

GIRL STRUCK BY LIGHTNING

**Twelve-Year-Old Girl of Mr. and
Mrs. Jos. Hoggarth Instantly
Killed Last Thursday.**

About 1:30 last Thursday afternoon, lightning struck the big new barn of Jos. Hoggarth, who resides about eight miles southwest of town, setting fire to the structure, and in a very short time was burned to the ground. Three children of Mr. Hoggarth's were in the barn at the time, Gracie, the eldest daughter, and two younger boys, the girl, who is about 12 years of age, being instantly killed by the terrible stroke, but the two little boys were fortunate in being able to escape with their lives, although quite badly stunned.

The barn is a total loss, but no stock or cattle were in the building at the time.

The mother and father are frantic over the unfortunate affair and willing neighbors and friends are doing all in their power to aid them.

The whole community deeply feel the loss sustained and extend to the broken hearted parents their sincere sympathy in this their darkest hour.