

Gatesville N.C.
April 26th 1890

Mr Elias Carr
President Farmers Alliance
North Carolina.

Dear Sir & Bro.

At our meeting
in regular session April 14th the
Gates County Farmers Alliance
directed me to write to Capt S.
B. Alexander, Chairman Ex. Com.
N.C. F. S. A. to try to procure for us
especially and the rest of the 1st
District a Lecturer. As we have
been deprived of that useful officer
from our Organization except
Bro Hunter made us a flying
trip down this way during our last
fall term of Court. and he was
in Gatesville before I knew that
he had been appointed to come.
and only stayed a part of the day

in the County. We are behind in
the Secret work and need a Cause
of the Co and I may say at least
Senatorial District So as to instruct
us and enthrall some of our lukewarm
members. Ours are not
reading people and therefore it
takes constant instruction from
a few of us who do read and try
to keep up with the times. I have
written to Capt Alexander and he wrote
me to write you and see if you could
not help him to send us Capt W
A. Darden. I am satisfied if he
will give 3 or four public lectures
in the County it will add at least
200 members to our order in less
than 6 months. Fraternally

A. Reed Sec. Latah County
Farmers Alliance