



THE SCARY LOOKING SHARK



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All images by Malcolm Nobbs of Grey Nurse Sharks

THE first one made a delightfully dramatic, silent entrance. It's an impressive form, even by shark standards. It's properly big, much bigger than I am, thick-bodied yet sleek and tapering from the nose and to the tail, an elegant spindle. The cloud of sweepers just eased apart in the middle, like curtains framing the rock gully. And slowly, smoothly, with the vaguest sweep of that long tail, the front of the shark pushed through to give me a magnificent view as he aimed for a spot half a metre to the side of my