

C O P Y.

14 Minerva Place  
White Plains, N. Y.  
July 22, 1939.

Roger M. Heyward  
Columbia, S. C.

Dear Mr. Heyward:

Your letter received yesterday. I am still not returning the papers. I have received information from Columbia from parties who are in position to know that the owner of the house and lot next to mine has signed up for \$1,800.00. Now that place I am sure is no better than mine. The house was built at the same time mine was built. The lot is the same size as mine. He has made no more improvements on his place than I have made on mine. We both bought from the same party. So why should I take less for mine than he gets for his? His property is not worth any more than mine.

I feel that this information will help you to do a little different about the matter. I realize that I am a negro woman, and a very poor one, so naturally your interest would be more the other way. Still I feel that you would help me get as much for the little place as the others get. I don't mind coming back to Columbia and staying until the whole thing is completed. I have absolutely nothing in New York State. Please let me hear from you. I am writing Mr. McNulty also.

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Yours truly

Maggie L. Adams.

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