

## Loses Hand.

Sergeant Anderson, 23, son of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Anderson, 423 Nineteenth avenue, this city, lost his left hand and received shrapnel wounds in his back, hip and right leg, it was stated in a letter he wrote to his parents. He was in a field hospital at the time he wrote.



The sergeant, a member of an armored division of the Ninth army, was in a tank advancing on a road when he was hurt. He was called to active duty with the Rock Island unit of the national guard in March, 1941, and trained at Camp Forrest, Tenn., and Fort Benning, Ga., before going overseas about eight months ago.

He was employed at the J. I. Case company before he entered service.