Insert after: The log cabin where

"Lincoln" kept or ran the ferry after coming from KY

had been covered over, of "weather boarded" looked too

modern to excite or admiration. (Ms. sent in Dec.)

Judge James McDaniel, a Sett by birth, 5

first judge of Perry Co., established and owned the

ferries at Binear Troy, crossing the Ohio R. & the

Anderson Co. It was on the farm of Judge

McDaniel that the Lincoln family stopped 7

when they came from KY. And at this time

they made the acquaintance of Mr. James Taylor

who hired Abraham Lincoln "when a mere boy

& too little & weak to work on the farm," that father

let him work on the ferry boats.

Mr. Taylor hired Abraham for one year at

six dollars a month. He served this time, faithfully

& well, & father was well pleased with the boy," he

said to Capt. Ivan B. Taylor as I assured me.

Mr. Abraham Lincoln, "Faithfully & well,

true & honest," how often I have heard the words

applied to you by folks that are now too old
to wish to varnish the past with fine phrases.