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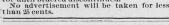
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Dover, Delaware.

Railroad accidents in July, in this country, included seventy-six collis-ions, eighty derailments and four other accidents in which forty persons were killed and 132 injured.

Edward A. Clark, aged 44 years, was killed by the G.C. & C. railroad passenger train, in the narrows at Cumberland, Wednesday evening of last week. He leaves a wife and eight children. The miners of the Elk Lick region held

a big mass meeting, yesterday atternoon, to discuss the digging machines and We have not yet learned the outcome of the meeting.

People who have been counting on a large potato crop are badly disappoint- of his own raising that is certainly hard ed. The potato crop throughout the to beat. The apple measures 14 inches county, according to latest reports from in circumference and weighs over a various sections, is only about half as pound. M. J. Beachy, who is somelarge as was expected.

The "war tramp" is abroad. He blisters his arm with acid and goes up to a back door with a pitiful tale of hardship he has suffered. At the same time he exhibits the arm and it seldom fails to bring something. He is a fraud, and his class are working all over the

country. Our friend S. A. Kimmel, who has been holding down a job in a Pittsburg ice factory all summer, came home on a visit, Tuesday evening. Sam has always been a popular young man here, and his numerous friends in Salisbury and vicinity are all very glad to see him once more among us.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Kelso, of Carleton, Neb., were in town nearly all last week visiting old-time friends and acquaintances. They report times in the west much better than they were a few years ago, and also brought the welcome news that nearly all the Somerset county people in and around Carleton are getting along very well.

If it was not delayed in transportation, the Berlin boys of Co. I enjoyed a big 200-lb box of "the home table's finest" before they left Camp Hamilton. The box was started last week, loaded with cakes, preserves, pickles and dainties of every sort. The thanks of the boys for the present are due to Mrs. John Groff, Mrs. Rufus Landis, Mrs. Emma Landis and Miss Kate Garman. -Berlin Record.

Mr. Jesse Hoover, of Somerset, recently took sick at Garrett, where he had employment, and died on Sunday last at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Ambrose Wilt, who resides at that place. The remains were interred at the Metzler church cemetery, near Somerset, at 2 o'clock, Tuesday after-Deceased leaves a wife, two noon. married sons and two married dhughters to mourn his death.

A cablegram received here on Tuesday from Mr. E. M. Love announced the arrival of the Somerset party at Ponce, Porto Rico. This party, com-posed of Messrs. E. M. Love, R. E. Beerits, George S. Harrison and Chas. F. Uhl, Jr., left here last week and intend to pass about a week on the island. The cablegram stated that the party arrived safely after a very pleasant trip .- Somerset Standard.

Mrs. Peter Conley, of West Salisbury, vent to Johnstown, yesterday, to visit her son James, a member of Co. I, 5th Regt., who is sick at the Memorial Hospital in that city. We hope Mrs. Conley will find James getting along Adam Fogle saw him on Tuesnicely day, and also saw Irvin Engle and the other Somerset county boys who are there, and he reports that they are all getting along well and expect to be home in about a week.

John Shartzer, of Oakland, Md., is | taurant in the Meager millinery buildnow in the Government secret service ing, on Ord street. Mr. Beal will con-and recently distinguished himself by duct the business at the present locaunearthing a counterfeiting plant at tion until he can secure a larger and gave it as his opinion that Nebraska is more suitable room. James is a young man of good, steady habits and genial disposition, and THE STAR wishes him lican party in Nebraska had become success. See his "ad" in this issue.

C. E. Statler & Bro., who recently sold their stock of general merchandise to the Merchant Coal Company, have rented the West Salisbury grain elevator, where they will succeed Maust & Broadwater in the wholesale and retail grain, flour and feed business. Mr. Maust, we are informed, will continue in the grocery business, which he has been operating in connection with the

elevator at West Salisbury. The STAR decide on their policy relating thereto. wishes the new firm, as well as the old, much prosperity. Ben Jones, of West Salisbury, was in

town the other day exhibiting an apple what of a fruit grower himself, took the apple home to show it to his wife,

and both had to acknowledge that their Maple Grove farm never produced an apple to equal it. Mr. Jones feels justly pround of his big apple and wants to know who has a larger one.

