

Gatesville Alliance

Gatesville Mo.

July 15th 1891

Elias Carr. Esq.

President N. O. State Alliance

Dear Sir: - & Bro.

I write to ask
some question as to the eligibility of of
two men who want to become members of
our Alliance, I will give the names and
then occupations.

First, Nathaniel Euse, who is a farmer
and has a store on his farm, has been a
farmer all of his life, he has five times as
much invested in farming as in merchan-
dising, Nearly of his customers are mem-
bers of the Alliance, Is he eligible?
Second, D. E. Riddick has been a farmer
all of his life, owns a large farm but
does not on it at this time, but ^{it} is under
his direct supervision, his son in law lives
on the farm but furnishes nothing, Mr. Riddick
a few years ago move to town for the
purpose of sending his children to school,
He has some money invested in a store
but gives ^a no attention, He is fully identified

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ing as he has in the store,
he eligible?

Please answer this
question by letter or through the
Progressive Farmer,

Fraternally yours

John Brady
President of
Gatesville Alliance No 1142