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Letter: Wesley Bouslog to Opal Valentine Baker, February 24 , 1918

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Sunday 2/24/18

To my only Sweet-heart:-

Sunday afternoon and as I sit and recall the past I wonder what you may be doing at 2 P.M. Feb. 24, 1918. Above all else I hope you are at least enjoying yourself. With exception of being very warm, I am O. K., not so warm as I have been many a time especially those times that I met U fifty-fifty. Ho! Imagination!

I am packed up and all ready to move from my present quarters in Block H to Block A. Will go whenever orders are given which may be today or tomorrow more. Have been assigned at last to Office Worker's Company. I have no idea what the duties may be I presume I shall begin a few weeks instructions

in preparation of doing some kind of Office work. Block A is at the east end of camp and is almost on the banks of the St. John's River. Hate to leave the boys here in my present barracks but can see no way of staying here. Again I am glad to change. Anyway I am out of a recruiting company, but shall never regret the time that I have spent in the company.

One of the boys just said, "Was, have you written Opal her usual Sunday letter?" Now fourteen sitting in our barracks of the fourteen eight are writing letters. That is the way nearly a lonesome hour is passed by many. Every letter received calls for an answer and so we have to answer everybody while those who write us write one letter. Most of us have eight or ten letters always awaiting answer and we keep track of those



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answered by writing ans across the envelope.

Your letters always come first and others wait. The same way in reading them. Probably I will not always find time to write as many letters probably in the future as I have in the past but shall do my best. That remains to be seen and found out.

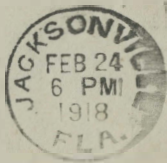
How is Datta? Tell her to write once in a while. Hope your mother is better.

L. S. Virgil and Bryant have been here and have just left. All OK and they have been carrying each other high and we have had quite a few laughs.

Shall send you a picture when finished I mean a post card with my photo on it or your negro lover in



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Miss Opal Baker,
Sulphur Springs
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Henry County

