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THRILLING ESCAPE.

LUCKY SHOT IN DARK SAVED MAN FROM BEAR.

On Getting Out of Bed Thomas Allen, of Revelstoke, Was Astounded to Find Big Animal Close By.

Vancouver, B. C., Sept. 10.—A lucky shot in the dark saved Thomas Allen of Revelstoke from becoming food for a bear. Allen was staying with his brother at the latter's ranch at Eagle Pass.

his money could get it. The rush did not last long. This evening only a casual customer or two could be seen at the teller's window, while that official had stacks of bank notes piled high on his desk.

There were some funny incidents. One old woman who had a balance of three dollars and fifty-five cents asked the teller in frenzied tones if she could be paid in gold.

Many of those who drew out their money took it home with them, while others deposited it in other banks or in the post-office savings bank.

Robert Ewel of Hardy Mountain, near Grand Forks, recently had almost as hair-raising an experience as Allen. He trapped six bears in two weeks.

Prospectors all over the Province report that bears are pretty numerous this season. The crop of bear stories has been unusually large this year as a consequence.

Thamesford, Sept. 10.—By the death of an uncle in New York, Lafayette Goodnow, of North Dorchester, has been left a fortune of \$800,000. Five million dollars were divided between Goodnow, his five brothers and sisters.

A few weeks ago Goodnow never dreamed of being rich. He knew that his uncle possessed wealth untold, but thought that upon his death it would be divided to some other resting place.

Goodnow has not even owned his farm up till this time. He was merely a tenant, and although he was always thrifty and comfortable, luxuries were almost unknown.

What his plans will be is not known. It is thought that he will erect a handsome home and continue to reside in North Dorchester.

He goes to New York in a short time in company with another brother, who resides in Western Ontario, to confer with the other relatives and the lawyers of his late uncle.

Nothing very exciting happened until about noon to-day, when the rumor having by this time received considerable circulation, small depositors began to drop in and withdraw their balances.

This seemed to cause general uneasiness, and very soon the bank was filled with people demanding their money. They were paid as fast as the clerks could hand it out.

The panic was among women and young men exclusively, who work in factories. Some of these are foreigners and their ignorance of English enhanced their fright.

Manager D. B. Crombie is away on his holidays, and C. S. Watson, accountant, who is acting manager, decided upon advice from other officials to keep the bank doors open until 12 o'clock to-night, so that everybody who wanted



FAUSTINO GUERRA, The Cuban Revolutionary General Who is Most Feared by Palma.

THE HOME LIFE INVESTIGATION.

PRESIDENT GORDON CLEARS SOME MATTERS FOR MONARCH LIFE.

Toronto despatch: The evidence of D. A. Gordon, M. P., President of the Monarch Life, yesterday put a somewhat different aspect upon the affairs of the company as disclosed by previous evidence.

WOMAN'S DREAD DEED.

CUT THE HEADS OFF TWO OF HER CHILDREN.

Mrs. Henry Knippen, Wife of an Ohio Farmer, Recently Discharged From a Hospital for the Insane, Tells Neighbor of the Crime.

Columbus Grove, Ohio, Sept. 10.—Mrs. Henry Knippen, wife of a farmer living near Cloverdale, Putnam county, deplacated her two children to-day—a boy aged three and a girl aged one and a half years.

LEFT FORTUNE BY UNCLE.

Gets One-sixth of Estate Valued at Five Millions.

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MR. HANNA'S REPLY.

To Resolution Passed by St. Catharines Methodists.

Toronto, Sept. 10.—The following statement was made by Mr. Hanna in connection with the resolution passed by the Methodist Financial District of St. Catharines and Niagara Falls in connection with the liquor question.

MADE SURE OF DEATH.

Farmer Took Poison and Made Harness Useless.

Charlottetown, P.E.I., Sept. 10.—Angus McAulay, aged 55, a well-to-do farmer, who lived near Cardigan, committed suicide yesterday by taking an ounce of carbolic acid which he purchased in the village.

WOMAN KILLED BY RATS.

Was Paralytic and Could Not Defend Herself.

New York, Sept. 10.—Mrs. Elizabeth Vanhart, a paralytic, sixty years of age, was killed by rats in her home in Elizabeth, N. Y., to-day. Mrs. Vanhart lived alone. Her daughter-in-law called early to-day and found her dead.

HONOLULU SHAKEN.

Thousands of Fish Thrown on the Shore Scalded to Death.

Honolulu, Sept. 10.—Two earthquake shocks are reported from Hilo, on the Island of Hawaii, but it is stated that no damage was done. After one of the shocks hundreds of dead fish were thrown upon the beaches.

SEZ ANDRU KARNEGE.

ANOTHER LETR TO THE TIMZ FRUM SKIBO.

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London, Sept. 13.—Andrew Carnegie, in another letter to the editor of The Times returns to his defence of Roosevelt and his advocacy of spelling reform. He says: "So far from being distinctively American, the President's proposed changes in spelling are selected by the simplified spelling board from fully three thousand words agreed upon and jointly recommended in 1883 by the Philological Society of London and the American Philological Association after a serious consideration."

SAVED HER CHILDREN.

McKiel Family Escape From Burning House at St. John.

