

Duluth Lad Dives From Canoe, Saves Pal From Drowning

The heroic efforts of Harold Lavick, age 13, 912 East Fifth street, saved Thomas March, age 9, 915 East Fifth street, from drowning in Chester creek above Fourth street late yesterday afternoon.

The boys, together with Lawrence Cohen, 921 East Fifth street, and Armin Reckavahl, of the same address had gone to spend the afternoon at the park. The Lavick boy was crossing the creek in an old canoe while Thomas endeavored to gain access to the opposite shore by jumping on boulders jutting from the waters.

The younger boy missed his footing and fell into the water. A cry from Lawrence and Armin, who remained on the bank, attracted the attention of Harold, who immediately dove into the water and swam toward Thomas who steadily was losing his hold on a boulder. The Lavick boy succeeded in getting Thomas to shore. The boy was taken to 912 East Fifth street and was given first aid treatment.