Martin E. Eden, of Philadelphia, State Electrical Inspector of the Board of Underwriters for the Middle District of Pennsylvania, was in town, Wednesday, and examined the machinery, wiring and connections of the Berlin light plant. He pronounced everything satisfactory and commended the men upon the excellent condition of their work. J. A. Berkey, Esq., is on the ground supervising the finishing touches, and the light will soon be turned on, probably to-night .- Berlin Record.

An old countryman came into a small town in Arkansas, a week or so ago. He lived in the woods, and his last visit to town had been made at the close of the civil war. The little country place was then full of soldiers, and now, after thirty years, the first thing the old man saw was a company of militia marching to the depot on their way to the encampment. He looked in amaze-ment and muttered audibly: "By gosh, them durn liars told me Lee had surrendered, an' here's that drated war still a-going on !"

One of the latest swindling tricks is operated by two men, one of rustic appearance and the other stylishly dressed. The rustic goes into a hotel and inquires after the other fellow, saying that he loaned him \$50 a few days ago and was to meet him at the hotel and get it back. The landlord laughs and plainly states that the fellow who borrowed the \$50 is a swindler and will not turn up. The other fellow is confident that he will get his money back and bets the landlord \$25 to that effect. a short time the well dressed man calls for the rustic, pays him the \$50 and, pocketing the landlord's \$25, the pair of strangers disappear.

Maude Muller in the summer heat, raked the meadow clean of wheat. The Judge rode slowly down the lane, smoothing his horse's chestnut mane. "With wheat at a dollar per bushel," said he, "this maid is about the size for me." Then he smiled at her and she blushed at him, and over the meadow fence he clim. "Will you marry me, sweet maid?" he said, and she told him 'yes," and they were wed. Alas for maiden, alas for judge, for old design-er and wheat field drudge! Lord pity them both and pity us. all, for Maud didn't own the wheat at all. And the Judge remarked when he learned the cheat, "don't talk to me about dollar wheat."-Ex.

pointments made by the Pittsburg conference of the Evangelical church, at sanction While Mrs. Isaac Smith, at Hutton, lerence of the Brangenear wars: Pre-its recent session at Johnstown: Pre-cruelty. While Mrs. Isaac Sinth, in Fietron, near Cumberland, Md., was feeding a colt a lump of sugar, lightning struck ton, F. Hess; Berkley Springs, B. Har-ton, F. Hess; Berkley Springs, B. Har-her Events, D. J. Baldwin; Bridge-Meyersdale, Pa. Colt a lump of sugar, fighting et des an ook tree, jumped on a wire clothes-line to a post within an inch of the horse, passing through the animal into Wr. Smith's holy into the wall of the wall of the sugar, fighting et des days for the first water. They say they want no Red Cross treatment is bury, J. L. Miller and T. Northey; in their say they want no Red Cross treatment in theirs. Mrs. Smith's body, into the wall of the Uniontown and White Rock, E. E. Fouse, and out by the stovepipe. The Crouse and supply; Somerset, L. D. tion and expect to be mustered out clubesline was melted, the horse kill- Sine; Pleasantville and Fossilville, B. ed, the stove broken in pieces, and Mrs. W. Luckenbill and supply; Johnstown, Smith was stripped of her clothing, J. W. Richards; Morrellville, W. H. McLaughlin; Conemaugh, L. B. Ritten-Died, of membranous croup, Sept. house; Blairsville, S. E. Wood; Indi-Salem and Worthville, H. H. Faust and supply; Brookville, R. C. Miller; in the I. O. O. F. cemetery. Much sym- conference will be at Lickingville, Pa., ing well, likes soldiering and says he is Sept. 14th, 1899. Mr. D. H. Kelso, of Carleton, Neb., was a most welcome caller at THE STAR office, yesterday. He gave us a full ac- tered out, but he says he has passed the count of the many changes time has examination for enlistmet in the Reguwrought in and about Carleton since ter is associated with the Fairview we moved away from that town seven Porto Rico. Coal Company and used to come here frequently on business, but of late mentioned the great change in the poyears his visits have not been so fre- litical sentiment in that section of this place, but now of Little Orleans, Md., arrived in Salisbury on Tuesday the last four years. He has aged some of Republicans who emigrated to that town, this week, while the Democratic since he was here four years ago, but country from Somerset county, have conference met in Somerset, Tuesday, espoused the Populist cause, but added At the time of our going to press, Wedthat the Bryan free silver craze has nesday evening, Harvey Hay, who is husband and got him. The advertise- Mr. James Beal has purchased the greatly subsided and that the farmers one of the conferees at the Democratic ment and wedding cost \$11, and within restaurant fixtures and stock of Mr. of the west no longer consider free sil- conference, sent word that no nominahusband died and left her Morrison, who recently came here from ver necessary to bring them prosperity, tion had yet been made by either con-Clarksburg, W. Va., and opened a res- as they are doing well under the pres- ference.

