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Letter: W.E. Johnson to Anne Johnson, October 26, 1864

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Confederate States Army

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Fort Pleasant Oct 26th 1864

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My dear Wife

I had the great pleasure yesterday of receiving a letter from you August 6th from H.D. Sept 28. Oct 27 & 28th
We were removed from under fire a few days since & placed in
case mates in Mrs St. This is about as good a position as any I
have been in. I find the Micks back walls cold before day but
it is warm enough in the rest of the room. we were exposed to a
very dangerous fire the last 2 days we were in the "Pen" a very
large shell fell within a few feet of our bench but fortunately
burst near the ground & pieces several times struck in mine
I received a letter from Col Embree Pine Bluff Ark. giving a very
favourable account of Grevelle says he is in Bowie Co Texas sent a
box 400 lbs from Linn. left about 20 negroes on the place is no
one near Pine Bluff, Moore is with him. will enclose the
letter to Get her. I have strong hopes of being exchanged soon
may be mistaking that so will have to draw again largely
upon my stock of patience. I have not received a box from
you yet it would be most welcome as I have been very "hard up"
for food lately. I am sorry to hear Robert is wounded hope it is
not serious. you must be governed by the prospects of exchange
in sending me things. I think Mr. Gleason here has returned
the box hope to get it soon. May God bless you
Your devoted husband W. C. Johnson