

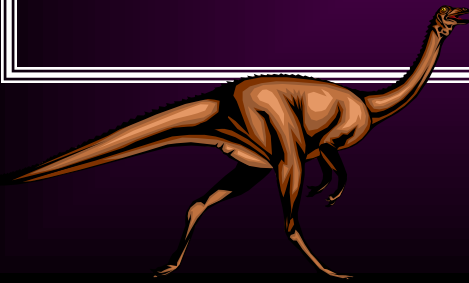


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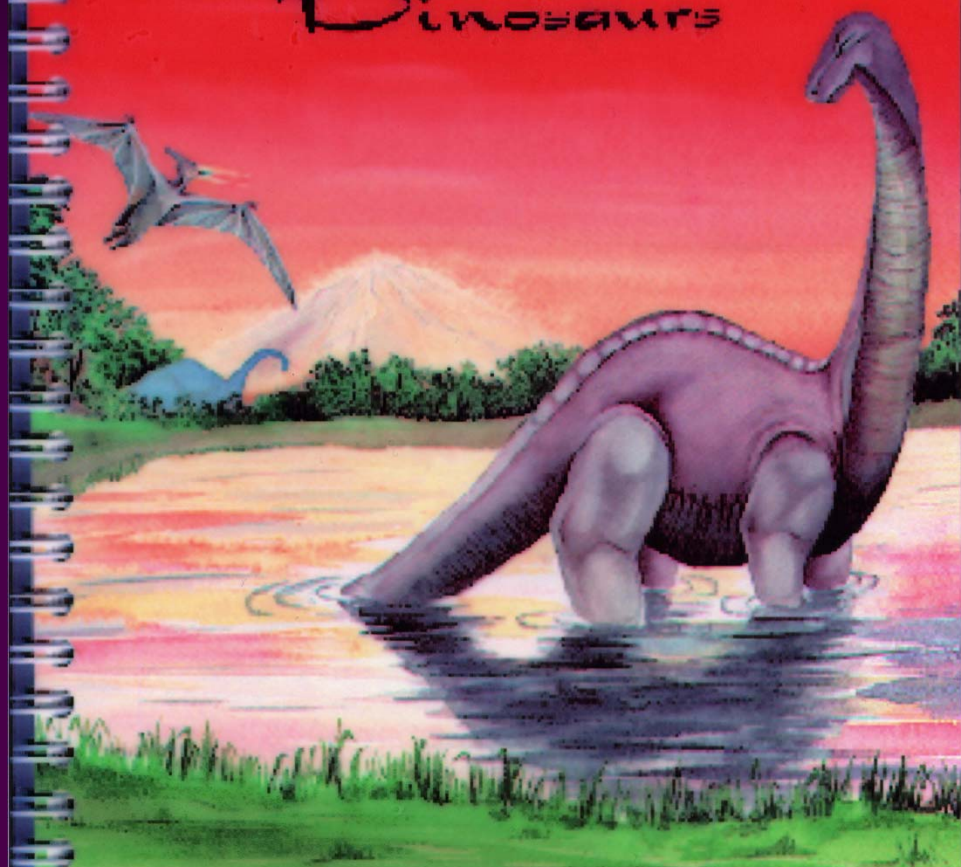


