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# AN ODD FISH. Queer Marine Monster a Natural En-

emy to Whales.

While operating at a fishery in Admiralty island, Alaska, one summer my attention and the attention of the fishing crew were almost daily attracted to a large marine creature that would appear in the main channel of Seymour canal and our immediate vicinity. There are large numbers of whales of the species rorqual there, and the monster seemed to be their natural enemy. The whales generally travel in schools, and while at the surface to blow one would be singled out and attacked by the fish, and a battle was soon in order. It is the nature of the rorqual to make three blows at intervals of from | ited to a few tunes which are in equal two to three minutes each, and then sound deep and stay beneath the surneral. face for thirty or forty minutes. As a right side and just about where his marry he asks for the girl of his choice head would connect with the body a of the parents, not of the girl herself. great long tail or fin, "judged by five and if she is given the prendorio at fishermen and a number of Indians, once follows, ushered in by shooting after seeing it about fifteen times at | and demonstrations of joy. The bride various distances," to be about twenty- and bridegroom are publicly presented four feet long, two and one-half feet to their future parents-in-law, after wide at the end and tapering down to which the company pass in procession the water, where it seemed to be about in front of the couple, each one dropeighteen inches in diameter, looking ping a piece of money into the hands very much like the blade of the fan of of the bride. Then follows the inevitaan old fashioned Dutch windmill. ble dance. This public betrothal is con-The great club was used on the back sidered almost as binding as marriage. of the unfortunate whale in such a and I have heard of but one instance manner that it was a wonder to me in which the compact was not kept, the

that every whale attacked was not instantly killed. Its operator seemed to have perfect control of its movements and would bend it back until the end would touch the water, forming a horseshoe loop; then with a sweep it followed by a feast more notable for would be straightened and brought the abundance of things to drink than over and down on the back of the whale with a whack that could be heard for several miles. If the whale was fortunate enough to submerge itself before the blows came, the spray would fly for a distance of a hundred

feet from the effect of the stroke, making a report as loud as a yacht's signal

What seemed most remarkable to me was that, no matter which way the attacked whale went or how fast (the usual speed is about fourteen knots). that great club would follow right along by its side and deliver those tremendous blows at intervals of about four or five seconds. It would always get in from three to five blows at each of the three times the whale would come to the surface to blow. The whale would generally rid itself of the enemy when it took its deep sound, especially if the water was forty fathoms or more deep. During the day the attack was always offshore, but at night the whales would be attacked in the bay and within 400 yards of the fishery.

I do not know of any whales being killed, but there were several that had great holes and sores on their backs. Questioning the Indians about it, I was told that there was only one, that it had been there for many years and that it once attacked an Indian canoe and with one stroke of the great club smashed the canoe into splinters, killing and drowning several of its occupants.-Forest and Stream.

Siam. The worth thing that can happen to man in Siam is to get into debt, from dicate a modification in physical strucwhich there is never any escape, owing to the exorbitant interest charged. Star's infancy the characteristic wide man's drug store, price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Once in debt there is no appeal, the lines of hydrogen gas predominate in debtor being stripped of his clothes and the spectrum. As the color changes, compelled to work in fetters, generally the lines of calcium, magnesium and for the rest of his life, to pay the inter- iron appear, the hydrogen lines graduest. Drunkards are not permitted to ally becoming thinner and those of give evidence in the law courts of calcium broader. - Booklovers Maga-Siam. The Buddhist priests, clad in zine. yellow robes, are to be seen everywhere in Bangkok, and it is quite com Traffe In Human Skin. mon for young men to enter the priest The skin grafting experiments which hood, which affords them an easy and have been so successful of recent years luxurious existence, owing to the libhave led to a new form of livelihood, erality of the populace toward any one which is fairly remunerative. Several sanctioned to the service of Buddha. of the London hospitals have on their books the names and addresses of A Chinese Columbus many men and women who have undertaken to sell portions of their cuti-The belief in a Chinese Columbus was first allowed by scholars only in the cle whenever the necessity arises, and first half of the last century. The it is said that quite a regular traffic is claim is that a Buddhist priest in the now being done in the buying and sellfifth century crossed the Pacific to this ing of human skin. The persons who continent and returned, making a writare willing to sacrifice their flesh for money are by no means confined to the ten report of his discovery. The report poor and destitute class.-London Mail. still exists. It was translated into French in 1791 by M. de Guignes. It gave a narrative of a voyage eastward The first step toward the formation by a priest for 20,000 ll, where he found of the postal union, which has had a country which he named Fusang. People similar to the Indians were desuch wide results, came from Gerscribed, as well as American plants. many in the shape of a proposal for an international postal congress. This met The only doubt about the matter is as to the distance meant by 20,000 li. The at Berne in 1873, when twenty-two priest may have reached only some iscountries joined the union, including land in the Pacific ocean. the whole of Europe. A second con-

