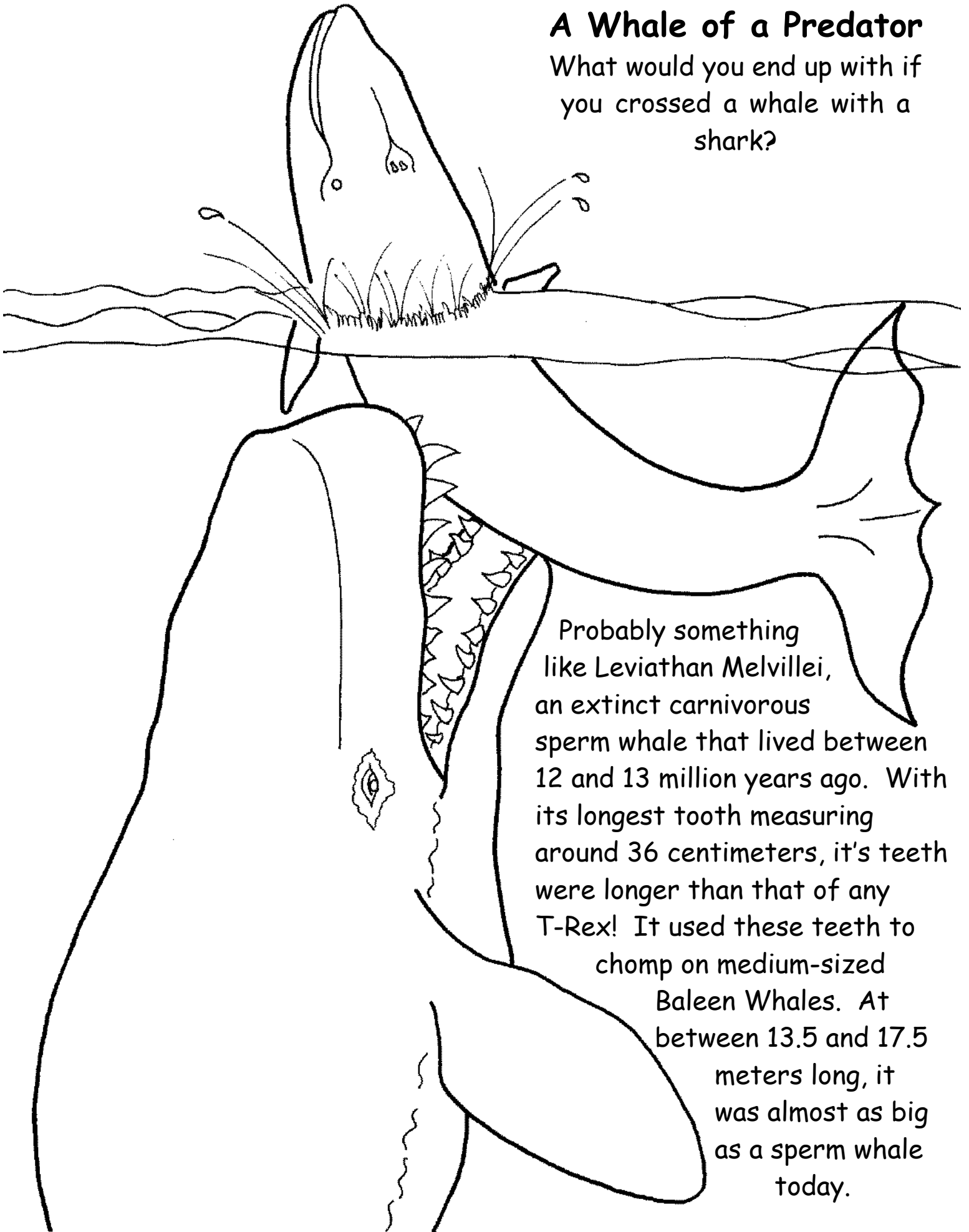


A Whale of a Predator

What would you end up with if you crossed a whale with a shark?



Probably something like *Leviathan Melvillei*, an extinct carnivorous sperm whale that lived between 12 and 13 million years ago. With its longest tooth measuring around 36 centimeters, its teeth were longer than that of any T-Rex! It used these teeth to chomp on medium-sized Baleen Whales. At between 13.5 and 17.5 meters long, it was almost as big as a sperm whale today.