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ATTORNEY WILLIAM C. CANNON REMEMBERS HOME TOWN

A GIFT TO ANDOVER BOYS AND GIRLS

Donates Scholarship in Alfred University to Andover High School.

The Board of Education of Andover High School received during the past week a most gracious gift from Attorney William C. Cannon, of Montclair, N. J., a former Andover man, brother of J. E. and J. P. Cannon of this village, in the form of a paid up scholarship in Alfred University. It is to be known as the William C. Cannon Scholarship.

The terms of the scholarship are that the income from \$2,000 paid by Mr. Cannon to Alfred University, be granted yearly as a free scholarship to some young man or woman residing in Andover and appointed by a majority vote of the principal of the High School and the president and secretary of the Andover Board of Education.

The donor is a graduate of Alfred University and his generosity will not only assist some Andover boy or girl in a financial way to obtain a higher education but will at the same time help his alma mater which has always held a very warm place in his heart.

It is difficult to conceive a wiser or more satisfactory investment of one's money, than that which is invested in the intellectual and spiritual development of the boys and girls of our community. Written or spoken words can but very meagerly convey our admiration of Mr. Cannon's gracious act and foresight. We are proud of the precedent that he has established, proud that he is the first to recognize in this substantial way the worthiness of our boys and girls.

As the years pass on, and as those who go from our school achieve for themselves positions of prominence and power and service, the acquaintance of the boys and girls whom he has assisted will be Mr. Cannon's greatest recompense. Until that time shall have arrived, we all join in a hearty expression of appreciation and gratitude to Mr. Cannon for his token of interest in our future welfare.

Following is a copy of the document conveying the scholarship to Andover High School:

To all to whom these presents shall come, Alfred University sends greetings:

WHEREAS, William C. Cannon is desirous of founding a free scholarship of two thousand dollars in Alfred University, an educational institution incorporated under the laws of the state of New York, and located at Alfred, Allegany county, in said state; and

WHEREAS, said William C. Cannon has paid to Alfred University the sum of two thousand dollars;

Now, know ye, that Alfred University doth by these presents make known and declare the said sum of two thousand dollars was so paid to it, and it now holds and will continue to hold the same, in trust, to invest and keep the same invested and the rents, issues, and profits thereof to collect and apply in payment of the tuition fees of such persons as may be appointed to attend said institution and receive the benefit of such fund. The terms and conditions governing this fund are as follows:

1. Said fund shall always be known as the "William C. Cannon Scholarship."

2. The founder, William C. Cannon, his executors, administrators, or assigns, shall forever have the right to appoint, or cause the appointment to be made, of one person for each term that Alfred University shall be in session, to attend it, whose regular tuition fees, incidentals and extra tuition fees, shall be paid in the order named, out of the income of said scholarship accruing in the school year next preceding the school year in which such appointee shall attend this institution; but in case the income so accruing and collected shall not be sufficient to pay such tuition fees, incidentals and extra tuition fees in full, then said appointee shall pay the deficiency. Until otherwise directed by said William C. Cannon, his executors, administrators, or assigns, the said appointment shall be made by a majority vote of the Principal, President and Secretary of the Board of Education, of Andover High School at Andover, New York; for the time being, said appointee to be a person then residing in the said Town of Andover, New York.



MEN'S BROTHERHOOD BANQUET A SUCCESS

"Blues" Entertain the Winning Reds Monday Evening at I. O. O. F. Hall

The final scene in the much advertised Men's Brotherhood Contest of the Methodist church, was rung up Monday evening, when a fine banquet was enjoyed by nearly 200 men, members of both the Rustlers, Reds and Hustlers, Blues, at I. O. O. F. Banquet Hall.

There has been nothing in Andover for years that has created so much real excitement in religious circles as this contest has produced. It drew men from fifty miles away to Sunday School, and that is going some.

The banquet Monday evening was one of the most enjoyable ever held here. Dr. G. Chapman Jones, who acted as toastmaster, was in his usual happy form, and wit and spice were evident at all times thru the evening.

