NEARLY LOSES THUMB. RANGE BUREAU OF THE NEWS TRIBUNE THE NEWS TRIBUNE James Lavick, son-in-law of J. Mes-

berg, the furniture dealer, while putting a washtub together this morning, had the misfortune to nearly sever the thumb off the left hand. He was us-

ing a large and very sharp knife and an accidental slip did the business. Several stitches were taken in the wound and he will be unable to work for several

weeks.