

A WORKMAN'S QUEER DEATH

John Rogers Dies From the Cut of a Falling Chisel.

A COUNTERFEITER ARRESTED.

Horrible Treatment of a Child - Transferring West-bound Freight - The Omaha Councilmen In Denver, Etc.

A Chisel Did It.

Jack Rogers, a carpenter employed on the Monnell residence which is being erected on Dodge street, near Twentieth, lost his life yesterday afternoon in a very peculiar manner. He was working on a scaffold in front of the building, when suddenly the framework, being jarred a chisel which had been resting on one of the joists, was thrown down and fell directly upon Rogers' shoulder, rutting a horrible gash and severing one of the large arteries. Rogers retained presence of mind enough to climb down the ladder and ask the men to send at once for a doctor. Dr. Dysart came at once in response to the call, but before he here could arrive on the scene Rogers was dead. He had bled to death within ten minutes of the time the artery was severed.

The inquest was held by Coroner Drexel yesterday afternoon, and developed the facts as stated above. None of the workmen seemed to know by whose fatal carelessness the chisel had been left lying on the joists. The foreman testified that Rogers, when climbing down the ladder had said to him "somebody left a chisel there and it fell on me. Go for a doctor in a hurry! Stop this blood!" These were the last words he spoke.

TRANSFERRING FREIGHT

To Local Stations, Goods Are Transferred at Council Bluffs.

There has been a change in the manner of transferring freight at this point, which may yet result in a decrease of the number of freight hands employed at the Union Pacific depot in this city. Until the present time it was customary for all the local freight from the east, to come to this side of the river, mostly in the cars in which it was shipped at points further east. Here it was taken from those cars, weighed, laid upon the platform, weighed a second time, and again placed in Union Pacific cars bound for the station to which the goods were consigned. If there were goods from this station consigned to the same destination they were loaded with these from the east. This order of things has now been changed. Freight from Chicago, intended for local points on the Union Pacific, now comes no further than Council Bluffs. It is transferred at that point from the eastern roads, to the cars of the Union Pacific. The cars are then brought to this side of the river and if freight is billed here to the same point is placed on board with that from the east. Through freight, that is freight which is billed at an eastern point and destined to the coast, is partially transferred over and partially on this side of the river, with that from the east. Through freight, that is freight which is billed at an eastern point and destined to the coast, is partially transferred over and partially on this side of the river, with that from the east. Through freight, that is freight which is billed at an eastern point and destined to the coast, is partially transferred over and partially on this side of the river, with that from the east.

SHOCKING CRUELTY.

A Boy Tells of Horrible Treatment by His Aunt.

Mrs. Davis, a lady living near Fourteenth and Leavenworth, came up to the Buckingham hall late yesterday afternoon leading by the hand a small boy, who looked as though he had just escaped from Dottleboys hall, the prison school so vividly portrayed by Dickens. He was dressed in a very shabby assortment of ragged clothes, with a heavy background of dirt and filth. His shriveled, puny form and pale, weakened face, showed that he must have received horrible mistreatment. Mrs. Davis' story was to the effect that for months past the child has been with his aunt, a Mrs. Black, in that neighborhood, and has received brutal treatment at her hands. Every morning at four or five o'clock he has been obliged to get up, make the fire, and do the heavy drudgery of cooking breakfast, washing dishes, etc. When these tasks were disposed of he was set at work much beyond his capabilities, being allowed scarcely a single moment for play. His aunt would beat him on the slightest provocation with a stick or board, and the scars and bruises on his body show what horrible treatment he has received. He was told that he would be killed if he ever cried out, and consequently when beaten never screamed. The boy tells a sickening story of further shocking cruelties, which it would seem could hardly be true. The ladies of the Buckingham will care for him.

A SHOVER OF THE QUEER.

Decoyed and Arrested by Deputy U. S. Marshal Allen Yesterday.

Yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock Deputy United States Marshal Allen arrested Carl Hopper for making and passing counterfeit money. Hopper is the man who was associated with Jake Runkles in this nefarious practice, whom the United States officer arrested about two months ago in South Omaha. At that time, Hopper escaped and has since been at large. He was decoyed back from the east, and when he appeared here this afternoon, he was arrested and lodged in the county jail.

A Nameless Episode.