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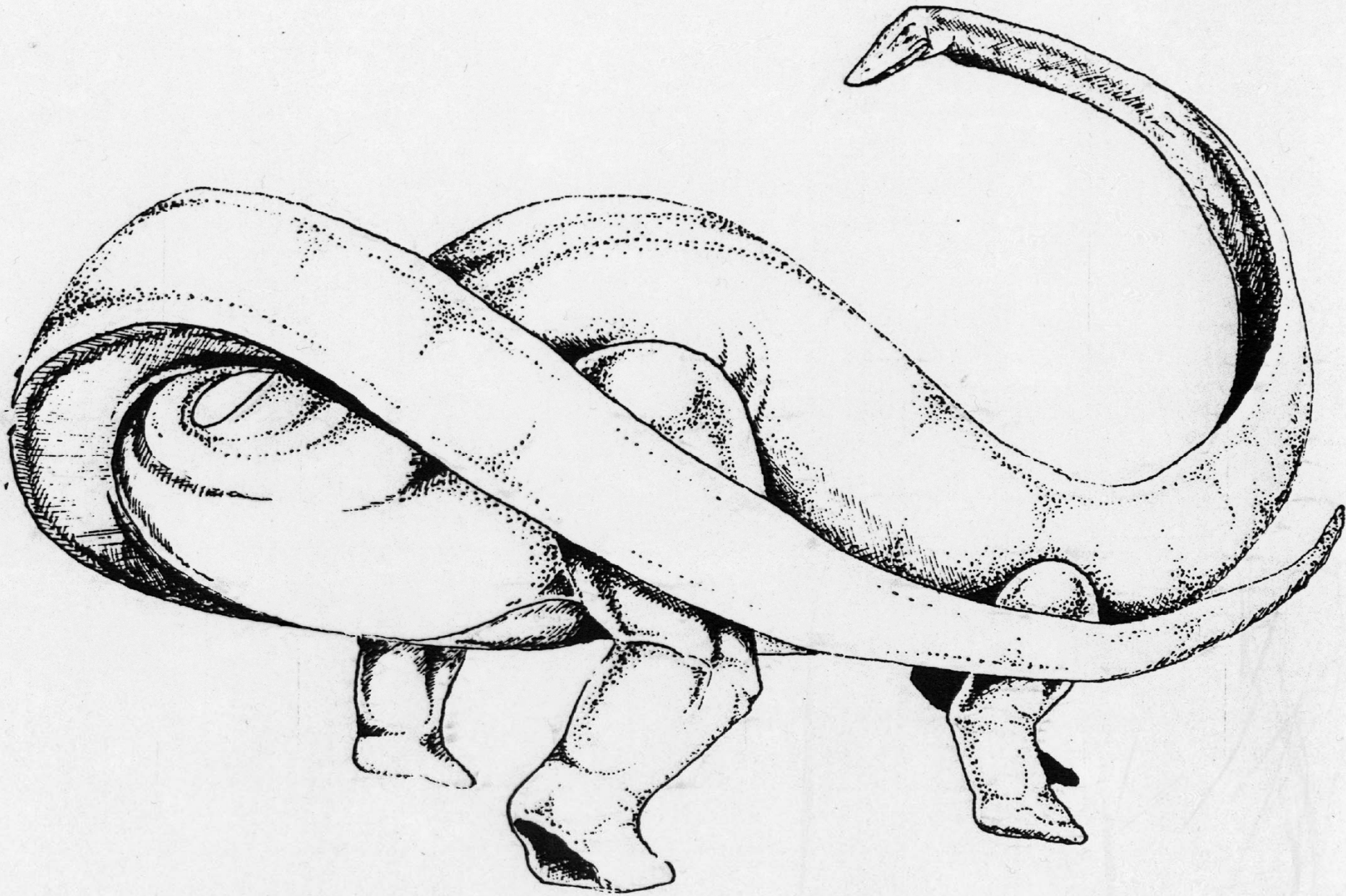
Those Mysterious Dinosaurs

