THE WONDER OF THE

WORLD!!!

Instruction blended with

AMUSEMENT

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Mr. **J. W. RYAN,**

THE GREATEST MAGICIAN of the present day, either in Europe or America, the same of whom all papers throughout the United States have spoken in terms of the highest commendation; Proprietor of the

Most splendid Apparatus,

In the centre of which Mr. RYAN will employ his science to excite the imagination of the audience on a variety of objects, (and all different from each other,) which will produce by turns wonder and amazement, to charm the eye of the beholding, intent upon penetrating the mysterious delusions presented to them.

For 3 nights only,

On Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, the 11, 12, and 13 of September, 1837,

Large Room in the Hotel at Tarborough.

This Grand and Extraordinary Exhibition will be composed of 3 parts.

PART 1—Tricks of Address, Necromancy, Physical Experiments, Legerdemain, Mechanical, Magical and Enchanting Illusions.

PART 2—Extraordinary Amusements, Phantascopal, Surprise, Astonishment, Metamorphose, and a variety of beautiful Experiments, dedicated to the Ladies.

PART 3—The wonderful and truly unrivalled

Dance of Dinner Plates.

The whole to conclude with the astonishing and surprising

Pistol Trick.

Any Gentleman will be allowed to load A PISTOL, with powder and ball, and to fire at *Mr. Ryan*, who will receive the ball in any part of his body the company may designate—being the 240th time of his attempting the experiment, a feat never attempted by any other person in the world except himself, and stands the NE PLUS ULTRA of the

Cabalistic Art.

Ladies need be under no apprehension of danger, as this feat is not performed until the whole of the deceptions are over.

GOOD MUSIC will attend the Exhibition.

☞A change of performance will be made at each representation. The most eligible seats appropriated to Ladies and Children.

☞Tickets 50 cents—Children under 10 half price. Doors open at 7 o'clock, performance to commence at 8 o'clock precisely. Tickets may be obtained at the principal Hotels, also at the Door.—Seats for colored persons 25 cents.

Notice.

MR RYAN most respectfully informs the inhabitants of the surrounding counties where he has been advertised to perform for the last four weeks, and has not fulfilled his engagements, that it is not his neglect or forgetfulness that has prevailed it, but severe and dangerous illness. He is at present, and has been for the last seven weeks, confined to his apartments at the United States Hotel, Edenton.

June 1.

Copper & Tin ware

MANUFACTORY,

PORTSMOUTH, VA.

Wm. D. Roberts, Jr.

RESPECTFULLY announces to the Farmers of Virginia and North Carolina, that having received extensive supplies of foreign and American Copper of all the various thicknesses adapted to the manufacture of Brandy, Turpentine, and other Stills, will be happy to receive their orders as soon as practicable.

He has on hand, of the most approved construction,

Brandy Stills,

From 90 to 110 gallons.

WORMS of all descriptions, and a large and general assortment of articles of Tin and Copper manufacture.

Old Stills, Worms, &c. repaired in the best manner, or taken in exchange for new ones.

Farmers and merchants trading to Norfolk, via rivers or canal, are informed that by addressing the undersigned, their goods can be shipped free of expense, having a Copper and Tin Ware Establishment located at that place, conducted by his indefatigable agent, A. S. Dozier.

☞North Carolina Bank Notes received in payment without discount.

N. B. To avoid all mistake, please address

WM. D. ROBERTS, Jr.

Tin & Copper ware Manufacturer,

PORTSMOUTH, VA.

June 15, 1837.

Touch them and they will speak for themselves.

I HAVE sent to Mr. *James Weddell*, Tarboro', one of my splendid and celebrated

French Grand Action Piano Fortes,

Made by Stodart, Worcester & Dunham New York, the price of which is three hundred and fifty dollars. All those who are desirous to see and examine the very best Pianos made in the United States, will do well just to call at Mr. Weddell's and inspect the one now sent. I shall endeavor to keep Mr. W. regularly supplied with first rate Pianos at the lowest cash prices.

