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you're Democrats unite!!

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HUMOROUS INTRODUCTION FOR

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(Hint)

"After Humphrey's Sunday!"

~~Friday~~

that

It is ~~such~~ good to come to a meeting of a political party

where all the members have a clear unity of purpose, where personality

conflicts never impinge on ideology, where men of good will are marching

forward toward a great vision of national destiny

~ Somewhere, tonight, there must be such a meeting. !

L Maybe not in Minnesota.

L Maybe not anywhere in America.

L But surely somewhere.

When I look around this room --- it is apparent

~~what~~ what a remarkable achievement Wendell Anderson has accomplished. !

h In the words of an 'important statesman' whose name escapes me, the theme

tonight is "Bring us together". Who did say that? !

*Give
'em
hell!

Speak
to
the
media!*

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Wendy, after that compliment, ~~however~~, I thought I might read something to the guests that appeared in the paper not long ago. I received a lot of adverse comment about it, but I did want everyone to hear it just to set the record straight, so they'll know exactly what was said. The story has a quote in it --- and says: "Our candidate has to be more aggressive; he has to stand up and be counted, '...."

President Lyndon B. Johnson said today when asked about Hubert Humphrey's campaign strategy...."

Now, Fritz is sitting here rather content! Of course, there was a story about him in the paper also. The story said he was a dark horse!

There is a fine reference book called The New Language of Politics. It gives a definition of the phrase dark horse: "A long-shot candidate for nomination ... whose best chance for selection lies in a deadlock of the leading candidates." I guess that rules out Fritz. We who know him and love him understand that Fritz could never be a party to letting Democrats fight it out while he sat back to pick up the pieces. I don't believe it and Fritz has confirmed it to me. His eye is not on the Presidency.

*Lawrence
Hybrid*

*x Warren Spanner - old 2 gar-
neither one registered!*

Just tonight he said, "Hubert, let me make one thing perfectly clear..."

~~Hubert, let me make one thing perfectly clear...~~

*Hubert
Seymour*
I have one announcement to make about the primary on Tuesday.
I am absolutely confident that I will win. In fact I was thinking about
that tonight as I drove here in my Edsel.

~~But the second thing is...~~ The Republicans have
announced that they will be bringing in their big guns *in the General election.*

L These are men who have become household words in America, Faceless,
nameless, stolid, grey men, they have demonstrated again the true quality
of Republican leadership. *Nothing Go Slow No U. F. I. always*

now take the
~~The gentleman who is~~ Secretary of Commerce, Maurice Stans, *he* will be
here to tell us about the vigorous economy *the Republicans have!*

They The Secretary of Labor may be here if they can ever find out who
is the Secretary of Labor. I'd like a show of hands --- who knows who
the Secretary of Labor is? I have his name here --- Secretary Hodgson;

we invite him to come to Minnesota ~~in the future~~ to tell us all
about the unemployment rate. *rationally and justly*

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Of course, if we get really lucky, the Secretary of Agriculture
Hardin the Farmer
may be here. His name is Hardin, and in the hearts of farmers he ranks
second only to Ezra Taft Benson.

We can also expect that the Secretary of HUD will be here, ~~Mr.~~
Next Romney will attempt to convince us about the *healthy* condition of the
housing market. He has a special word for that technique of persuasion:
he calls it brainwashing.

As a final treat we may see the Secretary of the Treasury here ---
Projected Republican
if there still is a treasury after the 20-billion dollar deficit.

Secretary Kennedy will tell us how the cost of living is still going up,

but not going up quite as rapidly as last month. *and how the stock mkt*
is leveling out - "fellowship, stock mkt doesn't worry me
sleep like a baby -

So we welcome them all ~~the~~ *the* Charisma ~~They will be here~~
We need to Promote Tourism!
~~to demonstrate a switch on an old political game, it's called tail-coating.~~

All in all, it should be a good show. *well Paid actors; all times*
rehearsed
just
possibility that Vice President Agnew will ~~appear~~ *appear* in Minnesota. Or *possibly*

President Nixon. If they do, I thought I might welcome them at the
airport.

*but the cost
of the tickets
is so high!*

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I think they'll treat me nicely. They know they'll need me to put in

a good word for them with the next Governor of Minnesota.

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This Republican Administration has canceled funds for heart and cancer research, vetoed funds for education and now they are denying our senior citizens a decent place to live.

The policies of this Administration have put our economy at a standstill resulting in increased unemployment, rising consumer prices, dangerous inflation, decreased business profits, and depressed farm income all in the name of being anti-inflationary. These policies are not anti-inflationary. They are anti-people.

This Republican Administration has an open purse for missiles and a blank check for a supersonic plane to take those who can afford it to Paris in four hours.

Yet, when it comes to people -- particularly the needy, the elderly, the sick, the retarded, the handicapped, and the poor who are locked in our cities and rural areas -- these are the people for whom the Administration's purse strings have been tightened and the pennies pinched and in many cases the funds denied altogether.

As a result of this most recent action more than 1,000 elderly Minnesotans will be deprived of decent housing. This is housing they were promised and housing that they desperately need and deserve.

This cruel and shortsighted action of canceling funds that were actually repayable loans will deprive these senior citizens not only of decent living conditions but also the dignity and security they have earned and deserve from this society and this government in the twilight of their lives.

This Anti-People Policy will mean less business for munn. Builders & Suppliers, loss of hundred of jobs adding to Minnesotas rising rate of unemployment

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Wants to Help



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