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# Weekly Summary of Dangerous Occurrences

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**Dangerous Occurrences**

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## Dangerous Occurrences Reported for the Week of September 26<sup>th</sup> to October 2<sup>nd</sup>.

1. **Surface Mobile Equipment:** A haul truck backed into the front of another haul truck.
2. **Surface Mobile Equipment:** A haul truck coming down a ramp slid into a haul truck coming up the ramp.
3. **Underground Mobile Equipment:** A fuel truck was driving up a ramp underground when it started to lose engine power and the operator noticed heavy smoke coming from the vehicle.
4. **Surface Mobile Equipment:** A buncher was moving across a slope when one track drove over a stump causing the buncher to slip sideways. The buncher continued to slip down the slope for approximately 2 ft until it hit another obstruction.
5. **Surface Mobile Equipment:** An idling light duty vehicle was left unattended and rolled away hitting an object and causing damage to the vehicle.
6. **Surface Mobile Equipment:** A truck mounted boom crane was lifting equipment from the deck of a flatbed truck when the last boom slid out.
7. **Surface Exploration:** A driller operator was moving a barrel when it slipped and pinched their finger, causing swelling and bleeding.

**Comments:** Follow the manufacturer's maintenance schedule for hoisting equipment. Know the safe limits of the hoist. For mobile cranes use level and load weight indicators and outriggers as required.