DAILY OBSERVER.

NATONE JONES Editor and Proprietor. ADVERTISIAC A. PARK. Business Manager. Thursday October 30, 1873.

The Enquirer and the People of York.

The Yorkville Euquirer says "the OBSERVER'S assertion that he county commissioners of York are attempting to force the people of the county to pay a heavy subscription to the road against their will, is wholly presumptuous."

In our yesterday's paper we showby extracts from the Enquirer at a public meeting of the citizens of York held at the court house on the 7th day of April last unanimously requested the commissioners to submit the question of on the 20th of May" last; and that the editor of the Enquirer was secretary of that meeting. //

The county commissioners a few days after, utterly disregarding this request of "the citizens of York," made an arbitrary subscription of a hundred thousand dollars without asking the consent of the people. The commissioners thus refused to every the voice of the people .-And what did the Enquirer do? Remonstrate against this oppressive, " mainst, inconstitutional action ?-Did it reiterate the 7th of April request of the citizens of York, that silent-was dumb as an oyster; thus

ing a tax of \$100,000 on the citizens of this county for the purpose of building the Narrow Gauge Railroad MR. EDITOR from Chester to Lenoir is oppressive, unconstitutional and unjust, and for the purpose of testing the same, we will join with other citizens and employ counsel to carry the matter be-fore the proper tribunal for decision, and the last was replied to by Capt. and aid in meeting the expense of

such proceeding. These public meetings had no effect upon the commissioners. The people resorted to legal means; an injunction was obtained against the commissioners. That injunction they resisted in court. Thus showing that they were determined to force

that hundred thousand dollars from the pockets of the people in spite of their wishes. The people were to have no say in the matter. They, the commissioners, had a subservient Radical court at their backs, and all the power of a negro State Government to support it, and they cared nothing for the opposition of the people. Besides, they had an influential newspaper to aid them in

their scheme. We think now that we have shown clearly enough what is the drift of

public sentiment in York on this question; and that our assertion that the commissioners have acted 'against the will of the people" is founded on undeniable fact, the Yorkville Enquirer to the contrary notwithstanding.

The logical conclusion to be derived from the state of facts published above and in yesterday's issue of the OBSERVER, is that the Yorkville Enquirer does not represent the pubthe question be submitted to the lic sentiment of York on this quespopular vote ? O no ! It remained tion; that, in not remonstrating against the action of the commisby its allence tacitly consenting to this sioners, it has played into the hands outrage upon the rights of a people of a few individuals, and proved faithwhom it professes to speak for, and less in its duty to the people of York; the well until August 9th and failure drank what they supposed to be whom it would have defended had it and that it has deliberately attempt- to furnish ether have been the cause cherry wine, but which proved to be ed to delude the whole country into of delay." Now, sir, as to the first lolia. Taylor and Donohue died tothe belief that the county commissioners in making this subscription were not acting "against the will of the people, inasmuch as it says the OBSERVER'S assertion to that effect is "wholly presumptuous."

COMMUNICATED. THE ICE MACHINE.

Some days ago an article appeared in your paper over the signature of "Stockholders," and the last was replied to by Capt. to have abandoned the works, and Wilkes. In answer to these articles, notified us of his mechanic's lien,

make a few remarks :

After much delay and a vast deal of trouble in the construction of the borne the taunts and jeers of the Ice Works, I requested the Board of community and the press, with the Directors to appoint a committee hope of his success at last; and have who should urge Capt. Wilkes to made no reply until we were forced complete his contract with the Ice to do it, for the simple reason that Company and who should also fully we thought this a private matter, inform the Board as to the facts in and that if we had difficulties to conrelation to the delay.

together, when the committee made | torily adjusted. their report, and when they were informed of the notice of a mechanic's muuity to say whether we could have lien which the contractor had filed done more. In conclusion, we will against the company. Upon this in- | say that we are now trying to organformation the following preamble ize a force in accordance with the The Society's bui and resolution were offered and resolution of the Board; and if the unanimously adopted :

"WHEREAS, John Wilkeshas failed to comply with his contract, entered into with the Charlotte Ice Compa- dent and Board of Directors are at the erection of an Ice Factory, &c., who has a right to have information

in said town of Charlotte, which was in relation to the Ice Factory can to have been completed upon the have it by applying to them. 15th of June, of said year, 1373. Now,

therefore. Resolved, That Dr. C. J. Fox, President of said company, notify the said John Wilkes that the said Ice Company, will, after three days notice of this resolution, proceed to employ other and skilled workmen to finish and perfect said machine now incomplete, and that the President of

said Ice Company be authorized to take such action in the premises as he may think best for the speedy completion of the same,"

This note was served upon Capt. Wilkes in accordance with our contract, to which he replied in his published note of the 21st, in which he attempts to throw the blame of the delay upon myself and the Board of Directors. In that note he says :-

works sooner. Capt. Wilkes, as we all know, is poorly able to sustain losses, and the Board, with the greatest forbearance, have allowed him to continue his efforts as long as he promised success, with the hope that he would at last succeed and save himself; and not until he appeared I ask through the same medium to did we take charge of the same, which was on the 24th inst.