ent administration and are paying off their mortgages at a rapid rate, all of which we are glad to know. Mr. Kelso again drifting back to Republicanism. However, he admitted that the Repub-

very rotten and was largely responsible for its own defeat. According to what he said, there was a powerful gang of Republican thieves in power at the state capital-a gang modeled closely after the Quay gang at Harrisburg, in this state, and the people rose up and overthrew it, just as the people in

this state will do in course of time For broken surfaces, sores, insect bites

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HOME ON A FURLOUGH.

Royal Reception of Company I at

Somerset. Last Sunday and Monday were great nome on a 30-day furlough.

the county, and immediately there was light to honor. a grand rush for the County-seat. Faththem home

The company arrived there about 6.30, Sunday evening, and amid cheers and the music of the best bands of the county, the boys were escorted to the did his many friends and acquaintances hotels, where excellent suppers awaited them. The rest of the evening was spent principally in hand-shaking and congratulations.

On Monday morning the company assembled at the Court house, where an excellent exhibition drill was given inder command of Lieutenant Frank Hoblitzell, Captain Kooser having been left at Lexington, Ky., where he is sick in a hospital. The boys showed that they had not been slow in learning drill tactics, for old soldiers who were there pronounce them a thoroughly well drilled company.

After receiving their furloughs the boys left Somerset for their respective homes, where they were again thronged by admiring friends who were wait ing to greet them.

The Salisbury soldiers were brought up from Meyersdale by people who went there with carriages for that pur pose, and our excellent cornet band escorted them into town, where they cheered to the echo. So great was the enthusiasm that a public sale billed by the editor to take place on Monday afternoon had to be abandoned; but he is not kicking a bit, for he wanted to be with the soldier boys too. Some of the boys look just as well as when they enlisted, while others, we are sorry to say, look as though they had been in Spanish prisons. All agree that they were badly treated at Chicka-mauga, but not by their regimental

and company officers, for whom they have only words of praise. We know our boys, and we know them to be truthful, and they can tell you of things they saw at Chickamau ga that are almost too horrible for pub lication. When men who are not dead are taken to the dead house, when bread for the soldiers, horse manure and dead mules are all hauled in the same wagon, there is something radically wrong; yet just such things our boys saw, and they think a proper investigation will unearth some crimes Following are the ministerial ap- for which severe punishment should be

meted out, as our government does not such mismanagement and

DEATH IN COMPANY I.

Salisbury Mourns the Death of One of Her Soldier Boys.

Wilson G. Enos, one of the brave boys from Salisbury who enlisted in Co. I. 5th Pa. Vol. Regt., when it was recruited in Somerset, in July, died at Mercy Hospital, Pittsburg, last Sunday evening at 5 o'clock. When the sad news was received here, the whole town was plunged in sorrow, and we are once more reminded that life is very uncer

Private Enos is said to have passed the best physical examination of any of the boys who enlisted in Company I, yet he is the only one of the co who has died. He took sick at Chickamauga, and when the regiment was moved to Lexington, Ky., he was brought to Pittsburg, where he was placed in the hospital aforesaid, sick with typhoid fever. Here he seemed to get along nicely until a short time before his death, when peritonitis set in and closed his eyes in death.

the sad event, says: A few minutes days at Somerset, owing to the return before his death a sister stood beside of Co. I, 5th Regt., who are now at his cot and he feebly remarked to her, "I have resigned myself to Christ, and When it was wired to Somerset that | if He wishes to take me I do not fear to the boys would arrive there on Sunday, go." Thus bravely and serenely ended the news spread rapidly to all parts of the life of one whose memory we de-

The remains were sent to Cumberers, mothers, brothers and sisters of land, Md., where his parents, three the soldiers, together with hundreds of married sisters and a brother reside, citizens from all over the county went and in that city, at 2 p. m. on Tuesday, there to greet the boys and welcome the last sad rites were performed, and all that was mortal of Wilson G. Enos was laid to rest.

Private Enos had been a very robust young man before his illness, and little think that he would be the first of the company to be claimed by death. And the fact that the sad news reached Salisbury just about the time that his comrades arrived here on a furlough, made it seem doubly sad, for everyone had expected to see the sick soldiers here also, a few days later.

