FROM THE STATE. The Coal Troubles-The Offer of the Operators-Work Offered to the Miners Throughout the Year, Regardless of the

Price of Coal. POTTSVILLE, May 1 .- The following circular has just been issued :-

ANTHRACITE BOARD OF TRADE OF THE SCHUYLKILL REGION, POTTSVILLE, May I, 1871:—To the Working-men of Schuyikili, Northumberland and Columbia counties—The Anthracite Monitor of the 29th uit, centains the following article:—

Another Ultimatum. "Belew will be found the last ultimatum of the Schuykill operators, agreed to at Philadelphia on Saturday last. It bears on the face of it plausibility and reason, but when read coolly and deliberately it presents to us a deep laid scheme for the destruc-tion of the W. B. A. through the repudiation of the fundamental principle of the organization, the basis. At the time we write this, we do not know what will be the action of the Executive County board in regard to the acceptance of the proposition, but hope that, instructed by their districts, they will emphatically gnore it. The preposition is not just whatever its friends or those wishing a settlement at any price may say about it. It will rob the men of their share of percentage on the prices that coal will bring above the basis the next two menths, which, if no trickery is used, ought to be considerable which, if no trickery is used, ought to be considerable, and it gives no guarantee that the operators will continue to work their collieries if prices come down so that they cannot work them to make them pay at the price they at present effer to labor. Hence, by accepting this proposition the men give up their right to the per centage when coal is above \$3, which will be for two months at least, and have no premise of steady work after they have done so. It would be much better to accept a \$2.75 basis without a sliding scale downward, or the \$3 basis with a sliding scale, on the 1876 plan, down to \$2 50, and the latter we are in favor of and have been all the time. But the present offer is a trap, a snare and delu-sion, and bears on its face the impress of the mind of that wily schemer, F. B. Gowan. The men may do as they please, but for us we denounce it as a piece of consummate trickers and deception. Steady work cannot be secured by it. None would more re-lotee than me to find this assertion wrong, but it will not be so, and if the men accept they will awake before long to a sense of their folly. Coal will again go cown below the basis, and for that reason again go cown below the basis, and for that reason we advise a sliding scale to \$2.50 to provide against the necessity of a suspension when it does fall below, and for the reason that we believe it will fall to\$2.56 we oppose the present pro-position because we know that the operators will suspend their collieries when it dees go down, and after having pocketed the advance above the basis themselves they will leave the men in the lurch. The proposition we made on April 22 does not admit of any such construction as put upon it in the le and we charge the author of falsely and maliciously attempting to mislead you to your great injury. We now again assert that we made this offer in good faith, and with the firm intention, if it is accepted by you, to continue to work "throughout the year" regardless of the price of coal in the market and subject only to unaveidable causes, such as breakdowns at col-lieries and want of means of transportation. This we considently believe we can do, and the editer of the Monitor has ne right to charge us with

#### FROM WASHINGTON.

"consummate trickery and deception" in this offer until we have had a fair trial. WILLIAM KENDRICK, President.

Business Before the Supreme Court.

WASHINGTON, May 1 .- The Supreme Court were engaged four hours announcing opinions to-day. At 3 o'clock Associate Justice Clifford said that in the cases of Knox against Lee, and Parker against Davis-one from Texas and the other from Massachusetts-the questions had been discussed in this court-arst, is the act of Congress known as the Legal-tender act constitutional as to contracts made before its passage; and second, is it valid as applicable to transactions since.

The court new affirm these questions, the Chief Justice and Associate Justices Nelson, Clifford, and Field dissenting from the majority of the court, both as to their premises and conclusions. Justice Clifford said the opinion in these cases would be written out and announced before the close of the term.

Judge Swavne delivered the opinion of the court in the case of Boudinot against the United States, affirming the constitutionality of the internal revenue law extending over Indian Territory as to the tax on spirits and tobacco. Justices Bradley and Davis dissented. Justice Field id not sit in the case.

## FROM NEW YORK.

Funeral of Avery D. Putnam. NEW YORK, May 1 .- The funeral of Avery D. Putnam, assaulted on Wednesday night in a street-car by William Fester, occurred to-day at his family residence in Cottage place. There was a very large attendance. The remains were taken to the Providence boat, for interment in Swan Point Cemetery. The stores were closed along the route of the procession. Great numbers of citizens joined the cortege en route, swelling it to an immense concourse.

