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1861-11-20 G.P. Sewall solicits endorsements for Hugh Staples

George P. Sewall

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G. P. Sewall
Oldtown
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My dear Sir

If you deem it proper will you favour us with a certificate to the character of the names on the enclosed or such other line on it as you are free to make, we want to such Staples if we can, He was to have his duties Sicut, and could have had the votes but gave way for sake of peace. Staples is a worthy man, a member of the Orthodox Church in good standing - prays & preys well, on his knees or enemies. He is somewhat lazy - never was known to run from any thing, especially from the fair. It is said at the Battle of Bull Run when the Crown rushed past him "He stood like the red moon in a stormy night, amid the clouds that hanging by, left him alone unshaken in the sky"

Please return enclosed so that I can forward to Staples. Yours truly
G. P. Sewall

Oldtown Me.

Nov. 20, 1861.

Sewall. G. P.

Soliciting an indorsement
on recommendations for Staples