Lee Millsbaugh lead the singing, which was spirited and hearty and created just the right atmosphere for a thoroughly enjoyable time. Mr. Millsbaugh also sang a fine baritone solo, which was well received.

H. E. Robinson, president of the Men's Brotherhood, gave some "Echoes of the Contest" while Hervey Thorne and Charles Stebbins, captains of the Blues and Reds, hustled up the Hustlers and rounded up the Rustlers, bringing out many amusing errors the other fellows had made in their efforts to win the contest.

"Bud" Trowbridge sized up the Reds in a comical song hit, that brought the house down with applause.

C. A. Robinson, superintendent of the Methodist Sunday School, was clever in his remarks.

Miss Alice Rogers entertained the company with two splendid violin solos and Leonard Ruscitti played nicely two mandolin solos. Miss Robinson was the evening's piano accompanist.

All who were privileged to attend the banquet, speak in the highest praise of the address of the evening given by Rev. Flewelling, pastor of the Wellsville Christian Temple church. He is always good but rather outdid himself Monday evening.

3. If, at the end of any school year, the income accruing in the school year next preceding, or any portion thereof, shall remain unexpended, then and in that event such unexpended income shall be paid into, and become a part of the General Fund Income Account of Alfred University.

4. All appointments must be in writing subscribed by the person or persons who have been given the power of appointment hereunder, specifying the name and residence of the appointee and the term for which he shall be entitled to the benefits of this scholarship, and such writing shall be surrendered to the Treasurer of Alfred University, and shall be retained by him as a voucher for applying the income of this scholarship upon the charges for tuition of such appointee. No appointment shall extend beyond the school year in which it is made.

5. The written appointment must be produced and exhibited to the treasurer of Alfred University by the appointee whenever he shall seek to take advantage of this instrument, and such production and exhibition shall be prima facie evidence that the appointment was made by the rightful person; but Alfred University may at any time determine who is the lawful holder of the scholarship, and its decision thereon shall be final.

6. All appointees to this scholarship shall be entitled to the same rights and privileges and be subject to the same rules, regulations and discipline as students who pay their own tuition fees.

HUNTING JIMMY SWEET Woman Escapes From Local Lockup and is Not Yet Found.

Sheriff Weir and Deputy Cliffe, with the local authorities have been trying to arrest James Sweet, in Andover the past few days, without success. Sweet is accused of stealing automobiles and selling them.

Tuesday evening they locked up the woman who claims to be Sweet's wife, and held her for a material witness. Late Wednesday afternoon she escaped from the local lockup. The fire whistle was sounded and a posse started out in search, but at the hour of going to press she had not been found. So both Sweet and his woman are still at large.

MORE TOWNS ARE TO BE HOOKED ON

N. Y. Central Corporation is Building up Powerful Electric Combine.

Continuing its expansion thruout this territory, the New York Central Electric Corporation will have a hearing in Rochester on July 1, before the Public Service Commission regarding the extension of its lines in the towns of Ossian, Sparta, Livingston county; Reading, Schuylers county; Bath and Wayland, Steuben county; Middlebury, Wyoming county and the village of Albion, Allegany county.

All of these places will be linked together, according to the plans of the corporation with 39 other towns and villages in this locality into one big distributing system that will have several sources of power available among which will be power from Niagara.

Slowly but surely the concern is taking over practically all of the utilities systems in this section and by the end of the summer it is expected will have the circuit about completed. Hornell is to be one of the important points of the system as the big steam plant, which is planned to carry part of the load is situated here and the company will have an office building in Broadway.

Included in the 39 towns and villages in this section which have granted franchises to the New York Central Corporation are the following: Steuben county—Arkport, Bradford, Cameron Canton, City of Corning, Erwin, Hartsville, Hornby, Wheeler, Woodhull, West Union, Troupsburg, Jasper, Addison, Lindley, Prattsburg, Pulteney, Rathbone, Thurston, Campbell, Alfred, Almond and Burns in Allegany county; Mt. Morris, North Dansville and Springwater in Livingston county; Jerusalem, Barrington, Benton, Middlesex, Potter and Torrey in Yates county; Gorham in Ontario county and Orange and Tyrone in Schuylers county.