#### FROM THE WEST. Suicide in Indianapolis.

Indianapolis, May 1.—This merning, a gentleman stopping at the Palmer House, who registered his name "S. A. Stricklen, Tennessee," committed suicide by cutting his throat with a pocket knife.

## REWS SUMMARY.

City Affairs.

-The German butchers met at No. 510 Vine street, last evening, to make arrangements to participate in the peace festival parade. The uniform to be wern is black pants, white market frock, blue sash, and a silk hat. They will ride on herseback, and will turn out about seven hundred men. Mr. Louis Gross is to be Chief Marshal.

-The following gentlemen were appointed yesterday by the Central Presbytery as Commissioners to the General Assembly, which meets in Chicago on the 18th inst .: - Ministers.-Principals-Rev. G. W. Musgrave, D. D., Rev. A. Reed, D. D., Rev. W. T. Eva. Alternates-Rev. A. A. Willits, D. D., Rev. W. O. Johnstone, Rev. James Clark, D. D. Elders. - Principals - Ex-Governor James Pollock, W. J. McElroy, A. Whilldin, Alternates-W. A. Piper, J. A. Gardiner, C. M. Lukens. A memorial was adopted asking the General Assembly to give an "unmistakable" expression of opinion as to the admittance of members to the Church who are engaged in the sale or manufacture of intoxicating

-The Councils Finance Committee will report favorably the \$2,122,000 loan for the Fairmount Park Reservoir; also the appropriation for the drainage of the First ward meadow lands.

-The building fund of the Philadelphia Library is \$96,000. The following gentlemen were elected directors yesterday:-George W. Norris, Charles Willing, J. I Clark Hare, Peter McCall, Henry Wharton, Henry Cramond, James S. Biddle, Henry C. Lea, and John S. Newbold. Lleyd P. Smith, Esq., was elected treasurer.

-The Athletics had their hands full in beating a picked nine yesterday afternoon.

The score was 12 to 7.

-The Association for the Relief of Disabled Firemen held a somewhat excited meeting last night, the subject before them being the consideration of the manner in which the \$48,000 in the treasury are to be disposed of. Some wanted the society to go on, while others, wanted it wound up. Finally, after much discussion, a committee, consisting of one

FROM YESTERDAY'S FIFTH EDITION. | from each district, was appointed to revise the by-laws and "wind up the association."

Domestic Affairs. -It is thought that the Ohio Legislature will adjourn to-day. -A bail storm on Sunday did considerable

damage in North Mississippi. -There is another prospective dead-lock in the Pennsylvania Legislature. -Ground was broken yesterday by Brig-

ham Young for the Utah Southern Railroad. -Ex-Governor Manly, of North Carolina, died yesterday afternoon at Raleigh, aged 75 -The Republicans of New Mexico have

nominated Colonel J. F. Chaves as Delegate to Congress. -The Montour Paint Works, at Rupert, Pa., were burned yesterday morning, involv-

ing a loss of \$20,000. -General Gordon Granger arrived at Santa Fe on Saturday to assume command of the military district of New Mexico.

-The Democrats of Raleigh yesterday

elected William Henry Harrison Holden (brother of the ex-Governor) Mayor of the -Planters estimate that through the Bonnet Carre crevasse a loss in the sugar crop to the extent of twenty thousand hogsheads will

### Foreign Affairs.

result.

-Private telegraphing in Paris is again entirely suspended.

-Great alarm prevails in Paris, and it is hourly increasing. -The German peace celebration at Louis-

ville yesterday was a grand affair. -A series of barricades are being built to encircle completely the city of Paris. -The French provincial elections have generally resulted in the choice of Conserva-

ive Republicans, -Large numbers of troops moved toward Paris during yesterday, as reinforcements to the army of investment.

