

John B. Howden met with a very serious accident last Thursday and also had a narrow escape from losing his life. He was loading up a lot of freight to haul out to the new town of Sutton and while loading up at A. Rhodes' place, a crate of galvanized iron slipped and Mr. Howden was knocked out of the wagon down between the horses. One of the horses commenced to kick and struck Mr. Howden over the forehead. The team then started up and the entire load, weighing over two tons, passed over his chest. Six of his ribs were badly bent and he was seriously crushed. He was picked up and taken to the home of Mr. Killerman where he now is and is receiving the very best attention. At this writing Mr. Howden is getting along nicely and it is thought that he will completely recover without any permanent injury. It was a close call all right and Jack's many friends are delighted to know that he is getting along so nicely and that he will fully recover from the accident.