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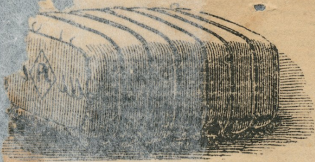
North Carolina Farmers' State Alliance



Raleigh, N. C., May 14 1891

Dear Brother Carr.

Yours of the 12th instant received yesterday evening - In regard to the map meetings - If there are to be only two in the State I do not know but Goldsboro would be best place though are fearful we could not get as many as here - but what we do ^{do} should be ~~known~~ ^{possible}. I am glad you postponed. I think it would have been worth - What are you to be invited? Am I have advertised ^{and} to secure speakers etc? Please let me know what is expected of me in this matter at your earliest convenience - Ole Park stated to me that he would send Simpson + another good western man to address us. Would it not be well to have these two meetings close together, especially if the same speakers are to be employed? Would it not be well to call the Ex Com together for consultation ^{at once}? It seems to me that the work can be pushed to great



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and but little more expense, comparatively, if there could
 be held ~~several~~ ^{several} Mass meetings in different sections
 of the state one after another with only a day or
 two of intermission. The election last year dam-
 aged the mountain section badly and I think it
 at least two of these should be
 and two, at least, each of W. & W. R. R.
 things and believe a consultation
 devised if not already ^{been} done
 I will ^{be} day - Only had a
 minutes talk with ^{him} on his return from
 left Tuesday morning.

Hope you have had good rains as we had
 here last night and this morning -

Wase do not think that in my suggestions
 I am trying to dictate to you what should be done I am
 only anxious that no stone shall be unturned for our success -

Hurriedly -

Yours fraternally
 W. S. Barnes.
 Sec N. C. F. A.

P.S. Will notify National authorities
 of the change from Goldsboro to
 Raleigh - W.S.B.