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PRESIDENT'S OFFICE,

NORTH CAROLINA FARMERS' STATE ALLIANCE,

Clinton, N. C., June 7, 1892

Dear Bro. Carr:-

Your esteemed favor rec'd.
I most heartily agree with you about the
present national situation. If the Chicago
convention should write a good platform, the
nomination of Cleveland would narrow his
position would be the interpretation of the
platform - But I have some hopes that he
will not be nominated - the delegates will to
some extent at least realize the situation
and not blindly or willfully doom the party
to defeat. If he is nominated I fear there
will be a stone ticket in the field - but at
present no one can tell - not even the 3rd party
leaders themselves - a great deal depends upon
the size & enthusiasm of the meetings of June
11th & 16th - I am watching the situation with
much concern - The railroad will turn guns
on rather machinery on Capt. Alva in his dis-
trict - we must not let him be defeated - His
defeat would turn thousands of poor to the Third party

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venturing beyond his control. The more Alliance
men can be elected to office through the
party, the members can be held to the party -
It would be good politics for those outside
of the Alliance to use their influence to
this end - and they would if they only able to
see things as they are - How fatal it is
to be blind in great ~~conditions~~! I have written
again to H. Skinner - I will go to see him this
week on my way to or from Jones county, where
I speak Friday -

The Alliance must have an organ - see our condition
without an organ, and a paper organ out for
the 3^d party going into the hands of the membership!
The P.F. declares that it is not the organ, so it
can be free - that is so the administration can not
have any voice to shape its course, yet it con-
tinues to act as organ - see the following ed. para-

agraph clipped from last issue:-
You see it warns them against the Democrat-
ic party only - the inference is that the
"true blues" are Peoples Party men - this
indicates the line of fight. It is to beat

** Politicians who have crept into
the Alliance and who wish to run it in
the interest of the Democratic party,
are preparing to capture the next State
meeting. At your July county meet-
ing put none but true blues on as State
delegates.

Quarter-Master, J. T. LINTON, N. C.
Color-Sergeant, A. B. BYNUM, N. C.
Color-Corporal, H. L. BETHEL, Fla.
Secretary, J. F. MORRIS, N. C.
Marker, L. SOLOMON, N. C.

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Kinston, N. C., June 4th 1892.

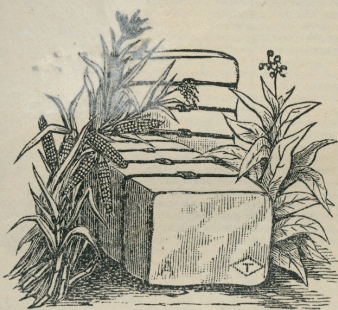
Mr. Elias Carr,
Sparta,
N.C.

Dear Sir,

We the Committee appointed
take pleasure in notifying you that
you have been unanimously elected honor-
ary member of Jefferson Literary Society
of this College,

Very respectfully,

J. A. Dull,
L. H. Klatter,
E. G. Meares,



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Alexander, me & other men who have taken the
same position - ~~Can we start~~ the organ of the
alliance should be the property of the organization,
but if there is not some good paper started be-
fore the next state meeting, the Prog. & will be a
candidate to be recommended as the organ, & it succeeds
in changing the personnel of the administration
to send for the organ, at least de facto
this done & the organization is scrapped - the organization
of the house must have an organ & every member ^{or every family} should
be a subscriber - Let me hear from you -

Trasuntly.

Marion Butler

Han Ellis Carr,

Old Sparta n.c.