"Free from the doting scruples the fetter our free-born reason."

ONES & PENDLETON, Propurs.

Wednesday, May 13, 1874.

THE NEW CURRENCY BILL.

The free-banking bill is now fairly on the docket in the Senate. It came from the Finance Committe in the il shape of a substitute for the House currency bill. As we may be apt to hear of this bill through many days of weary debate to come, the Atlanta Constitution thinks it will be well to briefly state its leading features.

Reserves are to be regulated by the amount of deposits, and all reserves on account of circulation are abolish-ed. But every bank shall keep in coin, as part of its reserve, one-fourth of the interest received on its deposited United States bonds. Within ninety days from the passage of the act all reserves are to be kept in the vaults

All limitations and restrictions on

Every bank shall have on deposit a sum equal to five per cent. of its friend. circulation, to be used for the redemption of such circulation when presented in even thousand-dollar sums.

Section six of the new bill provides en requires the Comptroller of Currency to put the charter number of the bank upon notes hereafter issued.

The amount of outstanding greenbacks shall not exceed \$382,000,000; and for every million of currency issued under this act, \$500,000 greenbacks shall be retired, and this process shall go on until the store of greenbacks shall be reduced to \$300,000,000. To carry out this scheme, the Secre-United States bonds.

and dollar sums, may demand from the Secretary of the Treasury in exstate, municipal or local.

devised to keep the Republican party from going to pieces. It will not satisfy any section. The contractionists will not like it because it authorizes the issuance of \$64,000,000 of bank notes, while only \$82,000,000 of greenbacks are called in, making a net increase of eighty-two millions over the present volume. The vetoed bill only authorized an increase of sixty-four millions above the illegal increase of sixty-four millions above the mattlements the descent is easy enough, and practicable with very little exertion, and a boat, stationed beneath, could easily carry off at night an escaping prisoner. But millions above the illegal issue of the Marshal's brain. He has been always reserve fund by Secretary Richardson. reserve fund by Secretary Richardson. There are \$10,000,000 more of inflation by shooting him But as the government did not dare do that in the face of the is an inflation that replaces greenbacks which do not bear interest with bonds the load of taxation, Messrs. Ferry and Wright of the Finance Committee have already expressed their dissent to its leading features. In consideratian of free banking, it is thought that these Senators would consent to a contraction of twenty-five per cent. of legal tenders instead of fifty, but they will insist that the greenbacks shall be funded in a four per cent. instead of a five per cent, bond. There is great sversion among Southern and Western men to an extension of the national banking system; and when the bill comes up for discussion we may expect to see it riddled by members of bath next infiction, and my own in the infinity of the court.

It gratified him much to hear from me how great and general had been the expression of dissent out of France to the finding of the court.

A Col. Mathewiscz (of the commune) has just been degraded, and I mentioned the description of his mental sufferings as given by the Parisian press: "This is something that you at least have been spared by the dispensation from that infliction," said I.

But," said he, "the moral punition has been executed: all the force of the law has been reserved against me, and I would not have suffered any more at the mere humiliating ceremony. I preferred to have been shot, but the authorities did not wish it. And my opinion of the court. and Wright of the Finance Committee

Col. T. G. Barham has retired from

THE STREET STREET

A VISIT TO BAZAINE.

Prison Life of France's Condemned Marshal---How He Lives in the Prison on the Island

Blanton Duncan, recently prom-inent as a leader of the Bourbon facion that neminated O'Connor for the p residency in the last campaign, is in Europe and paid a visit to Marshal Bazaine in his prison on the island of Ste Marguerite. He writes under the date March 80, to General Hancock, a very interesting account of his visit, which was published in the New York World of Sunday, and from which the annexed extract is taken: BAZAINE'S SITTING ROOM

Is a small but comfortable one, neatly and plainly furnished. Hanging upon the wall was a fine likeness of the pope, with a Latin autograph. A bright boy of eight, a handsome girl of versity. five, a chubby youngster of three were racing and romping, chatting and laughing, heedless of the Marshal's repeated injunctions, in paternal tones, to keep quiet and not disturb us. They at least knew no unhappiness, and the bright color of youth and health and all their movements proved that their hours flew fast away upon joyous wings.

