

## Police Blotter

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### **Rats in His Garret**

Philip Riley who has been employed on the D. & R. G. section gang created a little excitement in and around Glenwood early Thursday morning by his peculiar actions. Riley was at work on the wreck Wednesday evening, but nothing was noticed that aroused any suspicions as to his mental condition until the next morning, when word was sent to town that he was tearing up Ed Wilson's potato patch and otherwise alarming the community. Officers Mohn and Malaby prepared at once to go after him but he had meanwhile made his way to town and was holding a crowd on the corner of Cooper and Eighth streets when they arrived on the scene.

Riley has served in the army, having just returned in July from three years of soldiering in the Philippines. His home is in Coyne, Pennsylvania.

A trial was held Friday afternoon and he was committed to the asylum in Pueblo.