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Dr. Parr .- Every anecdote, howger trifling, respecting this giant of literature, must be interesting. It is well known that the learned Grecian noked tobacco, and that every day, whether at home or abroad, he indulged in this, his favorite weed. When Dr. The Pairmount Water Works, P had the honor of dining at Carlton Palace, his Majesty was so conde- Bank of the United States, scending as to give him a smoking room, Bank of Pennsylvania, and the company of Col. \_\_\_\_, in or- Philadelphia Bank, der that he might suffer no inconveder that he might suffer no inconve- Mint, nience. 'I don't like to be smoked my- Arcade. said the royal wit, but I am University, (new buildings only) axious that your pipe should not be Chesnut Street Theatre, estions that your pipe should not be Arch Street Threatre, out. One day Dr. Parr was to dine Franklin Institute, at the house of Mr. , who inform Schuyikill Permanent Bridge, and his lady of the circumstance, and Upper Ferry Bridge, Fairmount, of the passion for a pipe. The lady Arsenal on the Schuylkill, below was much mortified and inflamed by this intimation, and with some warmth First Presbyterian church, Wash she said. 'I'll tell you what, Mr. ... , S. I don't care a fig for Mr. P's Greek, he I don't care a lig for Mr. P's Greek, he bove Sprace ats. plied the husband, the must smoke; he Arch stsAmerican Sunday School Union,
a allowed to do so every where. Excuse me, Mr. , he shall not Sixth Presbyterian Church;

moke here; leave it to me, my dear, Baptist Church, Sansom street, I'll manage it. The doctor came; a Baptist Church, Spruce street, splendid dinner ensued: the Grecian was Twelfth Presbyterian Church, very brilliant. After the Dr. called for Custom House and Stores, pipes.' Pipes!' screamed the lady, Farmers' and Mechanics' pipes, for what purpose? 'Why, to Commercial Bank, added with firmness. I shall be hap public buildings, and upwards of one - And again, a week afterpy, Dr. to show you rites of hospitality; hundred churches, the cost of which we at you cannot be attowed to smake.'- are unable to state. ple person, then, then madam, I must progress; to be completed next say, madam.' 'Sir, sir, are you going year, Architect's estimate, to be rude?' 'must say madam,' he Naval Asylam, to be completed this continued, that you are the greatest Penirentiary, to be completed this seatobacco stopper in all England.' London Paper.

-030-There is a deal of humor as well as in Almshouse, to be completed next Nantucket Ecquirer. We are glad to Grard College, just commenced, Arsee such humbugs exposed.

goose-feet, dog fish skin, Bricklayer's Hall, shad scales, the tail of a dried hake, Moyamensing Hall, wooden net meg eyes, glue, sawdust, rarnish, putty, and red baize, is now eing stared at by the simple ones of North side of Girard's Square Botham, and connived at for the mumny of a mermaid. This practice of Rail Road in Broad, from Vine to nanufacturing monsters, is getting to be ather rancid-Nevertheless, if people vill have grotesque nondescripts, and antastical frights to feed their tastes, When the humbug has been sufficiently Dollars. dured by the curious gudgeons of the and mutilated donkey, with which the cool burghers of Boston, about a quarier of a century ago were amused for a while—until they concluded to throw the animal overboard, and escort the animal overboard, and escort the spherry, Moreland, Lower Dublin, Blockley, and Kingsessing, 11,872,350 00 the animal overboard, and escort the proprietors out of town, seated upon an elegant rail, and adorned with a plendid coat of feathers codled in

la regard to this New York mermid, the exhibiters advertise her, [we must suppose it to be a sea virgin of feminine gender] as having been ght alive at Java, embalmed in Inis, sent as a present to the governor of Batavia, and by him sold to a Boston master for five thousand dollars. This is a good enough story to tell to arines. But the amateur naturalists debarred from any other than occuramination-the nautical maiden enclosed in a glass case. Col. of the Commercial, ventures to whether it is not possible "that is a hoax in the case!" It is inly there, if any where.