Time Friday, Nov 28th, 1873.

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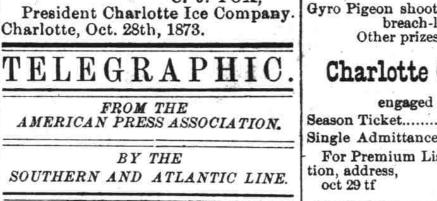
J Watt Kirkpatrick,

Wm N Alexander,

And, Mr. Editor, we have quietly tend with we had better keep them On the 20th inst. I called the Board to ourselves until they were satisfac-

Now, sir, we ask an impartial com-Railroad rates for machinery can be made to do we hope before long to finish it. One word to "Stockholders." The Presiny, bearing date March 29, 1873, for all times accessible; and any one Balloon ascension

C. J. FOX.



BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OBSERVER. **NEW YORK**

breach-loading shot gun valued at \$200. NEW YORK, Oct. 29.-On Sunday evening Gales Taylor, John Dono-"1st. The non-delivery of the engine hul, Tom Maguire and M. Cakens, until June 3rd, non-completion of all residing at 101 Hudson Street,

FAIR OF THE CAROLINAS.	GUNS!
 THIRD ANNUAL EXPOSITION WILL BE HELD IN	SINGLE GUNS, At \$2 50, \$3 00, \$4 50, \$6 00, \$8 00, \$10 00, \$12'00 to \$28 00. DOUBLE GUNS,
CHARLOTTE, N. C. NOVEMBER 25th, 20th; 27th, 28th, 29th. Liberal Premiums in Money, and in the Society's Diplomas and Silver Medals, Made Expressly for the	At \$6 00, \$7 50, \$10 00, \$12 00, \$15 00, 820 00, \$25 09, \$30 00, \$40 00, \$50 00 to \$75 00 Breech-Loading Double Guns. At \$40 90, \$45 00, \$50 00, \$60 00 \$75 00, \$90 00 -110 00, \$129 00 to \$300. PISTOIS. Smith & Wesson's, Colt's, Allen's Sharp's, Whitney and other kinds, AT MANUFACTURER'S PRICES. A MMUNITION and JMDI Tool
Fair of the Carolinas. Annual Address will be Delivered by GEN. WADE HAMPTON, OF SOUTH CAROLINA.	 For Breech-loading Guns, at a small advance on cost of importation. Metalic Ammunition for Rifles and Pistols at lowest market prices. A complete assortment of all Sporting Goods; Prices and description sent on application. Goods shipped by Express C. O. D. POULTNEY, TRIMBLE & CO.,
The Society's buildings are ample, and well arranged. Railroad rates for transportation as liberal as for any other Fair. Articles for Exhibition Free of charge. Half Mile Race Track, as good as any in the country. Balloon ascension during Fair Week under management of	No 200 W Raltimore St., Baltimore, Richard's' Dougal's, Greener's, Scott's and their celebrated make of guns on hard and imported to order. sept 12 4m J. S. PHILLIPS.
PROFESSOR GRONER. Gyro Pigeon shooting match for a \$200 breach-loading gun. Other prizes will be added.	Begs leave to inform the public that he is now receiving his Stock of FALL AND WINTER CLOTHING.
Charlotte Cornet Band, engaged for the week.	Piece Goods, Farnishing Goods, Hats, Caps, &c., which for style and quality are used
Season Ticket	passed by anything of the kind ever offer ed in this market, and will sell them a cheap as the same clas of Goods can b bought elsewhere. Call and examine them. sep 26-tf
L ed for the regulations of the "Gyro Pigeon" match by the directors of the Fair of the Carolinas. Prize one double-barrel breach loading shot gun valued at \$200	SCHOOL POOKS

the apark of patrictian, or one idea above the level of its own groyelling, money making schemes.

But the people, whom the Enquirer professes to represent, are not silent under this great public wrong;-and now we will give a few more facts in support of our assertion that the d additioners acted against the will of the people-facts that seem to have passed out of the memory of the editor of the Enquirer.

