

Mount Berry Georgia
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Dear "Outlaw"

We were glad to hear from you
and to know you are enjoying your
work. There is an awfull lot of
work to do in the world int there
we all someone for our well-being.
God first ofcourse - and many other
in lesser ways --

In a community such as you are in
there is such a responsibility for any
young man or woman who goes
into it to work with the young.
All your teaching will not be
from books or in classes; They
will watch your every move
and dissect every thing you do
or say - Never mind - you will
stand inspection -- and these things

help build character, don't they?
No outlaw we havnt had an
epidemic (except an epidemic of ^{Pink} Eye)
many of the boys have sore eye +
argyrol + eye bath are still in order.
So hope your eye are still O.K.

Tom Sabell is my mail, or my handy
man now -- I asked him if he wanted
me to pay him every week or at end
of term -- He said as you did, "Not at
all Miss Merrill, as good as you have
been to me" So I bought him a scrap-
book like yours -- I was going to keep
it until end of year -- but you
know he goes to ~~Rowan~~. I got a lot
to talk -- and I thought a nice book
would help him now -- so I gave
it to him -- he was pleased -- He did
a lot of things for me when I was
sick -- (Oh ye I had the Flu, Grippe or
whatever -- right in my bed. Feb 1-2
and no one took it from me. I
fought all the time to keep the Boys

out. - had one boy in when I "took
sick" got him out next day + Dr. Green
got Mr. J. to look out for them in the
home, as she does in Summer - You know
I got well O.K. but didn't I think / I'm
not coming way off down here many
times more)

Ofcourse you know who came and
staid two nights with me? Miss Bin
isnt she everything in one?

Haent I written a lot. ofcourse I've
been treating eye, suabing throats and
giving out Aspirin + cascade in between
Mr. Ewing gave a Recital 25 inst. here
is a Programme -- it was good ..

and here is a slip from the Office
which I know you will appreciate.
McMullen looked it up for me -- so you
can come back and graduate -- and if
you like you can stay in Hospital
+ I dont mean in the ward ..

Ofcourse I have a new boy and ofcourse
I dont like him -- He came down from

the High School - to run the Hospital

and to convert me - same job?

Oh he is good enough of course.

but I need a boy to do the work - He is

He is about 6 ft tall - weighs about 160

has a book in his pocket - and his head

is the fattest part of him

He will get over it maybe --

I'm wishing you good luck

Outlaw and may will be here

before me busy people think of

it twice --

Sincerely but Hastily

Hortense Merrill