E. P. NASH, Petersburg, Va.

Sole Agent in Virginia and North Carolina for Stodart, Worcester & Dunham's Piano Fortes. May 29, 1837.

Shocco Springs.

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THIS well known Watering place will be again opened for the reception of Visiters on the

1st of June next.

The testimonials of the efficacy of this Water, particularly in cases common to the lowlands, are of sufficient notoriety, and require reference only to those whose experience has enabled them to test its virtues. I deem it only necessary to state that the Water has been recently analyzed, and its ingredients are of the same class with most of the Virginia Springs and the famous Bedford Springs of Pennsylvania.

For the benefit of the Public, I have thought proper to subjoin a letter or two from eminent Professional men, whose intimate acquaintance with the properties of the Water renders them competent judges of its efficacy.

Since the last Season, several Bed rooms with Fire places have been erected for the convenience of Families.

Ann Johnson.

Shocco Springs, May 25, 1837.

From Simmons J. Baker, M. D.

DEAR MADAM—The case referred to, in the conversation I had the honor to have with you a few days past, was that of Mr. Paul, of Scotland Neck. He had a violent acute inflammation of the liver, which was subdued with great difficulty; when he was convalescent, his skin was of a deep orange color. As Mr. Paul had been severely disciplined, I was unwilling to give him more medicine, and advised him to accompany me to Shocco Springs, to which he consented. We arrived on a Tuesday evening; on Wednesday morning, business called me to Raleigh, and I did not return until Sunday evening, when, to my astonishment, Mr. Paul's skin was as clear as it ever was. In two or three days he returned to Scotland Neck, was drafted and went to Norfolk, and remained there until the troops were disbanded. He was one of the few, encamped at the Peach Orchard, who escaped with impunity.

Your most obed't,

S. J. BAKER.

Scotland Neck, May 10, 1837.

From F. A. Thornton, Esq.

Alexandria, Warren Co. May 10.

DEAR MADAM—For several months previous to leaving home for Shocco Springs, my health was dreadful. Indeed, my situation was considered critical. When I reached Shocco, I was unable, without assistance, to get from my carriage to my room. I did not drink the water more than a fortnight, before I had so far recovered my health as to be able to walk alone all over the yard; and, in a very short time afterwards, to the astonishment of my friends, I returned home entirely well.

FRANK A. THORNTON.

From John Beckwith, M. D.

Raleigh, May 10, 1837.

DEAR MADAM—You not unreasonably conclude that one who, like myself, has been an occasional visiter at Shocco Springs for more than five and twenty years, should be able to form a just estimate of their medical effects. It gives me pleasure to be able, from much observation, and no small personal experience, to say, that the waters are well adapted to cases of convalescence from bilious and intermittent Fevers; that they correct a vitiated or deficient action of the Liver; give keenness to the appetite, and tone and energy to the digestive Organs.

Those who reside in low and unhealthy districts of country, will find at Shocco during the Summer months, a pure and invigorating air, comfortable accommodations, mineral waters answering all reasonable expectations, and a table, of which the only fault is, being rather too tempting for invalids.

It is proper to remark, that the water parts with much of its active properties in a short time after being drawn from the Spring, and therefore, in order to realize its full benefits, visiters should take it at the Fountain.

Very respectfully,

JOHN BECKWITH.

To Mrs. Johnson, Shocco Springs.

From Ellis Malone, M. D.

May 2, 1837.

DEAR MADAM—I take pleasure in stating, that in my opinion, the water of Shocco Springs is possessed of an extensive and *direct* influence over the diseased actions of many of the organs of our system. Actively diuretic, gently laxative, and, if exercise is taken after using it, not *a little* diaphoretic, together with its invigorating influence over the chylopaetic apparatus, increasing the appetite and strengthening the powers of digestion, it could not well be otherwise than that the *proper use* of it, should be greatly conducive to the restoration of the healthy action of diseased organs, to which it bears so *manifest* relation.

