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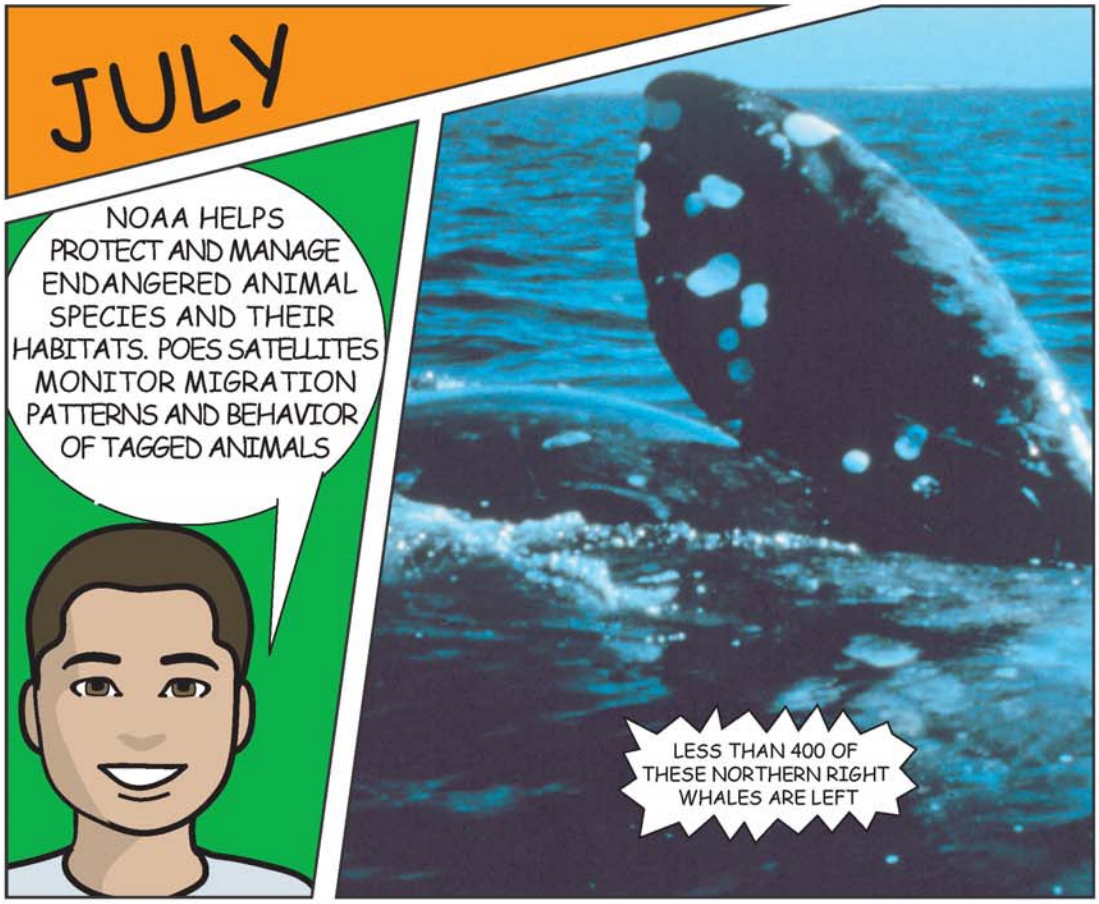

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2 1843: An alligator falls from the sky onto Anson Street during a thunderstorm in Charleston, South Carolina.	3 Aphelion, when Earth's orbit takes it farthest from the Sun.	4 U.S. Independence Day	5	6	7	8 1788: Hail falls at Canterbury, Connecticut to a depth of 34 inches, causing serious flooding when it melts.
9	10 1913: Hottest temperature ever recorded in the U.S. in Death Valley, California, of 134°F (57°C).	11 1990: Costliest U.S. hailstorm ever occurs in Denver, Colorado, with damage of $625 million.	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21 1983: Coldest temperature ever recorded on Earth, -129°F (-89°C) in Vostok, Antarctica.	22
2001: Launch of GOES-12 satellite, the first to carry a Solar X-Ray Imager to study the Sun and space weather. 23 30	24 31	25	26 1775: Founding of U.S. Post Office Department. "Neither snow nor rain ... stays these couriers from the swift completion of their appointed rounds."	27	28	29

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