

Ever since Friday morning wherever you saw two or more people apparently in earnest and animated conversation, you'd be safe in guessing that the topic under discussion was the automobile accident Thursday evening on the Valley City road in which Hannaford people figured. Mark Thoreson, driving L.B. Moore's Essex, and accompanied by Fred Mitchell and Misses Rekstad and Skogstad went driving in the evening and about half way between Rogers and Valley City, owing to a combination of circumstances including high speed, a curve in the road, and blinding lights of an approaching car, went into the ditch, the car turning over, apparently, several times. Mr. Thoreson sustained a gash in his skull, and injuries to his arm and foot, Mr. Mitchell a broken arm, Miss Skogstad broken ribs, and Miss Rekstad only some minor bruises. A passing car hurried on to Valley City, and sent out an ambulance, and all were taken to the hospital for treatment of their injuries. At present writing Miss Rekstad and Mr. Mitchell are back in Hannaford, and Miss Skogstad and Mr. Thoreson are still in the hospital, but are both expected to be out again in the course of a few days.