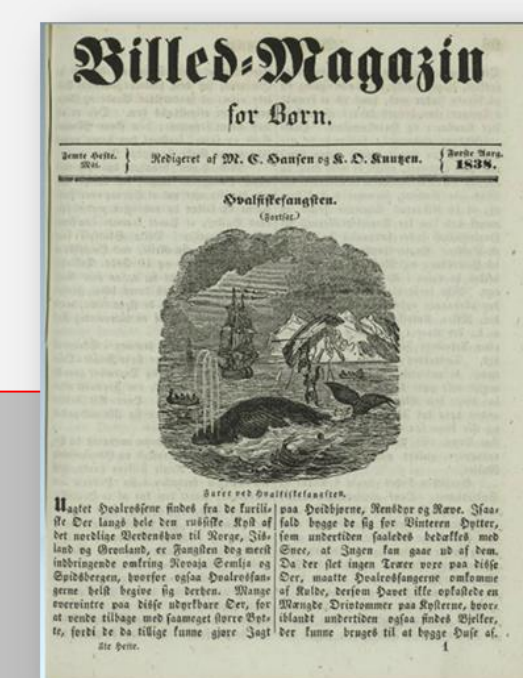
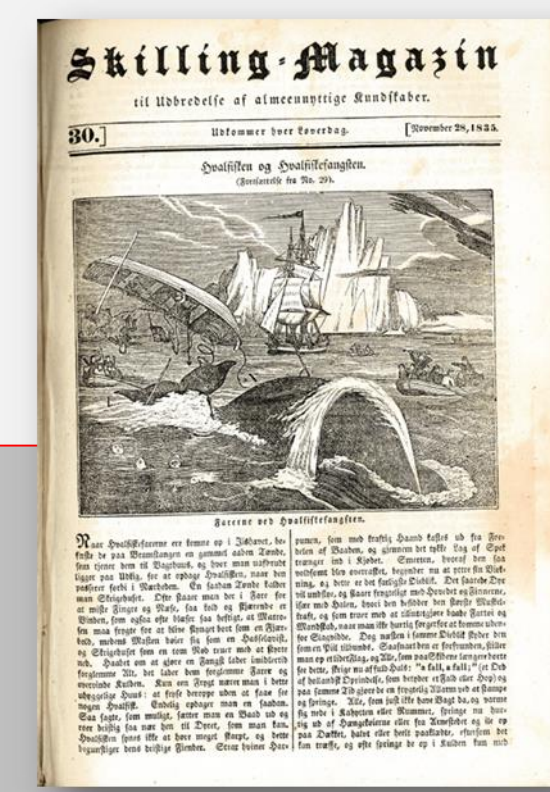
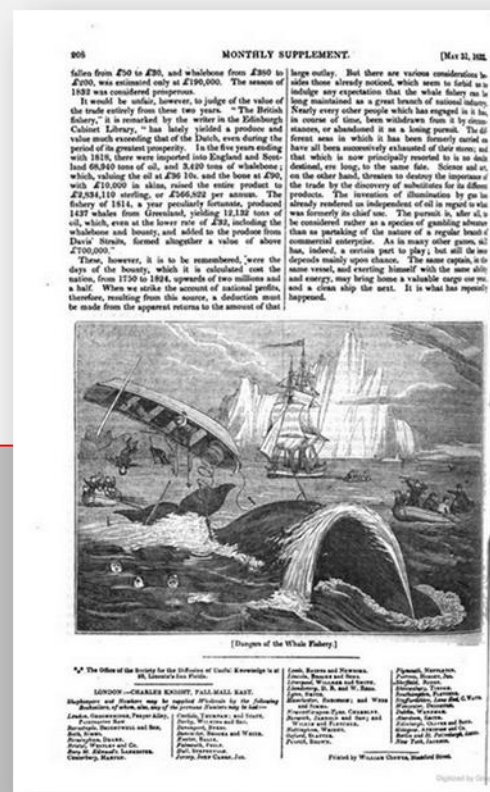


Mass produced images of the 19th century



105 of a total of 154 images extracted from The Norwegian Children's magazine *Billed-Magazin for Børn* (1838-1839)



Reproduced images An illustration printed in *Billed-Magazin for Børn* (1838), and in a book for young readers, *Naturfaglære for ungdommen* (same year), can be traced to another Norwegian magazine by the same publishers, the *Skilling-Magazin* (1835) and back to *The Penny Magazine* (1833).



From *Skilling-Magazin* (1836)

By pursuing mass-produced images, both to their origin and to the various publications to which they were disseminated, a map can possibly be drawn that illustrates the patterns of cooperation and trade among the publishers of the time.

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Method:

Digitization: Background: The files produced to NB digital are presented as images.

Image extraction: A script was written to isolate images from text.

Image recognition: The images were tested in various reverse image search engines.



From *Billed-magazin for børn* (1838).
Two illustrations printed on opposite pages.

