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PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 16.—The Mechanics' National Bank, one of the oldest financial institutions in Philadelphia, went out of existence to-day, when about fifteen of the few remaining stockholders met at the Girard National Bank and ratified the action of the Directors in transferring the business of the bank to the Girard National. Most of the bank's stock was sold last month, and 4,220 shares were represented at the meeting to-day. The Mechanics' National Bank was organized in 1810, and was in operation until the beginning of the present year. The bank building, on Third Street above Chestnut, is one of the city's examples of Greek architecture.