Mrs. C. S. Lichlither and S. F. Enos, brother and sister of the deceased, who are residents of Salisbury, went to the funeral, accompanied by Sergeant E. L. Milliron and other people from here. Private Enos was about 28 or 29 years old. He was a genial, whole-souled, industrious young man. He was a good citizen and a good soldier. May he

rest in peace. The sympathy of the whole community is extended to his aged parents and the rest of the family.

Truth wears well. People have learned that DeWitt's Little Early Risers are re-liable little pills for regulating the bowels, curing constipation and sick headache. They don't gripe. P. S. Hay, Elk Lick.

Horrible Death of David Billmeyer. Cumberland, Md., Sept. 9.-The mangled body of David Billmeyer, of the Billmeyer Lumber Company, operating a large mill near Little Orleans, this

county, was found in the old Baltimore & Ohio yards, near Shantytown, early this morning The head was gashed and both legs cut off. Billmeyer came here yesterday from Little Orleans, and began drinking, displaying a good-sized roll and inviting all in sight to drink with him. He was last seen leaving Westbrook's saloon, last night. Mr. Westbrook says he had money when he went out, but not a cent was on his body when it was found. His brother, A. E. Billmeyer, came here to-day took charge of the body, which will be shipped to his home at Milton, Pa., tomorrow. The coroner's jury rendered a verdict of death from being crushed under car wheels. Many, including the officers, think he was probably assaulted, robbed and thrown on the track.

The jury of inquest concluded that Billmeyer's death was accidental.

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LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

Herman Fogle is suffering with a severe attack of typhoid fever

J. L. Barchus is erecting a house on Union street for Robley, the tailor.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Wilhelmi went to Petersburg, last Sunday, for a visit with Mrs. Wilhelmi's parents.

Mr. John O. Getty, of Grantsville. Md., recently purchased the Dr. Bruce Lichty property in that town. Consideration, \$1,000.

A freight train of 156 cars was recently hauled over one of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company's lines. The train was over a mile in length.

Miss Eva Livengood has returned to the Roanoke Business College, at Roan-Va., where she will continue her studies for another term.

Mr. Frank Billmever, formerly of ways glad to see him.

\$5,000. It pays to advertise.

but not badly shocked.

18th, at Coal Run, Pa., Erette Flesher, ana, E. H. Swank; Clearfield, W. A. son of O. and M. J. Flesher, aged 7 Shelley; Marchard, E. C. Martin; years, 6 months and 23 days. neral services were held at the M. E. church, in Salisbury, at 3 p. m., on Lickingville, J. P. Irving; Venango, Tuesday, conducted by Rev. Moore, of E. Hariland; Deer Creek, supply; Pitts-Meyersdale. The remains were interred burg, M. B. McLaughlin. The next

death crossed their threshold several times within the last few years.

Our genial, fat friend, Mr. Chas F. Winter, of Baltimore, Md., is in Salisbury, this week, on business. Mr. Win-An Oklahoma girl advertised for a he is as lively and jovial as ever.

soon. They appreciate the comforts of home, but we are sorry to say that one of them, Theodore Ringler, is quite unwell at his home. However, it is likely that the attention of a good mother will soon bring him around all right. Soldier George Scully, of the 18th regiment, also arrived here, Tuesday evening, and he is as welcome as any of our home boys. George is a Salis bury boy, anyway, even if he is a resisatisfied that his regiment had better treatment than the boys at Chickamau-

ga had. His regiment has been mus-

Congressional Conferences.

The Republican Congressional con-

ores, in the shortest space of time. P. S Hay, Elk Lick.

Big G. A. R. Picnic.

Don't forget the big G. A. R. picnic at Rockwood, to-morrow. Every Grand Army post in the county will be there as well as a great many of the Co. I boys. All soldiers and their families invited. There will be no longare

winded speeches, but lots of short and interesting talks by old soldiers. There will be lots of refreshments and a gay time in general. Excursions on railroads at one fare for the round trip.

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lar army and expects to go to Cuba or Mills Brethren congregation will be ists and many things that do not exist. celebrated at Summit Mills, Pa., Sunday evening, Oct. 2nd, 1898. Protracted we can supply it at a very low price. services will be held every evening during the preceding week, beginning on Tuesday evening, Sept. 27th. All are invited.

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