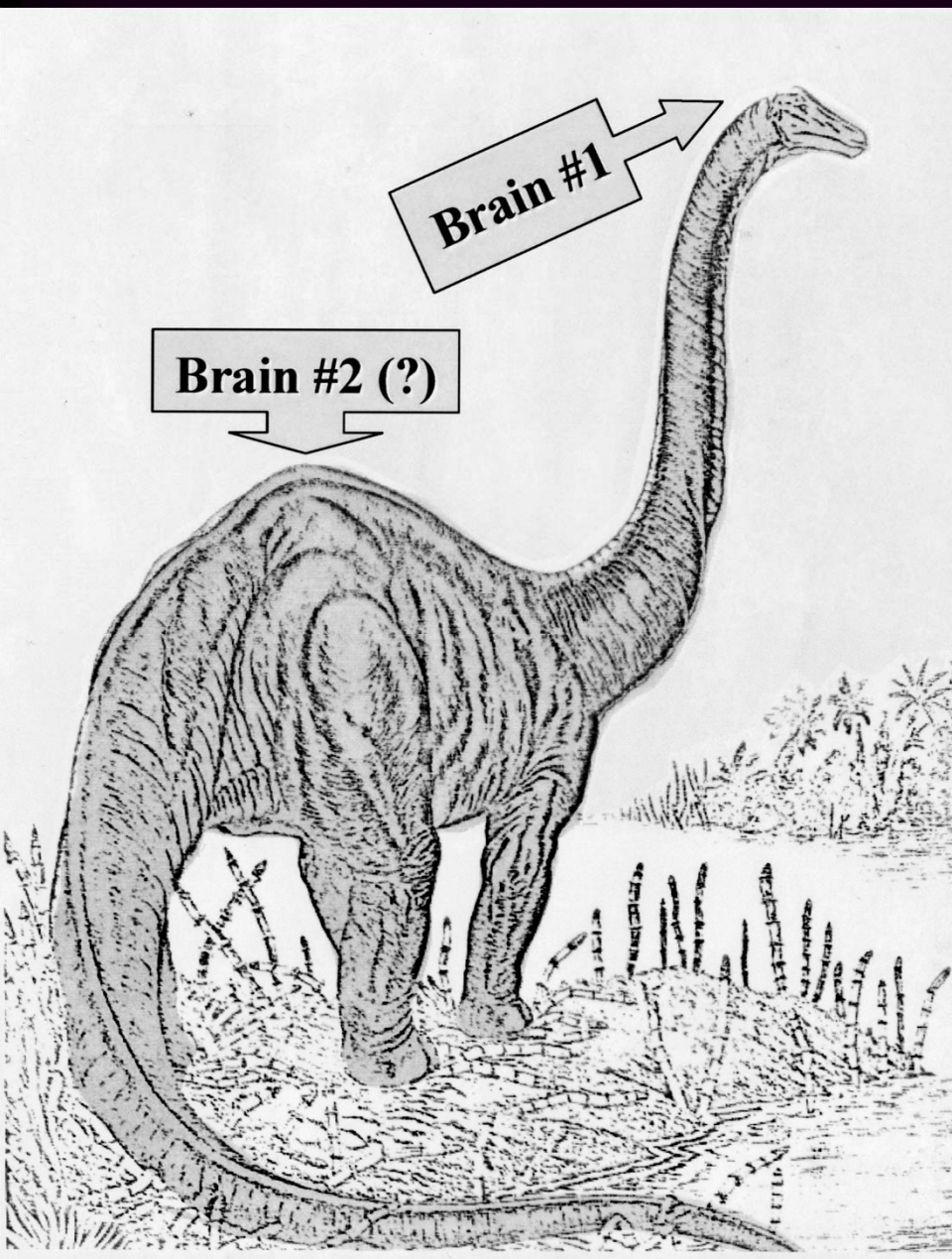


**A Biblical Approach for Children,
their parents & their teachers**

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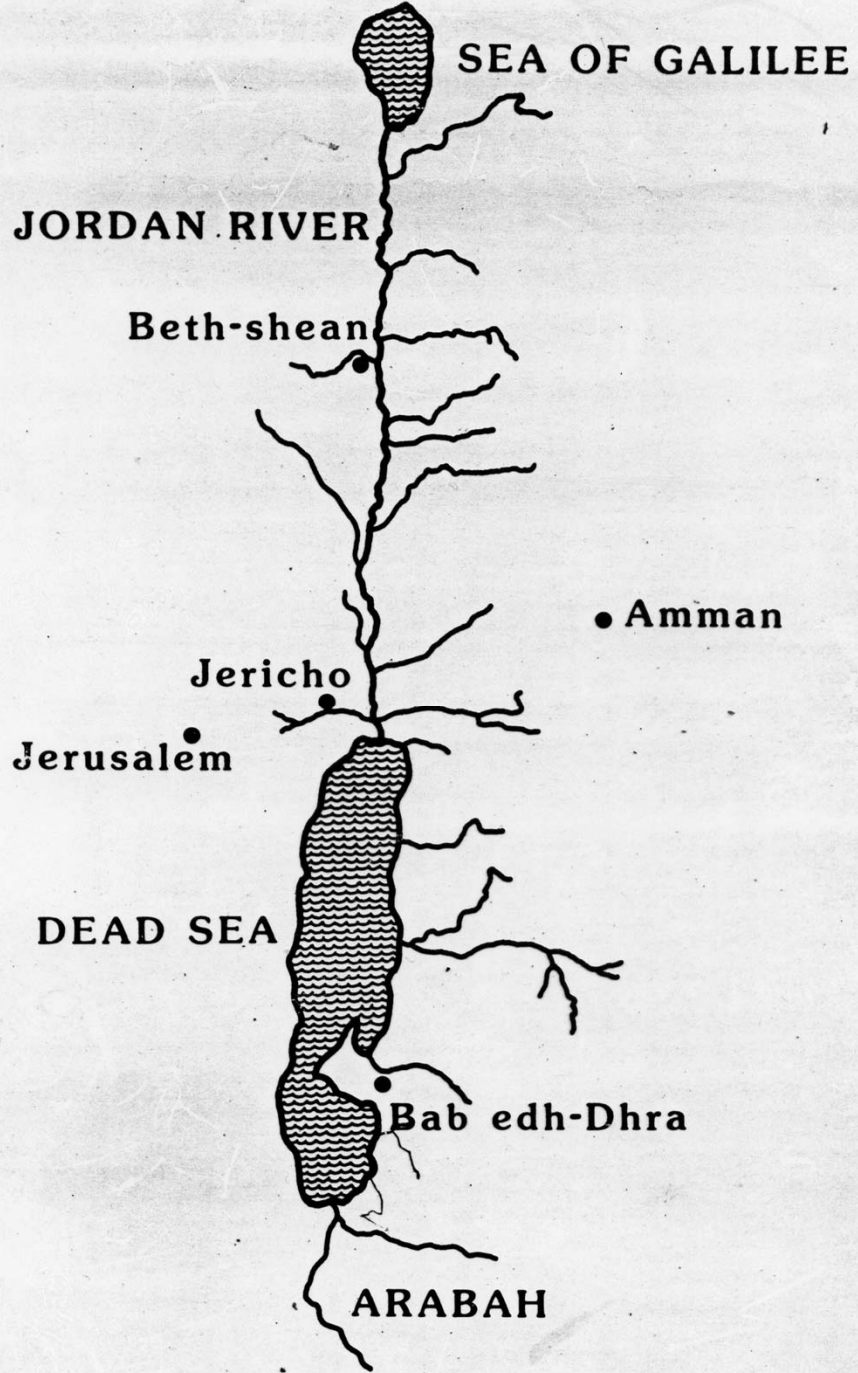




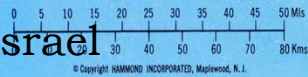
Diplodocus

A plant-eating dinosaur 87 feet long, had a slender neck and a tail. This restoration of the reptile as it looked during life is based on skeletons found in north-eastern Utah.