We chatted for some time, occupied by me mainly in giving information of transpiring events. The Mexican nurse of his children entered to show him some straw hats, and the conversation was changed to Spanish, she by her manner and tone showing what mutual kindness and affection existed most serviceable for him to wear.

promenade, bounded by the parapet, usual resolution, and a radiant, lovely wherein was reserved for his use a small space, and there we paced up and down discussing the varied topics. It seemed to me that every time one circulation or on the organization of course there is a seal of privacy upon en the blood in his veins. After all, new banks under the banking Act of many of the Marshal's opinions. As if a man must be curtailed in liberty a prisoner of state it would not be the fate is greatly ameliorated when proper for me to make known obser-Every bank shall have on deposit tions on many subjects which were ing children are present to chase away in the Treasury of the United States only intended for me as an old the gloom or sorrowful thoughts.

in his regulations. No doubt, howev- to read the newspapers. for a contraction of circulation by any er, he was acting under orders from bank that desires it; and section sev- his superiors, under the provisions of existing laws which he could not

> I find nothing in BAZAINES APPEARANCE changed. His manner is easy, unaf-

fected, and composed as it was in the days of his freedom and power. The parapet in front of the door ex-tends about 80 feet. The width of emnity of the occasion and the dignity the payement is about 30. The height of the subject to be considered. And of the wall is about 3 1-2 feet, and one looks over at the sea, breaking upon the foot of the cliffs, 100 feet beneath. tary of the Treasury shall sell in a Along the sea-wall another parapet runs perpendicular to the first one United States bonds. feet distant. Towards the interior a bition to share with the Senator from newly constructed wall twenty feet New Jersey the imperishable honor of holder of greenbacks, in even thous. high connects the house with a parapet and cuts off all communication

with the fortress. Possibly this was day, when the white man and black the Secretary of the Treasury in ex-change for said notes, an equal amount whom there are many thousands in whom there are many thousands in coolie and Digger Indian, shall be the army) from demonstrations of gathered together, a united family, in of United States bonds, redeemable in coin ten years after their issue, with quarterly interest at the rate of five per cent per annum. These bonds are per cent per annum the per cent per cent per annum the per cent p exempt from taxation, be it national, state, municipal or local.

Such are the chief features of a scheme devised to keep the Republican party.

civilized world, he is

CONTENT TO BIDE HIS TIME, that do; and thus it will increase the and live under the fostering care of France's present rulers.

It gratified him much to hear from

pulations as of binding effect, and that their avowals had been seemingly applauded by the French people,

HIS OWN FUTURE, loyal service, unmarred by a single lion dollars. ence to the sovereign who had placed unlimited command in his hands, and to whom his solemn oath was pledged brought upon him the intolerant per-secution of thousands of those very men who bowed in homage, yes, even in servility, a short year before the fa-tal surrender at Metz. And I could readily cheer him, for the wheel of fortune ever turns from year to year,

The view from the parapet was magnificent, the outlines of the coast showing villages and chateaux, interspersed with groves; promontories jutting into the sea; while one point, composed of lofty mountains, was in bold relief, and the amphitheatre of mountains in the background was covered with forests in which were cultivated openings tinged with the rich verdure of budding spring. Upon the bay a gay flo-tilla of sail-boats dotted the flashing waters and animated the charming pic-

While we thus promenaded

MME. LE MARECHALE came out and joined us, walking be between servant and master. The tween us and taking her full share in hats were tried on, and finally we the conversation. She is, as you know, the public. It is a Southern Production, three agreed which was the best and Mexican with dark bustnions. three agreed which was the best and Mexican, with dark. lustrious eyes, black eyelashes and eyebrows beauti-Then we sailed out upon the paved fully curved, a mouth indicating unwhich surged into the mind in con-nection with current events. Of Marshal it served to warm and quick-

friend.

