

Breaker boys are boys that worked in the mines sorting the coal from rocks they are a good example of child labor because they were a be part in history.

There was lots of danger to being a breaker boy like diseases you could get sucked in to the conveyor belt or of inhaling the coal dust. You would also have to be careful that the walls of the mine don't collapse and suffocate you. there are many dangers of being a breaker boy. 10,000 breaker boys died every year from these causes.

The breaker boys worked 10 hours but still only got paid up to 43 cents. can you think these little boys are working harder than most of the men now and still only getting paid what now is 7.50 dollars a day. Breaker boys are hard working little boys to think they are working when they should be in school these kids should be getting a education not going to work. Lots of the kids did not live past 30 because of the coal mines.