# MARRIAGE IN MEXICO.

North Carolina, wishing to cross the How the Engagement and Wedding lake upon the banks of which they Ceremonies Are Celebrated. The Mexican people are hospitable to were encamped, made the necessary

recreant bridegroom in that case being

visited with ostracism. The betrothal

for things to eat and by the usual

prolonged for several nights after the

THE AGE OF STARS.

ing His Calculations.

are only beginning to exist as stars

After having coagulated, as it were,

and others whose light is fast fading.

The Postal Union.

gress met in Paris in 1878, when ten

other countries came in, and the offi-

cial title, "International Postal Union."

was definitely fixed. Its sphere was

further enlarged at congresses at Lis-

The Attraction.

and her mother are fearfully lax house

told that I'm mussing things up!-De-

An Uneasy Seat. "Pa," said Tommy, opening the pa-

Skillful Porto Ricans.

Rico are especially skillful with the

needle and produce a considerable quan-

tity of fipe drawn work and laces

per, "who sits on the seat of war?"

in it."-Baltimore Herald.

small ones.-Virgil.

troit Free Press.

Prim Mother-My son, I am afraid

bon in 1885 and at Vienna in 1891.

wedding .- Southern Workman.

a fault, always welcoming their friends preparations. Then they asked the even though they have not enough to guide if he could row. "Ro'?" he queried in answer. "Ro'! eat themselves. And they religiously No, I reck'n not. Reck'n I never tried visit the sick, including those who have contagious diseases. They are al-

Under these circumstances the party so addicted to public social functions, the invariable mode of entertainment made arrangements to do the rowing themselves, and were consequently asbeing the dance. They are fond of mutonished when the guide, stepping into sic, though not proficient in the art of the boat, seated himself at the oars making it, probably more from lack of and prepared to be the motive power. opportunity than from lack of capac-"Why," exclaimed one of the party, ity. The violin and guitar are the usual "I thought you said you couldn't row?" instruments of music, the repertory of the local musicians being usually lim-The guide was plainly puzzled and could be heard to repeat to himself sevdemand for the dance and for the fu- eral times "Ro'! Ro'!

"I reck'n'd you all meant ro' like a lion. I can't do that. But pull an o', One of the most interesting and beauwhale would come to the surface there tiful of the social functions is the pren- why, I've done that all my life. I would appear always at the whale's dorio. When a young man wishes to shorely can pull an o'."-Louisville Courier-Journal.

As the Guide Understood It.

A party of hunters in the wilds of

#### Three Kinds of Men.

Here is a classification of men expounded by a spinster in an article. "The Truth About Man." "Men as a whole," she says, "may be roughly divided into three distinct species-the bold, the shy and the tough." The first class includes "those self assured males" who fall in and out of love with every other woman they meet; the second class is made up of "the world's good fellows who have a great reverence for all women and silently adore one for life without telling her so," and the third species "is concerned is usually followed by marriage just as only with getting on and making monsoon as the services of the priest can ey, is absolutely indifferent to women be secured. The marriage ceremony is and marries only as a matter of expediency. The first of these we unhes itatingly condemn and find irresistible; the second we admire profoundly, dance. Indeed the festivities are often praise without stint and ignore utterly; the third we dislike, despise and-marry."

The Bloody Hand.

