

TRAGIC END OF JOHN LARSON

Veteran Omaha Hack Drivers Scarp is Torn from His Skull.

MYSTERY SURROUNDS THE AFFAIR

Dead Body is Found in Dodge Street Alley in Rear of Barn—City Detectives and Coroner Are Making Investigation.

John Larson, a bachelor, 53 years old, who for thirty-four years has driven a hack in Omaha, was found dead in an alley back of a barn at 2219 Dodge street yesterday.

The immediate cause of death was a fracture of the skull, which was determined late yesterday afternoon at an autopsy held by Dr. W. R. Lavender.

For several months Larson had been keeping his horses in the barn in the rear of which he was found dead and had been sleeping on a cot on the second floor.

The body is now in the rooms of the coroner, where an inquest will be held upon it today.

City detectives are now investigating the circumstances attending Larson's death and the Hack Drivers' union is taking an active interest in the matter.

"I don't see," said the coroner, "how such a wound could have been made by falling on a distance upon perfectly smooth ground.

A piece of a pitchfork handle three feet in length with red stains upon it was found on the second floor of the stable, though whether these stains were of blood or paint could not be determined.

So far as known A. J. Clark, 517 South Fourteenth street, was the last person to see Larson alive.

The next person to see Larson after Clark left Monday evening was A. Robinson, who lives near the barn.

Larson was born in Sweden, February 10, 1848. After acquiring his majority he served several years in the Swedish army, and in 1863, sailed for America.

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The high price of corn is responsible for the shortage of demand from feeders. Corn is now worth 50 cents and this price cannot be paid for the purpose of fattening cattle unless the probable price when the stock is ready for the market is at least 80 cents.

There is no probability of such a price obtaining next spring, so feeders who have stock on hand are carrying them over with the intention of fattening them next year.

The death of President McKinley caused a slight falling off in business with local banks, but as the demand for money is from regular sources, which at this time of the year require a certain amount of cash, it is believed that the shortage of this week will be made up next week.

All banks will be closed Thursday out of respect to the memory of the late President McKinley.

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