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Farwell, dear Sink, there is a sigh To blend with the earthy gloom When I think of the bright bloom That hangs around thy death;

What the interests of the government of the people of the United States would be promoted by disparaging silver.

Among the other acts of great and general importance to the people of this country I cannot be mistaken, I think, in regarding as preeminent the policy...

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