

Edward Clyde Everett 1893-1900

A Sad Accident

A frightful and probably fatal accident occurred at the home of W.S. Newmyer Monday afternoon about 2 o'clock. The son of E.B. Everett and W.S. Newmyer's little son were playing and having a nice little visit at the home of the latter. In rummaging the barn they found the rifle and in playing the gun was discharged, hitting little Clyde Everett in the fore part of the head, causing him to drop down as if he was dead. Upon examination Dr. Summers of Omaha and Dr. Hildreth of Lyons pronounced the case to be hopeless. The aforesaid gun had not been loaded up to the day previous to the accident for a year. This sad affair coming at the time of Franklin Everett's serious illness makes the blow doubly hard. Our readers will join with us in condolence to the afflicted ones.

LATER The child died Wednesday morning and the funeral was conducted by Rev. J.W. Miller Wednesday evening at 6:30, at the home of W.S. Newmyer.

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