

Ed. Rhodes was shot through the right arm by a rifle bullet last Sunday morning, the ball striking just below the socket in the muscle, part of the ball passing through the arm striking and splintering the bone as it went, one part of the ball came out on the fleshy part of the back. The wound is a bad one but we hope will not be the cause of Ed. losing his arm. The whole business is the result of an accident, of course. Ed. and Fred Gaden had been shooting at a target and had been joshing each other about which of them was the best shot. Gaden had the rifle and Ed. had placed the target up some 200 yards away and had stepped to one side about ten rods and was waiting for Gaden to shoot. Somehow or other the gun was discharged accidentally, striking Ed. as stated above. Had he been standing a few inches further north he would have been killed. A 'phone message called for a doctor and Dr. Bergstrom was sent out who dressed the wound and brought Ed. to town where he is receiving the best treatment possible at home. The COURIER hopes that his injuries are not serious and that he will soon recover from his injuries.