THE MODERN MR. JONAH

A Bedford Man Who Lived Inside a Whale for Thirty-Six Hours.

Strange Experience of a Hand on a New England Fishing Vessel.

Unlike the Biblical Hero, He was not Cast Up Again but Had to be Cut Out.

New London, Conn., special to St. Louis Globe-Democrat: The whaling vessel Star of the East arrived here yesterday, after a cruise of two years and a half in the South Atlantic waters. She had on board a man who is a veritable Jonah, having existed in a whale's belly thirty-six hours.

The man's statement is vouched for by the captain and crew of the vessel, and today he is an object of great curiosity among the sailors. The man's name is James Bartley, and he hails from Bedford, where he was born thirty-eight years ago. He has made two voyages from this port on the Star of the East, and notwithstanding his last trip he says that he will ship for another voyage as soon as an opportunity offers itself.

The strange story told by him is, in substance, as follows:

Last February the Star of the East was in the vicinity of the Falkland Islands searching for whales, which were very scarce. One morning the lookout sighted a whale about three miles away on the starboard quarter. Two boats were manned and put chase to the prey.

In a short time one of the boats was near enough to enable the harpooner to send a spear into the whale, which proved to be an exceedingly large one. With the shaft in his side the animal sounded and then sped away, dragging the boat after him with terrible speed. He swam straight away about five miles, when he turned and came back almost directly toward the spot where he had been harpooned. The second boat waited for him, and when but a short distance away from it he rose to the surface. As soon as his back showed above the surface of the water the harpooner in the second boat drove another spear into him. The pain apparently crazed the whale, for it thrashed about fearfully, and it was feared that the boats would be swamped and the crew drowned. Finally the whale swam away dragging the two boats after him.

He went about three miles and sounded or sank, and his whereabouts could not be exactly told. The lines attached to the harpoons were slack and the harpooners began to slowly draw them in and coil them in the tubs. As soon as they were taughtened the whale arose to the surface and beat about with his tail in the maddest fashion. The boats attempted to get beyond the reach of the animal which was apparently in its death agonies and one of them succeeded, but the other was less fortunate. The whale struck it with his nose and upset it. The men were thrown into the water, and before the crew of the other boat could pick them up one man was drowned and James Bartley had disappeared. When the whale became quiet from exhaustion the waters were searched for Bartley, but he could not be found, and, under the impression that he had been struck by the whale's tail and sunk to the bottom, the survivors rowed back to the ship. The whale was dead, and in a few hours the great body was lying by the ship's side, and the men were busy with axes and spades cutting through the flesh to secure the fat. They worked all day and a part of the night. They resumed operations the next forenoon, and were soon down to the stomach, which was to be hoisted to the deck. The workmen were startled while laboring to clear it and to fasten the chain about it to discover something doubled up in it that gave spasmodic signs of life.

The vast pouch was hoisted to the deck and cut open, and inside was found the missing sailor, doubled up and unconscious. He was laid out on the deck and treated to a bath of sea water, which soon revived him, but his mind was not clear and he was placed in the captain's quarters, where he remained two weeks, a raving lunatic. He was carefully treated by the captain and officers of the ship, and he finally began to get possession of his senses. At the end of the third week he had entirely recovered from the shock and resumed his duties. During the brief sojourn in the whale's belly Bartley's skin, where it was exposed to the action of the gastric juices, underwent a striking change. His face and hands were bleached to a deathly whiteness and the skin was wrinkled, giving the man the appearance of having been parboiled.

Bartley affirms that he would probably have lived inside his house of flesh until he starved, for he lost his senses through fright, and not through lack of air. He says he remembers the sensation of being lifted into the air by the nose of the whale and of falling into the water, then there was a fearful rushing sound, which he believed to be the beating of the water by the whale's tail; then he was encompassed by a fearful darkness, and he felt himself slipping along a smooth passage of some sort that seemed to move and carry him forward. This sensation lasted but an instant, then he felt that he had more room. He felt about him and his hands came in contact with a yielding, slimy substance that seemed to shrink from his touch. It finally dawned upon him that he had been swallowed by the whale, and he was overcome with horror at the situation. He could breathe easily, but the heat was terrible. It was not of a scorching, stifling nature, but it seemed to open the pores of his skin and to draw out the vitality. He became very weak, and grew sick at his stomach. He knew that there was no hope of escape from his strange prison. Death stared him in the face, and he tried to look at it bravely, but the awful quiet, the fearful darkness, the horrible knowledge of his environments and the terrible heat finally overcame him, and he must have fainted, for he next remembered being in the captain's cabin.

