Harriman Liner Costa Rica Crashes Into Monster in Broad Daylight.

LEVIATHAN BOBS UP FROM DEPTHS OF SEA

School of Whales Are Still Making Waters Off the Coast Alive and Interesting to Passengers-Monster Escapes With Life.

Whales enjoying life off the coast are getting so reckless that navigators simply cannot keep out of their road and every now and then they run into one of the tremendous monsters. Sometimes the whales are hit square with the sharp prow of the craft, when it means death, but at other times the blow is slanting and the leviathan escapes with a bad bruise and a good

are. The Harriman liner Costa Rica, Cap-in Mason, reached her dock here this tain Mason, reached her dock here this morning from San Francisco with the report that on her way up the coast she report that on her way up the coast she poked into a whale so hard that the entire hull trembled for several moments. The collision occurred at noon last Wednesday and those occupying seats at the tables in the dining room feit the peculiar thud plainly. Some thought they were experiencing the strange sensation of an earthquake at sea and others guessed that the vessel had passed over a smooth ledge of rock or sand. The officers suspected they had crashed into a whale and took things coolly and assured the passengers that there was no danger.

Second Officer Preston was on the bridge at the time and he says he saw the monster just a moment before the compact arise from the depths of the ocean a few fathoms ahead of the Costa Rica's haw. The whale spouted and

Rica's how. The whale spouted and then he was struck. The blow was glancing and evidently the whale es-caped alive because he did not "roll over on his side and grunt," but instead sank and dove from view.

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The collision occurred off Seal Rocks when the sea appeared to be full of leviathans. They could be seen plainly for the ocean was rolling smoothly in long swells and the weather was clear. Why the whale failed to see the Costa Rica is puzzling the officers of the steamer.

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About a week ago a large whale drifted ashore at Netarts bay, the monster
evidently having been killed in collission with a craft. The monster was
covered with barnacles and those who
reported the finding of the monster say
that he was a sperm whale. Seamen arriving here, however, are of the opinion
that most of the whales off the coast
are what are commonly called black
whales.

The steamer Jefferson, running be-tween Puget Sound and Alaska, cut a whale in twain on her last trip north, and shortly before being lost in col-lision with the steam schooner San Pe-dro, the steamer Columbia got mixed up with a large whale coming up from

INSPECT PASSENGERS.

Quarantine Officials Enforce Stricter Regulations on Coasters.

Still stricter quarantine rules are to be enforced against vessels arriving at the mouth of the Columbia river or here. I from now on every coaster will be stopped by the quarantine officials and held in the bay until every passenger and member of the officers and crew have been examined and pronounced free from contagious or infectious disease.

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work. The passengers were lined up on deck, as were also the officers and crew, and casually inspected.

Rat shields are now being used on hawsers holding vessels moored in the local harbor and all is supposed to be well so far as keeping rats from going ashore is concerned. The guards do not however, prevent rats from taking the much safer route by way of the gangplanks or the nets strung under the same to prevent human beings from dropping into the water should they mas their footing.

The steamer Costa Rica, for instance, had all her hawsers made rat-proof this morning by the big circular tin shields, but at the same time there were four platforms or planks from five to six feet wide leading from the holds to the wharf. These planks are left over night and armies of rats could pass back and forth as often as fancy should so dictate. The rats can have a big time on these platforms during the dark hours of night or while the longshoremen are enjoying their siesta after luncheon, instead of risking their lives in trying to olimb over the hawser guards. It is said by sallors that rats will not hesitate to take the planks or leap into the river and swim ashore when anxious to get away from their ship, even when the longshoremen are trucking cargo and making sufficient noise to frighten the life out of an ordinary house rat.

The German cruiser Eva was partly fumigated last night at Alaska dock, but he rates were found in her hold. The officers attribute the absence of rodents to the nature of the cargo. The Eva arrived here several days ago from Japan with a part cargo of sulphur, and it is said that sulphur will rid any vessel of rats. The officers believe that the rats skipped ashore at Karatzu, Japan, when the sulphur was being dumped into the hold.

WORK FOR EVERYBODY.

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Longshoremen Are Busy Handling, Discharging and Loading Vessels

Discharging and Loading Vessels

There is plenty of work for longshoremen these days and this morning
the business agent of Union No. 264 was
in a quandary how to fill the gangs for
which he had orders. A large force was
put to work at Couch street dock last
night to load the Alliance which is
booked to sail for Coos Bay tomorrow
night, and they will be busy there until
the boat is ready for departure, so much
freight having accumulated that she
will go out full to the hatchcovers.