-General Dembrowski is now in command of the left bank of the Seine and the forts immediately outside of Paris. -The firing upon Paris during Sunday

night is represented as the most severe that has taken place since the investment. -The editors of all the moderate journals in Paris have been ordered to be prosecuted,

and they are leaving the city as rapidly as possible. -A quarrel arose on Saturday, in the hall of the Supreme Court, Havana, during which Judge Sitgar slapped the face of Judge Vasques Quiepo. A challenge immediately passed, and a duel was fought with swords,

in which both combatants received slight wounds. -The Sultan of Turkey has presented the United States Government with a magnificent carpet for the East Room of the White House. It was woven at the Imperial factory, occupied a year in its manufacture, weighs fifteen hundred pounds, and is said to be worth \$10,000.

#### PENNSYLVANIA HOSPITAL.

Annual Meeting-Female Clinics-Inte-resting Reports-Election of Managers.

The annual meeting of the contributors to the Pennsylvania Hospital was held yesterday afternoon at the Hospital, Eighth street, below Spruce. J. M. Whitall presided. Saunders Lewis, Secretary.

The report of the Board of Managers was submitted, showing the total number of cases treated during the year, 2094; new cases admitted, 1934; number of persons cured or greatly benefited, 1923; outdoor cases which have received medical or surgical aid, 594; recent accidents brought into the institution within twenty-four hours after the occurrence of the mishap, 826; patients remaining in the hospital for the sick, 171.

The expenditures during the year were \$47,169 15. Receipts, \$56,569 73. Donations and legacies received and added to the endowment fund, \$84,272.16. In addition to this sum another bequest of \$1000 has been anneunced, while the relaying of the curbstone on Eighth street, from Spruce to Pine, has been done gratuitously by Messrs. Alexander Derbyshire and John T. Lewis, at a cost to the doners of about \$5000. The board have been advised that an effort has been made to procure legislative action to alter the south line of Spruce street, which is entirely without

their sanction or approval. Lectures were delivered to the students of the Women's Medical College in the months of October, November, and December, 1870, and January, February, and March, 1871, chiefly in the wards of the hospital. Mixed

lectures have been entirely avoided. The physicians report that these clinics have much increased their labors, diminishing the time appropriated to patients, and have called the attention of the board to the fact that, while in the session of 1869-70, 500 students (42 of whom were women) attended the hospital clinics, in the session just closed but 206 students (including 32 women) have attended the course. In the absence of any instructions from the contributors, the managers will consider the subject of lectures to females as left entirely to their discretion and judgment. The thirtieth annual report of Dr. Kirkbride, physician in chief and super-intendent of the Hospital for the Insane, shows that during the past year that institution has been self-sustaining, and would continue so were it not for the necessity of providing means for contemplated municipal improvements. This refers to the widening of Market street and Haverford road. The grading, curbing, and paving of these streets would involve an outlay of about \$60,000.

During the history of the Insane Department, out of 5796 patients admitted, the duration of the disorder in 3025 did not exceed three months, although admittance was not applied for upon the appearance of the disease, but, in many instances, after other treatment had proved unavailing. In concluding their report the board record their testimony to the worth and high character of their late associate, Samuel Morris Waln, who died December 23, 1870. The report was referred to the incoming Board of Managers, with instructions to print so much of it as they might deem expedient.

The following gentlemen were elected Trustees of the Pemberten Trust Fund for purpose of effecting the release of poor debtors:-Benjamin H. Shoemaker, Joseph R. Chandler, Charles Ellis, Edward Townsend and John J. Lyle. Mr. Francis Wells offered the fellowing:-

Resolved, That in disposing of the matter of the medical instruction of women, the Board of Managers be instructed not to adopt any measure the effect of which shall be the exclusion of the students of the Female Medical College from the instructions of the hos-

Objection being made by several contributors as to the wording of the above, Mr. Wells offered the following substitute, which was adopted:-Resolved. That this meeting reaffirm the

instructions given at the last samual meeting

clinical instruction of students of the Female Medical College.

(The action of last year, referred to in the above, instructed the Board of Managers, in consultation with the medical staff of the hospital, to arrange for appropriate thorough clinical instruction in the hospital to the stu-dents of the Women's Medical College.)

The meeting then went into an election for a Beard of Managers to serve the ensuing year, with the following result:-

Treasurer-John T. Lewis. Managers-Mordecai L. Dawson, John Farnum, William Biddle, Alexander J. Derbyshire, Samuel Mason, Samuel Welsh, Wistar Morris, Jacob B. Jones, Benjamin H. Shoemaker, Alexander Biddle, Joseph B. Townsend, Joseph C. Turnpenny. Adjourned.

