephraim Hammond serve as Secretary. Voted that this Society be called the first Universalist Society of the town of Fleming. Voted that John G. Paul[,] Alvin Simond and Sylvester Riley serve as Trustees to said Society. All of which we do certify to be true, as witness our hands and seals this 22nd Decem. 1823[.]

Newton Marsh
Ephraim Hammond

Cayuga County

On this 6th day of July 1824 before me Elijah Sheldon, Commissioner came Newton Marsh & Ephraim Hammond to me known to be the same persons who executed the within certificate for the purpose therein expressed, therefore let it be recorded

Elijah Sheldon

Recorded July 15 1824

M. L. Myers Dep Clk

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