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Curator of the
Museum of Science, History and Art,
Los Angeles California.

Dear Sir:

In a recent number of the Evansville (Ind.) Courier, I found an account of a cupboard, said to have been made by Abraham Lincoln and his father for Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Crawford.

According to this story, the cupboard passed to their daughter, and was inherited by her daughter, Mrs. Maud Jennings Cryderman, who has placed it in your Museum. Can you give me any further information in regard to this piece?

Could you put me in touch with Mrs. Cryderman? Have you a photograph of the cupboard? I shall be very glad of any information that you can help me to.

Very truly yours,