This corporation was organized about 18 months ago to take over the property, franchises and assets of existing companies and to promote new electric projects thru this section of the state.

ship shall be entitled to the same rights and privileges and be subject to the same rules, regulations and discipline as students who pay their own tuition fees.

In witness whereof, Alfred University has caused these presents to be subscribed in its corporate name by the President of its Board of Trustees, and its corporate seal to be affixed hereto, at Alfred, Allegany County, New York, this 23rd day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four.

ALFRED UNIVERSITY.
By Orra S. Rogers, President of its Board of Trustees.

PREDICTS HOT, DRY JULY AND AUGUST

Long Range Weather Prophet Discovers. He Must be a Pessimist.

A weather prophet who can foresee conditions for a year ahead has been discovered by the American Agriculturist, which passes on to readers the predictions for 1924 and 1925—with a hint of what is, in store for 1926 and 1927.

The long range prophet is Herbert J. Browne, a scientist who has spent years in research on the subject of what makes weather and why, and inasmuch as his forecast for 1924 has proven correct, the American Agriculturist believes that farmers and others whose business depends on rain, sunshine, cold and heat, should listen attentively to Mr. Browne's statements.

Mr. Browne predicted that 1924 would be a cold year, with excessive rainfall along the Atlantic seaboard and a severe drought on the Pacific Coast—all of which has come true. He now forecasts hot dry weather for July and August, with a cold wave in August for the middle west, which may penetrate to New York and Northern New England.

"The winter of 1924-1925 will set in early and last long," says Mr. Browne. "There will be much severe weather and winter grains will suffer from lack of sufficient snow cover, especially in the northern states. Early cold waves will reach the Gulf Coast in January. The year, 1925 will see a repetition of many of the disagreeable features of 1924. But the California drought will be broken and the temperature here will return to normal, may be a bit cooler than normal."

"Again I sound the warning that the years 1926 and 1927 threaten grave disasters to the grain crops of the whole world. I was the first to make this forecast. Now leading British and Swedish scientists, working upon entirely distinct lines of investigation, have come to the same conclusion. There will be chilly, late growing seasons, late frosts in spring and early killing frosts in autumn and late summer. In 1816 came the 'year without a summer,' with frosts, snow and ice in every month of the year, in which no crops were raised north of the Ohio and Potomac. The years preceding were like the ones we are now having."

"Our government should buy and store our surplus wheat instead of trying to dump it into Europe below the cost of production."

Garfield Caulkins Killed Instantly

Garfield Caulkins, enroute to Andover to visit his brother, Joseph, who is visiting at the J. C. Lever farm, was instantly killed Tuesday noon a mile east of Alfred on the state road when a motor cycle he was riding got beyond his control and smashed into a tree, at the point of a sharp curve in the road. He suffered a fractured skull, which was the cause of his death, and several broken bones in other parts of his body.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Bessie Caulkins of 243 Millburn Ave., Rochester and one brother, Joseph Caulkins.

Dr. Furguson, of Alfred, was called and is investigating the case and believes Caulkins was travelling at an excessive rate of speed. It is said that he is also probing another phase of the case.

Funeral services were held at Alfred and the burial was made at Wellsville where the family formerly lived and where his parents are buried.

FIRST PRIZE ESSAY IN THE NEWS CONTEST

THE PLACE OF THE VILLAGE NEWSPAPER AND ITS VALUE TO THE COMMUNITY

(By MISS GERTRUDE BEEBE)

Have you ever considered the place which your village newspaper occupies or of what value it is to the community? Does it occupy a high place or a low place in your opinion? Is it of any value to you? If should have a high place and should be of exceeding value to you all. Why? Those are the questions which I am going to try to answer clearly for you and try to place firmly in your minds. These are questions for which everyone should have an answer. Have you?

