

A MAN CUT TO PIECES ON THE RAILWAY.—An accident took place yesterday morning near the Dark-lane crossing of the railway running from Bradford to Mirfield, on the Lancashire and Yorkshire line. A number of men are engaged in repairing the bridge crossing the canal, and during the necessary operations the traffic is carried on on one set of rails only. A platelayer named Thos. Brown either was not aware of this arrangement, or had forgotten it, for on seeing an approaching train he stepped out of the six-foot on to the four-foot in use, thinking to get out of its way, but instead of doing so he went in front of the engine, and was cut to pieces. The deceased had been 17 years in the employ of the company. He was a native of Fulford, near York.