1926 So. College Ave.
Phila. March 4th 1895

Judge Tourgee:-

Dear Sir.

Would you kindly favor me with the following facts and greatly oblige an earnest Searcher after truth.

First- The number of colored people in the United States.

Second- The number that have been put to death in the South Since the war. and especially the number put to death within the last five years.

Third- Are the colored people increasing in the same ratio now that they were ten years ago?

Fourth The number that can read and write, also the number of teachers and professional men & women

Fifth- The number of Schools for the higher Education of the people

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Sixth — The progress the colored people have made along the line of finance the amount of taxable property owned by them,

Seventh — The amount of taxable property owned by the entire colored people of the United States North and South before the war. or when the slaves were freed

Eighth — Are the colored people improving in morals?

Ninth — What, in your judgement, will be the outcome of the negro in the united state?

Hoping that you will do me the great favor of answering these questions at your earliest opportunity —

I am Yours Respectfully —

Matthew Anderson

Pastor Berean Presbyterian ch.

Philadelphia.

P. S. If you could possibly answer these questions by return mail I would be most grateful

M. A.

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