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Major Lloyd C. Stark

Greetings Major:- Pardon long delay - but really I am going day and night - trying to complete my building. All is going great.

Major every Democrat is for you. Only Republicans M.F.A. men are for Hirth. The leaders of the M.F.A. assured me that they are not going to fight you. They are all Republicans and are going and trying to get their Republican members to vote for Hirth, if he files. They hope thereby to get those same members to vote Democratic in November. That's the promise that the Pres. & Sec. of the county M.F.A. gave me.

I find many Republicans voting for you. It seems the people really want you for Governor. You hear little about T.J. bossing you.

Will have my picnic again the latter part of July. Do you care to honor us again with your presence. Would be very happy to have you.

My county cannot do much financially for your campaign - but I assure you we will be with _____ by June.

So all is well. I shall ever be at your service - at your command.

Sincerely

(Signed) Fr. Theon Schoen