

Cholenville Brunswick City Va April. 4<sup>th</sup>

Dear Brother

I now seat myself  
to write you a few lines to let you know  
that I have not forgotten you. And to inform  
you that we are all well, hoping when this  
reach you it may find you & Lark enjoying  
the same health. I have no news to write except  
all the ladies look as well as ever. Tell Lark  
some of the ladies fell in love with him while  
he was out, and says they never saw a boy  
turn pretty so fast they say he is the prettiest  
Rawlings of the whole flock.

All of the Neighbours are well so far as I  
know.

Wish you ought to be at home to see your  
brother fly around, Sweet I am speaking of  
he is hand down fixing now to spend the  
holiday with some of the girls.

Mrs received your letter and says she will write  
to you in a few days. she <sup>want</sup> you to write her now  
~~and~~ if you or Lark needs anything and she will  
send it down by Charles Rawlings when he goes back  
she has two pair of socks ~~of~~ a piece for you & I  
and will send them down by the first one that  
passes. She sends her love to you and Lark  
Harvey also. Tell Harvey I will write to him in  
a few days. I must close because I can't write

any longer with this old pen. write soon and  
write me all of the news. Give my love to all  
enquiring friends and receive a portion for your  
self. Write soon

I am your true and devoted Sister  
H. V. Rawlings