hould this experiment upon the crely and cash of the Gothamites come ofitably, we intend to set up a ar manufactory of marine enormi-We shall build a glorious skelea sea serpent, out of old whale , oil casks, and tarpaulins-with alo's skull at one end, and a sea 's tail at the other. This we can tive to set adrift upon the South it in the first southeasterly storm. en away it goes to market. Any ers in this line, from the hungry d-lubbers of the continent-inclos--shall be duly regarded. e propose also to fabricate a com-

piscatory monstrosities, in all the de- ed by the critic. partments of ichthyology and concholegy-ready stuffed and demijohned for Mr. Rush's forthcoming work: transportation-such as flying flounders, three legged eels, feathered crabs, the author's first impressions: sizes, colors and sexes.

costs of each building or work:

cost Girard Bank, South st. St. Andrew's Church, Eighth a-

27,000 scend, like their language. The peoke, madam! On my dear Dr. I To these may be added the Penn ple I mot constantly reminded me of an's have pines here; you'll spoil my avivania Institution for the Deaf and those of my own country-I caught the place; my curtains will smell of tobac. Dumb. Academy of Fine Arts, Acade same expression-often it glided by in co for a week. Not smoke, exclaim- my of National Sciences, Masonic Hall, complete identity-my ear took in acof the astonished and offended Gre City Library, Orphan's Asylum, Wid cents to which it was native-but I ciani why, madam, I have smoked in ow's Asylum, Walnut Street Theatre, knew no one. It was like coming to better houses. Perhaps so, sir, re Pennsylvania Hospital Almshouse, Hall another planet, familiar with voices and alied the lady with dignity; and she of Independence, and a long list of other faces, yet encircled by strangers."

son.

County Prison, Will's Hospital, for the Lame and Blind, to be completed this season, MERMAID.—A thing compounded of Central Presbyterian Church, es-

> South front of Girard's square, 16 houses, 4 stories high, with 256,000 marble basements, 22 houses,

> Public School, Front near Pine ats. Girard appropriation for improving the Eastern front of the Ci-From this statement it will be seen

ainisterings to a starved fancy .- to nearly Four millions and a half of

Commercial Emporium, it will probably estate in the city and county of Phila erve to catch gulls with in other places delphia-excluding all the public build

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From the Baltimore American.

Mr. Rush's forthcoming narrative of received a very liberal and commendatory notice in the London Literary Gazette. Part only of the work had been received by the reviewer, from which every description, much after the man-held. These contributions upon the were we to suffer public sentiment to we infer that the publication is going on simultaneously in London and Philadelphia. We anticipate a very instructive production, and one which will do much to make the true feelings of the well disposed of both countries towards roads two days, landed at Portsmouth, of a thousand pounds, and ministers estimation, widely variant from the each other better understood and more by some oversight the necessary orders plenipotentiary five hundred. If, then, truth. With the issue thus made up

audable example of the class which can observe faults at home and abroad without asperity, and hail the virtues which are common to every quarter and portion of the civilized world."

Contrasted with Mr. Rush's work on England, in the same article of the Gazette, is noticed a late book written on America and American Institutions, by a Mc Fidler, who, with his family, visited this country, and on his return has followed notable examples in publishing his experience. By the report of the reviewer, the reverend gentleman must have been a sort of supplemental Frollope, quite as ignorant and might have been supposed that these pays for music, he must consider him-mpudent without an equal proportion guardians of the revenue would have acid as having an equivalent in its silver

ract the list, as compiled for the Phila admit of one or more concentrated been sent." delphis Gazette, with the computed markets; but the imagination at a dis- "Whilst seated round our parlor fire tance pictures something different. in the evening, fatigued by the excite (Ten.) 20th June, says that the murder utterly untrue: that he was sitting Perhaps it is to give a hint of English ments we had gone through, and waittook place on the Cumberland Mounger, 182,063,000 liberty: if so, I will be the last to find ing the summons to dinner, we heard tain, about 60 miles from that place, on 30,000 draft horses;-what an aspect the

and straighter than the peasantry I had

City, in contradistinction to the West-Then said Dr. Parr, looking at her am- The following Public Buildings are now in end of London, always called Town. Tower. Saw the Bank, Royal Exmiddle of the streets, coal-wagons, and near to the foot-pavement, which is withal, in the name of common courte—

