Benjamin Ford has been quite ill during the past ceveral days as a result of the shaking up he got in his recent accident. He was unable to take any nourishment for a day or two on account of being unable to open his mouth, and it was at first feared his ease had turned into lock-jaw. However, he is much improved at this writing and he has not lock-jaw as the doctor has discovered, he being able now to open the mouth. It is hoped he will be fully recovered soon.