The citizens of York spoke out in no uncertain tones against this flagrant injustice. In four public meetings was the action of the commis- Virginia. sioners denounced, and not one has ever endorsed it.

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"Resolved. That we are opposed to the action of said commissioners in pledging the faith and credit of York county to the payment of said sum for such a purpose; that the people so far as the public have acted at all. they have requested by a public meeting at Yorkville, that the question should be submitted to, the people on the 20th of May.

"Resolved, That the commissioners be requested to withdraw said subscription and submit the question to the voters of York county.'

The following week a similar resolution was adopted at a public meeting at Fort Mills. And on the 17th of May, a meeting was held at Coates' Tavern, "to denounce and protest against the unjust proceedings of the county commissioners, in levying a tax on the county, for the Chester & the resolutions adopted :

commissioners of York county in subscribing one hundred thousand dollars to the capital stock of the Chester and Lenoir Narrow Gauge Bailroad, without first submitting the same to a vote of the people, and that we regard it as forming a danserous precedent which might easily be carried on until it would end in

The Virginia Contest.

Next week the Gubernatorial election in Virginia takes place. The Conservatives are perfectly confident of victory. There is no doubt of their triumph. Gen. Kemper is sure

to be the next Governor of noble old This victory, which is so confident-

ly anticipated. will be as significant At a public meeting at Rock Hill, as important. It will show that the April 26, '78, the following resolu- people when fully aroused can meet tions, (after a preamble, reciting the and overcome a party backed by the act of the county commissioners in Federal Administration. Grant symmaking the subscription,) were adopt- patizes with Hughes, the Radical

candidate for Governor, and all the weighty influence of his administrasuch a subscription, and denounce tion has been cast in Hughes' favor. The success of the Democrats in the Old Dominion, following in the wake of the victories in Ohio and have expressed no wish that such Oregon, will inspire new hope and subscription should be made, but in vigor in the National Democratic vigor in the National Democratic party, and perhaps contribute in ocrats in New York the 4th of next month.

The'Virginians have acted with a spirit and enthusiasm in this contest which we hope will be imitated by the Democrats of every State in every election hereafter.

ing condition this year. The num-ber of students in actual attendance is one hundred and thirteen. The privilege of making the attendance college has an able correct. Lenoir Railroad." The following sors, and is performing an important part in the education of the youth

"Resolved, That we oppose and de- of the country. It justly ranks nounce the action of the county among the noblest collegiate institutions in the Seuth.

> The destiny of France will be decided on the 5th day of November. The Assembly will vote that day on the question of Bourbon Monarchy. need. It is a cylindrical centigrade



charge, the engine and boiler were day from the effects of the poison. upon the grounds May 30th, and but it is supposed Cakeus and Mawere put up, masonry and all, ready guire will recover. for connection before one particle of

there was no agreement that the and bound and gagged. She was Company should have this work drugged and tied by her legs to piano. done first; 2nd charge (take his own They then took her jewelry and a statement.) The well was finished number of dresses. Her husband August 9th, and upon Sept. 19th he came home, and as he entered, they

ly a matter of convenience, to be af- will by which, while he provides for fected when necessary. 3rd. The her, he cuts off his oldest son with ether was not made for the reason \$100, being \$99 more than he had left that the machine leaked so badly, him by a previous will. The son was that it would virtually have been unsuccessful in a contest before the throwing it away to have made it, for Surrogate and the contest was re-it has to be delivered into the ma- snmed in the Supreme Court to-day, chine as made, and we knew that it the decision being reserved. would not hold it from the fact that

At last, however, I made the ether The remainder have suspended, or ing our provisions in quantities from first are at present perotisting for reupon his promise, before the Board, are at present negotiating for rethat he would bear the loss if it es- sumption at reduced compensation caped; and I, without any difficulty, to workmen. The general complaint made and deliverd into the machine is that market cannot be found for seventy pounds of ether, upon the goods manufactured. which he started the machine to BUFFALO, Oct. 29.-The committee make ice. In a little while, howev-er, the ether was gone and the ma-chine stopped. Now, sir, one charge of ether would last forever if the mill this way to the triumph of the Dem- was perject. Such, however, cannot It is snowing hard here and

sionally to renew the charge.

