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June 10th 1892

Dear Sir, and Bro,

As Secretary of Deep-Spring Farmers Alliance, No. 196 I am requested to correspond with you personally, and also the other candidates for the several State offices lately nominated at Raleigh for the purpose of gaining your views and position on the principles set forth in the St. Louis Platform. please state in plain and simple terms how you stand in regard to these things.

I send you a copy of the resolutions adopted by Deep Spring Alliance, No. 196 on the other side of this paper. Please let me hear from you immediately

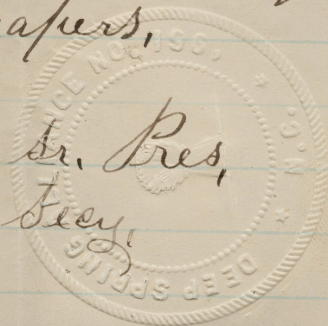
Fraternally,

G. W. Barden



Resolved 1st that we hereby reiterate
and re-affirm the position taken and expressed
by us in the resolutions adopted by this Alliance
in Dec. last, and we plant ourselves firmly,
positively, squarely, and unequivocally on the
principles enunciated in the St. Louis plat-
form, and we will not under any circumstances
support any candidate for any office in
the gift of the People who is not in accord
with us. 11th That when men offer themselves
as candidates for offices of honor, trust and
emolument, the electors have a right to
know their views and that the Secretary of
this Alliance be directed to communicate with
the candidates for the several State offices
lately nominated at Raleigh and ^{ask} each one of them
to say in plain and simple terms how he stands
in regard to these things and to define his
position upon the principles set forth in the
St. Louis Platform. 3^d That these Resolutions be
sent to the Progressive Farmer and to the
Newbern Journal for publication with the request
that they be published in said papers.

W. H. Andrews, Jr. Pres,
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