some strange sea monster must have

existed and put in his appearance at

that time. So many times did the sea

land coast that it gained for itself the

and so many sturdy old Puritans tes-

that showed itself. According to most

descriptions, the sea serpent was

about 60 feet long, dark in color, but

lighter below, in the manner of an eel,

with a flat head and a neck about 16

inches in diameter.

It is cruel to force nauseating. harsh physic into a sick child.

Look back at your childhood days. Remember the "dose" mother insisted on-castor oil, calomel, cathartics. How you hated them, how you fought against taking them.

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Knew All About It. "Spell 'dough,' Dick," directed teacher of a little black pupil. "D-o," said Dick, promptly.

"No, that is not right," smiled the teacher. "Who can tell Dick how and why he is wrong?"

"He's wrong 'cause there's two kinds ob do," shrilled another darkskinned youngster, "de do' what yo' shets, an' de do what you eats-an' de do what yo' eats is writ widout de 'postrophe at de end."

The Discovery. "What do you suppose is the sad-

dest discovery a man can make?" "I should think it was to go out for a joy ride and discover he is in the trouble wagon."

There are some lips from which even the proudest women love to hear the censure which appears to disprove indifference.-Edward Bulwer Lytton.

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"Our first baby is strong and healthy and we attribute this rewe attribute this use sult to the timely use FRED YOHANN, "I owe my life and

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dren and took your Compound each time." —Mrs. John Howard, Wilmington, Vermont. "I have a lovely baby boy and you can tell every one that he is a 'Pinkham' baby."
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many hoaxes dealing with the sea serpent have been played by imaginative travelers, who have described and sketched

"modern saurian."

that the very name of the brute is avoided by all but the brave. To say that you have seen the sea serpent is to put with your own tongue a blot on your own character. Skippers who have beheld the monster have made no entry of the fact in their log book lest they be derided when their vessels are snug in port. Naturalists have hemmed and hawed in their writings regarding it. Poets have been reticent upon the themeall except John Milton, whose remarks upon Leviathan in "Paradise Lost" have been construed by a modern authority to mean Sea Serpent pure and simple. For a century the scientific world has looked at sea serpents

And yet there is one professional field in life whose members have supplied more data concerning sea serpents and given more profuse information in regard to them than all the skippers and travelers who have ever | he circled the globe. From the earliest times it has remained for the ministry to supply us with our greatest number of "facts" regarding the marine descendant of Adam's happiness. Deacons, priests and bishops have seen sea serpents galore, and there are on file the names of at least a dozen clerical men who are involved in the coils of sea serpent stories, from Olaus Magnus, the archbishop of Upsala, down to Rev. P. W. Demboldt, archdeacon of Molde: Rev. William Jenks. Rev. Alden Bradford, Rev. Mr. Cummings of Sullivan, and Rev. Alexander Maclean, all good names and honest, some of them from puritanical New England.

The bishop of Pontopiddan, another worthy divine, believed implicitly in sea serpents, and even altered the descriptions and drawings of other men to gratify his own enthusiasm in regard to them. The bishop of Pontopidden, who lived in the middle of the and in connection with this piece of ory that the mermaids of mediaeval lore were nothing more nor less than sea cows that browse upon salt water on hearsay as numerous, lengthy and Journal of Arts and Sciences for 1829. sometimes fiery red with anger.

