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Sirs:-

After reading Tarbell's Life of Lincoln I find that I can send some information that will be of interest to you, I hope- Mordecai Lincoln a brother of Thomas and an uncle of the President came to Fountain Green, Hancock County, Illinois which is about twelve miles from here-He now has a grand son living in the village of Fountain Green eighty years of age and has but few dollars. He has been a bee hunter, wagon maker, farmer, hunter for years. He makes many axehandles- I counted 75 in his shop a few days ago- The village built his shop for him-His name is Thomas and he has a son Tad who is kind of a shifless fellow-

Mordecai had three sons, Abraham, James and Mordecai, Jr - Abraham had Three sons, Robert, Hezekiah and Nicholas-

James had three sons-Thomas, James and Charles - Mordecai, Jr. was never married but lived at a point near Fountain Green with his mother- They were all Catholics - good people but never very much for the Almighty dollar- Mordecai Jr. lived at a place called Joe Duncan- The above is correct in every particular as I have consulted Thomas who is still living-

Respectfully-

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