

NAUGHTY SHARK SWALLOWS HALF BUSHEL OF SPUDS

Big Man-Eater Is Hauled on Board After It Had Followed Ship; Chef's Wastefulness Is Bared.

"One way to keep a check on your cook," says Captain A. W. Swenson, master of the schooner Nottingham, "is to have a shark follow the vessel. Then catch the shark at the end of the day and you have a sure method of telling how much he has wasted."

Captain Swenson said that on his recent voyage to the tropics a large man eating shark followed the vessel continuously one day, the fish being conspicuous because of the fact that there were no others in sight. They finally succeeded in landing him on the deck of the schooner late in the afternoon, the entire crew, including the cook, standing by. One of the sailors ripped the shark open, upon which the lord of the ship's larder was covered with confusion, for there reposing in the stomach of the shark were a half bushel of potatoes, large pieces of salt meat and various other edibles wantonly thrown overboard by the chef.

Shark Swallowed Shoe.

On the following day, said Captain Swenson, one of the boats was out while they were becalmed in the Gulf of California, catching turtles to vary the monotony of the diet aboard ship, when a shark made away with the shoe of one of the sailors, although the man finally got it back after giving it up for lost, much to his disconsolation, as the ones he had on were the only pair that he owned. The sea was smooth, and not a thing could be seen but turtles for miles around, when one of them refused to be taken aboard the boat and the sailor jumped in after it. He had no more than struck the water than a huge dorsal fin appeared a few yards away and the captain shouted, "Get into the boat."

The sailor obeyed the order with alacrity, but just as his left foot was being pulled from the water his shoe disappeared. A day later the shark hook was thrown overboard from the schooner and when a monstrous man-eater was drawn aboard and opened up the shoe was found in him intact.

"There is one fish that I have seen in the doldrums," said Captain Swenson, "which I have never been able to get catalogued. The first time I ever saw

one was four years ago, and I have only seen the species three times since. It has the appearance of a skate in some respects, its body being flat, but otherwise it is unique. The specimens that I have seen were about three feet broad and six feet long, and at the end which is presumably the head appeared two tusks about six inches long, and of formidable appearance. It swims rapidly either along the surface of the water or about three feet below."

The captain said that he tried to catch one of the fish once with a shark hook, but although the creature came up to the bait it refused to bite.

LOG TOWING SLACK

High Water Causes Tug Charles M. Greiner to Tie Up.

Log towing in the river having become somewhat slack by reason of the high water, the tug Charles M. Greiner has been tied up at the Vulcan Iron Works' section of the Alaska dock to have some necessary overhauling done. While the engines of the Greiner are new, having been installed in the boat before she was launched about the middle of last year, the cylinders are in need of boring out. Captain Evans, one of the owners of the Greiner, has just returned from the east, where he has been visiting.

MAKES HIS HOME HERE

Portland Looks Good to New Assistant Sales Manager.

A. E. Suggden, of San Francisco, has arrived in Portland to assume the duties of assistant manager of the Pacific Hardware & Steel company. Mr. Suggden, who was formerly sales manager for that company at San Francisco, said that from what he had seen of Portland on a former occasion he had decided to bring his family here immediately and they made the trip up here with him. He said that he had been very much impressed with the Rose City and was glad of the promotion, not only for its own sake, but also for its giving him the opportunity to reside here.

STEAMER ANVIL TIES UP

Gas Boat Unable to Navigate Siuslaw Owing to Storms.

Difficultly being experienced in and out of the Siuslaw during the stormy months has induced the operators of the gas steamer Anvil to tie her up temporarily. It is probable that she will be docked at the city levee for the time being in order to get out of the way of larger vessels which wish to dock at the Albers dock.

A. D. Chase, one of the owners of the Anvil, said yesterday afternoon that on two different trips to the Siuslaw the Anvil had had to turn around and bring her freight back to Portland because of the impossibility of getting into that harbor through the action of the river and the storms at sea having shoaled the mouth of the Siuslaw. She was unable to take her freight in during one

CHAMPION FENCER CHALLENGES BARONESS



Mrs. William H. Dewar.

