

## Thomas Economou ( - 25 Jul 1921)

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### **Drowned Boy Identified**

#### **Thomas Economou Lost His Life in the Tidal Basin**

The boy whose body was taken from the tidal basin bathing beach yesterday morning was Thomas Economou, nine years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Economou, 229 3d street. It was between 8 and 9 o'clock when the boy left home yesterday morning and went to the bathing beach, and it was about 9:30 o'clock when his body was found.

Coroner Nevitt viewed the body at the morgue and gave a certificate of accidental drowning. The scratch over one of the eyes of the dead boy was a trivial one, the coroner stated, and did not cut through the skin.

Yesterday afternoon the boy's parents became alarmed because of his failure to return home. His father reported his absence to the police and was told of the recovery of a boy's body at the bathing beach. He went to the morgue and identified the body.