

## THE STATE CHRONICLE.

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Hon Elias Carr,

Old Sparta, N.C.

My Dear Sir and Friend-

As I told you in person, upon my return from California I am going to give you a month in any capacity in which I can be useful to you. I know the state pretty well and it may be that you will want to send a man, or to have me to accompany you, or do some writing for you. Anything in my power is going to be at your command.

I fear some trouble on account of the third party folks, but I believe we can get them all right for you. If you will pardon the advice, I will suggest that you do not allow yourself to be interviewed, or under any circumstance make any remark that Polk & Co. can put any construction upon and put you in a position that might enable our enemies to hurt you. Your past course and conservatism has been so wise that I am sure you will meet every emergency.

My wife joins me in love to Mrs. Carr, and we take pleasure in the belief that you will be with us four years in the Executive Mansion.

Yours faithfully,

Josephus Daniels.

Dictated.