Several steam schooners loading lumber down the Columbia have taken men
from here and this has thinned out the
supply to the extent of about 75. The
Northland went to Rainier to load and
took a gang of longshoremen, while the
Casco left for Maygers under similar
conditions. The Nome City is loading
at Linnton with Portland longshoremen
and she will pick up lumber along the
river at various points so the gang on
her will not return for some time.

The deep sea vessels are keeping a
large number of men out of mischlef,
the oriental liner Numantia occupying
several gangs, while the French bark
Vincennes is discharging general cargo
at Greenwich dock. The French bark St.
Louis is discharging coal at the Pacific
Coast company's bunkers and the British ship Conway Castle is loading barley
at Columbia dock No. 2.—The German
steamer Eva is discharging sulphur at
Alaska dock and the British steamer
Strathness is loading lumber for the
orient. The American bark Berlin is
discharging salmon at the Albina dock.

AUGUST TRANSACTIONS.

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Collection at Custom House Average During Past, Month.

August was an average month in regard to business transacted in the local office of the collector of customs. His report of transactions for the month has just been completed and is as fol-

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Vessels entered from foreign ports, 5;
vessels cleared for foreign ports, 4;
vessels entered from domestic ports, 48;
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entries of merchandise for duty, 138;
entries of merchandise free of duty, 138;
entries for merchandise free of duty, 35;
entries for export to adjacent British
provinces, 5; entries for rewarehouse,
28; entries for immediate transportation without appraisement, 106; total

tion without appraisement, 106; nounced free from contagious or infectious disease.

The Harriman liner Costa Rica, from
San Francisco, was the first vessel held
Jup under the new arrangement, but she
escaped without trouble, since the quarantine doctors found no one on board
showing symptoms of cholera, plague
or anything else that might spread with
fatal results. It took the doctors only
about an hour to pass upon the health
of the 100 or more on board, so the
steamer did not have to drop anchor,
but proceeded up the bay towards As
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MARINE INTELLIGENCE

Regular Liners Due to Arrive. Breakwater, Coos Bay..... Sept. 7
City of Panama, San Fr... Sept. 13
R. D. Inman, San Francisco... Sept. 15
Alesia, orient Sept. 15
Roanoke, San Pedro and way... Sept. 16 Arabia, orient Sept. 17
Costa Rica, San Francisco Sept. 18
Johan Poulsen, San Francisco Sept. 25
Nicomedia, orient Oct. 1
Numantia, orient Oct. 20

Regular Liners to Depart. Numantia, orient Sept. 7
Alliance, Coos Bay Sept. 7
Breakwater, Coos Bay Sept. 9
Costa Rica, San Francisco Sept. 9
Johan Poulsen, San Francisco Sept. 10
Roanoke, San Pedro and way Sept. 12
Arabia, orient Sept. 15
Hedondo, Seattle Sept. 15
G. W. Elder, San Pedro and way Sept. 19
Alesia, orient Sept. 15
Alesia, orient Sept. 10
Vessels in Port.

Lumber Carriers En Boute.

Thomas L. Wand, Am. str. San Francisco Coaster, Am. str. San Francisco Susie M. Piummer, Am. sch. Guaymas Wasp, Am. str. San Francisco Wrestler, Am. bknt. San Francisco Wrestler, Am. bknt. San Francisco Giendale, Am. sch. San Francisco Giendale, Am. sch. San Francisco Mabel Gale, Am. sch. San Francisco Andy Mahoney, Am. sch. San Francisco Cascade, Am. sch. San Francisco Cascade, Am. sch. San Francisco Cascade, Am. sch. San Francisco Virginia Am. sch. San Francisco W. F. Garma, Am. sch. San Pedro Virginia Am. sch. Port Los Angeles En Zoute With Cement and General.