From this statement it will be seen and the great wheels of the wagons, others under like circ are only a few inches from them. In and with other incider this manner the whole procession in first day in England." movement, with its complicated noise; it confounds the senses to be among it And on the assessed value of real all. You would anticipate constant ac-

cidents, yet they seldom happen; the fear of the law preserves order; more count .-

ed was in view; her colors flying .-Still they alledged, that having received no orders to the contrary, they must upset my baggage. I said to Commo dore Stewart that, strictly, they were of capacity; -dall as well as silly and satisfied their sease of duty by a mere for | sounds."

plete assortment of aquatic rarities and maligoant. He is summarily depatch- mal examination of what was delivered so readily. Not so; carpet bags were We make an extract or two from ransacked; the folds of linen opened, ir. Rush's forthcoming work:

as if Brussels lace had been hidden in Of London, we transcribe some of them; small portmanteaus peered into, as if contraband lurked in every corlocomotive oysters, fur skinned lobsters, "I am (he says) disappointed in the ner. Nothing was overlooked. A tew named Dooly, who was travelling with &c. &c. including mermaids of all general exterior of the dwelling houses, books brought for amusement on the him in Tennessee. From a memo-I had anticipated something better at voyage were taken possession of, and I randum found on the body, it is sup statement which has been submitted the west end of the town; more symme- had to go on without them. I should posed that he had about four thousand to the public, differs very widely the west end of the town; more symme. had to go on without them. I should clips of Philadelphia.—As a proof of try; buildings more by themselves, de-have been disposed to make complaint dollars with him at the time, with from Mr. Gilmer's own account of the prosperity of Philadelphia, the en-noting the residences of the richest of this mock official fidelity and subal which he intended to purchase land the occurrence. It is alleged that he terprize & spirit of her citizens, the people in the richest city in Europe. tern folly, but from an unwillingness to public improvements in progress, and But I do not see these. I see haberdash begin my public career with a comthe anticipated internal advantages in er's shops, positerer's leaden stalls of plaint. And I remember to have heard it is supposed that he received the fatal ally inflicted a violent blow, whilst our city, the Commercial Herald had fishmongers, & the slaughtering blocks of Mr. Adams say, that when the allied blow while drinking from a spring of he (Mr. R.) was yet in his chair, the control of t istics of our city, chiefly relative to the bleman's mansion and a king's palace. battle of Waterloo, their baggage was ton's horse and made off; he was purpublic buildings or works, recently com- This may be necessary, or convenient, inspected at Diver, the order for expleted or now in preparation. We ex- for the supplies of a capital too large to emption having by an inadvertence, not yet apprehended. I have these facts