The director according to his views, was very polite, but at the same For weeks she has been there, circumscribed to exactly the same limits and denied communication with the outside world, and not even with liberty

> Humors of the Civil Rights Discussion. Mr. Norwood, of Georgia, said in the

MR. PRESIDENT: Believing in the "eternal fitness of things," and that everything should be done "decently and in order," I have always endeavored to adapt my speech to the solthough I shall faithfully attempt to adhere to this salutary rule, it is with a painful consciousness that it is imposssible for me to rise to the grandeur of either the occasion or the subject. And nothing sustains me but the am-New Jersey the imperishable honor of bringing about the happy consummation foreshadowed by him on yesterman, the mulatto and quadroon, the John Brown's soul is marching on

"When the morning stars first sang together for joy" it might have been worth some dollars to the American people and the balance of mankind, if there be any, had the Republican par-ty been present. And though a mat-ter of minor consideration, perhaps, it might also have saved much blood. For when the Almighty said, "Let us make man," this Senate would have given its advice, and with equal cer-tainty, would never have consented to man's creation, except in accordance with the Declaration of Independence. That party would have caucused on the question and have re-olved "to fight it out on that line if it takes all summer." The flowers of the field might vary in splendor and beauty: the lion might be made monarch among beasts; one star might differ from another star in glory, but absolute equality, moral, mental, physical, political, social, in churches, in theatres, graveyards, everywhere in the world and out of it, must be ordained among men, women and children. Differences in color, in form and capabilities, are all mistakes, and we are now engaged, with such decent respect for the opinion of the author of these errors as the necessity for votes next fall will allow in making the necessary

The Fayetteville Gazette says: Abel Payne, a highly respected citizen of Fayetteville, died last week at the advanced age of 77 years. His life was a remarkable one-being devoted alpect to see it riddled by members of opinion of the conviction and my own both parties from all sections of the easy conscience would have made me entirely indifferent to any action which and children. Abel Payne, formerly they might have chosen to take.

My views on the sad moral defail.

lance exhibited so painfully on too many occasions in France during the many occasions in France during the many occasions in France during the lance of his death for nearly three years. Col. W. M. Lewis, of Petersburg, va., died of consumption in that city on Saturday last.

many occasions in France during the past three years, and which I have expressed in public letters in America, he did not attempt to controvert. He discussed frankly

THE SINGULAR ANOMALY

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The companyment of the sum. Thence-Col T. G. Barham has retired from the editorial staff of the Petersburg News. He is an accomplished writer, and the press loses much by his retirement.

The singulab army, which had bonsted so long of its thorough discipline, now contained officers who had openly avowed during his trial their indiscipline and mutinous spirit, and their conspiracy with Roussel (shot after the Commune) and others to overthrow him during the siege of overthrow him

CHARLESTON, May 8.—A petition was filed in the United States Court to-day for involuntary bankruptcy of Franklin J. Moses, Jr., Governor of South Carolina; and an injunction was granted, restraing the sheriff of Richthe Marshal is notat all disheartened. land county from seizing and selling An easy conscience overcomes even regret at the black ingratitude which the court. The debt of the Governor, he must feel has been displayed toward in excess of his assets, are currently him for that forty years of faithful and stated to be over a quarter of a mil-

> "There," said an old toper, "see what all this temperance crusade raying has done; first bursted the Lindell Hotel tank and like to drowned St. Louis; and now over-flowed the whole South with water. If the women keep on, we'll have another flood, sure.

The ex-Empress Eugenie is ru-mored to have visited Paris recently and to have made several visits during her stay.

Gov. Moses of South Carolina is not Hebrew, as many have supposed.

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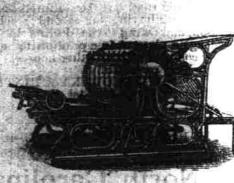
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