

Miss Amelia Beier was shot through the left shoulder last Saturday morning with a 22 rifle in the hands of the little son of Peter Hanson. It seems that the boy was sent to Beier's for a shoe last which was in the barn. Miss Beier went out to get it and the boy followed. The rifle was covered up in the barn but was discovered by the boy who picked it up, pointed the gun at Miss Beier and fired the ball striking her in the shoulder. It was certainly a lucky thing that the ball did not strike lower down or there would have been another victim of a gun carelessly left loaded. Dr. Brimi was hastily summoned and dressed the wound and Miss Beier is getting along nicely. Her many friends are very much pleased at her exceedingly lucky escape. People who have guns around their premises should see to it that they are not loaded and placed beyond the reach of children.