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PHRENOLOGY. EDITOR OF THE TRUE SUN.

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s ago, as to assign to different the brain, the seat of the different into which they conceived the divided. These divisions were, wholly arbitrary. They were deno regular system of long continution, and were the results merely pricious fancy of the individuals them. That the brain is the seat been a more general belief, tion having prevailed in the rees, and having continued to be ento the present day.

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which had been left by others, ver to which particular portion of each particular function of the ngs. He applied method to that ore had been without method ; nd philosophical investigation to h had hitherto been oid of either true philosophy The reader may then,-Why was it that this sysnot at once received The anain ; because the prejudices and of the "great in science and tirades of interested enemies or ignorant rewere opposed to innovation viewers.

he peo lose to look fing pro system ople are to open their eyes to the ignoature of the servitude by which been hitherto bound down to aund are beginning to learn that they ust right to think for themselves.

tian in the city of Vienna. at the school he found himself fre-

singular coincidence of p nd power of remembering words,

be merely accidental. Being person of high intellectual powers, ce perceived that the eve itself ve nothing to do with the matter,



on on the skull of the manifestation the projected Ottawa com did the numerous variations in the of human beings, he took careful hen he observed any individual dised, by any striking treat, and then rs. This ascertained, he noted would secure all the internet

mparing other cases wi th the one, until such a multitude of instances had uvians. xton, of the brig Admiral, arrived come under his notice, as could leave no doubt on his mind of the justness of the conclusion, that the particular development and the manifestation of character in question, insurgents in that province, and the manifestation of character in que the bader, Bento Gonsalvez, and bore a mutual relation to each other. It must be carefully observed, that D Gall never for a moment imagined that the skull itself was in any way connected with

the exhibition of character which its elevation indicated. He referred that elevation from the first, to the size and shape of the brain beneath, concluding that the latter only was the instrument to whose influence ar trait was to be ascribed.

eries of observations conducted ciples through many years, be acknowledged was the true pirit of investigation, Dr. Gall at length views founded on these ations, and well deserving o " system." Having ascertain I of the skull, that the ize of the brain beneath are ac

ning difference a period as the second provide the exterior form of e so far, at so remote a period as that covering, or that the occasional variations in this correspondence are so trifling, in comparison with the degree of development-being never more than a quarter one-and-a-half inches, as to throw no difficulty whatever in the way, he found himself fully justified in maintaining that the human mind performs its operations through the medium of a material agent (not, how ever, thus necessarily concluding the minitself to be material;) that this agent is the brain ; that the brain is not an undialthost every writer on the sub-There can, I mental operations, but consists of a co

or assemblage of organs, each organ a distinct function from even it is taking cognizance of a di ular and independent class of o lastly, that it is possible, by nation of the exterior of the skull, to ascertain the degree in one of these organs exists in thy individual. It is this las which consists a very large por utility of phrenology as a science It is on the truth of this position that a great portion of the benefit asserted to be the ne-

cessary results of a diffusion of phrenologica knowledge must depend. The above are the fundamental prince ples of the science of Phrenology. In support of their truths the advocates of tha science appeal to but one authority-and that is the book of Nature. There, and there only, is confirmation or refutation of those principles to be found, and not in the

What the particular organs were, which ablished theories, however base- n- Gall discovered, and what additions be those discovered his day, been made to those dis-

the science has progressed, ve for the subject of another letrequesting the reader to observe. the account which I have given. that Phrenology is a science ew out of observation only, and no nere fancy of some preconceived

I am, &c. J. T. S. 1. 1836. Commercial.

MONTREAL MARKETS, December 16 .--- We have

to alteration to notice in any article. Exchange pon the presumption of that right it on England has shown a tendency to decline, now appeal to them on behalf of the negotiations of Merchants' Bills for the 24th packet have however been mostly made at 12 . Gall, the founder of the system @ 121 In West India Produce, there is see ology, was born at Tiefeuburn, in ly any thing doing. The following statement in the 9th of March, 1757, but be- shows the stocks on hand of Rum, Muscovsdo sequently a resident and a practis- and Refined Sugars, compared with the same period last year :---



MONTREAL, MONDAY, DEC. 19, 1836.

There has been lying by us for some tim it must be the skull behind it, a printed sheet, entitled " Comparative Reaking the shape of the brain beneath, marks on Two projected communications with he eye to stand more forward than Lake Huron." One of the two routes alluded nonly the case. The only method to is by the River Trent, the chain of lakes this mode of explaining so interpeculiarity could be tested, was by The other would open up a direct commun ig closely whether other striking cation between this city and Lake Huron by

> at Manitoulin Island and the main land ad of Lake Huron and lower extremike Michigan. The writer states ard to the comparative expense of their natural facilities are nearly As to the practicability of the route t, considerable certainty premust be allowed that the practicabi-the other rests pretty much upon con-jectural grounds. The estimated length of

number of the faculties. Know-Montreal to Huron is about five hundred miles, while between the same points th route by the Trent would certainly be great-The author of the "Comparative Ren

hat portion of it seemed to bear a gives the decided preference to the Ous preponderance of development route, principally upon the grounds, that and took every subsequent oppor- ourselves, without the hazard of any part

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# Summary.

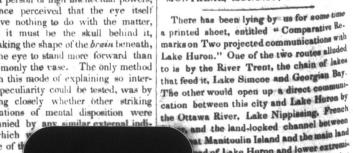
THE MORETON MURDER-The Prisoner Gal.

# THE MORNING COURIER FOR THE COUNTRY, DECEMBER 19, 1836.

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Barrimong Marker, DEC. 9. FLOUR.—In Howard street, things remain in the same inshimate state as at our last report. We continue the same guotations. \$10,25 from wagons, \$10,50 from store. Sales of Howard street, on the wharf, at \$10,50. City Mille— we quote at \$10,50. GRAIN-We are not advised of any transac-tions in Maruland Wheats since our last report.