Afterwards I attempted to make another charge, but the leaking water-tanks (a part of his contract) over the retort poured down such a stream of water upon the retort as to forbid my getting sufficient heat; and, therefore, I abandoned the effort.

is one hundred and thirteen. The privilege of making the ether him-college has an able corps of profes-sors, and is performing an important of the house (for reasons which he has given) and placed it in a furnace. State and Western flour closed He did not, however, use the furnace dull and weak for low and medium at his last effort, as I am informed, grades with liberal offerings. Southern but used the steam coil in the retort closed tame and quiet. No 2 3.75 as I had done, and failed, as he says, to 4.65. Baltimore, Alexandria because the heat was too high and and Georgetown mixed to good

> which to regulate it. Now, sir, he family 6.20 to 10.25. knew that I had a thermometer in Wheat closed comparatively the Ice House, which would indicate steady.

any degree of heat that he might thermometer which I have used my-

self. He asked the man in charge

Mrs. Caroline Beifk, of 141 Amity the Ice Machine was upon the Street, was seized in her room at 11 ground; and I will further say that o'clock this morning by three men notifies us that his contract was fin- ran past him and escaped. A gene-

ished. This is just forty days after the well is finished, and yet he charg-es non-completion of the well. But, sir, the well was sunk in April, and the completion was mere-live a matter of communication to he after the well is finished, and yet he charg-es non-completion of the well. But, sir, the well was sunk in April, and the completion was mere-live a matter of communication to he after the well is finished, and yet he charg-but they escaped. Geo. H. Smith, worth one million dollars, died in March last, having first married his servant and made a will by which, while he provides for

Dispatches from Manyyunk, Penn, Capt. Wilkes had been testing it with air instead of ether which it would there, employing about 5,000 to 6,000 ally have. We are also prepared to furn-hands, only three are in operation.

be, and consequently, we have occa- throughout Canada and blowing a gale.

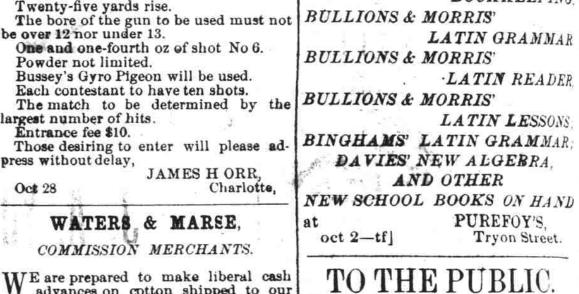
MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Oct., 29. Money closed at 7 per cent. Foreign Exchange quiet at 1061 to 106% for 60 days, and 108 to 1081

that he had no thermometer by superfine 5.20 to 5.55. Extra and

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A B Downs. W C Graham, J A Weaver, e 141: mid 15



DESIRE TO call attention to my stock of Guns Rifles and FISH & OYSTER SALOON. Pistols, of all HAVING fitted up a Fish and Oyster Saloon in connection with my store, kinds and prices. Ammu-

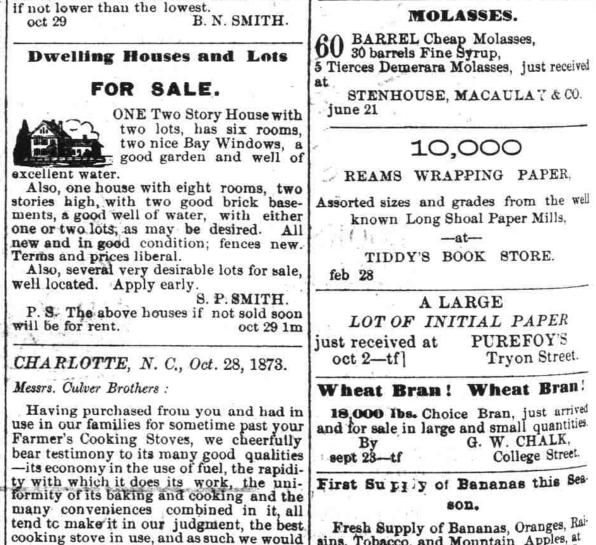


I am now prepared to furnish a plate of Oysters or Fish that shall give satisfaction to any gentleman. Our country friends plements, Locks and Keys of all kinds Metalic ammunition-a general assortvisiting the city will do well to give us a call. We promise them more fish and oysment, as cheap as the cheapest. Guns, Pistols, Locks, Keys, Parasols, &c., &c., repaired and warranted. W. B. TAYLOR,

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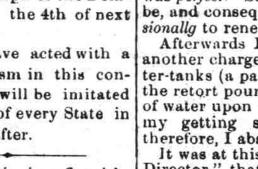
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JEW YORK HERALD, Received Daily and sold at 5 cents each, at PUREFOY'S. mar 6