My information in relation to its medical properties has been derived from no little *personal* experience. It will readily occur to intelligent medical men, to what class of diseases a remedy having such effects as described above, will be applicable, who will likely be consulted by invalids wishing to avail themselves of its benefits before leaving their respective homes.

Respectfully, yours, &c.

ELLIS MALONE.

To Mrs. Ann Johnson.

Superior Court Blanks,
County Court do.
Sheriff's and Constables do. for sale.

Notice.

HAVING positively decided on removing from Tarboro' on the 1st June, we respectfully invite all our friends who have unsettled accounts of any description with us, to call and settle the same at the earliest possible day their convenience will admit. Our business has been of long standing, and our uniform disposition to be accommodating to our customers, we hope will be a sufficient stimulus to insure a punctual acquiescence to our request, that we may be enabled to close our business by May Court, (the longest time we think of residing in Tarborough.) This appeal is made with a confident expectation that all concerned will call at our store as desired

Any claims on us will be promptly paid when presented. We also offer

Any Goods in our Store

AT COST.

The stock is large, variety very general, quality superior, and bought 10 to 15 per cent under prices generally paid for Goods the last year.

Real Estate,

Store house, ware houses, and Lot,

Large and extensive, the most pleasantly located and arranged for business of any in the place—indeed it is not inferior to any in the State, for comfort and extended mercantile operations.

A large Dwelling,

And out houses of all descriptions, pleasantly located in good condition for a large family or boarding house, dining room 40 feet long with two Lots of Land attached.

Two Lots of Land,

With a gin and screw house, a first rate iron screw, and 60 saw gin, with room to hold 100,000 lbs seed cotton, and 50 bales when packed—a large stable, granary, fodder loft, and carriage houses, work shop, &c. not inferior to any in the State.

About 200 acres of Land,

One and a half miles from town—a convenient privilege for any resident in Tarboro.

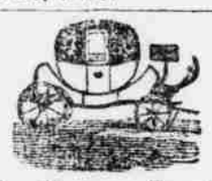
Also, a plantation on Fishing Creek, 750 acres,

15 miles above Tarboro', with a large and comfortable dwelling house, all necessary out houses, large garden well enclosed, grape vines, selected fruit trees, &c. surrounded by a large and handsome grove, and as good water as any below the mountains—comprising one of the handsomest and healthiest locations in this part of the county. The dwelling is in the pine woods, 1½ miles from the Creek, or main plantation; on which is a good overseer's house, cotton house, negro houses, &c. with a large barn and stables, and the best farm yard in the county for raising manure, all well enclosed—cleared land sufficient to make 600 barrels corn, 40 to 50,000 lbs seed cotton, small grain, potatoes, &c. &c. well divided, with good gates, fences, &c. and will insure to the purchaser as profitable investment as any farm in the county of the same extent. Any person residing down the country would find this one of the most healthy and delightful residences in the State.

All or any of the above property will be sold at a great sacrifice.

R. & S. D. COTTEN.
S. D. COTTEN & SON.

Feb. 24, 1837.



Coach, House, Landscape, and Ornamental

PAINTING.

THE Subscriber respectfully informs the citizens of Edgecombe county that he has located himself

In Tarborough,

Where he is prepared to execute all orders in his line of business.

Those wishing Gigs, sideboards, sitting chairs, fire screens and the like painted, will bring them to the coach shop of Mr. Terrell.

He will leave town and go into the country, when house painting is required.

All orders in his line of business will be thankfully received and faithfully executed on reasonable terms.

Lewis de Arquer.

Tarboro' 26th Feb 1836.

ESTABLISHMENT OF

The Journal Office

FOR SALE.

OWING to the intended removal of one of the Editors, and the wish of the other to devote himself more exclusively to the duties of his profession, the undersigned offer for sale the establishment of the North Carolina

Journal Office.

The Office is well found in Job, Newspaper and Ornamental Type, the list of subscribers is tolerably large, and they doubt not might be greatly augmented by a little exertion. To any person desirous of embarking in the business, it offers inducements not inferior to any in this State, but to a practical printer they know of no investment he could make of his money, that would yield him a more profitable return.

