

# Forest Lawn Museum



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Dr. R. Gerald McMurtry, Director  
The Lincoln National Life Foundation  
Fort Wayne  
Indiana

Dear Dr. McMurtry:

Your information about the Fletcher Ransom paintings of Lincoln is most welcome.

You may be interested in a copy of the key to the people in the Lincoln at Gettysburg paintings. It was given us when we bought the picture. The man you thought might be Salmon P. Chase is given as Montgomery Blair, Postmaster General. The names of all the numbered figures follow:

1. Mrs. Wise, wife of Captain, U.S.N.
2. Seward
3. Col. Gordon Loxland
4. Horatio Seymour, Governor of New York
5. Edward M. Stanton
6. Montgomery Blair
7. Edward Everett
8. Oliver P. Morton, Governor of Indiana
9. Col. John Hay (afterward Sec. of State.)
- 10.)
- 11.) The Misses Gilbert of Philadelphia
12. Andrew Curtin, Governor of Pennsylvania
13. Col. J. W. Forney, U. S. Army

We are returning the picture you kindly sent us, and shall also write to the Chicago & Illinois Midland Railway. Thank you very much.

Sincerely yours,

Vera Oldham  
Director of Research

P.S. I may add that we have this trouble with our copy of the Declaration of Independence, by Jonathan Trumbull, also. He put in people who were not there, and omitted some who were. Their descendants are often agitated.

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