

STRANGE SEA MONSTER IN ST. CROIX WATERS.

Thought by Some to be a Female Narwhal From Arctic Waters—Bears a Charmed Life.

(St. Andrews Beacon.) The "sea serpent" which has been alarming bathers and boaters in the St. Croix river for several weeks past, and which seems to bear a charmed life, turns out to be a species of white whale, probably a female narwhal. The big fish belongs properly to Arctic waters, but has probably been beguiled hither by the schools of herring which have tolled it along the coast and finally led it into the St. Croix river.

Strong demand for stocks in loan crowd.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—A summary of the morning's news is given by The Equitable and Mutual Life Ins. Co., Mrs. Sage, United States Trust Co., J. P. Morgan and Co., and a number of smaller bankers were the fortunate ones in having the New York city bonds awarded to them. The white bid which was a very large one was thrown out by the comptroller late yesterday as the check presented by that firm was not honored.

Special Clothing Sale at Oak Hall Branch

For Every Man who Needs a Suit Here's Great News! The Boys Provided For, Too.

We've grouped several lots of our Men's and Boys' Suits for a Three Day Special Sale—Thursday Friday and Saturday—at prices which bring you some of the greatest values that even we have ever been able to give, and you know the values that come from here have no equal in the city. What makes these values so remarkable is the fact that our regular prices are 25 to 30 per cent. below what other stores charge, and it is these less than other prices that have been reduced for this Special Three Day Sale.

- Men's Suits—Regular price, \$5.00 Special Sale Price \$4.15
Men's Suits—Regular price, 6.00 Special Sale Price \$4.15
Men's Suits—Regular price, 8.00 Special Sale Price \$6.15
Men's Suits—Regular price, 8.50 Special Sale Price \$6.15
Men's Suits—Regular price, 10.00 Special Sale Price \$6.15
Men's Suits—Regular price \$12.00—Special sale price \$8.15

Furnishings for Men and Boys at Very Special Prices.

- Our entire stock of Men's Hard and Soft Bosom Shirts is marked at special prices for these three days.
Regular prices, \$1.00, 1.25, 1.50.
Black and Blue Duck Working Shirts. Regular price, 65c, 75c. Special Price, 70c
Extra Heavy Duck Shirts. Regular prices 75c, 85c. Special Price, 80c
Men's Cashmere Hose. Regular price 25c. Special Price, 30c
Heavy Grey Wool Hose. Regular price 30c. Special Price, 35c
Men's Neckwear. Regular Price, 25c. Special Price, 30c
Men's Neckwear. Regular Price, 35c, 50c. Special Price, 40c
Boys' Buster Brown Hose. Regular price, 25c. Special Price, 30c
Boys' Black Cat Hose, Regular price 25c. Special Price, 30c
Boys' Black Cat Hose, Regular price 35c. Special Price, 40c
Boys' Flannel Shirts, Regular price, 25c. Special Sale Price, 30c

This Special Sale will be Held at our Branch Store, 695 Main Street, during Thursday, Friday and Saturday of This Week Only. Don't make any mistake as to the place, 695 Main Street.

OAK HALL BRANCH, 695 Main St., St. John, N. B.

COMMERCIAL

WALL STREET. NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—Primary prices of stocks showed vigorous advances over last night with an active demand. There were dealings in the New York City new 4 1/2 per cent. bonds when issued in the unaltered department at 102 1/2 and 103.

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT.

Dec. corn ... 100% 121 120%
Soybean oil ... 10% 15% 15%
Wheat ... 97% 97% 97%
Chicago market report details including prices for various commodities like wheat, corn, and oil.

NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS.

Table with columns for stock names and prices. Includes Amalg. Copper, Am. Sugar, Am. Smelt, etc.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE TRANSACTIONS.

Table with columns for stock names and prices. Includes Dominion Coal, Dom. Iron, etc.

MAGIC SOLA advertisement featuring a woman's face and text: 'MAGIC SOLA OR CALDERATE IS THE BEST. E.W. GILLET COMPANY TORONTO, ONT.'

Summary, September 12th, 1907. Consols are 1/4 higher at 82 1/8 for money and 82 7/8 for account. American stocks strong, 1/4 to 3/4 above parity.

CONDITIONS VERY MUCH THE SAME AS IN ST. JOHN.

BOSTON, Mass., Sept. 11.—A report upon the street cleaning and watering departments of the city of Boston by Richard T. Fox, of Chicago, an expert brought here to make an investigation by a committee of citizens was detailed comment upon the conduct and efficiency of this department.

