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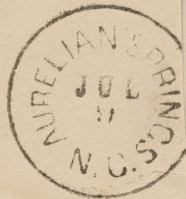
I was much gratified by & interested in the letter from you in answer to mine and am encouraged to trouble you a little further though conscious that your time must be very fully occupied already. Our section is in a state of ebullition as it were as to politics, doubt & uncertainty on all sides & variety of opinion as to how to vote. It is understood that you advise voting for Cleveland instead of Weaver. If so what is to be done with the alliance demands, the main features of which, Cleveland

is supposed to oppose  
Is all of our past effort in  
endeavoring to establish these  
measures of reform to be lost  
There are good reasons for believ-  
ing that our Country is today  
more on the side of Weaver  
than of Cleveland. How it  
may be next week is uncertain  
I myself am completely obse-  
sated with wishing to bring about free  
bills by any date of ours &  
on the other hand, disliking  
to injure the alliance cause  
The Progressive Farmer says  
Cleveland is sympathizing  
with the Free bill. Is this so?  
Is the Prog-Farmer to be relied  
on in its statements, some  
of which are startling? If  
not why then not to be an  
alliance paper which may  
be relied on for truth  
Can you tell me what the position

of President Butler is as to  
Politics & the Alliance.

I should be gratified at  
receiving an answer from  
you, and as early as convenient

Very truly & Gratefully  
Yrs R. A. Patterson



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