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## Greek Jumps Off Ship, Floats 40 Hours, Kills Shark

Miami, Fla., Sept. 20—AP— Immigration officials said today a hearing would be held next week for 24-year-old George H. Stefanopos, a Greek stowaway, who related how he spent 40 hours in waters off the Florida Keys and killed a shark with a hunting knife.

Stefanopos told Immigration Director Francis J. H. Dever that he leaped from the SS Bluefield out of Piraeus, Greece, when he found the ship was bound for Mexico instead of the United States.

He described how a school of sharks pursued him and how he killed one in a desperate struggle. He said the others devoured it and

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