

Chalk Level, N. C.

Aug 20th 1889.

Capt. S. B. Alexander,
Charlotte, N. C.

Dear Sir & Son:- Will you
be so kind as to give me
an answer to the following
questions?

Bro. R. T. Spence is a member
and president of our Alliance
(Cokesbury No. 134) and runs a
public gin. Has he the right
to put cotton bagging on the
cotton of those who are not mem-
bers of the Alliance?

If not can he no give for those
who don't belong to the order
and be consistent with the
actions of the State Alliance?
Has he the right as a public

and a number of the allies
I wish to use pite for any -
who may prefer to use it.?

Please answer the above at your
earliest convenience.

I write at the request of Bro.
Spruce and others.

We love the order down this way
and we want to be consistent.

Faithfully & Fraturnally

Yours,
E. Pope.

Answer . yes to first
" " " Second
but recommend for Alliance -
men till substitutes are
exhausted -