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## Letter: W.E. Johnson to Anne Johnson, September 27, 1864

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My dear Wife

I understand there is a probability of a flag of truce Boat passing tomorrow, I am well & getting along as well as I could expect - except as to food the rations are very scanty & I am hungry all the time. I have received but one letter from you & no money yet. though I am sure you have tried to get it to me. send me money & provisions if possible particularly bread. also send me a fine flat file a fine half round file a three cornered file a hand vice a pair of plyer oil stone, two other very fine small files & small very hammer. I want them to pass the time working. also send me a overcoat two blankets or counterpane & strap, & round Jacket & Pants. two undershirts two outside. two pair drawers & socks I can get boots & hat here if I get money. I write you very short unsatisfactory letters. but think it best to do so. I know very little of our prospects of being exchanged but think from what little I know that is no very bad. I bear it in the proper spirit & would like to express myself more fully but can not do so. May God bless you & my dear children is my daily prayer

Your devoted Husband W. C. Johnson Jr