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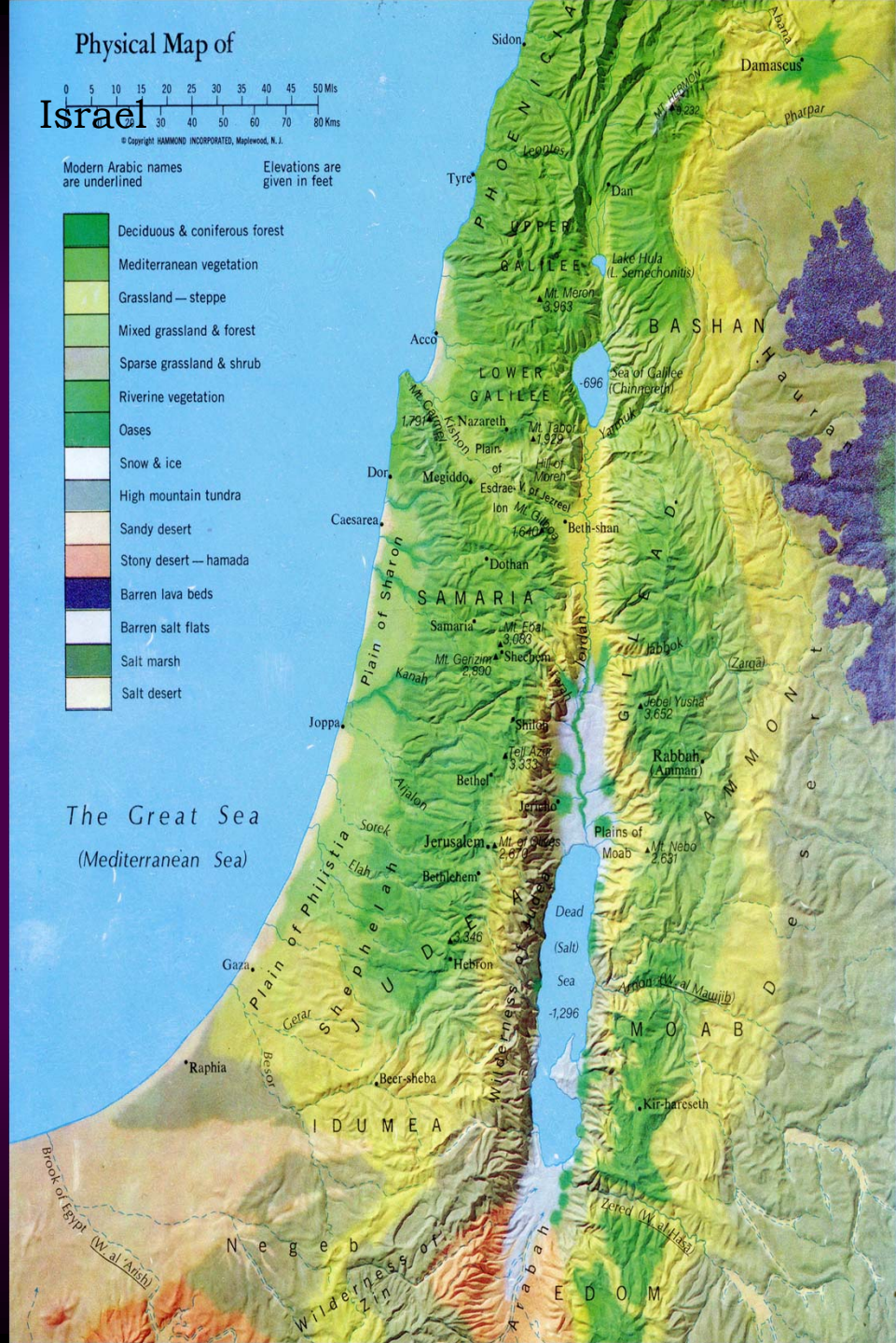
Physical Map of Israel



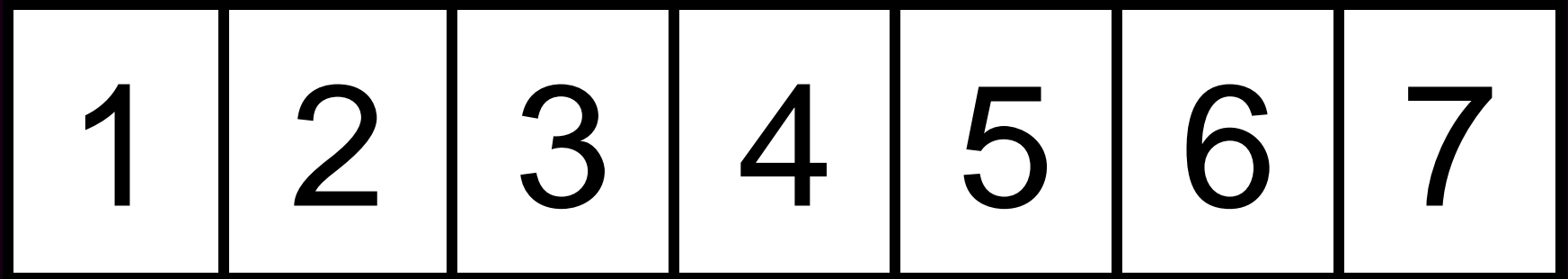
Modern Arabic names are underlined> Elevations are given in feet

-  Deciduous & coniferous forest
-  Mediterranean vegetation
-  Grassland — steppe
-  Mixed grassland & forest
-  Sparse grassland & shrub
-  Riverine vegetation
-  Oases
-  Snow & ice
-  High mountain tundra
-  Sandy desert
-  Stony desert — hamada
-  Barren lava beds
-  Barren salt flats
-  Salt marsh
-  Salt desert

The Great Sea
(Mediterranean Sea)