Philadelphia, Jan. 18.—Mrs. William H. Dewar of 2387 North Twenty-second street, the champion woman fencer of Philadelphia, has issued a challenge to the Baroness de Meyer, the famous French swordswoman, for the world's title. The match will probably take place in the exclusive Colony club of New York January 27.

trip in November and also on the last trip this month.

It was stated that the Anvil will be placed on the run again as soon as her owners deem that conditions are favorable for taking freight and passengers in over the Siuslaw bar.

ALONG THE WATERFRONT

The steamer Tahoma, running in place of the steamer J. N. Teal, is already to leave for The Dalles next Sunday, the ice being out of the river. She has been tied up for the last three weeks.

Laden with a full cargo of cement the steamer Klamath, Captain Jahnson, arrived last night at the North Bank dock from San Francisco, and after discharging some of her cargo there she proceeded to the Oak street dock this forenoon to finish. She brought passengers also.

Carrying 175 passengers and the smallest cargo that she has ever brought north, consisting of 750 tons, the steamer Beaver, Captain Nelson, is scheduled to arrive this afternoon from San Francisco and Los Angeles.

Having completed an inspection of some of the life stations on Puget sound, Henry L. Beck, lighthouse inspector for the Seventeenth district, returned last night from Seattle.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE

Due to Arrive.

Str. Beaver, San Pedro.....Jan. 18
Str. Roanoke, San Pedro.....Jan. 21
Str. Anvil, Bandon.....Jan. 21
Str. Breakwater, Coos Bay.....Jan. 22
Str. Bear, San Pedro.....Jan. 23
Str. Rose City, San Pedro.....Jan. 23
Str. Alliance, Eureka.....Indefinite

Due to Depart.

Harvard, Am. ss., San Francisco, Jan. 19
Str. Elmore, Tillamook.....Jan. 23
Str. Breakwater, Coos Bay.....Jan. 23
Yale, Am. ss., from San Fran., Jan. 29
Str. Rose City, San Pedro.....Feb. 1
Str. Geo. W. Elder, San Diego, Jan. 18
Str. Beaver, San Pedro.....Jan. 22
Str. Roanoke, San Pedro.....Jan. 24
Str. Bear, San Pedro.....Jan. 27

Miscellaneous Vessels En Route.

Catherina, Nor. bark.....Valparaiso
Grain Tonnage En Route.
Kiroddrightshire, Br. ship.....Newcastle
La Perouse, Fr. ship.....Liverpool
Marechal Gontaut, Fr. bk. Newcastle, A.
Pierre Antoinette, Fr. bark.....Newcastle
Schorbek, Ger. bark.....St. Rosalia
Bolway, Br. bark.....Junia

Vessels in Port.

Aloha, Am. sch.....Westport
Boston, U. S. S.....Jefferson St.
Beeswing, Fr. ship.....Liverpool
Buffon, French bk.....Astoria
Battle Abbey, Br. bk.....Tongue Pt.
Berlin, Am. bk.....Goble
Klamath, Am. ss.....Oak st.
British Vedman, Br. sh.....Astoria
Charles Gounod, Fr. bk.....Mersey
Clatsop, U. S. Dredge.....Jefferson st.
Fred J. Wood, Am. sch.....Kalama
Hercules, Nor. ss.....Linnton
Ortelia, Br. ss.....Port
Punko, Am. bktn.....Portland Lbr. Co.
Rene, Fr. bk.....Astoria

Daily River Readings.

STATIONS	5 a. m.	12th meridian line.
Lewiston	24 5.7	40.3 0
Riparia	30 4.5	40.1 0
Umatilla	35 3.9	39.9 0
Eugene	40 3.3	39.7 0
Harrisburg	45 2.7	39.5 0
Albany	50 2.1	39.3 0
Salem	55 1.5	39.1 0
Wilsonville	60 0.9	38.9 0
Portland	65 0.3	38.7 0

(*)Rising. (-)Falling.

