

Mentone, Ind Feb  
Miss Ida Tarbell  
New York City  
New York.

Dear Madam: Will you  
please give me the following  
information if possible.  
Was Jefferson Davis and  
Lincoln half brothers, the  
question has been asked  
me several times. Where  
might I find where Jefferson  
Davis's parents came from.  
My great grand father  
was Booker T. Davis, and  
he was supposed to have  
been in the Rev. War. but  
I can not find any record

of same. Could you tell me  
where I might write for  
this information. Thanking  
you for any information  
regarding this.

Very respectfully.  
Miss Eva Burgess