

E. E. Viles to Governor John St. John

A letter to Kansas Governor St. John from Miss Viles of Manhattan. Enclosed is a song she composed for the temperance cause. Perhaps, planting an early seed for women's suffrage, she states: "We would support you if we could - but we are women."

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Manhattan Kansas
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J. A. St. John:

Dear Sir;

Please accept
this copy of the little song we
dedicate to you, for the noble
work you have done, and are
doing, in this great and worthy
cause. We would support
you if we could - but we are
women. And I echo the hearts of
thousands of the women of to-day
when I say it.

We bid you "God speed" and
a glorious success, and may the
little song tell its tale to the



millions, Its all we can do
Yours sincerely

Miss E. E. Viles
composer