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Dear Sir,

It is a day or two since I was not aware that you supposed your nephew to be attending Centre College. He has not, for months, been reciting in the College, & I supposed that you knew he had been sent home for idleness, drinking & gambling. Since he has been about our place ^{this short time} he has never attended College at all, & I did not know that he proposed to be a student. He has done nothing but drink, gamble, curse, & exert a bad influence on others. From what I have recently learned he is, I presume, deceiving you with the pretence of attending College. We can do him no good, & I hope that you will find some employment for him away from Danville.

Yours with respect

John C. Young