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Saus Louci. Bertie Co. N. C.

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Elias Barr Esq.

Pres N. C. S. F. A.

Dear Sir, & Bro,

I would ask your opinion, & advice as to the use of jute bagging on cotton, when said bagging was left over from last season. We are determined to abide the resolves of our State Alliance "not to use new or unused jute covering for our cotton" and would ask if bagging bought last season, before the organization of any Alliance in our County, is regarded as "new" as implied in the resolution.

Our farmers have remnants of rolls that were left over from last year's baling which can be of use to them, if it is deemed improper for members of our organization, or in conflict with the resolutions adopted by the State Alliance -

Respectfully

Truly & faithfully

J. B. Freeman