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JOSEPH BENJAMIN OAKLEAF
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Editor, The Dearborn Independent,
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Dear Sir:-

As a student of Lincolniana and matters concerning Lincoln, I am very much interested in your J. Wilkes Booth articles. I am now writing a Life of Lincoln and I want to quote liberally from Mr. Black's articles and, of course, will give him credit for whatever I use, and also would like to know if it is possible for me to get your cuts, for the reason that there are some of them that I want to use and I will give due credit. I understand that you do not keep your cuts anyway, but that they are destroyed.

It it is necessary to write Mr. Black, I shall be pleased to do so, if you will supply me with his address.

Hoping that you will give this your consideration, I am, with respect,

Yours very truly,

JOSEPH BENJAMIN OAKLEAF.

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