A quiet little sensation developed yesterday in which a young man who professes to be in the real estate business, and the young and rather pretty daughter of a prominent citizen are the unlucky principals. The fellow has been paying marked attentions to the girl of late, and

as it was thought by her parents that the sailor was hardly a worthy aspirant for her love, his attentions were discouraged. The real estate man persisted in keeping company with the girl, however, meeting her down town by quiet appointments. Of late the two have become very intimate. Yesterday morning the young lady announced that she was going down town to do some shopping. Her father suspected that something was wrong and "shadowed" her when she left home. He saw her meet her gentleman friend, get into a carriage with him and ride away. The old gentleman jumped into a cab and followed the pair to a suburban resort. He brought the affair to a climax by breaking into a room where the two were and with a horsewhip commenced to open up hostilities on the young man. The latter jumped through an open window and before the father could reach him had climbed into the buggy and was a mile away. It is said that he has left town temporarily at least.

TRAVELERS IN THE MOUNTAINS.

The City Council Dined and Wined in the Gem of the Rockies.

Our city council at last accounts had reached Denver, where it seems they were hospitably entertained. They were taken out for a drive over the city by the city officials of Denver. From the Windsor hotel they proceeded to the city hall. Thence through Fourteenth street to Lawrence and to the opera house, where a short stop was made. They then proceeded to the chemical engine house, where two exhibitions of speed in hitching were given. The time made was one-eighth better than the record. The party then drove on to the court house, there all the offices and court rooms were visited, and the party were then taken to the tower and given a bird's-eye view of the city. They then drove through Sherman and Grant avenues past the residence of Mr. Kouzette to the Broadway hose house, where another exhibition was given by the department. The visitors were then driven past La Veta Place down South Fourteenth street to hose house No. 2, where they again were entertained by an exhibition of the proficiency of the fire department. The party drove over to the water works, at which place a long stop was made. They then visited other places of interest in the city. Stops were made at the works of the Denver Brewing company and Zang's brewery long enough to enable the visitors to inspect the ice-making apparatus. The party returned to the Windsor hotel at about half past 6.

In the evening the visitors, under the escort of the city officials, attended the opera house, after which a banquet was served at the Albany hotel. Short speeches were made by most of the gentlemen present, and the utmost good feeling prevailed.

TRACHEATOMY.

An Incision in a Child's Windpipe Which Saves Its Life.

An unusual and at the same time, a very skillful surgical operation, was performed a few days ago by a physician the results of which have been most salutary. It seems that, for some time back, the little four-year-old son of Newton Callen, living on Division near Burt street, has been suffering from diphtheritic croup. This is one of the most fatal maladies incident to childhood. The victim cannot breathe, and death usually, that is in nine cases out of ten, results from suffocation. Death of course stared Mr. Callen's child, but when the doctor was called he performed the operation mentioned. This score was made by making an incision into the little fellow's windpipe. The operation was as painful as it was delicate and though it required skill and produced a great amount of pain, it was yet the means of saving the child's life. The boy is now doing well and the incision has almost healed.

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The Mikado in Germany.

Mr. Max Meyer has received a letter from Miss Agnes Huntington, the famous singer, who appeared at Omaha in the musical festival it is dated at Dresden, Germany. She speaks very kindly of the way in which she was treated during her stay here, but refers in a rather uncomplimentary fashion to Manager C. D. Hess. Miss Huntington says that the "rage" in Germany now is the "Mikado". All Germany appears to be deeply smitten with the charms of the latest light opera. A company was booked, she says, for ten consecutive performances in Dresden, beginning August 7th. The opera translated appears to have lost none of its comical features, as might, perhaps, have been anticipated. She thinks that it will prove as great and lasting a success in "Deutschland" as it has in other countries. Miss Huntington expects to remain some months in Europe.

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The Embarrassment of a Bank.

A rumor was current in Omaha yesterday that the First National bank of Blair had closed its doors. Inquiry in financial circles elicited the information that the bank had been on the ragged edge for at least ten days. The trouble, which it is asserted is only temporary, is said to be caused by overpadding with farmers' loans. The bank has a paid up capital of \$200,000, and it is maintained by persons who claim to be posted, that its indubitable can, with good management, be paid in full, as the assets are ample, but that time will be required to realize upon them.

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