CEMENT-LINED GRAVES THE NEWEST FAD.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Sept. 12.—Delegates to the American Portland Cement Manufacturers' Convention in session here reported the discovery that concrete lined graves heretofore sealed would preserve bodies far longer than any other method except the embalming of the ancients. It was asserted that thousands of tons of cement will be demanded for such use in the next few years.

Every Woman advertisement for 'MARVEL Whirling Spray' with an illustration of a woman.

GIRL LIVES IN WOODS FOR THREE MONTHS.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Sept. 11.—Unclaimed except for a ragged shirt, with her hair matted, hanging about her neck and shoulders and resembling an animal, Elsie Holland, thirteen years old, has been found. Rather than live with her adopted mother, who she asserts, beat and otherwise ill-treated her, the girl ran away three months ago, and has been living in a pine woods at Berlin, N. J.

ANTI-ASIATIC TROUBLE FEARED IN WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 12.—An anonymous letter received here warns of a possible outbreak of anti-Asian sentiment in the city of Washington. The letter is said to have been written by a Chinese resident in the city.

STRIKING OPERATOR GOT GAY WITH THE WIRE.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 12.—A. C. Tripp, a striking operator, was arrested last night on a charge of malicious mischief for interfering with the Associated Press leased wire. He stopped up to a key which was not in use, opened it and stopped the report, while he called to the operators on the circuit all names of Chinese in the city.

POSTAGE STAMP INVESTOR GOT NOTHING THIS TIME.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Abraham White, the original "postage stamp bidder" failed to get any of the New York city bonds sold yesterday, although he bid for the entire \$400,000,000 offered for sale and put up an accepted draft for the \$200,000 required by law to accompany the bid.

CEMETERIES CONFESS MURDER.

VIENNA, Sept. 11.—The Countess Zerkowicz, the fiancée of Count Komarowsky, who was shot by a man named Naumoff, said to be the lover of the Countess, last Thursday night, had confessed that she made an arrangement with a Moscow lawyer named Prilukoff for the murder of the Count. The latter was insured for a large sum, and when the Countess was arrested yesterday it was said that she had worked upon Naumoff's jealousy to induce him to commit the crime in order that she might secure the life insurance of the Count.

WANTED LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION.

WANTED—Boy to learn plumbing. J. H. Noble, King Square. 12-9-4.
WANTED—A nurse girl or general girl. Apply to Mrs. Crandall, 26 Crown Street.
CLEAN ROOMS—To visitors in Boston by day or week. 47 Appleton street. 12-9-4.
WANTED—Five boys and ten girls wanted. Apply THE WHITE CANDY CO., Union street. 12-9-4.

REVIEW OF THE POLITICAL SITUATION IN AFRICA.

BLOEMFONTEIN, Sept. 10.—Though the elections are not likely to be held before the second week in November, it is possible to form some idea of the composition of the first parliament. In this colony there is, of course, no question of a British-born majority.

HARBOR RACE.

On Saturday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock the sailing race for the harbor championship will take place. At present Hilton Boleyn of the West Side holds that title, but as he is under suspension by the M. F. A. A. he will be unable to compete this year unless reinstated. He is trying hard for reinstatement and wired for it last night. At present the indications are that if Boleyn is not reinstated the only contestants will be James Ross and Wm. Costes.

RUN IN SERIES.

"And this is to be your last tour of America," asked the reporter. "I'm not," answered the mature star of the dramatic world. "But it's advertised as a 'farewell' tour. Yes, a mere farewell. It's not a farewell farewell, you may notice."

SEEMING THAT A UNCLE GOVERNMENT IS PROBABLY INEVITABLE.

It is probable that the official candidates on the whole represent the least violent section of the party, the public utterances of which have naturally given rise to gloomy forebodings of racial animosity and retrogressive policy. The influence of Mr. Steyn who is the high priest of the Irresistibles, is clearly on the wane. The bulk of the people have hardly forgiven him for plunging the country into war. Even the active leaders of the Union and other organs, the Bloemfontein Friend, have lately adopted a much more moderate tone. It is admitted that the extreme Nationalists that the period of Crown rule with its sound finance, extension of railways, prosecution of public works, incessant struggle with stock diseases, and progressive policy in agriculture has been an unmitigated blessing to the country while the personal popularity of Sir Hamilton Goold-Adams with the farmers has done much to wear down the racial prejudice against these innovations.

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BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA advertisement: CAPITAL - \$3,000,000, RESERVE FUND, \$5,250,000. St. John Branch - C. H. EASSON, Manager.