The noted English family of the Holtes has for its badge a bloody hand. Color Aids the Astronomer In Makand this sinister badge commemorates a wager that ended in a crime. Sir As a star contracts from the sur rounding nebulous matter from which Thomas Holte, one day in 1612, was hunting. He invited his compades it was thrown off its temperature rises, and with this augmented heat occurs a home with him to dinner, and as he change both in the star's spectrum and | rode along he made a heavy bet on his color. Redhot iron is not nearly so hot cook's punctuality. But the cook failed him for once; when he got home dinas white hot iron. By observing the various changes in tint which the metal ner was not ready. The jeers of his undergoes the foundryman is able to companions at this failure, together tell with considerable accuracy its de- with his huge loss in the matter of the gree of heat. A somewhat similar wager, enraged him so that he ran into method of gauging a star's temperature, the kitchen, seized a cleaver and split and therefore its age, is relied upon y the cook's head open with it. Afterthe astronomer. Color, then, and spec- ward his family, to keep this crime troscopic analysis enable the astrono- alive, adopted for its crest the bloody mer to estimate the age of orbs that hand of the cook killer.

## Strikes Hidden Rocks.

from a nebulous mass, a star àssumes a color that may be best described as When your ship of health strikes an intense bluish white, much like that of the electric arc. Stars of that hue the hidden rocks of Consumption, are, therefore, in their infancy. Then Pneumonia, etc., you are lost, if you comes the white stage, followed by the don't get help from Dr. King's New yellow, orange and red, each succeed. Discovery for Consumption. J. W. ing hue indicating greater celestial an-McKinnon, of Talladega Springs, Ala., tiquity than the last. Up to the yellow writes: "I had been very ill with period the star as it contracts grows Pneumonia, under the care of two hotter and hotter. Then a gradual cool ing takes place. Accompanying the changes in color are changes in the spectrum of the star-changes that inhotter and hotter. Then a gradual cooldicate a modification in physical struc-ture. In the bluish white period of a colds. Guaranteed at H. H. Bate-

#### MAKE MONEY **Notice to Creditors.**

In the matter of the estate of John G. Riley

Deceased. Notice is hereby given by the undersigned Martha E. Riley, executive of the hast will of John G. Riley, late of the city of Chicago, in the county of Cook and State of Illinois, de-ceased, to all creditors of, and all persons having claims stainst, said deceased, to ex-hibit them with the necessary vonchers, with in four months after the first publication of this notice to said executive at the office of the county judge, in the village of Coopers-town, in said Griggs county. MARTHA E, RILEY, Executive. 3.9

### Notice of Lease of School and

#### Institution Lands.

D. J LAXDAL. Comm'r of University and Schoo' Lands.

# Notice and Citation, Hearing of Final Account and Distribution.

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA. ( County of Griggs. ) In County Court, before Hon. Will H. Carle-ton. Judge. In the matter of the estate of Thore J. Ode-

son, deceased. John K. Olson, Administrator Simon Johnson, John Johnson and t Sever Johnson, Respondents. The State of North Dakota to the above

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 STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA (SS County of Griggs.

 District Court, 5th Indicial District.

 Ina M. Fenner, Plaintiff ( VS Otto Fenner, Defendant )

 The State of North Dakota to the above name ed defendant.

 To use hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled action which is filed in the of-fice of the clerk of the district court for Griggs county and State of North Dakota, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscriber at his offic in the VI large of Cooperstown. In said county, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscriber at his offic in the VI large of Cooperstown. In said county. All uncultivated lands, and in no case will a bid be entertained for any quarter section at less than 50 per year. Lands appraised who can of hve years.

 The district court for Griggs county and State of North Dakota, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscriber at his offic in the VI large of Cooperstown. In said county. All uncultivated lands, appraised whe of cultivated and state, within thirty days after the service of this summons upon you. exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fall to appear or answer the said complaint. within the time aforesaid, jodgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the complaint.