In every village, town or city, however large or small, there is at least one newspaper. Have you ever thought of that? Why do you suppose they would have one or two newspapers if they were of no value to anyone?

Would the publishers waste the time to print worthless papers? No, most decidedly not. Then they must be of value. Do you know of what value they are. Try to imagine your home town without a newspaper. Think of the hundreds of people working farms nearby whose only enjoyments during the week is the newspaper, and who would never know what was going on in the outside world or even in the town near which they live. If they knew practically nothing of the daily happenings, they would be less interested in the town and visit it less frequently. Isn't the important thing that we are working for, mainly to attract people to our village? Everyone knows the answer to that question. That is one great value of the newspaper.

Now the value to the people within the village itself is presented. The people who pay taxes would not really know for what the money was being used if a report was not published every so often. If they know for what it is being used, does this not influence them some? If the person's money is being used beneficially and he knows it by reports, wouldn't he be more prompt in his payments and grumble less at the size of the tax? I should think so. Think this over in your mind and decide whether this has any influence on you or not. There are also often separate sheets with the state laws printed upon them. They are of value to everyone. That fact cannot be denied.

Now for the business man. The village newspaper is perhaps the most beneficial to this man. Why? If you are a dry goods merchant or a crockery or a furniture dealer or any other man who advertises a great deal, what would you do if there was no village newspaper? Would your business progress so well? Of course not, and the reason why is this; you would have no way in which to bring before the eyes of the community, samples of your wares and of your excellent bargains. For this reason isn't the newspaper valuable to you? For the same reason it is valuable to the people of the community because if they were not acquainted with what each merchant sold and aware of the bargains he had, would they bother to find out for themselves? No. They would probably trade at one

known place entirely, while if they knew, they would trade with everyone and thus set business on a more equal basis. Wouldn't this be better for the community as a whole? Yes, it would.

In every newspaper there are some current topics which bring to the people reports of what is going on in the United States and foreign countries. Are these not beneficial? If you do not consider them of any value to you, think of your children in school. They need everything like that for their geography or history. Even people in high school need it. Some of the questions on the regents papers are always taken from current topics. Perhaps a child might fail to pass if he had not had a newspaper to read, from which he had obtained such information. Would you like to have your child fail? No. Will be the answer of everyone. Then isn't the paper valuable for that reason?

Some schools publish a paper containing accounts of the school activities, while other schools cannot afford this and instead have the school news published in the village newspaper. This helps keep the spirit of the school aroused. Would you like to have a school in your town which lacked school spirit? No, most assuredly not. You would be ashamed to acknowledge your school as one with no school spirit. There is another reason why newspapers are valuable.

All sports, musical entertainments, plays and other forms of amusements are published. Don't you enjoy reading these? Then everyone enjoys the "personals" which are always published. Don't you? Everyone must admit that he turns to the "personals" first and reads them. Why? Isn't it because you enjoy them? Certainly. Aren't they beneficial to you then? Aren't they means of enjoyment while the current topics are a source of study for everyone.

Now do you clearly understand why the village newspaper should be on an exceedingly high standard and of what value it is to you and the community as a whole? I believe that I have very decisively proven every statement which I have made. I have proven that it is very valuable in that, it keeps the farmers informed concerning the outside world as well as his own neighborhood village. It publishes various reports of importance, it helps the business man to a very great extent, it helps school children as well as older people by publishing current topics, it helps keep the school spirit aroused by publishing an account of the school activities and helps the people in general by publishing reports of all entertainments carried on in the village and elsewhere.

Therefore, I have conclusively proven to you that the village newspaper is of very great value to the community and that it should occupy a very high and important place. You think it over carefully and see if you don't agree with me on every point mentioned. Then let us try in every way possible to lose our paper and make it the best one in the county, considering the size of our village. Every little bit counts. Why not co-operate and try to the best of our ability any way?

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