

### WHAT STRANGE

#### INCIDENTS AND INCIDENTS OF EVERY DAY LIFE.

Episodes and Thrilling Adventures Which Show That Truth is Stranger Than Fiction.

**BUFFALO MAN WHO RECENTLY DID TOWN WHILE IN SAN FRANCISCO** received a shock the other night that he did not forget for some time to come. He was home late in the evening when a burning sensation on the surface of his right leg. He examined the spot and was dumbfounded to discover a brown patch on the skin, which was pimpled on the surface.

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"It is a well-established fact," said a Buffalo man the other day to a Buffalo reporter "that some dogs will eat anything in the way of food, and as frequently hear of cases where an animal displays a marked appetite for intoxicating liquor, but I've got an animal that eats the climax in my fish story."

Thomas Clemons, a farmer, who has been living in Paul's Valley, Indian Territory recently went to Kansas City, Mo., to seek medical aid for Rose Lee Clemons, his eighteen-year old daughter. The girl is slowly becoming ossified. She was born in Tulare County, California and at birth weighed only one pound, but was well formed.

Like the Susquehanna River, near Laceyville, Penn., the other day, two fishermen saw a pair of black bass giving battle to a well-eyed pike fill the water of the pool was churned into foam.

USE of the few civilians receiving a pension from the United States Government is an Irishman of peculiarly tough physique, who has the record of having once alive through an astounding accident.

WORKMEN at the Baltimore and Ohio elevator saw a fight between a crab and a cat at Baltimore. The rat went down a stringer to get a drink and a crab caught him by the head.

**A WOODEN LEGGED-veteran living at** Port Townsend (Wash.) Graphic.

Shelton Centre, Conn., set to work recently to make a frame for the support of his tomato vines. In order to keep the posts steady while he nailed the slats, he placed his wooden leg against them and drove the nails in with a vim.

WHEN a sailing master wishes to buy oysters in the ports of the Chesapeake he runs up to the musthead an oyster basket, and presently has plenty offered at the vessel's side.

Is Castro, Sicily, a wealthy wine merchant named Billotte and a servant were recently captured by bandits. They demanded \$500,000 ransom.

STOLEN kisses may be sweet, but they are rather dear at the present market price at Valparaiso. Senor Talca, of that town, kissed a lady without asking permission while walking in the Plaza.

Just across the Berkeley County line at Cedar Grove, Va., lives Jacob Lanck. He is sixty-five years old, and one year ago he possessed a heavy suit of snow-white hair.

A SEVEN year old lady who lived with her son near Lancaster, Wis., was found dead in the garden early one morning last week. Her arms and legs were broken, and her body horribly bruised.

The Khan of Bokhara recently decided to help the famishing Russians by means of a bazaar, at which costly articles would be sold by the ladies of his harem.

ENGLAND'S Queen since the beginning of her reign has only signed one death warrant, which was for an execution in the Isle of Man, the act passed for relieving Her Majesty of the signing of death warrants having, by an oversight, not included that part of Her Majesty's dominions.

How Indians Kill Whales. Life at Neah bay for the next six weeks will be a glorious feast. The Makah Indians have captured another whale, making eight in the last four months.

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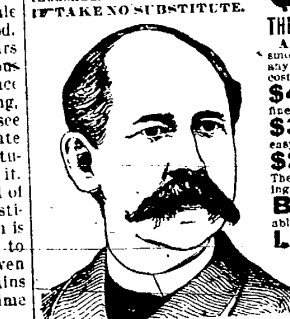
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