

# ROY C PARSONS

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## EAGLE RESIDENT DIES AS RESULT OF EXPOSURE

Roy Parsons is found unconscious lying near fence succumbs in Hospital

Roy C. Parsons 40 years of age, a resident of the town of Eagle, and who was well known in Waukesha county, was found in an unconscious condition on Tuesday, lying along side of a fence, and partially covered with snow several miles from his farm home. He was taken to the Eagle hospital, where he was given medical treatment by Drs. J. J. Fitzgerald and F. M. Schmidt, but succumbed late in the evening. Coroner L.F. Lee was called and investigated the case.

### On Hunting Trip

Parsons left his home early Monday morning, informing his mother that he was going hunting. When he did not return in the evening his mother thought he had gone to another farm near by, which he owned, to spend the night. When he did not put in an appearance on Tuesday morning Mid Markham and Frank Cowaskl started a search for the missing man. He was found by them several hours later along side of a fence, unconscious.

It was at first thought by Coroner Lee that the man had taken poison, as there were no marks of violence on the body. On further investigation Coroner Lee learned that Parsons had, in his younger life, been subject to attacks of epilepsy, and had been seized with one of these attacks and died of exposure as a result is the belief of the coroner.

Mr. Parsons was well-known as a horseman, and had exhibited and raced a number of horses at the state and county fairs in southern Wisconsin. He was also known as a sportsman and was reported to have been one of the best shots in the county.

He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Mary Parsons, and three sisters and three brothers: Mrs. Fred Rockteacher, Mrs. Bessie Pitcher, Eagle; Mrs. Edna Faestel, Troy Center; Greeley and Ray at home, and George, of the state of Washington.