MARINE NOTES

Astoria, Jan. 18.—Sailed at 6:30 a. m. steamer Geo. W. Elder, for San Diego and way ports; at 7 a. m. steamer Rose City, for San Francisco and San Pedro. Arrived at 7 and left up at 9 a. m. steamer Beaver, from San Pedro and San Francisco. Sailed at 7:50 a. m. steamer Daisy Gadsby, for San Pedro. Arrived at 7:50 and left up at 9:30 a. m. steamer Rosecrans, from Monterey. Sailed at 8 a. m. steamer Nome City, for San Francisco. Sailed at 9:50 a. m. steamer Coaster, for San Francisco. Arrived at 9:10 a. m. steamer Wasp, from San Francisco.

San Francisco, Jan. 18.—Arrived at 10 a. m. steamer Tamalpais, from Portland.

San Pedro, Jan. 17.—Sailed, steamer Roanoke, for Portland.

Astoria, Jan. 17.—Arrived down at 2:15 and sailed at 4 p. m. steamer Breakwater, for Coos Bay. Arrived

down at 8:45 p. m. steamer Daisy Gadsby; at 11 p. m. steamer Rose City. Point Reyes, Jan. 17.—Passed, steamer Shasta, from San Pedro. Sailed at 4 p. m. steamer Astoria, for Portland. Arrived at midnight, steamer Carlos, from Portland.

Astoria, Jan. 18.—Condition at the mouth of the river at 8 a. m. smooth; wind east, 15 miles; weather cloudy. "Tides at Astoria Friday—High water, 1:35 a. m., 7:11 feet; 6:37 p. m., 5.4 feet; low water, 7:19 a. m., 2.9 feet; 7:40 p. m., 6.7 feet.

Wireless Messages.

Steamer W. F. Horton at sea, midnight, January 17-18.—(Via North Head)—In latitude 40 degrees no minutes north; longitude 124 degrees no minutes west; barometer 29.50; temperature 50; wind northwest; fresh breeze; weather cloudy.

S. S. J. A. Chanlor at sea, midnight, January 17-18.—(Via North Head)—In latitude 42 degrees 45 minutes north; longitude 123 degrees 47 minutes west; wind east light breeze; sea smooth; sky overcast; barometer 29.78; temperature 50.

S. S. Beaver at sea, 4 a. m., January 18.—(Via North Head)—Ten miles off Tillamook rock; barometer 29.9; temperature 48; wind northeast, six miles; weather clear; sea smooth.

FORMER JUDGE ADVOCATE FACES COURT MARTIAL

(United Press Landed Wire.)
Vallejo, Cal., Jan. 18.—Facing a court-martial on charges of actions unbecoming an officer and a gentleman as a result of an attack upon his wife, Captain Ernest E. West, U. S. M. C., is under arrest today at the barracks here.

Captain West is regarded as one of the brightest officers in the service. He was sent here to act as judge advocate at the court-martials following the Bennington disaster.

Reids Not to Come West.

(United Press Landed Wire.)
San Mateo, Cal., Jan. 18.—Preparations for the homecoming of Ambassador and Mrs. Whitelaw Reid here are today discontinued, following receipt of word from New York that the Reids have abandoned their proposed trip west. Plans for the rebuilding of the Red Cross hospital, founded by Mrs. Reid in memory of her mother, will now be sent to her for approval.

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ception of the infernal regions in all its horrors. The Star is presenting the Kalein production of Arrah-na-Pogue, in four gorgeous reels and there are special musical and singing features at each theatre.

Entertained at Dinner.

Mr. Earle, general manager of the Pennsylvania Steel company which has been awarded the contract for the erection of the Broadway bridge, and Mr. Ralph Modjeski, the well-known engineer who is in charge of its construction, both of whom are here to make final arrangements in connection with the big work, were entertained at dinner at the Arlington club last evening

by Major James McI. Wood. The other guests were Mr. Gaffney, Pacific coast representative of the Pennsylvania Steel company, Dr. K. A. J. Mackenzie, Carl Gray, president of the Hill House on the Pacific coast, D. C. O'Reilly, Carl Spohn, C. E. E. Wood and J. F. O'Brien, vice president of the Oregon-Washington Railroad & Navigation company.

Swiss Women Get Rights.

(United Press Landed Wire.)
Berne, Switzerland, Jan. 18.—New civil laws have just come into force throughout Switzerland, which greatly advance the legal position of women, who now are almost as free as men, except that they cannot vote.

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