St. John, N.B., Sept. 10.—Sinclair McKiel's bakery was burned early this morning, and Mrs. McKiel and four children narrowly escaped being burned to death.

CHOKED TO DEATH.

William Tremere, of Port Perry, Strangled While Eating Supper.

Port Perry despatch: William Tremere choked to death here last night on a piece of meat. He was well known, having followed his trade of painter and paperhanger for many years.

WAS TORN BY CAGED LION.

Trainer Richard Bass Narrowly Escapes Death.

Watertown, N.Y., Sept. 10.—Captain Richard Bass, a lion tamer, had a narrow escape from being torn to pieces at the Jefferson County Fair grounds late this afternoon.

NEVER HEARD OF 'S MAJESTY.

Brooklyn Woman Was Curious to Know.

London, Sept. 10.—A well-known Brooklyn woman who visited the Tower to-day quite upset the equanimity of the Beefeater by the question she put to him.

NAVIGATION BY NIGHT.

Steamer Ottawa Demonstrates That the St. Lawrence is Safe.

Montreal, Sept. 10.—The steamer Ottawa of the Dominion line, has demonstrated that at least a good part of the St. Lawrence between Quebec and Montreal is navigable by ocean steamers after nightfall.

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BAD BLOW FOR STRIKING MOULDERS.

Moulding Machines That Do Three Men's Work Installed in Chicago Foundries.

Chicago, Sept. 10.—Secretary Paul Blatchford, of the Metal Trades Association, yesterday predicted a termination of the strike of 500 iron moulders in the foundry shops of Chicago within a month as a result of an important discovery made by local manufacturers.

Orders were immediately sent to New York for 500 more machines. In Chicago and Milwaukee, where the strike of the moulders also is in progress, it was predicted 1,300 machines will be in operation before another month.

KING OF THE HANDCUFFS.

TURNKEY DISCOVERED HIDING PLACE OF CONCEALED KEY.

Expert Broke Out of Cell—Game Was Spoiled, However, by Keeper, Who Insisted on Looking at Right Foot.

New York, Sept. 10.—Houdini, the king of the handcuffs, as he is described by his press agent, tried to escape from a locked cell in the Yorkville police court prison to-day and encountered a sharp-eyed keeper, who disarranged his plans.

The expert lock picker went to the office of Commissioner of Corrections Lantry a week ago and told him that the locks of the district prisons were no good, and that an expert burglar could easily escape.

"None has ever escaped in my time, and I hope none will," responded the commissioner.

The commissioner gave his permission to try the locks in the prison of the Yorkville court. The expert went to the prison one day last week and examined the locks on the cell doors, and announced that he would return to-day and allow himself to be locked in a cell.

When he got there in the afternoon he found a number of headquarters men, precinct detectives, lawyers, court clerks and others waiting for him.

"I have been locked in the prisons of Germany, France and England, and in some in this country, and in every case I managed to get out," said he. "I haven't met failure yet, and the prison officials were unable to explain how I did it." He'll have a different story to tell after his experience in the Yorkville prison.

Things were arranged for his attempted escape from a cell. The cell was selected, and he went into another one and disrobed, his purpose being to go undressed into the cell from which he was to escape.

High noon, a prison keeper, was standing in the cell door to see that nothing was smuggled in. The expert announced that he was ready to enter the cell from which he was to escape, and was willing to be searched. Conroy stepped up and ran his fingers through the expert's bush hair, but found nothing. Then he examined his hands, fingers, and looked under the fingernails for a concealed key.

The expert did some thinking, and finally walked over to the cell where his clothes were lying. He then consulted his manager. Just then Deputy Commissioner of Correction George W. Myers entered.

He said that all prisoners were searched, and the expert would have to be, or else acknowledge that he had something concealed under his toes. The expert made the acknowledgment, and was then allowed to enter the cell. A sheet was drawn over the door. The expert's hands were confined in handcuffs attached to a waist belt. The audience was ordered out into the next room while the "prisoner" was escaping.

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FALL FAIRS.

SOME OF THE MORE IMPORTANT EXHIBITIONS OF THE DISTRICT.

Table listing various fall fairs and exhibitions with dates and locations.

STEAMER SUNK.

WHEELSMAN AND WIFE OF ENGINEER DROWNED.

Big Steel Western Liner Crashed Into Smaller Vessel, Which Was Proceeding Up St. Clair River—Rescuing the Crew.

Detroit, Mich., Sept. 10.—The western liner Milwaukee collided with the steamer Nelson Mills in the St. Clair River a short distance below St. Clair to-day.

The Mills sank at once. James Barber, of Port Sanilac, wheelsman on the Mills, and Mrs. T. J. Moore, wife of the engineer on the Mills, was drowned.

A second wheelsman on the Mills is reported missing. The Milwaukee was down bound and the Mills was proceeding up the river. Immediately after the collision two boats put out from shore, and the Milwaukee lowered another, and the work of rescue of the survivors proceeded.

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The City of Montreal was backing out from Swift's wharf as the steamer Pictou was coming in, and got out too far, running on a long shoal that extends a quarter of a mile. The Culvin Company's working tugs came to the stranded steamer's assistance. Part of her cargo will have to be taken out before she can be released.