

Shot kills mother

A 14-year-old boy accidentally shot his mother dead at their home in Melrose st., Sunshine, on Saturday night.

The mother, Mrs. May Rita Jenkins, 49, was sitting at a fire.

Her son was sitting on a bed behind her assembling a .22 repeating rifle.

The rifle discharged and the bullet struck Mrs. Jenkins in the back of the head, killing her instantly.

The boy's father, Mr. Clarence Jenkins, a milk carter, was asleep in another room when the shooting occurred.