

James Aplin, was living
"in Hartwick" in 1791. ¹
He was one of the first
Justices of the Peace,
appointed when County
was organized.

Beardsley Remunices -

do not find Aplin on
any of Judge Coopers
rent rolls &c.

June 1931.
Harris Cooke.

COOKE & BASINGER
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HARRIS LEE COOKE
HAROLD TUDOR BASINGER

February 4, 1931

Wm. M. Deitz, Esq.,
Gilbertsville, N. Y.

My dear Mr. Deitz:-

I am a graduate of Union College and the College is trying to get information regarding the early students. It appears that one Benjamin Aplin was a member of the class of 1809 and registered from Cooperstown, N. Y.

I have been to the Surrogate's Office and I find a Benjamin Aplin who died on February 4, 1882, who was a resident of the Town of Butternuts. His will was probated on March 17, 1882 and the witnesses were Enos S. Halbert and John R. Brewer. He left a widow, Elizabeth M. Aplin and seven children, John C., James W., Julius L., Joseph R., Jesse B., Anna J., and Hannah E.

I am enclosing herewith the blank which the College sent me and I would appreciate it very much indeed if you could find out whether these individuals are descendants of the Benjamin Aplin who was in Union College in the class of 1809. I think undoubtedly he must have been the father of the Benjamin Aplin who died in 1882. If you cannot get any information in regard to the matter will you please return the blank to me in the stamped envelope enclosed herewith.

*He was born in
Christian Hill New York
His youngest brother lived & died
there*

UNION COLLEGE ALUMNI RECORD

RETURN TO: GRADUATE COUNCIL
UNION COLLEGE
SCHENECTADY, N. Y.

UNION DEGREE.....
CLASS OF..... 1809

1. NAME IN FULL..... Benjamin Aplin.....

2. SON OF (A) FATHER.....

(B) MOTHER.....

3. BORN..... AT.....

4. DIED..... AT.....

5. MARRIED..... ON.....

(A) WIFE WAS BORN..... AT.....

(B) WIFE DIED..... AT.....

6. CHILDREN:	NAME	DATE OF BIRTH	DATE OF DEATH
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7. PREPARED FOR COLLEGE AT.....

8. COLLEGE LIFE: (A) FRATERNITY MEMBERSHIP.....

(B) LITERARY OR SOCIAL ORGANIZATION MEMBERSHIP.....

(C) CLASS OFFICES.....

(D) COLLEGE PRIZES AND HONORS.....

9. OTHER COLLEGES ATTENDED.....

10. DEGREES.....

11. PROFESSION.....

12. BUSINESS.....

13. MILITARY HISTORY AND TITLES.....

OVER

14. PUBLIC OFFICES HELD, WITH DATES.....

15. MEMBER OF PROFESSIONAL, LITERARY, SCIENTIFIC, SOCIETIES.....

16. LITERARY PRODUCTIONS, DATE AND PUBLISHER.....

17. RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.....

18. POLITICAL PREFERENCE.....

19. BROTHERS AND SISTERS.....

20. RELATIVES OF SELF OR WIFE AT UNION.....

21. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION. (USE THIS SPACE FOR ANY OTHER BIOGRAPHICAL DATA OR TO SUPPLEMENT ANY OF THE ABOVE ANSWERS.)

22. INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY.....

STREET ADDRESS.....

CITY.....

DATE.....

COOKE & BASINGER
COUNSELLORS AT LAW
COOPERSTOWN, N. Y.

HARRIS LEE COOKE
HAROLD TUDOR BASINGER

June 2 - 1931

Dear somebody -

This is the best I can do

in Beef. office - I am sorry -
I can get no more - Toddsville
is further down of Hartwick -
& this office was probably from
on Christian Hill town of Hartwick -

Very Truly

Harris Lee Cooke

Wm 1894

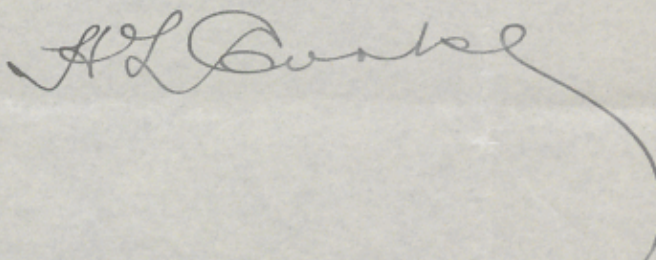
Wm. M. Deitz, Esq., No. 2

February 4, 1931

Trusting that you are recovering rapidly from your recent accident, and with all best wishes, I beg to remain

Yours very truly,

HLC:D

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "H.L. Deitz". The signature is written in dark ink and has a long, sweeping tail that extends to the right and then curves downwards.

Benjamin Aplin 1809

Benjamin Alpin

1809