

Boy Drowns in Quarry As Rescue Effort Fails

Despite efforts to save his life, Walter Keyes, 11, Negro, of 366 Mechanic st., was drowned yesterday afternoon in 14 feet of water in an abandoned quarry near Stenton ave. and Washington la.

William Hacker, 22, of 7601 Germantown ave., summoned from a nearby used car lot, dived into the water for almost 15 minutes, hoping to bring the boy to the surface soon enough to save his life. When finally Hacker brought him up, however, it was too late.

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