Bartley is not a man of a timid nature, but he says that it was many weeks before he could pass a night without having his sleep disturbed with harrowing dreams of angry whale and the horrors of this fearful prison. The skin on the face and hands of Bartley has never recovered its natural appearance. It is yellow and wrinkled and looks like old parchment. The health of the man does not seem to have been affected by his terrible experience: he is in splendid spirits and apparently fully enjoys all the blessings of life that come his way.

The whaling captains who sail from this port say they never knew a parallel case to this before. They say that it frequently occurs that men are swallowed by whales who become infuriated by the pain of the harpoon and attack the boats, but they have never known a man to go through the ordeal that Bartley did and come out alive.

GUANAJUATO'S CEMETERY.

A Ghastly Place for 200 Years the Home of Corpses.

"The most ghastly burying ground I ever saw was the cemetery of the city of Guanajuato, Mexico," said Mr. S. T. Busey to a Denver News reporter. "The city is over 300 years old, and for 200 and more all the city's dead have been interred in the plot I speak of. It is situated on the top of a mountain 2,000 feet high, and contains between five and six acres. It is approached by a sinuous path and drive that winds through a plaza and terminates at a huge wall that surrounds the cemetery. This wall is built of stone. It is twelve feet high and twelve feet thick. The entrance is guarded day and night, and it is impossible to effect admission any other way, for the steep sides of the hill for 2,000 feet extend down from the foot of the impenetrable wall. Within the sight encountered would send a chill through the beholder. From the inside of the wall are cut large holes eight feet long and about eighteen inches square. These apartments are as close together as they can be built and there are seven or eight rows all around the inside of the wall. In these little apartments (pigeon holes, you may say) the bodies of the dead are deposited. They can either be sold or rented and the price is fixed according to the length of time that the corpse is to remain there. For five years $25 is charged for one corpse; $100 for one body an ordinary life time, and $500 for a whole family an ordinary life time.

"Only the better class can patronize these unique tombs. The poor are buried in the ground. The rental system prevails here and one grave is made the same as a depository for many bodies. It is dug about eight feet deep and six feet long. The first unfortunate is laid to rest covered with leaves and about six inches of soil, that is composed really of the dust of by-gone generations. The second is placed above him and so on until the excavation is filled. These are permitted to remain but two years, then all are removed. But what becomes of the bones and carcasses after being disturbed in their temporary resting places of a few years? They are carted below, through a long, cavernous stairway into a large tunnel, constructed underneath the cemetery. Here they are thrown into a confused mass and left to decay or remain for ages.

"The people of this ancient city seem to care little for their dead. Laughter as often as tears and sighs accompany the funeral train. The successive disinterments for ages has left pieces of skulls and bones that present a ghastly sight mixed with the soil that repeated disturbance has converted into a dust as fine as pepper.

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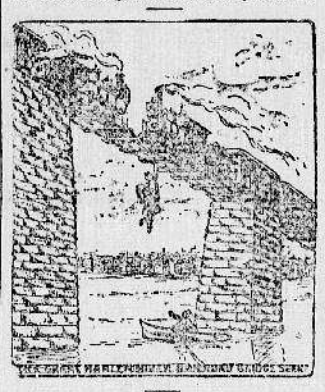

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Commencing at a point two and one-fourth (2¼) miles due south from the confluence of Main Belt creek, and the right or west fork of said Main Belt creek, and running thence east three (3) miles, thence south six (6) miles, thence west six (6) miles, thence north six (6) miles, thence east three (3) miles to the place of beginning. Said land being unsurveyed, but lying as near as can be determined in Town. 13 north, and in range 8 or 9 east.

Said land having thereon about one million feet of pine and fir timber, all of said land being non-mineral, rough and steep, and not adapted for agricultural purposes, and is located in the county of Meagher and state of Montana.

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Alexander J. Steele, plaintiff, vs. Laimie Higgs and Blanche E. Higgs, defendants.

