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OVER NIAGARA FALLS; WOMAN GOES IN BARREL

Came Practically Uninjured Through Her Appalling Experience. 17 MINUTES OF HORROR.

Went Through Rapids for a Mile, When Shot Over Canadian Falls and Was Picked Up Conscious and Uninjured, Save for a Scalp Wound—Once is Enough.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., Oct. 24.—Mrs. Tom Taylor, 50 years old, of Bay City, Mich., went over Niagara Falls on the Canadian side this afternoon and survived, but never before accomplished, and, indeed, never attempted except in the deliberate commission of suicide. She made the trip in a barrel. Not only did she survive, but she escaped without a broken bone, her only apparent injury being a scalp wound 1 1/2 inches long, a slight concussion of the brain, a slight shock to her nervous system and bruises about the body. She was conscious when taken out of the barrel. The doctors in attendance upon her tonight said that though she was somewhat hysterical, her condition is not at all serious, and that she will probably be out of bed within a few days.

MAY CALL OUT EVERY VOLUNTEER IN ENGLAND

Mistake of Police Gives Premature Notice That War Office is Thinking of So Doing.

NEGRO DIES AT STAKE WITHOUT A MURMUR

Remained, Saturated With Oil and Burned to Death—Said He Deserved It.

Miss. Oct. 24.—The negro, Morris, who assaulted Mrs. John N. at Balltown, La., was burned at the stake today. He made effort to implicate his wife, but she proved innocent. Morris was taken to the scene of his crime, chained to a pine sapling. Pine knots and straw were piled about the body and grated with coal oil and the match applied. The negro made no outcry when flames first reached him and only when he was partly consumed did he utter a cry for mercy. He made no resistance when being led to the stake and said that he deserved his fate.

Springfield, Oct. 23.—The White Mountain Paper Company, a \$250,000 corporation, is being formed by Western Massachusetts men, and will be incorporated under New Jersey laws. William B. Plunkett, of Adams, is to be president. The company has acquired about 625 square miles of spruce and poplar timber land in New Hampshire and Maine, south and east of Mt. Washington, a tract equal in extent to one-fifth of the state of New Hampshire.

Barcelona, Oct. 24.—The anarchist propaganda, in favor of a general strike, is proving fruitful in Spain. Leading Anarchists assert that committees throughout the world, representing the signal to inaugurate the universal strike proposed by the German workmen and approved by the American and European committees.

ELDER-DEMPSTER CO. ADDRESSES MR. TARTE.

Claims High-Insurance Makes Them Do Business at a Loss.

Ottawa, Oct. 24.—(Special)—An alarming state of affairs is revealed in connection with the ocean trade by the Elder-Dempster line and the situation, as stated by them, is of a serious character that it has become a question how long that company can continue to take cargo from Montreal under the existing disastrous conditions.

SCHLEY ON THE STAND IN HIS OWN BEHALF.

Makes Renewed Interest in the Enquiry—Many Shake His Hand When Court Adjourned—His Testimony Only Begun.

Washington, Oct. 24.—Admiral Schley today took the stand in his own behalf at the court of inquiry which is investigating his conduct as commander-in-chief of the flying squadron during the Santiago campaign. He was summoned a few minutes after the court convened at 2 o'clock for the afternoon session, and when the court adjourned at 4 o'clock he apparently had only gotten well under way in his testimony.

JOSEPH IRVINE FOUND DEAD; HAD RELATIVES HERE

Melancholy, He Took His Life at Woodstock Thursday Morning.

Woodstock, Oct. 24.—(Special)—Joseph Irvine is dead and it is feared it is a case of suicide. As Fred Lockwood was returning to his home on the Houlton road at an early hour this morning while passing the sawdust pit near Moore's mill, he discovered the body of a man lying dead with a revolver by his side.

SEALING SCHOONERS IN.

Six Arrive at Victoria, B. C., With \$45,000 Worth of Skins.

A WORLD-WIDE STRIKE.

Anarchist Propaganda Proving Fruitful in Spain.

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Water Rates for I. C. R. the Question—Did Not Settle It—Horse Stolen.

THIEFS ON OCEAN VESSELS.

London Chamber of Commerce Making Campaign Against Stealing from Ocean Cargoes.

CANADIAN FISHERMEN AS STURDY BRITISH TARS.

Toronto, Oct. 24.—(Special)—The Telegram's special cable from London says: Admiral Hopkins, at a dinner given by the London chamber of commerce, declared if some one would only make a move by holding up their hand in favor of the idea, 10,000 of the 40,000 Canadian fishermen would join the royal navy. Those who had joined in the past had proved to be the very best seamen.

DUKE PLEASED WITH HALIFAX REVIEW.

Letter from His Excellency Issued at Garrison Headquarters—Wednesday.

ENGLISH COMBINE IN IRON AND STEEL.

Organization with Capital of \$100,000,000—Self-defence the Object.

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Fellow-Prisoner Received Gold and Reduction in Term as Executioner.

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KING OF TROTTERS MAKES NEW RECORD.

Cresceus, Urged on by Mike the Tramp, Clips Quarter-second Off Time.

PRISON WARDEN HAD FULL POWER TO SELECT THE DAY OF THE WEEK.

Albany, N. Y., Oct. 24.—Leon Czolgosz, the murderer of President McKinley, will be electrocuted at 7 a. m. on Tuesday, Oct. 29, at Auburn prison.

DEATH WARRANT, HOWEVER, WAS NOT READ TO HIM—TUESDAY CHOSEN SO THAT FINAL PREPARATIONS WOULD NOT BE MADE ON SABBATH—WILL BE 26 WITNESSES.

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MANY GIFTS TO ROYAL COUPLE AT ST. JOHN'S.

Included Dog, Harness and Cart for the Heir Apparent.

LEFT FRIDAY MORNING.

Ophir Was to Sail at Break of Day—Thursday's Demonstrations Were in Rainy Weather—Successful Ending of Royal Visit to America.

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