Hybart & Strange.

Fayetteville, May 30, 1837.

Rail Road Office,

Wilmington, May 16th, 1837.

PURSUANT to an order of the Board of Directors, the Stockholders of the

WILMINGTON AND RALEIGH

Rail Road Company,

Will be called on for the following instalments, viz:—

$5 per share, to be paid on or before the 1st July next,
$5, " " 1st October, "
$10, " " 15th December, "

James Owen, Pres't.

Teacher Wanted.

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A PERSON capable of teaching the rudiments of the English language, who can come well recommended, can get a School worth $20 per month, and board found, in the vicinity of Tison's Store, Pitt county. Apply to Benjamin Joiner, or to

John Joiner, Esq.

July 5, 1837.

Notice.

A GENTLEMAN who has been in the habit of paying heavy doctor's bills for himself and family, besides suffering the pains of sickness and constant alarms from fall fevers, can now at a small price secure to himself and family the blessings of health and a perfect exemption from those fears, which always harrass the minds of persons living in sickly settlements. To any gentleman suffering thus I would sell at a moderate price,

A small Tract of Land,

(55 Acres) with a very comfortable and

Convenient Dwelling House,

All necessary out houses, yard and garden, well enclosed, in a neighborhood of moral, intelligent, and wealthy citizens—situated immediately on the road from Mr. H. Sims's to Louisburg, ¾ miles from the former. Apply to Subscriber at Ransom's Bridge.

L. S. Sims.

Nash county, July 14, 1837.

☞The Halifax Advocate will insert the above three times and forward acc't.

Mrs. A. C. Howard,

IS now opening her *Spring Supply* of Goods, which having been selected by herself she can recommend without any hesitation as being of superior quality. Her assortment is extensive, and includes a general variety of

Fancy Millinery.

In her assortment will be found:

A variety of Pattern Bonnets,
Tuscan and straw do. of nearly every shape and feature.
Veils, Shawls, Scarfs, and Handkerchiefs of different qualities and prices.
Laces, Edgings, Insertings and Footings,
Head dresses, Capes, Collars, &c.
Mode, Crapes, Gauzes and Florences,
Head ornaments, hair Nets, Puffs & Curls,
A large quantity of Ribbons, artificial Flowers, &c. &c.

☞Mrs. H. has patterns of the latest fashions. She invites an inspection of her Goods. *Mantua making* done as usual.

Tarboro', April 28.

Notice.

FOR SALE, at Tarboro', the following works, by Jas. Osbourn.

Old School Sonnets, price	50 cents.
Present Dark and Sickly State of the Church of Christ,	25 cents.
Fac Simile, or the Religion of New England portrayed,	12½ cents.

(North Carolina or northern money only can be received in payment.) Apply to

Coffield King.

4 July, 1837.

ROCKINGHAM

Mineral Springs.

(Frequently called Leonax Castle.)

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SITUATED in Rockingham County, North Carolina, directly on Messrs. Peck, Wellford & Co.'s Stage Line, from Washington City to Milledgeville, Geo. a high, handsome, healthy, and pleasant situation; the water (analyzed by Professor Olmstead,) impregnated with Sulphur, Carbon of Iron, and Magnesia, a solution of excellent

Mineral Water,

Operating as a Cathartic, Diuretic, &c., strengthening and organizing the powers of digestion, Stomach, Bowels, Liver, Kidneys, &c., excellent in Liver affections, Dyspepsia, Debility, Eruptions, &c.; invigorating the whole system. It is confidently believed that medical intelligence, if consulted, would recommend this water. The bathing establishment will be in good order.

The Proprietor is thankful and under obligations to those that have patronized him, and informs visiters to the Springs, stage passengers, travellers, &c. that he will furnish good accommodations, during the approaching summer season; and he flatters himself that he has given general satisfaction to his friends and acquaintances heretofore.

Jno. J. Wright.

June 1st, 1837.

