

## William Elmer Robertson

( – 8 Jun 1910)

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**Robertson.** On Wednesday, June 8, 1910 at 7:30 p.m. at Children's Hospital, William Elmer, beloved son of Thomas A. and Jessie E. Robertson in his 6th year. Funeral private from his parents' residence, 1509 Gales street northeast, Saturday, June 11 at 2 p.m.

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### **Child Dies of Lockjaw**

#### **Injury to Five-Year-Old Boy's Face Proves Fatal**

Coroner Nevitt was informed this morning of the death yesterday afternoon of William Robertson, five years old, whose parents live at 1500 Gales street. The child died at the Children's Hospital of tetanus, following an injury he received to his face May 29. He was playing in the street with a number of companions and was accidentally struck with a small branch of a tree.

Three days ago the injured boy was taken to the hospital. Coroner Nevitt, after learning of the circumstances under which the injury was inflicted, gave a certificate of accidental death.