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The North Star CHATHAM, N. B, July 13,1881 J. E. CoLuINS...........EDITTor
[st. Nicholas.]
Did you ever look at a birds
wing carefully and try to find out out from it the way in
which it is used? People usually suppose, either that a bird flies because it is lighter than
air, like a baloon, or that it row itself along as a boat is rowed through the water. Neither of bird is not lighter than the air bird is shot on the wing it falls to the ground just as quickly as
the squirrel. On the contrary, a bird flies on its own weight and could not fly at all if it Look at a quill-feather, and you will see that on each side is a broad, thin portion, which is side of the shaft is quite on one and flexible, while that on the other side is narrow and stiff; and by looking at a wing with
the feathers in their places, you will find that they are placed so that they overlap a little, like the
slats on a window blind. Each broad vane runs under the nar row vane of the feather beside moved downvard, each feather is pressed up against the stiff,
narrow vane of the one beside it, and the whole wing forms a solid sheet like the blinds with the slats closed. After the down stroke is finished and the up stroke begins, the pressure is of the wing, and begins to act press the feathers downward vanead of upward. The broa vanes now have nothing to sup-
port them, and they bend down and allow the air to pass through the ying, which is now
like a blind the the slatsopen. shape of the wing, and the shape and arrangement of the feathers -the wing resists the air on its down-stroke and raises the bird up..stroke allows he air to pass
off at the sides, and to pase through between the feathers,
so that nothing is lost. AGEANT IN SIAAL.

## [Rev. J. Wilson, Siam.]

 The rice crop this year is abountiful one, and the people are rejoicing over it. The second king came in from the couniry on sabbath morning. He haa for the yearly procession that is made at the close of the harvest. The first gong had rung for
our religious service just as
the procession reached the lower compound. The noice of bells
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decorated with green branches.
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the $\begin{aligned} & \text { the guardian spirits that preside } \\ & \text { over the rice crop. } \\ & \text { col }\end{aligned}$ Those that could see the procession in its
whole length considered it the most imposing one that has
passed for years.
A"DEVILFISH" CAPTURED.
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fishing near the Farallones, and
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Market, where it was viewed by hundreds of persons yesterday.
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