

JOHN SIMURDA RECOVERING FROM SERIOUS INJURIES

John Simurda, 23, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Simurda, is now showing very good signs of recovery in Toronto General Hospital, where he was rushed from Alliston Hospital because of the serious nature of his injuries in a motor accident which occurred on the Shelburne highway on Sunday night, July 12.

John's injuries are practically all about the face and head, resulting from the impact when his car left the highway and collided with a tree. So severe were the injuries that he remained in a state of coma until Friday, when he recognized his parents and also his brother, Dr. Mike Simurda, who came from Kingston to attend his brother.

He has facial injuries and a broken jaw and these make conversation on his part impossible, but it is believed that with five or six weeks' hospitalization, and some dental work, he will make a good recovery.

Mike Kavchak, also of Bradford, was a passenger in the car, but was released from Alliston Hospital after some repairs to an injured leg and a broken nose.

The 1964 Buick car is reported to be extensively damaged.