Inland Navigation.

Last evening a meeting of "merchants, shippers, and manufacturers interested in the Southern trade, and in the prosperity of the Delaware and Raritan, Chesapeake and Delaware, Albemarie and Chesapeake Canals," was held at room No. 24 Merchants' Exchange. The object of the meeting was to form a cempany under corporate articles, for establishing a through inland route as far north and south as inland transportation reaches, in connection with the various railroad enterprises connecting therewith.

Mr. L. S. Cropper was selected as chairman, and made a brief speech, in which he said that it was not preposed to interfere with the railways, but to invite their co-operation. That of the Pennsylvania Railroad had already been sought.

The organization is to be based on a definite guarantee of estimated capitial hereafter to be fixed, secured by bonds of the several companies, all property returned as stock, for facilitating present and speedy operations, is to be placed as such on appraisement by competent parties. No freight, by any act of the corporation, is to be permitted to be diverted into outside channels.

The new corporation is to be styled the Virginia and Northern Inland Navigation Company, to act under the charter of the North Carolina Transportation and Towboat Company, authorized by the State of Virginia. The line thus formed will run from points south of Wilmington, N. C., to Portsmouth, Va., to Philadelphia, to New York, and thence to points North, East, and West.

#### Sheriff's Sale.

The following named properties were among those sold at Sheriff's sale yesterday after-

Four-story brick house, store, and lot, N. side of South street, west of Tenth, 15 feet front, 60 feet deep, \$1200. Erick house and lot, N. E. corner Twentyfourth and Walnut streets, 20 feet front, 65 feet deep, \$1690.

House and lot, S. W. side of Germantown and Perkiomen turnpike road, containing one acre, more or less, \$1450. Two-story stone house, French roof, and

lot, S. side of Sansom street, 15 feet west of Thirty-second street, 15 feet front, 75 feet deep, \$4000. Three-story brick house and lot, W. side of Twenty-second street, 80 feet south of Pine

street, 20 feet front, 74 feet deep, \$1400. Lot, S. W. side Ridge avenue, 106 feet 1 N. W. Master street, thence S. W. 84 feet 8 in., S. 43 feet 4 in., W. 16 feet, N. 89 feet  $6\frac{7}{8}$  in., N. W. 12 feet  $2\frac{1}{2}$  in., N. E. 100 feet, S. E. 18 to beginning, \$4000.

3-story brick house and lot, E. side Camac street, 66 feet N. Norris street, 16 feet front, 70 feet deep, \$1250. 3-story brick house and lot, E. side Camac

street, \$1150. 3-story brick house and lot E. side Camac street, 16 feet front, 73 feet deep, \$1350. 2 two-story brick houses and lot, 180 feet N. Locust street, and 94 feet E. Twelfth

street, 37 feet front, 30 feet deep, privilege of 9 feet 2 in. court, \$400. Triangular lot, southeast side Philadelphia and Trenton Railroad, containing 2 acres 14 perches more or less, \$33,750.

2-story brick house and lot, southwest corner Montgomery avenue and Front street, 19 feet 6 inches in front, 110 feet deep, \$4500. 3-story brick house and lot, north side Wallace street, west of Eighteenth street, 18 feet front, 120 feet deep. Mortgage, \$5500 - \$50. Messuage and land, Germantown, 16 acres and 33 perches, \$30,000. 3-story frame, 2-story frame houses and lot,

Nicetown lane, 25 feet front, 273 feet 5 inches deep, \$100. House and lot, north side Callowhill street west of Charles street, 20 feet front, 74 feet

deep, \$30. Three-story brick and lot, east side of Woodland Terrace, south of Baltimore avenue, 30 feet front, 135 feet deep, \$50.

House and lot, south side of Bolton street, west of Twenty-third street, 112 feet 6 inches front, 93 feet deep, \$1500. Lot, west side of Franklin street, north of

Diamend street, 14 feet 2 inches front, 70 feet deep, \$2100. Lot, west side of Franklin street, north of Diamond street, 14 feet 2 inches front, 70

feet deep, \$2200. Lot, west side of Franklin street, north of Diamond street, [14 feet 2 inches front, 70 feet deep, \$2200

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## THE LEVEES.