> fault. Being the day before Christmas, the bells. It was a fine chime, to the 10th June. Dooly, the murderer, there was more display in the shops which we all fistened. My wife was lived at the head of Elk River; he went 50,000 than usual. I did not get back until especially food of their music. Some home and remained one night, and then 175,000 candle light. The whole scene began times the sound grew faint, and then started for Texas. 162,000 to be illuminated. Altogether what a from a turn in the wind, came back in scene it was! the shops in the Strand peals. We knew not the cause. It ceived a letter from the Post Master at and elsewhere, where every conceiva passed in our thoughts that the same Abbeville C. Il enclosing the following merce may send them to us; then, the musing, an unexpected piece of intelli young family to deplore his loss.
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> with spacious walks; the palisades of We were given to understand that they a said to have tell a lamination with an analysis of We were given to understand that they are some formula of the said to have tell a lamination with a said to have tell a lamination wit iron, or enclosurers of solid wall, were ringing on the occasion of my arwhenever enclosures were requisite; rival; a compliment to my station to the people; the counties number of which I had not looked. We must in 10th inst. as supposed from the circumstanwhich I had not looked. We went in ces. The deceased is supposed to be of the equipages and fine horses, the gigantic to our first dinner in England under a name of Wm. Patton, from your dis draft horses;—what an aspect the continuation of their peals.—The cloth triet, on his way to the Western country, 33,000 whole exhibited what industy, what removed, we had a glass or two to our as appears from letters and papers found 25,000 luxury, what infinite particulars, what country and friends, after which we stances of the case are these as far as ascerreturned to our sitting room. When tailed to Sunday night he stailed to our 97,100 and straighter than the peasantry I had all were re-assembled there, an intima- balts, a few miles from this place, in company tion was given my that 'The royal with a man by the name of Bennett Dooly; bell ringers were in walting in the hall they left Col. Dalts together, and called at desirous of seeing me. They did not Mr. A. Kelly's, where Mr. Patton, as we supask admittance,—I was told, but at my pose his name to be, endeavored to get some change, he seemed to have a large pleasure. I directed them to be shown at once, beginning now to understand the spring to the compliment. Eight from this place they would have to ascend men with coats reaching down to their the Cumberland Mountain, hear the top of heels, hereupon slowly entered. They which he, Patton, was discovered yesterday, ranged themselves one after another in were attracted by the Buzzards. His face a solemn line along the wall. Every was shockingly mangled having been beat to "Went through Temple bar into the thing being adjusted, the spokesman at death. Patton was well dressed, riding a City, in contradistinction to the Westre now in end of London, always called Town.
> Passed along Fleet street, Ludgate hill, and other streets, in the direction of the Tower. Saw the Bank, Royal Exon my safe arrival in Old England as on my safe, arrival in Old England as ing, where he is, is yet unknown. Our change, Lord Mayor's house, Guildhall, ambassador extraordinary from the U- citizens are greatly excited, and will do change, Lord Mayor's house, Guidinall, ambassador extraordinary from the Usin,000 India house, the Excise buildings. If I looked with any feelings of wonder on the throngs at the West-end, more cause is there for it here. The shops which they had their book to show.
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> stand side by side for entire miles; the Their book was a curiosity. It looked account of the circumstances pretty much as affair, nor do we make it upon our count of the circumstances pretty much as affair, nor do we make it upon our count of the circumstances pretty much as affair, nor do we make it upon our count of the circumstances pretty much as affair, nor do we make it upon our count of the circumstances pretty much as affair, nor do we make it upon our count of the circumstances pretty much as affair, nor do we make it upon our count of the circumstances pretty much as affair, nor do we make it upon our count of the circumstances pretty much as affair, nor do we make it upon our count of the circumstances pretty much as affair, nor do we make it upon our count of the circumstances pretty much as affair, nor do we make it upon our count of the circumstances pretty much as affair, nor do we make it upon our count of the circumstances pretty much as affair. accumulation of things is amazing. It like a venerable heir bom of office, detailed above, but states that the gentleman would seem impossible that there can There were in it the names of I know murdered was supposed to be a Dr. Hender seem the purchasers for them all, until you not how many ambassadors, ministers, from South-Carolina, near Charleston. 11,000 consider what multitudes there are to and other functionaries, arriving from 13,000 buy; then you are disposed to ask how foreign parts, through the lapse of I the buyers can be supplied. In the know not how many ages, with the do spared the painful necessity of saying not, under such circumstances, the nations annexed to each. Magna one word in relation to the very just to withhold from the public his others as large, carts, trucks, vehicles Charta itself is not a more important of every sort, loaded in every way, are document to the liberties of England, passed. They are in two close lines, than this book to the royal bell ringers reaching farther than the eye can see, of Portsmouth! I cheerfully gave to the Hon. Wm. C. Rives and Thom- tice to Mr. Rives, we subjoin the

