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Dear Miss Tarbell. Aug 31st 1896.

Referring back to the matter of the early history of Nancy Hanks Lincoln, I would say that I have been in correspondence with a kinswoman, who bears the same relation to Mrs. L. as myself. She told me that she had important family history, or had access to it, and promised to send me a copy so that I could judge of its importance. She has failed, so far, to respond, and perhaps, it would be as well for you to either write or go see her. Her address is "Elizabeth Hanks, Vienna Cross Roads, Clarke Co, Ohio."

Very truly Yours,

J M Hanks

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