The Caving in of the Mississippi Banks, and Why it is all on One Side.

The caving in of all the bluffs on the eastern side of the Mississippl, from Cairo to New Orleans, has led to curious conclusions. It is said that the motion of the earth on its axis, or some result of some general law of nature, must have begetten this uniform and constant abrasion of the eastern shore of the river. Fort Pillow has wholly disappeared.

There is not a vestige of the earthwork erected General Fillew and others at Randolph. The river has cut cavernous depths for its strong currents beneath the everlasting hills, and these have slowly crumbled and fallen, a grain of sand at a time, into the abysses of the mighty deep. Now and then hillsides have disappeared in a single night, and, curiously enough, this work of desolation goes on mainly upon the castern side of the river. Here at Memphis, as at Vicksburg, Columbus, Fort Pillow, and Randolph, the resistless, fathemless river, whose course none may anticipate and none can resist, pursues its appointed task with a force and pertinacity which have lessened property values between Wolf river and Fert Pickering many lions of dollars.

Great as is the damage already done by the mighty river, the calumity begotten is steadily progressive, and none can tell when a deflection the wilful current may relieve the auxieties of those owning property along the river shore between the pavy yard and Fort Pickering. The city once imagined that in the navy yard it had a basis of a credit to be used in the perfection of its railway system. The Little Rock Railroad at one time was strengthened in its resources by a mortgage on the navy yard. This mortgage subsists, but the property has been disposed of a power against which chancery may issue its thunders in vain.

Pininly enough, while the river holds its present course there is no assignable limitation to its destructiveness. It is generally conceded to the Board of Managers, in reference to the that the direction of the current cannot be

changed or its forces restrained by any local obstructions. Several miles above the city, where the current turns westwardly, it could be directed into its old channel within the confines of Tennessee. But who shall essay the task? No one individual property-holder, directly interested, will attempt it, and it seems impossible to effect any combination among riparian

proprietors. Those interested lazily look to the city for rellef, and the city answers that there is space enough for several cities between the river and Germantown, and that it is none of the business of those unaffected by the flood to pay for or ameliorate the misfortunes of those who speculated on those very chances when they sought lots fronting on the river. If this were not true, the whole of Mississippi should be taxed to replace the losses of those whose river plantations have recently disappeared beneath the fleod of the great river.

Would it not be well for those slowly rained by the abrasions of the bluff and of the eastern shore to hold a meeting? A small sum levies on each owner of property fronting the river would probably save millions of money. The plan proposed is very simple, and costs little, and consists only in diverting the current by devices long used by British engineers in India and Europe. Shall we have such a meeting? er are these sluggish people content to sit quietly by and see the last vestige of their wealth, from the navy yard to Fort Pickering. swept into the Mexican Gulf?-Memphis

Report of the Louisiana State Engineer. OFFICE BOARD OF STATE ENGINEERS, NEW PRIEANS, April 26, 1871-To the Editor of the New Orleans Times: - Upon my return from the Bonnet Carre crevasse this evening I found very mited news from the other crevasses, nothing

definite or worth publishing.

By telegraph I learn that the river has fallen three inches at Vicksburg and two and a half inches at Baton Rouge, and is now eight feet eight inches below high water of 1867 at Vicksburg and thirteen inches at Baton Rouge below the high water of this year.

I found, en our visit there to-day, that the Bonnet Carre crevasse was eleven hundred feet wide; but the current and waves had decreased in proportion as the black lauds have become filled with water and the surroundings of the river lowered.

The high-water mark at Logue's is almost exactly twenty-two feet above the level of Lake Pontchartrain, the levee being over twelve feet high. The natural surface of the ground at Porche's (where the crevasse commenced) is but ten feet above the level of the lake, the slope of the ground towards the lake is at least five feet in the first mile, and therefore when the crevasse broke the slope was seventeen feet in the first mile, twelve feet of which were in the first hundred feet, and the speed of the current and digging effect of such a fall can be appreciated by persons acquainted with our light alluvial soil. Co-day the river has fallen, and the plantation s covered with water to the base of the levee. Therefore, I say again, the current through the crevasse has decreased, and probably no more water passes to-day than vesterday.

