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Clark, James a general agent of the Cumberland Valley Railroad Company, was born in Middlesex township, four and a half miles north of Carlisle, December 25, 1829, son of **Robert** and **Margaret (Smiley) Clark**, the former a native of Cumberland county, of Scotch-Irish ancestry, the latter a native of Perry County, of English ancestry. **James** was reared to manhood in his native county and received his education in the public schools of the township. He was engaged in farming until 1864, when he entered the employment of the Cumberland Valley Railroad Company as collector at Bridgeport, Pa., from which he was transferred in 1872 to his present position, where he has since been a faithful official of the company.

Mr. Clark was married in Carlisle, Pa., December 20, 1859, to **Elizabeth Culbertson**, daughter of **Stephen Culbertson**, to whom have been born five children, two of whom died in infancy. The survivors are: **George Edward**, residing at Butte, Montana; **Helen C.** and **James A.**, both residing with their parents at Harrisburg. **Mrs. Clark** died at her residence in Harrisburg, February 21, 1893. In his political views **Mr. Clark** is a Republican. He and his family are members of the Pine Street Presbyterian Church.

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