

## KILLED BY THE KICK OF A HORSE.

T. T. McLin, a prominent citizen of Grant township, and one of the best men in our county, died Monday evening at 4 o'clock, from the effects of a kick by a horse on Sunday morning.

The circumstances as gathered from Dr. Scott, the attending physician, are as follows: The horse which is somewhat vicious had a hurt on one of his hind legs, and Mr. McLin was bathing it with liniment, and in passing from one side of the animal to the other, he was kicked twice in the bowels with such force that after getting out of the stable he fell and became helpless. His cries brought his wife and the hired man to his assistance, who carried him into the house. Medical aid was summoned, but it was of no avail. The injured man suffered intensely for about thirty hours before death came to his relief. It is the opinion of the doctor that he never fully recovered from the shock, and that possibly internal hemorrhage may have hastened his death. He was conscious of his condition, and perfectly resigned, his only regret seemed to be on an account of the large helpless family he was leaving—a wife and nine children, six of whom are under that age which enables them to be self-supporting. Mr. McLin was a brave soldier during the war for the Union, in which he received a wound in the shoulder that came near proving fatal and which rendered him a cripple for life. He has drawn a pension since the war ended. Notwithstanding his crippled condition he was an active, prosperous farmer and was getting along comfortably in the world. The afflicted and bereaved family have the sympathy of the entire community. The deceased was a member of the church and a practical Christian.