The state of Montana sends greeting to the above named defendants:

You are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff in the district court of the First judicial district of the state of Montana, in and for the county of Lewis and Clarke, and to answer the complaint filed therein, within ten days (exclusive of the day of service) after the service on you of this summons, if served within this county; or, if served out of this county, but within this district, within twenty days, otherwise within forty days, or judgment by default will be taken against you according to the prayer of said complaint.

The said action is brought to recover the sum of one hundred and twenty-seven and fifty-one hundredths dollars, claimed and alleged in said complaint to be due upon a certain instrument in writing bearing date the 19th day of November, 1890, made, executed and delivered by said defendants, for value received and on said day, to the plaintiff and Walter H. Little, whereby they promised to pay to the order of plaintiff or Walter H. Little three months after date thereof the sum of two hundred and fifty-two and fifty-one hundredths dollars with interest at 12 per cent. until paid; that the defendants have not paid said sum nor any part thereof, except the sum of one hundred and twenty-five (125) dollars, and that said Little prior to the commencement of this action, has sold and assigned to the plaintiff all his right and title to said instrument and all moneys due or to grow due thereon.

And you are hereby notified that unless you so appear and answer the said complaint, as above required, the said plaintiff will take judgment for the sum of one hundred and twenty-seven and fifty-one hundredths (127.50) dollars, the sum demanded in the complaint.

Given under my hand and the seal of the district court of the First judicial district of the state of Montana, in and for the county of Lewis and Clarke, this 26 day of June, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

[SEAL.] JOHN BEAN, Clerk.

By H. J. CASEDY, Deputy Clerk.

THOS. C. BACH, Att'y. for Plaintiff.

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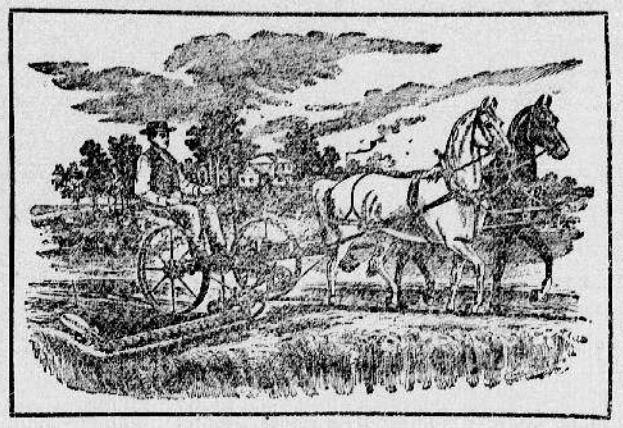

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Commencing at the northeast corner of section 1, township 13, north range 4 west; thence east along the north line to the Missouri River; thence south along the left bank of said river to the centre township line; thence west along said line to the southeast quarter of section 13, township 13, north range 4 west; thence north to the place of beginning. Said land having thereon about 900,000 feet of pine and fir timber.

Commencing at a point about one mile west from where the dividing line between Cascade and Meagher counties cross Belt Creek; thence south about eight miles to a point about one mile west where Harley creek runs into Belt Creek; thence west about six miles; thence north about eight miles to the dividing line between both counties named; thence east to place of beginning. Said land having thereon about 1,500,000 feet of pine and fir timber.

Commencing at the southeast quarter corner of section 13, township 14 north range 8 west, and running thence east six miles; thence in a northerly direction three miles west to northeast section corner of section 1, township 14, north range 8 west, and thence south to the place of beginning, said tract of land having thereon about 1,000,000 feet of pine and fir timber.

Also all of section 1, 2, 3, 11, 12 and 13, in township 14 n., r. 8 w., said tracts of land having thereon about 500,000 feet of pine and fir timber.

Also that certain other tract commencing at the northeast corner of sect on 36, township 16 north range 3 west, and running thence east six miles; thence south three miles; thence west to the southeast corner of section 12, township 15 north range 3 west; thence north to place of beginning. Said tract of land having thereon about 1,000,000 feet of pine and fir timber.

All of said land is unsurveyed, except what is marked by sections, being none mineral, rough and steep and not adapted for agricultural purposes, and is located in the counties of Lewis and Clarke, Cascade, and Meagher, in the state of Montana.

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