> > A similar imposition awaited his reception at court; and as it may be news

the dress of the people. A large pro- have also been to me fraternities more portion were of the working classes; yet nearly allied to the Portsmouth bellafter remaining on board his ship in the ceived from the government a present be would promptly reject as, in his generally appreciated. Mr. Rush is had not come down from London for on their arrival, and afterwards, there between the parties, we have nothing hailed in the Literary Gazette as "a the passage of his baggage, he states are appeals to their bounty by those in to do. Our business is not to ren-"When we reached the shore tide- menial and such like situations about der a verdict; but to do justice to an waiters advanced to take possession of the government, the latter it seems absent man, by submitting to the pubmy baggage. They were informed of pays back again! I do not hint that it my public character. This did not does so in the light of an indemnificathe United States never takes the five hundred pounds, the constitution of his country forbidding it, but this is a point which, it may be presumed he does not stop to expound to the servants of the ight, and directed my servant to de foreign secretary, or the royal waits liver it. There was but little, the and music? It would doubtless be to principal part having been left on board them a novel plea in bar for not putting to await the permit of exemption. It his hand in his pocket! Whenever he

him in Tennessee. From a memo- by Mr. Gifmer upon Mr. Rives, the which he intended to purchase land the occurrence. It is alleged that he in Alabama. The body was found not only committed upon Mr. Rives near Winchester, and from its situation the "Randolph outrage," but actusued, but at the last-accounts was not from Mr. Patton of this place, his cousin."

took place on the Cumberland Moun in his chair, immediately by the side

ble article lay before you; and all made pells might have rung their hurras for copy of a letter received by him the torted language equally offensive, 33,000 of article lay before you, and the more, the victories of Hawke and Nelson; coming from a country where few things are made, however foreign coming the victories of Hawke and Nelson; of things are made, however foreign coming the sir Cloudesly Shovel's too." Thus said to have left an amiable wife and a retort, both parties were simultaneously rising from their seats:

"Sir-A most horrible murder has been 10th inst. as supposed from the circumstantained. On Sunday night he staid at Col.

rom the Charlottesville (Va ) Advocate, unpleasant affair, which occured in account of an occurrence, that none this place on Monday last, between regret more than ourselves. In jusgoing reverse ways; the horses come so the good humored fraternity the gratui. as W. Gilmer, Esq. After the free following article from the Chronicle: ty which their efforts in their vocation and full exposition of all the circum-8500,090 crowded with people, that their hoofs appeared to have drawn from so many stances of the case, which both parand the great wheels of the wagons, others under like circumstances. So, ties had ample opportunity of making and with other incidents, passed my to their respective friends, and which actually was made in the presence and under the sa ction of the judicial tribunal of the county; and more to our readers, as to us, we copy the ac- especially as both gentlemen avowed their determination to give to unless indeed it should meet the fate ings, all the churches, the squares, over, the universal sense of danger if "Since my reception, I have had the public the entire correspondence of the memorable "Poulican," a sort of burying grounds, &c. none of which are order were violated, prevents its viola calls from servants of official persons between them, we did not for a mo-"Since my reception, I have had the public the entire correspondence wingless hoppogriff, made of a shaved subject to taxation—the Herald has tion. I am assured that these streets for 'favors.' I became acquainted ment doubt that the propriety of reand mutilated donkey, with which the been able to ascertain the average present the same appearance every with the term at Portsmouth. They fraining from any ex parts statement tion. I am assured that these streets for 'favors.' I became acquainted ment doubt that the propriety of reday in the year except Sundays, when had no warrant from their masters, but of the occurrence, or of the circumsolitude reigns. I must notice as before came under ancient custom. There stances which led to it, would be at once recognized and cheerfully acall were whole in their clothing; you ringers; as the palace drums and quiesced in, by all. Notwithstandcould hardly see exceptions. All fifes,' the 'royal waits and music;' and ing this expectation, however, the looked healthy; the more to be remark | a third, the derivation of which I could course which a contemporary has ed in parts of the city where they live in not understood, and which no external thought proper to pursue, has left perpetual crowds by day, and sleep in signs that I saw bespoke-the king's us no alternative. In the absence is residence in England, as American confined places. The Custom house, marrowbones and cleavers.' Each pre- of Mr. Gilmer, who has been called Minister to the Court of St. James, has and black forest of ships below London sented me with a congratulatory ad to Lewisburg by professional busibridge, I saw by a glimpse; that was dress, each had their book to show? ness in the Court of Appeals, we enough to show that the Thames was They all have something to do with should be wanting in justice as well

ner that I beheld Cheapside and Fleet diplomatic stranger awakened, at first, street to be choked with vehicles that move on land."