Buccleuch, Br. sh. Hamburg

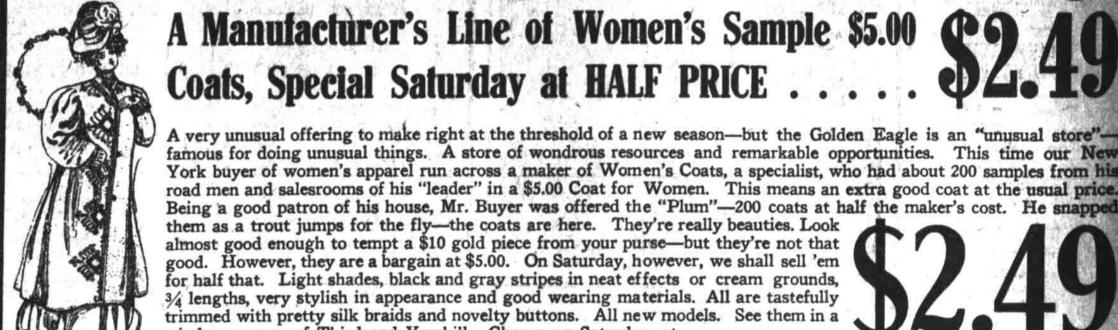
The Famous PACKARD \$5.00 Shoes for Men, Here on Saturday at \$2.80 The Golden Eagle

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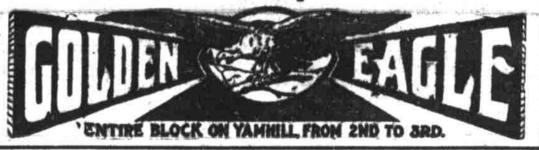
famous for doing unusual things. A store of wondrous resources and remarkable opportunities. This time our New York buyer of women's apparel run across a maker of Women's Coats, a specialist, who had about 200 samples from his road men and salesrooms of his "leader" in a \$5.00 Coat for Women. This means an extra good coat at the usual price. Being a good patron of his house, Mr. Buyer was offered the "Plum"-200 coats at half the maker's cost. He snapped them as a trout jumps for the fly—the coats are here. They're really beauties. Look almost good enough to tempt a \$10 gold piece from your purse—but they're not that good. However, they are a bargain at \$5.00. On Saturday, however, we shall sell 'em for half that. Light shades, black and gray stripes in neat effects or cream grounds, 3/4 lengths, very stylish in appearance and good wearing materials. All are tastefully trimmed with pretty silk braids and novelty buttons. All new models. See them in a window, corner of Third and Yamhill. Choose on Saturday, at

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Important Sale of Domestics

Saturday Brings a Great Mill End Sale of 35c TABLE DAMASK, 24c. 58-inch width red Table Damask, in mill ends, a regular 35c value, special at, the yard

\$3.00 BLANKET ROBES, \$2.29. Handsome Blanket Robes, in reds and blues, size 60x82 inches, suitable for couch covers or for making the wanted bath \$2.29 robes for cool weather wear; \$3.00 values, special at . \$2.29

22c SCOTCH GALATEA CLOTH, 17c. Choose from full assortment of rich colorings, plain and

\$1.00 ROLL COTTON BATTING, 89c. 3-pound rolls, comfort size Cotton Batting; extra quality. selected stock; the best dollar value; special at, the roll

ROUSING VALUES FOR



Brown's celebrated "5 Star" Shoes and "White House" Shoes, in patent colt, patent kid, gunmetal calf, vici kid and velour calf; all "5 Star" brands; \$4.00 and \$5.00 values; special, Saturday at\$1.98 WOMEN'S WHITE CANVAS OX-FORDS, 50c.

Women's \$2.00 white Canvas Oxfords, in Blucher, Gibson and lace styles, with canvas covered Cuban heels or leather heels. A merciless sacrifice; special,

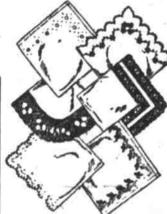
Children's and Infant's Shoes--Rare Bargains Hand-made Shoes, lace or button styles; spring heels, 60¢; no heels, very special Saturday

SATURDAY'S BARGAIN BUNCH IN

Notions and Tailot Sundries

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Velvet and Brush Skirt Binding, in odd colors, 10c value, yd. 2
5c Package Safety Pins
10c Card Shell Hair Pins
5c Spool "Busy Bee" Cotton
5c Spool "Glo" Silk3
25c Fancy Edge Silk Elastic, yard
3c Spool Linene Thread1
10c Card fancy Jet Pins
15c Can Gillette's Talcum Powder
10c Can Gillette's Talcum Powder
25c Can Mennen's Talcum Powder
25c Bottle Bay Rum
25c Bottle Florida Water14
5c Cake "Golden Eagle" Glycerine Soap 3
121/2c "La Pinero" Castile Soap
Kirk & Co.'s "Arbor" brand Toilet Soap, box9
25c Tooth Brushes
10c and 12½c Tooth Brushes
23C Metallic Hair Diddies

