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There is no disguising the fact that the rich money lenders of the North want just such legislation as will suit their case, and it seems to be a very hard matter to convince them that any other class of people need or deserve legislation but themselves.

Ordinarily, the American shilylocks have been able to control legislation by purchase. They have not bought the voters, because, as the lamented Jay Gould once gaily remarked, it was easier to buy one congressman than to lay down enough money to buy a whole district.

It will be a very bad year for the rich when such publicists as Mr. Horace White succeed in convincing the people of this country that the men of wealth, as a class, are engaged in an effort to force upon them the financial conditions that have made paupers of the working people of every country in Europe except France.

Up to date 200 banks and 500 U. S. Depositories have failed in this country latterly. It is said Uncle Sam loses nothing by the rottenness, but how the people suffer. "My, my!"—Wilming-ton Messenger.

SENATOR VANCE'S VIEWS.

HE TELLS THE ALLIANCE MEN WHAT HE THINKS.

He Will Insist on a Substitute for the Sherman Law, or Oppose its Repeal, and Stand by Silver and the People to the Last.

GOMBROON, NEAR BLACK MOUNTAIN, N. C., July 19, 1893.

R. W. ELLIOTT, Esq., Secretary Mecklenburg County Alliance:

Sir:—I have received a copy of the resolution of Mecklenburg Alliance, adopted at a recent meeting, urging Senators and Representatives to stand by the present silver purchasing law, until some satisfactory substitute shall be adopted.

I observed this action with great pleasure, for two reasons: In the first place, it is the exercise of one of the most valuable and legitimate functions by which the Alliance can be made to subserve the interest of the farmers—the concentration of their whole influence upon the issues of the day.

Under these alarming circumstances I have listened, and mostly in vain, for the voice of the Farmers' Alliance sounding their opinions and wishes of those they represent, composing fully one-half of the nation; giving the feeble and vacillating among politicians to understand what they had to expect if they betrayed the people's cause on this great financial question.

In the next place I was glad to read the resolutions of your Alliance because they concurred with my own serious convictions. Many years ago, after a thorough and impartial examination of the question as I was capable of making, I came to the absolute conclusion that the use of silver as well as gold, on equal terms, as the basis of our currency was best for the welfare of the people of the United States.

during which a ratio between the two metals was fixed by law, the fluctuations in intrinsic value had never exceeded 3 1/2 per cent., and that soon after that law was withdrawn great and material fluctuations immediately began, which will doubtless continue so long as we treat one metal as of fixed and standard value and the other as a commodity.

Recent developments which seem to have unsettled so many silver advocates and make them give way to the repeal of the Sherman law, have rather strengthened me in the determination to yield nothing to the mono-metalists, whose schemes I regard as absolutely selfish and unpatriotic.

Finally, I hope it is unnecessary for me to say that the hope of ingratiating myself with the administration in order to secure patronage at its hands, has in no sense affected my opinion of right in the premises.

FORD'S-THEATRE DISASTER. WASHINGTON, D. C., July 24.—The grand jury to-day found a true bill against Colonel Frederick C. Ainsworth, Chief of the Record and Pension Division of the War Department; George W. Dant, the contractor employed to make the excavation for the electric-light plant; William E. Covert, superintendent, and Francis Sasse, engineer of the building, holding them responsible for the Ford's-Theatre disaster of June 9th last, in which twenty-three persons lost their lives and a large number of others were injured.

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HOME FOLKS. Senator Vance has published a letter upon the silver question. He remains firm in his convictions and will fight the gold bugs to the death.

LATEST NEWS. E. A. White, Revenue Collector for this district, has been asked for his resignation.

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