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Farmers' Alliance of N. C.

Asheville, N. C., Sept 2^d 1891.

Hon Elias Carr
Old Sparta N.C.

My Dear Brother

If there is any one man above
that I would glory more over his defeat
than Sherman of Ohio, and to be candid I
like to have it said, that we helped do the
that the Farmers Alliance of our state fur-
part of the ammunition, I am no polished
speaker, but put me in the rural
away from cities, and among plain people
world cannot beat me. I know we have
to use, but I presume their are asso-
that would like to have an old
talk to the Republican Farmers
campaign in Ohio. I am editing the
"Home Journal" run by a board of
I am chosen of the board, and have
to bed any night since my return,
at one o'clock, we have a daily and
we written every editorial, and
rec^d a letter to day

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from a gentleman in Ohio, a candidate for the
 Senate, that says my article on National
 cannot be surpassed & C & C, any course
 may pursue or suggest in this matter, will
 be my approval. In fact I would like to have you
 on the subject, ^{about going to Ohio,} anything you may see proper
 to me, will be considered strictly confidential,
 even the time comes in N. C., that you
 it is your duty to take up the banner,
 organization, and try to carry it through
 in a line, and I will come on
 you hold it high up out of the
 I have had several pleasant
 views, in the last week, with your
 who resides in Washington D. C.
 in the nicest office, best reception
 in, and a daily and weekly that
 to beat.

Fraternally & Truly
 Thomas B. Long