WLOLESALE

GROCERY.

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WE have this day formed a Copartnership under the firm of

Warren Harris & Co.

For the purpose of carrying on a Wholesale Grocery.

WARREN HARRIS,
BENJA. HARRIS,
HENRY HARRIS.

Portsmouth, Va. 21st March, 1837.

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WARREN HARRIS & CO.

Are now receiving

A large & general Assortment of

Groceries, &c.

Which will be sold on accommodating terms.

227 bags Rio, Laguira & Java Coffee,
42 bbls Porto Rico Sugar,
20 hhds do do
20 hhds New Orleans do
5 hhds St Croix do
40 bbls Loaf do
10 boxes do do very superior
125 bbls family and extra sup'r Flour,
45 " Baltimore Whiskey,
30 hhds " do
20 tierces New Orleans Molasses,
60 baskets Champaigne Wine
10 half pipes Cognac Brandy,
5 " Holland Gin,
10 qr casks sweet Malaga Wine,
10 " Pale Sherry do
2 hhds Madeira do
5 qr casks do do very sup'r,
75000 Havanna Segars,
40 boxes Sperm and patent Candles,
40 " No 1 Soap,
20 " " Starch,
50 " bunch Raisins,
50 five gallon Demijohns,
150 kegs cut Nails, assorted,
20000 lbs Iron, assorted,
1000 " Steel, do

Imperial & Gunpowder TEAS,

Spice, Pepper, Nutmegs and Ginger,
150 pieces cotton Bagging,
100 sacks Liverpool Salt,
100 reams wrapping Paper.

All orders for goods will be punctually attended to, and will be put up at the

Lowest Wholesale Prices.

Goods sent to our care will be forwarded with despatch.—Further arrivals daily expected.

Warren Harris & Co.

Portsmouth, March 21st, 1837.

CARD.

To the Ladies.

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THE Subscriber is now opening at his Cheap Cash Store, the following

New Goods,

Which he respectfully solicits the Ladies to call and examine, (to wit:)

Extra rich plain and figured Silks, Satins, and Poplins,
A great variety of painted Muslins and Cambrics, of the most beautiful patterns both small and large,
Elegant printed Bishop Lawns, some with silk stripes,
Small pattern Belts to match,
Beautiful small pattern Challys,
A splendid assortment of needle worked lace and muslin Capes and Collars, the greatest bargains and richest Goods ever offered,
Dunstable, Berlin, Swiss and fancy straw Bonnets, newest and most fashionable shapes, in great variety,
Cap borders with flowers, a new article,
Artificial sprigs for caps and wreaths for the hair,
Bonnett, cap and belt Ribbons, to suit every taste,
Very handsome belt Buckles & Bracelets,
Elegant assortment of fancy neck Shawls,
Fouchetts and embroidered lace Scarfs, entirely new,
Ladies and misses Corsetts, of the most approved make, in great variety,
A large assortment of Ladies and misses Parasols, of every size, quality & style,
Extra rich velvet and bead Bags,
Lace & gauze Veils, of every description,
Hem stitch'd linen cambric Handkerchiefs
Elastic head Bands, Chinelle cord,
Mohair Caps, Fans, hair Ringlets,
Light kid and fancy silk Gloves,
White, black, and fancy colored plain and embroidered silk and cotton Hose, in great variety,
Muslin Edgings and Insertings,
Thread and bobbinett Laces, Edgings and Insertings,
Plain and figured Bobbinett,
An elegant assortment of Ladies and misses French, kid, satin, velvet, prunella, seal and morocco Slippers and Shoes, of the newest style and very best quality, most of which were made expressly to order,

300 pieces new style Calicoes, among which are a great many elegant patterns, from 10 to 30 cents per yard,
50 pieces Ginghams, good and cheap,
Plain, striped, and check'd Muslins for dresses, from 25 cents and upwards,
Corded Skirts, various qualities.

