

Charles Mendenhall, the night engineer at the electric light plant, was found in an unconscious condition and almost dead at the plant last Sunday morning. He was overcome by gas. It was noticed that the plant was running long after daylight, something unusual, and as Mr. Platt did not go down on Sunday morning as early as week days, Oscar Olson, his room mate, thought something was wrong and immediately went down to the plant and found Mendenhall lying on the floor and almost dead. Dr. Westley was summoned who worked over him for a long time but it was not until about four o'clock Sunday afternoon that the victim of asphyxiation came to. He has about recovered from the effects of the gas but does not want any more of it. Two or three days previous he was found unconscious on the floor from the same cause. His bull terrier is also susceptible to gas for it, too, was found about dead and it took lots of hard work to save its life.