Women's 'Kerchiefs and Belts



25c A DOZEN FOR HEMSTITCHED HANDKERCHIEFS. Ladies' plain white and fancy bordered Cambric 'Kerchiefs, nicely hemstitched in 1/4 and 1/2-inch hems; a standard 5c value; special, Satur-day at, dozen. 25c LEATHER BELTS FOR HALF Women's all leather

Belts, in black and colors, wide or narrow, all sizes and with large buckle fasteners; 25c values, special, Saturday at25c

Men's Bargains Spec'l Saturday

25c SOX 19c A timely offer in the "man's shop." For Saturday 100 dozen men's natural wool half hose, with merino heel and toe, which adds materially .to wearing qualities; a fine medium weight for early fall wear, and a guaranteed 25c value; special, Saturday at, the pair 19c

50c Work Shirts 39c Brown and blue mixtures in fine, perfect fitting Shirts, of splen-

did quality cheviot, well made and finished with yoke and pearl buttons; standard 50c grade; special, Saturday for 39c

MEN'S 25c FOUR-IN-HANDS, 17c. A tempting assortment of handsome neck dressings; extra values at "two-bits;" all pure silk and reversible four-in-hands, in polka dotted designs and Rumchundas;

VIGOROUS PRICE Hosiery Values



Women's and Misses'

MISSES' 25c HOSE, 10c PAIR. An attractive convention of pretty all-over lace Hosiery, in tan colorings and full regular made; sizes 5 to 9; best usual "two-bit" values; special tomorrow at, the pair IUC WOMEN'S 20c HOSIERY, 9c. A special lot of extra values, at the regular 20c price, of Women's full fashioned black cotton Hos-

iery; have double heels and toes; sizes in the lot 8½ to 10; special, Saturday, pair. 9c

A BIG SPECIAL SALE SATURDAY OF

MEN'S \$18.00 SUITS, \$9.75.

New, smart, stylish suits, very latest models, splendidly tailored and faultlessly made, in strictly all wool materials, neat, dressy striped effects or in fashionable plaids, single or double-breasted styles, hand-tailored button holes; \$18.00 values; \$20.75 special for Saturday at

MEN'S \$15.00 SUITS, \$6.75.

Handsome Scotch tweeds and smart mixtures in new fall woolsuits in Portland; special for Saturday only, at \$6.75 ens, single or double-breasted styles; best \$15.00 MEN'S \$12.50 SUITS, \$4.50.

Good choosing from neat, late, stylish patterns in all wool goods. Nicely tailored, latest models, single or double-breasted styles; splendid values at \$12.50; special, Saturday only, at

YOUTHS' \$10.00 SUITS, \$3.50.

Assorted styles, good choosing from stylish suits for young men, ages 12 to 20 years; best regular \$10.00 value in \$3.50 new fall suits; special at

Men's Pants

Choose from our entire and immense assortment of Men's Trousers. Take any pair, values to \$6; any pants in \$1.98 the house, Saturday, for

Children's \$3 to \$5 Suits for Half

Get the School Suits now. Choose any Child's Suit, pay us \$1.50 to \$2.50. Any one is worth double the price we ask on

Housewives! Buy Rugs and **Draperies Saturday**

\$2.00 SMYRNA RUGS, \$1.38.

Handsome reversible Smyrna Rugs, 30x60-inch size, in beautiful floral designs or antique oriental effects; a great value \$1.38 at \$2.00; extra special at...... 15c CURTAIN RODS, 9c.

Brass Extension Rods, 51-inch full length, with white knobs and brackets; 15c value, special at9c \$5.00 PORTIERES FOR \$3.48.

Handsome Portieres, 3 yards long and 50 inches wide, beautiful art loom tapestries in charming color combinations of red and green, also rich plain colorings in warm and cozy effects; all prettily trimmed in knotted fringe; \$5.00 value. \$1.25 MARSEILLES BED SPREADS, 74c.

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General de Regrier, Fr. bk. London
Gayard, Fr. bk. Antwerp
Ville de Dijon, Fr. bk. Antwerp
H. Haekfield, Gr. bk. Antwerp
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—British ship Jordanhill, from Portland.

Astoria, Or., Sept. 6.—Condition of the bar at 8 a. m., smooth; wind, north, 10 ters 2,759 tons net.

of lumber. The body of H. Swen

The schooner Irene is coming from San Pedro to load a return

ALONG THE WATERFROND

The body of H. Swenich, drowned at the mouth of the river Wednesday afternoon, been recovered, and there is it of finding it. He was working jetty.

Henry J. Strowbridge, who a tour on the oriental lines writes to his friends hora? been sick with fever for along but is again well. He was lung, Formons, August 16