Notes: Life of Abraham Lincoln, Office Seekers

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When the Convention assembled to receive the oaths of allegiance the Governor's name was called, 'Sam Houston! Sam Houston! Sam Houston!' Houston sat in his office, whittling, the uproar in the Chamber in his ears, but he refused to respond.

LINCOLN NOTE.

The Duke of Argyll in speaking of an English statesman once said: "What a comfort it is to have a man who knows what he means, and means you to know what he means also."

Office duties
8. P.M. Oct. 17
My duties call me to the White House one night three times a day. The great hall, ballroom, dining, close in filled with applicants who render my night even difficult.

Second of Lincoln
Second said: "There is not one in the Cabinet that I can trust by the President."
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