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Mr A W Neal
Matthews Hardware-Implement Co
La Plata Md

Dear Mr Neal:-

Back in 1921 I had some correspondence with you regarding John and Charles Garner and their memory of happenings regarding the assassination of Abraham Lincoln and the escape of John Wilkes Booth.

In a statement signed by Mr John Garner, all is complete except the number of years he has lived in your neighborhood. He was 82 at that time and I am wondering whether or not he is still alive, if so, I would deeply appreciate having a picture and will be glad to pay the cost of obtaining same. If he has passed on, you can possibly obtain this from his son Charles and the information as to how long the father lived near La Plata.

Can you tell me where Franklin Roby is buried and do you spell his name Roby or Robey. I have it both ways in my papers.

Very truly yours

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