I am Indebted to Colonel Walton for a calcuation of the volume of water passing, that he made this morning, before our arrival, which shows that 180,000 cubic feet per second, or one-sixth of the whole volume of the Mississippi river at that point, passes through the crevasse. The work of saving the ends of the levee is

progressing very slowly on account of want of experienced labor, and the changing condition of the field o operations. The steam-pile-driver has got hard aground away from its work, and the hand pile driver was only at work, which was doing good service at the lower end of the

The temporary works at the upper end have been washed away, and it is now exposed to the current and caving gradually. Financial ar rangements must be made to prosecute this work with deliberate, systematic, and concentrated labor, or what we are doing will be thrown away. In my opinion, it is utterly useless to at tempt to close this crevasse, for the preparations could not be made before the river will fall, and as the damage yet to be done is but little more than a question of a month's duration, and not much in extent, a large expenditure would be thrown away. I hope means will be provided to save the ends of the levee, that less will have to be built. Yours most respectfully, M. JEFF. TAOMPSON,

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The value as nearly as may be of the Real Estate held by the company..... Cash on hand.
Cash in Banks, specifying the Banks. f
Cash in hands of agents in course of
transmission. 203,252.80 mertgages, constituting the first lien on Real Estate, on which there is less

than one year's interest due and 

ng the number of shares and their par and marks 200 sh. Charter Oak Nat. B'k, Hartford, Conn. \$25,000 0 206 " First 25 " Ætna 100 " Mercantile American Farmers' & Mechanics' " 9,240.00 Phœnix " Massilion, Ohio, 12,500 00 250 " Toledo, 199 " Hartford City Gas Light Co.... 28 coup. bds. Key City Gas Light Co. 31,250 90 38,760.00

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b Southern Minnesota R.R. Co.

Tennessee State...

U. S. Registered Bonds...

Amount of stocks held by the company as collateral security for loans, with the amount loaned on each kind of stock, its par and market value ...... 102 sh. City N'i Bank, Chicago, Ill......\$10,659 00

Amount carried forward ......\$2,833,060-23 Interest on investments due and unpaid. Deferred premiums... Notes secured by real estate and en-103,243 09

Amount of losses during the year, ad-Amount of losses resisted by the Com-

Amount of money borrowed, and the nature and amount of the security given Amount of all other claims against the Company, contested or otherwise..... Amount required to safely reinsure all outstanding risks...... 4,211,514-94 \$4,329,414.94 Amount of cash premiums received .... \$1,732,924-52

Amount of premiums not paid in cash during the year, stating the character of such premiums :-148,247-22 Income from all other sources, specify-167,864-69

Gross income for year 1870...... \$2,827,638-16 Amount of losses paid during the year .. \$500,465-14 Amount paid and owing for reinsurance premiums.

Amount of return premiums, whether Amount of dividends declared during year..... Amount of dividends paid ..... 499,711.11 

Amount of taxes paid by the Company ... Amount of all other expenses and ex-87,381-57 68,554 07 Amount of promissory notes originally forming the capital of the Company...

Amount of said notes held by the Company as part of or the whole of the 84,000 00 84,000 00 Commissions ...

Paid for Medical Examination..... Surrendered Policies..... Officers' and Employes' salaries 27,506-69 Gross expenditures for year 1870.....\$1,578,914-36 EDSON FESSENDEN, President, JAMES F. BURNS, Secretary
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IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS FOR THE CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

March Term, 1871. No. 14. In Divorce.

WILLIAM HENRY STEEL vs. JOSEPHINE JANE

STEEL.

TO JOSEPHINE JANE STEEL, Respondent:— Please take notice that testimony will be taken in above entitled cause on behalf of the libellant on THURSDAY, May 11, 1871, at 3% o'clock P. M., at my office, No. 625 WALNUT Street, Philadelphia, Pa, before F. CARROLL BREWSTER, Jr., Esq., the examiner appointed by the Court to take and

examiner appointed by the Court to take ort the same. HENRY C. TERRY,

report the same.

Attorney for Libellant E STATE OF FRANCIS SMITH, DECEASED.—
Letters testamentary upon the above estate
having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims to present them, without delay, to HARRY PEALE, Executor, No. 326 WALNUT Street.

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