1	ty.	NEWS OF THE DAY,	of the house for it (as he tells me) and that man described the exact		W A McGinn,	J W Griffith, D H Smith,	SCARR'S DRUG STORE. oct 15-tif]
	.any civil means in our power any means that may be adopted to resist	A bale of cotton in Cincinnati, do- nated to Memphis, brought \$2,020.	manner in which he did use it, and still he attributes his failure to a		J M Coffey, S A Kirkpatrick,	R H Abernathey, J M Strong,	LOST.
j.	the collection of the subscription or interest thereon or to bring the ques- tion before a constitutional tribunal." Coates' Tayern, Fort Mills and Rock	Eighteen yellow fever deaths in Memphis on Tuesday. All the banks in St Louis have re- sumed currency payments. Depos- its exceed receipts.	want of a thermometer. But, sir, there was no absolute necessity for a thermometer by which to regulate	ember for sale by	T A Wilson, R H Henderson, S H Elliott, C M Campbell, S D Smith,	W B Cochran, Joshua Glover, E H Richardson, Samuel Williamson, M K Bowdon, M E Alexander,	TWO Hounds. One black and tan, me and blue toe-nails. The other is a blue speckled dog, with the right eye a glass- eye, and the left a brown eye; an altered dog, with blue toe-nails. Five dollars re-
	Hill, are all in the eastern portion of York, and the resolutions above oquoted show that the county com-	It is reported that the Cartagenia Insurgents are demoralized. The leaders disagree.	mometer would not tell him how much heat was necessary but only how much he had. The necessary	Also, some very fine mellow inicy an-	W S Wilson, P.D Furr, S M Stafford,	C A Sehorn, M M Wallace, W H Taylor, Timothy O'Connell,	ward for each one. NATHAN CHAPEL, At Col Wm Johnston's residence, oct 28 3t Charlotte.
	missioners certainly "acted against the will of the people" in the eastern	A London telegram announces that banks on the continent have	degree he must learn from <i>chemistry</i> and when he knew that he has only to look at the steam guage on the	THE members of the Table 1 is a 1	R W Sehorn, J S Long,	J E. Brown, J F M Ferrell, J H Black,	CARTER'S
e Na	half of the county. At BlacksStation, in the north western	ruihed the rate of discount. The arrangements for the fight be-	boiler, and by sliding the pea upon the beam of the safety valve he could	L of Good Templars are requested to meet to night at their hall at 71 o'clock,	Wm Taylor, Jas L Johnson, W H Cashion.	E A McAulay, Joseph Weeks, E C Grier,	Combined Writing and Copying Int. TIDDY'S
4.11	portion of the county, a public meet- ing was held July 4. The speakers	tween Tom Allen and Ben Hogan, at St. Louis, are complete.	fix the necessary steam pressure and from that by looking at the tables I showed him he would find for every	by order, J. RITCHIE LAWRENCE	M M DeArmond, R A Torance, Robert S White,	E A Helm, Wm L Griffith	Ear Corn and Oats. A quantity of corn in the ear, and a large amount of Oats just arrived and for
	denounced "the principle of taxing the masses for the benefit of the few,	The Alabama State Fair has been postponed from the 2nd of Novem- ber to the 18th.	heit's Scales After this failure he	SCHOOL WANTED.		Wm P McCloud.	A quantity of corn in the ear, and for large amount of Oats just arrived and for sale by G. W. CHALK, oct 1 College Stree
26	their consent, and they groaning al- ready under the weight of taxation."	There are many vacancies in the Naval Academy, only 45 having passed at the last preliminary exam-	proceeded to file his mechanic's	A had considerable experience in teach- ing, desires a situation as Teacher in a	JS Reed, DJ Harkey,	Wm L Harkey, J S Gribble, J Bluner,	THE undersigned may be found at all THE undersigned may be found at all Harty's Store.
	The following resolution was unan-	ination for June, 1874.	ment of the facts in the case, and in	the higher English branches usually taught in first class colleges. Special attention	E Griffin, S B Blankenship,	M J Holbrooks, S C Hager,	THE undersigned may be found store. times at his office over Harty's Store. He will attend to any matter pertaining to law. JNO. A. BRADLEY, JE.
	"Resolved, In the sense of this meeting that the action had by the	N. Y., have been discharged, carpen-	this I am sustained by the commit- the and the Board of Directors. Now,	bestowed on Mathematics. Unexception- able references given. Address, TEACHER	John B Kerr, J C Fite,	JAIGHI DHGELMOOD. I	oct 24 1m
	ebund works mount signa 100	hy carpenters have been discharged.	our part iu not taking charge of the	oct 30 3t Greenville, S. C., Box 70.	We leave out over want of space.	a hundred names for oct 28	H Crape Collars, at may 9 B. KOOPMANN'S.
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