THE CREATION TIME - BLOCK



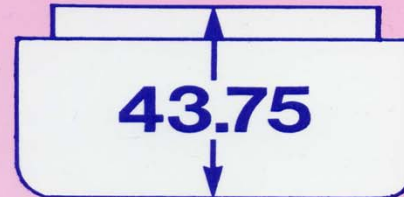
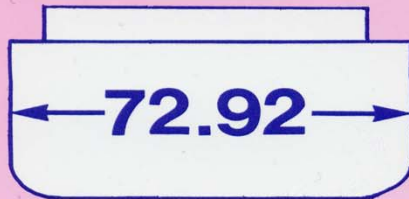
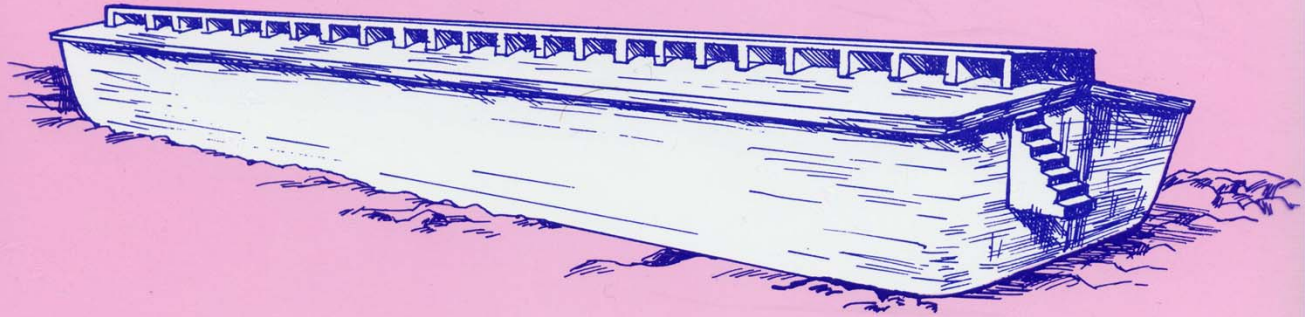
24 Hour Days:

- Numerical Adjectives
- Evening/Morning
- Exodus 20:11
- 2 Peter 3:8
- Genesis 1:14

The Order of Events:

- 1-2 – Heaven & Earth
- 3 – Fruit Trees
- 4 – Sun, Moon, Stars
- 5 – Marine & Flying Creatures
- 6 – Mammals, Insects, Reptiles & Man

