SIDE TWO

I am sorry I gave you so much trouble about the band book. It was at Galloway's office. and if you have not yet sent the Anderson and Fowler you may keep them at my risk till we try the use of soft Coal and a grate which Miss Mems had put in the fire place for Miss Cunningham last winter If we do not like it ~~the~~ we can have the grate taken down and the coal found we want

Mrs Buckley and Annie have had long interviews with Gertrude She says that she has neither design nor wish to leave Edward but that he does nothing where they are & she must take him somewhere else that if he will not exert himself she may either give music lessons or do something for a support. She does not desire to come to Philadelphia however

Mrs Buckley says she told her frankly that we had no power to do any thing for them in the way of further aid. nor did she feel competent to giving counsel she must refer Gertrude to her own connexions - Cousin H. keeps us annoyingly - It is only that the only advised Gertrude can have is Mr Harvey of Baltimore who married a sister and is a great manufacturer of Brandy and whiskey. & yet a member of St Peters Church - G. told me that seeing a man lying in a state of beastly intoxication on the pavement of ~~the~~ store of Mr H. he called him out and told him that was the result of his work & he was bound to take care of him. Mr. H. replied if people would be fools he could not help it & went in. Such a man