

F. J. Stone met with a terrible misfortune last Thursday and loses his right foot as a result of the accident. He had been down to his garden on the other side of the railroad track and on his return, he was driving a single horse, the bit broke and the animal ran away. It was a case where it was either jump out or get killed by being thrown against a telephone pole or something of that nature. Mr. Stone jumped and on landing must have twisted his leg for the bones in his foot were smashed to pieces and beyond any chance to save the foot, so that it was absolutely necessary to amputate it. The operation was performed by Doctors Westley and Brimi and Mr. Stone is doing as well as could be expected under the circumstances. It is a very distressing accident and exceedingly hard luck for Mr. Stone. Frank Britton was in the rig too but jumped and escaped without injury. The runaway was a bad one and Mr. Stone considers that he got out of it luckily with only the loss of his foot. Mr. Stone is doing nicely and is cheerful and in a short time you will see him around as usual attending to his business.