When the American pienipotentiary, Ambassadors on leaving England, re.

were we to suffer public sentiment to be forestalled, by passing unnoticed a statement, which, had be himself an opportunity of doing so, we know lic what we believe to be his version of the occurrence, lest the truth of turn them from their purpose. The tion; but the customs harmonise.— of the occurrence, lest the truth of that which has emanated from another purpose. True, the minister, plenipotentiary of the occurrence, lest the truth of the occurrence, lest the occurrence of the occurrence occurrence of the occurrence of the occurrence occurrence of the occurrence occurrence occurrence of the occurrence occurrenc other source, because undenied, should be deemed undeniable.

Mr. Gilmer and Mr. Rives, as it to it, supercedud the necessity of a will very soon be in the possession such conference. They, however of the public, we even now feel a re- met at one of one taverus, and r Inctance to say any thing. It will speak for itself; and the public can decide from its tenor and the facts which it will develope, whether Mr. Conversation, Mr. Cilmer demanded in the facts conversation, Mr. Cilmer demanded in the facts which it will develope, whether Mr. conversation, Mr. Cilmer demanded in the facts of the conversation of th

Rives' injustice in mistrusting his An extract of a letter, dated Ashe- friendship, or demanded reparation ville, Buncombe County, (N. C.) June 28th, has the following:—"Mr. Patton, of Abbeville, was robbed and murdered about two weeks since, by a man With respect to the account weeks. With respect to the assault made

and altogether unexpecting the attack, because Mr. Gilmer had risen, for the purpose as he believed of leaving the room. This statement baving been heard by Mr. Gilmer, before of Mr Rives, when, after several ineffectual demands for acknowledgment of the wrong he afleged had been done him, he told Mr. Rives that no alternative was left him, but to pronounce that his Mr. R.'s conduct towards him, had been that of a hyneously rising from their seats:-That they were in the act and attitude of rising, when he did commit Phis done, Mr. Rives commenced striking him with the butt end of his horsewhip, and inflicted with it one or two slight blows: That whilst this was passing, he attempted to serze Mr. Rives by the coat with his left hand, but in doing so, was so unfortunate as to get his finger in Mr. Rives's mouth, a circumstance which resulted in the only injury that Mr. Gil. mer received in the affray. And it was at this juncture-Mr. Gilmer alleges, whilst his finger was actually undergoing a most painful operation, that he struck Mr. Rives two blows in the face; and that he did this with a view of extricating the luckless member. Having succeedseparated.

own responsibility. To the best of our recollection, it is the statement of Mr. Gilmer himself. He is absent

"A good deal of sensation was produced among the people on our last court day, by a very unexpected and violent assault, which was made on the person of our Senator, Mr. Rives, by Thomas W. Gilmer, one of the Representatives of our county. It seems that some correspondence kad existed between them as to the character of their relations. Mr. Rives having frankly told him of the circumstances, which had induced a reluctant mistrust of his friendly professions, and Mr. Gilmer requiring him to ackowledge the injustice of that mistrust, From the correspondence, which was read in our court, on the pendency of the question, whether they should be bound in recognizances for keeping the peace, it appeared that Mr. Rives had written the last letter, which expressed in very temperate and unoffensive language, his determination to close the corchoked up with vessels and boats of out door arrangements when levees are as friendship to that gentleman, Gilmer's previous letter was, independent of other evidence, alone sufficient testimony of his unfriendly feelings towards him, and particularly as he had no right or intention to con plain that he was not his friendthat having thus ascertained their true relations, and divested their intercourse of those delusive appearances which might prove as injurious o him, as they certainly were repugpant to his feelings, he had accomplished the only object he had in view. Before the reception of Mr. Gilmer's last letter, it is true that Mr. Pives proposed to converse with him on the subject of their difference, but Of the correspondence between that letter, and especially his reply