The good divine even made a jour prove it. ney down the Scandinavian coast to But this quotation was responsible investigate a tale that a tablecloth for the discovery of even another had been made by a fisherman's fam- fraud than the one laid at the door of ily from the skin of a sea serpent Mr. Mitchell. For in 1862 there apspeedy rate and at least 60 feet in which the reptile had sloughed off in peared in Leisure Hour an article enthe pleasant waters of the harbor of titled "Sea Serpent Stories," by John Kobberyeug. The bishop was honest Hollingshead, who, after praising Mr. aged other officers to tell of similar enough to state that he had been Mitchell for the "first honest ex- experiences, where previously they gulled in this respect, but did not alter posure" of the sea serpent, and quothis opinion regarding sea serpents in ing him for a paragraph, proceeds to sea serpent has appeared too often general. The illustration in his book steal his article verbatim and use it as to mention in detail, but in 1906 it was showing a sea serpent reared on his his own, which was ascertained by reported by Messrs. Meade-Waldo and tail, squirting profuse gallons of wa- the present writer when comparing Nicall, two members of the Royal Zoter out of his snout, was drawn and the quotation of Mitchell's article with ological society, who insist that they exaggerted by the bishop of Pontopid- the article by Mr. Hollingshead. dan from the sketch made by Bing. One of the most famous pro-sea serwho had forever immortalized a sea pent hoaxes, according to Dr. Oude ford's yacht, the Valhalla, off the coast serpent beheld by Hans Egede. It is mans, is a fraud that was achieved by of Brazil, on December 7, 1905. notable that Hans Egede was himself the correspondent of a French newsan evangelist, whose work as a mis- paper, who gives a thrilling account two zoologists declare that suddenly sionary was taking him to the wilds of a sea serpent beheld by C. Renard they saw a great fin come out of the of Greenland when the sea serpent ap and seven others from the deck of the water 100 yards from the ship. Field peared before him.

sala, writes at length of a sea serpent, M. Renard and the others were sit- head rise slowly, followed by a neck ascribing to it a length of 200 feet and ting on deck, so it is alleged, enjoying that was about the thickness of a a girth of 20, and stating the beliefs a perfect evening and the gleam of a man's body. The head, the zoologists of the sailors of his time regarding it moonlit sea, when a horrible and say, was distinctly turtle-esque in its -how it was fond of calves and sheep nauseating monster came to the sur- appearance, but, as the animal came and swine, and used to snap the sea- face at no great distance from the no nearer and shortly disappeared, its men from the decks of their own ves- ship, while at the same time an over- exact size could not be ascertained

Rev. Mr. Cummings of Sullivan de- of the travelers. scribes a whopping sea serpent that The monster, runs the report, meas- mightly serpent swimming at considhe saw not far from Long Island in ured from 40 to 60 meters, in so far as erable speed, and trailing seaweed July of 1808. Thirty-seven years the numerous coils made measure has been approached and even har later another divine, Rev. P. W. Dem- ment possible. From the dorsal ridge pooned in the belief that it was a serboldt. made the startling statement to the middle of the belly the body appent. Giant squid, which are as fearthat not only had he seen the sea ser. peared to be covered by ranges of ful and wonderful as the serpent it. pent in the water near his home on scales, and the general roughness of self have been mistaken for the latter. the Norwegian coast, but that he had the surface and the moss-grown skin and it is probable that the serpent alshot at it with a musket and evidently appeared to indicate a great and as- leged to have been seen by Claus wounded it quite badly, from the ruc- sured age. The head was pointed. Egede was of this variety. tion that took place in the water after- with teeth "sharp and enormous," and In fact, in spite of all the ridicule

ished at about the same time as Rev. tongue, "pointed, provided with suck- animal, there is no reason after all to ers and glittering like steel." This deny that it may be living. Holder has of Coll what he first called, in his horrible brute stayed on the surface of commented on the fact that the biclerical manner, an "object." It apthe water in full view for at least ten valves of the Mesozoic age have been peared like a small rock, he said, but minutes, when it sank again beneath preserved to the present time. Why after looking at it for some time he the surface of the water. The alleged then is it not possible for Mother saw it elevated above the surface of beholders of the terrible sight gave Earth to have stored in her sea cav-Fine Climate the sea and move in his direction with solemn testimony of their experience erns some uncouth, cretaceous mona measured and dignified motion. In to the editor by letter, in which it was ster that occasionally shows itself. intense alarm the minister steered for stated with most remarkable assurand each time elicits the well-known shore, with the sea serpent apparent- ance that all these facts were truths and highly rediculous cry: "The sea shore, with the sea scripent apparent and that an these facts were truths and high ly pursuing him. It drew so near that of refined and intrinsic purity. A serpent?"

which grows in Brazil. Its roots pro-

which rise into the air though in-

our flying palace and hover like an-gry meteors above the habitations of

is used for feeding cattle.

An even more marvelous tree than | sometimes used as a substitute

wine and vinegar are made. Its fruit as a starch resembling sage.

