

Oxford, New Jersey, May 2 1888

Dear William

I have your the 1st inst asking for information in regard to brother Charli's Estate &c. In brief I would say that Charli dying so suddenly has left us very much in the dark in reference to his affairs I fear his liabilities will considerably exceed his Assets his property was mostly in Real Estate Mortgaged almost in every instance for as much or more than they will bring under foreclosure proceedings, I know of no one who would be willing to pay off these Mtgs & take the properties. The farm here that you have the notice in question has two Mtgs, one for \$6000 principal and at \$500 interest & the other for \$4000 - & interest this is a desirable property and not in very good condition and I fear will hardly sell for amt of the 1st Mtg - Real Estate farms & properties are a good deal depressed in this part of the State and it is so generally, I want to say again that there is no necessity for you to go to Trenton to look after the Notice served on ^{you} unless you desire to become a defendant I suppose all the Mtgs will have to be foreclosed as the Administration is required to do this

George A Angle Of Andover is the Admistrator
of a fine young man no better in the country that
I know of in his profession, the Law, He will do
all he can to make the best of everything

Bro Charles personal property (except what the law
gave Sister Jane) was sold the 28th Apr last Saturday
which took a lot of Corn sold to the Irons a few days
previously brought abt \$1000 - From the foregoing you may
be able to draw the inference that Sister Jane's prospect for
receiving much from the Estate is not very flattering, Sister Jane
is to be with you so soon that she will be able to
calm your mind on this matter without going in further
particulars I think

I hope you & Ellen will have
an enjoyablr trip to & from the old country
& receive great benefit physically & spiritually
With warmest love to depe

Ellen, the Children & yourself

J. J. Stanton

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