

Smithwood Va
3rd Jan 1890

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My Dear Sir

Yours of last week asking for information as to the Pea nut market just received, in answer will say that P nuts have been brisk in the market at $5\frac{1}{2}$ cts per bush with a steady demand, and at least $\frac{2}{3}$ of the crop marketed up to this time we are trying our best, (alliance people) to hold the market up & are holding back all we can for 6 cts, the action of the Alliance I think would aid in great good to the p nut growers of this section, will instruct our County depts to write you more fully about the matter. Will be glad to see you for the success of the alliance & for yourself personally

Yrs fraternally

Jno W. Lawson

Presd Farmer Alliance

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