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to the notice of the authorities and their fellowcountrymen.

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such a footing that, come what may, with the
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The vast Republies that may grow,
The Federations and the Powers;
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In divers season, divers clames;
For we are ancients of the earth,
And in morning of the times."

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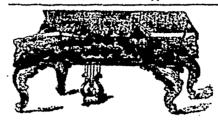
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