

THE FUTURE OF SILVER

If the Present Congress Fails to Pass a Free Coinage Bill, IT WILL BE A DEAD END FOR YEARS

The Most Important National Event of the Past Week Forms MATTHEW MARSHALL'S TOPICAL TEXT

NEW YORK, March 27.—"The Future of Silver" is the title of Matthew Marshall's article for to-morrow's Sun, which is as follows: The most important event of the week, from a national point of view, has been undeniably the defeat of the free silver coinage bill on Thursday in the House of Representatives. Locally, it has been overshadowed by the discussion of the Standard Oil Trust, the agrarianism of the American Sugar Refineries Company through the absorption of the great Philadelphia refiners, the unprecedented feature of the Richmond Terminal reorganization, and by the disquieting rumors regarding the next Northern Pacific Railroad dividend, but these concerns only a few people, whereas the silver question involves the interests of the entire community, and to a certain extent, those of the world.

Little Hope for the Silver Bill. The indications are that either the bill will be defeated outright, or that an international conference bill will be substituted for it. Another significant fact about the action of the House on Thursday is the distinctly sectional character which it demonstrates of the support of free silver coinage. The motion to lay Mr. Bland's bill on the table received the votes of the entire Congress delegation of the New England States, those of all the Representatives from this State, except one, and with a few exceptions those of the Representatives from all the other States north of the Ohio river and east of the Mississippi, with the addition of Iowa and California. On the other hand, the Representatives of the Southern, Southwestern, and extreme Western States, except California and Washington, cast their votes solidly in defiance of the bill.

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