An even more marvelous determined the date palm is the Carnahuba palm, coffee. Its stems affords strong, light the date palm is Brazil. Its roots profibers, and serve also for joists, raft-



finding the water shallow it apparent- printed here. ly became discouraged and moved off . But after all the cavil and false sea again, where later, according hood pro and con regarding enormous to the minister's story, it was reported serpents of the ocean, a residue of as having frightened nearly to death truth remains in some of the tales of the crews of half a dozen fishing ves- the sea serpent's appearance that

These accounts of the findings of shrug their shoulders. Some of the reverend gentlemen were gathered to- reports of the monster are not easily gether by Anthony Oudemans, who explained away, and in the early part published a voluminous book on sea of the nineteenth century so many serpents. This book contains all re reputable witnesses are said to have ported appearances

Dr. Oudemans, from whose volume part of this material has been gathered, not only goes into all the "veracious" reports of the sea serpent's appearance, but into all the hoaxes that serpent show itself of the New Enghave been played in regard to it. He has even described a hoax that was name of the "American sea serpent." perpetrated against the sea serpent by a learned writer who desired to show that the reptile was non-existent eighteenth century, advanced the the false work the present writer unearthed a fraud that has lain dormant for 50 years.

Nearly 100 years ago a certain Samgreens with their front flippers and uel L. Mitchell wrote a paper designed open their mouths sideways. But in to throw discredit on the sea serpent regard to sea serpents the bishop was stories that were current at that date. not so skeptical. He described them The paper appeared in the American terrible, often 100 feet in length, pos- Almost a century later Dr. Oudemans sibly 600, with eyes as large as pew- rakes up Mr. Michell's article and ter plates, lilac or blue in color, and says that Mr. Mitchell lied, quoting that gentleman's entire paper to

Royal Mail steamship Don, on the eve-Olaus Magnus, the archbishop of Up- ning of the 10th of August, 1881.

powering stench attacked the nostrils A long flock of birds skimming the

from the throat, "attached to a kind and all the hoaxes that have been Rev. Alexander Maclean, who flour- of cushion," there projected a hard given forth in the name of this strange

TREE AS UNIVERSAL PROVIDER salt is extracted from the tree, and likewise an alkali used in the manufacture of common soap.

The first silk was made 2000 B. C. duce the same medicinal effect as sar-duce the same medicinal effect as sarsaparilla. From parts of the trees yields a saccharine substance, as well Aristotle, in 350, first mentions silk among the Greeks. The manufacture Of the wood of the stem, musical in- of silk was carried on in Sicily in the of the straw, hats, baskets brooms, struments, water tubes, and pumps twelfth century, later spreading to of the straw, nats, basic so used are made. From the stem a white Italy, Spain and the south of France. and mats are made. It is also used and mats are made. From the stem a white Italy, Spain and the south of France. It was not manufactured in England an agreeable taste and the nut is coanut may be extracted. Moreover, before 1604.

Fatality of Scalp Wounds.

The First Balloons.

I suppose you heard of those graceful innocents and carry them strange globes, invented in Paris, off in spite of the screams of their many who were mustered out on extended the strange globes. Think how triumphantly minutes are mustered out on exwhich rise into the air though in cumbered with the weight of human we should sail through the calm, blue animals. I wish we could procure one and travel together among the clouds. At night we would illuminate clouds. At night we would illuminate clouds. At night we would illuminate clouds. Think how triumphantly piration of their service, or who failed to return from furlough, or who described a nearer approximation to exact truth is the statement that 162 died, 522 were discharged. relations. Think how triumphantly piration of their service, or who failed died, 522 were discharged on certifi-cates of physical disability and 7,055 probably recovered. The death rate gry meteors above the habitations of our enemies, who, perhaps, have not yet been made acquainted with this yet been made acquainted with this wonderful invention. Like a certain wonderful invention. Like a certain wonderful invention. Like a certain wischlevous bird which Ovid celemischlevous bird which Ovid celemischlevous bird which Ovid celemischlevous bird with this preserved of 7739 cases of gunshot wounds of the integuments of the cranium during the late war was, therefore, about 2.09, or nearly one fatal case in 48.

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