NOAH'S ARK

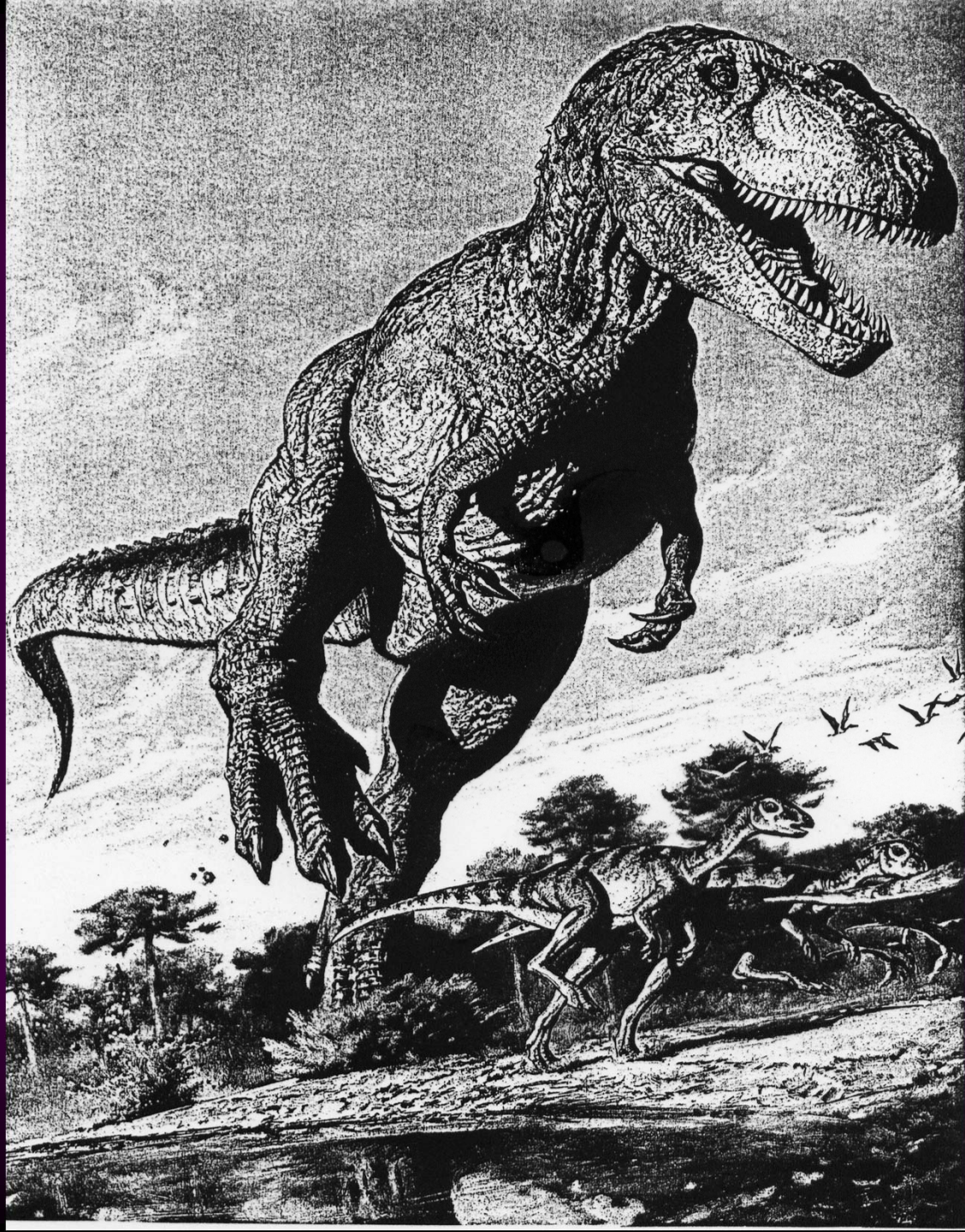


Volume **1,396,000 cu.ft.**

Gross Tonnage **13,960 tn.**

522 R.R. Stock Cars
= Freight Capacity

125,280 sheep - size animals



One Mean Bite



Jaws of T.rex are certified as the most powerful ever

With teeth, *Tyrannosaurus rex* certainly had the look of a fearsome hunter. But looks aren't everything. For decades paleontologists have chewed over the suggestion that *T. rex's* eyes were too small, its arms too short and its legs too slow for effective hunting. A few experts have gone so far as to say that despite the monster's huge jaws, its teeth were fragile and its jaw muscles not strong enough to capture and kill other animals. Maybe the king of the dinosaurs was just a lowly scavenger.