The above with every other article in

THE FANCY AND STAPLE

Dry Goods Line,

Can be had in the greatest variety at

Extraordinary low Prices,

For Cash or on the usual credit,

At the Cheap Cash Store.

JAS. WEDDELL.

Tarboro', April 7, 1837.

H. JOHNSTON,

MERCHANT TAILOR,

BEGS leave to inform his customers and the public, that he has just received from New York,

His Spring Supply of

GOODS,

IN HIS LINE OF BUSINESS.

Gentlemen wishing to purchase elegant Goods on reasonable terms, will do well to call before they purchase, and examine his stock, as he is determined to sell low for cash or on a short credit to punctual customers. His stock consists of the latest importations of all the most fashionable colored Cloths and Cassimeres,
Fine black Bombazines,
Crape Camblet, for summer coats and pantaloons,
Striped and plaid Drills, and plain Linens,
Superior plain and figured Velvets,
Plain and figured Silks & Satins for vests,
Plain and fancy Marseilles Vestings, superior quality,
Silk Handkerchiefs, Stocks, Gloves,
Plain and ruffled linen Bosoms & Collars,
Suspenders, Hosiery, black silk Umbrellas, with every other article usually kept in such establishments.

All orders from a distance will be punctually attended to at the shortest notice. As he has first rate workmen in his employ it will enable him to execute his work in the most fashionable manner and at the shortest notice. He will also retail any Goods he has on hand to Gentlemen that wish to have them made elsewhere, at a small profit on the New York cost.

Tarboro', May 4th, 1837.

HEALTH AND EDUCATION.

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Nashville Academy.

THE public are respectfully informed that the Trustees of the

Nashville Academy,

Have engaged competent Teachers for the support of their Institution, and as the village is considered healthy, they feel satisfied that nothing on their part will be neglected in order to establish a responsible Institution. Terms of tuition moderate, boarding cheap and convenient. Ancient and Modern Languages, Mathematicks, Philosophy, Music and Drawing, with every requisite branch for admission at College, can be acquired.

P. S. The School is expected to commence on Monday next

John H. Drake, Sen.
Isaac Sessums,
John H. Drake, Jun.
James S. Battle,
} Trustees.

June 28th, 1837.

Union Hotel.

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THE subscriber begs leave, most respectfully to inform his friends and the public generally, that he has taken possession of the above Establishment, formerly occupied by Maj. *Jno. G. Blount*, nearly

Opposite the Court House,

And having for some years past been engaged in like business, feels confident of being able to give entire satisfaction to those who may favor him with their patronage. His table will be furnished with the best the market can afford. His stables are new and in good order, and will be attended by the best ostlers. Suffice it to say, that nothing on his part will be wanting to make those comfortable who may call on him.

A. C. Patillo.

Nashville, No. Ca. July 17th. 1837.

NEW

Chinese Mulberry.

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THE subscriber has for disposal several hundred rooted trees and cuttings of the noted Morus Multicaules, or

New Chinese Mulberry;

Found doubly advantageous for silk culture, and one of the most beautiful ornamental trees, of moderate size, the eye can rest upon. Of the ease of propagating this tree and its rapid growth the public may judge when informed that from a small rooted plant, for which a dollar was paid at Baltimore about four years since, the subscriber has disposed of a large number, and has yet as above stated, and that his first propagated trees are near twenty feet high and beautifully proportioned. The leaf is a dark green color and often 16 inches long and 11 broad.

The price, (now reduced) is 50 cents each for plants upwards of 5 feet high, and proportionate for those of a smaller size & when a number are taken at a time.

SIDNEY WELLER.

Brinkleyville, Halifax county, N. C
Dec. 15, 1836.

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P. S. Mr. Geo. Howard is my Agent for vines and trees at Tarborough and vicinity, and those desirous of any plants would do well to make early application, so that they may be included in a box about to be sent to Mr. Howard. *S. W.*

Corn Fans.

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AN excellent new Corn Fan, made by Mr. John Wilson, of Hamilton, can be had on reasonable and accommodating terms, on application

At this Office.

Tarboro', July 21.