 M. M. BALDWIN, Plaintiff's Attorney. Cooperstown. North Da kota.
 A. M. BALDWIN, 2-323

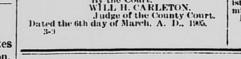
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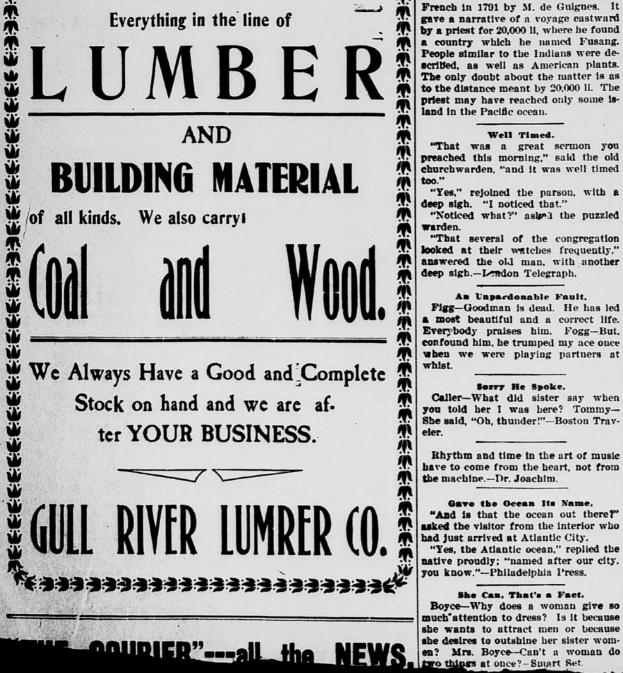
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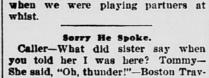
# Ule have it!



Well Timed. "That was a great sermon you preached this morning," said the old churchwarden, "and it was well timed too." "Yes," rejoined the parson, with

deep sigh. "I noticed that." "Noticed what?" asled the puzzled warden. S. "That several of the congregation Ú, looked at their watches frequently," answered the old man, with another deep sigh .- Indon Telegraph.

An Unpardonable Fault. Figg-Goodman is dead. He has led a most beautiful and a correct life. Everybody praises him. Fogg-But, confound him, he trumped my ace once



Rhythm and time in the art of music have to come from the heart, not from the machine .- Dr. Joachim.

Gave the Ocean Its Name. "And is that the ocean out there?" asked the visitor from the interior who had just arrived at Atlantic City. "Yes, the Atlantic ocean," replied the native proudly; "named after our city. you know."-Philadelphia Press.

She Can, That's a Fact. Boyce-Why does a woman give so much attention to dress? Is it because she wants to attract men or because she desires to outshine her sister womOrdinance in Regard to Sidewalks.

Upon motion the following ordinance in relation to sidewalks and the laying thereof was unanimously adopt

It is hereby ordered that all sidewalks hereafter laid in the Village of Cooperstown be constructed of cement or stone unless by special permission of the board of trustees, which permission shall be by resolution of the said board of trustees duly adopted in a regular or special session; that said walks shall be laid upon a good and substantial foundation of sand and gravel of at least six inches in depth, and the outside of said walks shall in all cases, except on the north and west side of blocks seventy-three, the north and east side of block seventy-four,on the south and west side of block sixty. and the south and east side of block tifty-nine, be on a line ten feet from the outer line of the lots along which the same is laid; that along said afore-said mentioned blocks on the north and south sides respectively, the outer line of said walks shall be twelve feet from the outer line of the lots along which the same is laid, and on the east and west side of said blocks as heretofore mentioned the outer line of said walks shall be ten feet from the outer line of said lots along which the same is laid, and built on an in-cline from the line of said lots to the outer line of said walks so as to shed water. and that along said outer line along said last mentioned blocks there you are going to make a mistake in shall be constructed a curb of cement or stone set well into the ground so as marrying Miss Easyways. Both she to prevent the same from sagging or spreading out. That on the balance of said streets the curb shall be fifteen keepers. Son-I know it. mother: that's what caught me. It's so comfortable feet from the line of the lots and said last mentioned walks shall be at least four and one-half feet wide and all of said walks shall be laid under the suover there, you know. I can sit down anywhere in the parlor without being

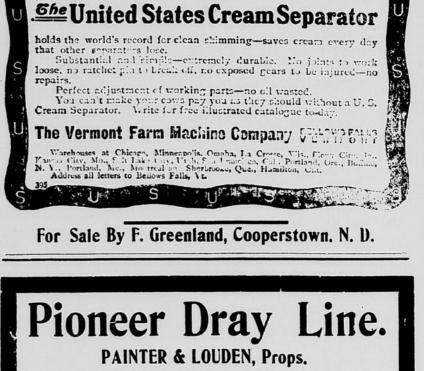
pervision and direction of the village marshal or the board of trustees. Dated at Cooperstown, N. D., Aug. 9th, 1905. S. SANSBURN, Fresident. WILL H. CARLETON, Clerk.



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