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HOW PEOPLE DROWN

Old Life-Saver Says They Never Signal for Assistance.

Impression That a Drowning Person Comes to the Surface Three Times Said to Be Without Foundation.

(Special Washington Letter.) OF ALL the stories about drowning people, this is the most singular and interesting that the writer has ever heard.

There is a free bathing beach in the Potomac river which is carefully guarded, and yet quite a number of bathers have lost their lives there.

"It is generally supposed that persons struggling in the water call for assistance, but such is not the case. For some reason, which can hardly be explained, they never signal help.

"I was only that I happened to notice their peculiar actions in the water, and not the noise they made, that impelled me to go after them. Time and again I have seen poor swimmers start from the shore and after paddling a short distance throw up one hand and go under. It is the most remarkable thing imaginable that they give no signal of distress when help is so near.

"When he goes down it is with head thrown far back. As the water washes over the face up comes the hand. Then it slowly disappears, going under inch by inch.

"The more I think of this phase of the drowning question the more remarkable it seems. Boys have been drowned here who would have been rescued had they but called once. They have gone under surrounded by companions and so close to the life guard that rescue would have been

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In another of the mysteries of drowning. If there are more ways of killing a cat than one, so there are more reasons than one why people drown. Good swimmers, bad swimmers, and those who can't swim at all go under and stay from time to time.



"I'VE JUST COME IN, MISTER."

The guards begin diving and searching along the bottom. It is impossible for anyone to remain under long without being discovered. We have been very successful in saving those who have been taken from the bottom by working on them ashore.

"The first thing a boy does on being rescued, if in a conscious condition, is to tell a lie. He will declare that he was not drowning, but was only trying to fool some other boy. It seems to be regarded as a rather disgraceful thing to be caught in the act of drowning.

"Boys should always have elder brothers or fathers or guardians with them," very earnestly said the life-saver. "They will remain in the water too long, unless they are restrained. Almost invariably when I command a lad to come out he promptly replies: 'I only just come in, mister, deed I did.' Jimmy, there, has been in for a long time; when, as a matter of fact, both little rascals have been in the water for two hours or longer.

"During the past week 4,873 people took plunges from this beach, including men and strangers visiting the city, with boys or attendants. Some of the boys have formed clubs for aquatic sports, and they contest as earnestly as the members of popular organizations. They swim stated distances, accompanied by skills and life guards. They dive for depths or distances, but are carefully watched so that life-savers can dive after them if they do not come up very promptly.

And, he might have added, always one of the most dangerous. SMITH D. FRY. Why They Like Missionaries. The cannibals of My river, Guinea, do not eat missionaries because they have any religious dislike to them, but because as nonconsumers of rum and tobacco their flesh is more palatable than that of most other white men.

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