

208 Arlington Ave., Daytona Beach, Fla.  
Dec. 8, 1930

Mr. J. P. Brown, Chairman,  
Albany, N. Y.;

Dear Mr. Brown:

Your inquiry for information regarding Andrew McCollum, Union 1800, received. I regret that I am unable to give you any information of real value. Andrew McCollum was the son of Daniel McCollum, a settler in Cherry Valley in Revolutionary times. After the massacre he returned to Cherry Valley and was one of the Trustees of the re-organized Presbyterian Church in 1785. His son Andrew McCollum was a student at the Cherry Valley Academy under the Principalship of the Rev. Eliphalet Nett, afterwards Union's most famous President. He was attracted to Union by the influence of Dr. Nett, and soon after leaving College moved to Ogdensburg.

Further than this I cannot go and I question whether you will be able to find anything further in Cherry Valley. It is looking backward a long time and all traces of the McCollum family disappeared from Cherry Valley many, many years ago.

With kindest regards, I am

Very truly yours,

*John Sawyer*  
Class of 1881

1800

CLASS OF 1812

ANDREW MC COLLOM

Surrogate of St. Lawrence County, N. Y. 1809-1813.

History of St. Lawrence Co., N. Y. p. 251  
Gates Vurtis, Ed.

1800 Andrew McCollum

Son of Daniel; studied in Cherry Valley Academy under Dr. Nott; went to Ogdensburg, N.Y., according to John Sawyer, *Union-*  
Class of 1884. He was Surrogate of St. Lawrence Co., 1809-1813. -Hist. of St. Lawrence Co. Curtis, p. 251.

JULIUS FRANK  
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No 831

Mr. J. R. Brown.  
Albany  
N.Y.

Dear Mr. Brown.

at request of Rev. Charles Temple  
I have looked carefully for information  
about Andrew McCollom of class  
of 1800 Union College and find that  
he was surrogate of St. Lawrence County  
during years 1809-12 inclusive and  
that he was the record owner of several  
parcels of real Estate in the towns of Leston  
Oswegatchie, Nassick and Dekalb. at  
about that time or between 1807 and  
1870 but careful Examination by the  
County Clerk fails to reveal any  
information to throw light on anything  
connected with his family history  
remain  
Very truly yours  
Julius Frank

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