

GLASGOW COURIER

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO (Feb. 21, 1946)

Bob McInerney, Jimmy Nelson, Bill Stuart and John Gilbert caught some fish in the "riffles" east of the Civil Center that resembled a cross between a shark and a channel catfish, which were identified as paddlefish and not previously known to inhabit the Milk river. The largest weighed 31 pounds and measured more than 56 inches. The fish had been caught between rocks in the rapids and the layer of ice on the water, where they died. After chipping away the ice, the boys took the fish downtown where they attracted numerous onlookers.

FORTY YEARS AGO (Feb. 27, 1931)

The first railroad car of live carp caught in the Bowdoin lake in Phillips county was shipped to fish markets in Philadelphia and New York. Nine large tanks, a total of more than 30,000 pounds of fish, made up the car, which was equipped with motor and air pumps. If the experiment proved successful, thousands of tons of carp were destined to be shipped to eastern market.