

Johnny Kupka, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kupka, was taken to the Riverside hospital at Valley City, Tuesday morning, suffering from a bad case of appendicitis. The case developed extremely fast, Dr. Shepard being called Sunday to attend the boy, and upon making a diagnosis, realized that an operation was imperative in order to save the patient's life. The operation was performed Tuesday by Dr. Shepard, assisted by Dr. Zimmerman, of Valley City. The lad was in a critical condition for a while after the operation, but at last reports was resting easy, and it is hoped that he will soon be on the road to recovery.