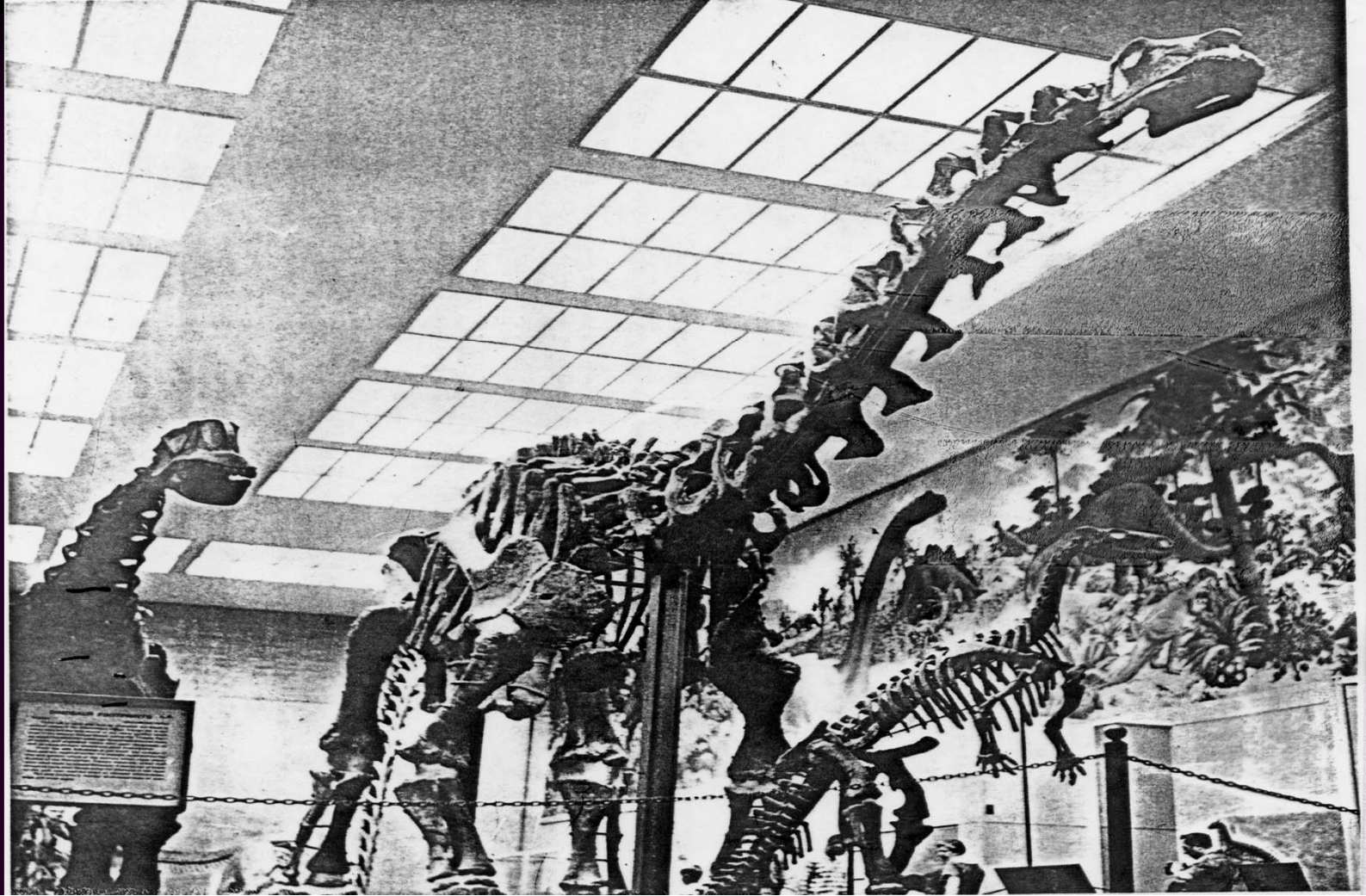
Or maybe not. An experiment described in the current *Nature* suggests that the huge carnivore did indeed have the most powerful bite in history. Researchers led by Gregory Erickson, a graduate student at the University of California, Berkeley, figured that if they could reproduce the *T. rex* bite marks found in fossilized *Triceratops* bones, they could deduce how

much force had been needed to make them. So with the help of Stanford biomechanical engineers they crafted a false *Tyrannosaurus* tooth out of bronze and aluminum, then mounted it in a guillotine-like device and slammed it into the pelvic bone of a cow.

Their verdict: a feeding *T. rex* could have exerted up to 3,011 lbs. Of biting force. It would have used greater force while attacking. A human's bite, by comparison packs 175 lbs.; a lion's, 937; and an alligator's, just under 3,000. The research addresses only one aspect of the predator vs. scavenger question. But if scientists can find several bones with *T. rex* bite wounds that later healed--showing that the animals weren't already dead when they were chomped on—that might settle the debate for good.

--By Lawrence Mondt

Time, September 2, 1996



The world before Adam was populated by giant dinosaurs and myriads of other unusual creatures. Here you see their bones, excavated from the soil which buried them in a terrible catastrophe that struck the planet earth before the creation of Man. Skeletons may be viewed in Peabody Museum, New Haven, Connecticut.

The Universe Under God's Curse

Of old hast Thou laid the foundation of the earth: and the heavens are the work of Thy hands. They shall perish, but Thou shalt endure: yea, all of them shall wax old like a garment; as a vesture shalt Thou change them, and they shall be changed: But Thou art the same, and Thy years shall have no end.

~ Psalm 102:25-27 & Hebrews 1:10-12

Lift up your eyes to the heavens, and look upon the earth beneath: for the heavens shall vanish away like smoke, and the earth shall wax old like a garment, and they that dwell therein shall die in like manner; but my salvation shall be forever, and my righteousness shall not be abolished.

~ Isaiah 51:6



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