

## PENNSYLVANIA MEN RECEIVE FURLOUGHS

Retrenchment Policy of Railroad Causes Number of Richmond Division Men to Be Laid Off.

### REA GIVES STATEMENT

Says Higher Wages, Higher Taxes and Recently Enacted Legislation Forced the Adoption of Policy.

Richmond railroad employees are still suffering with employees of other divisions as a result of the retrenchment policy of the Pennsylvania lines. Today another number of employees, both office men and road men, will be laid off. Many of them have been given furloughs of two and three months.

In a statement made public today, President Samuel Rea of the Pennsylvania declares that higher wages, higher taxes and recently enacted legislation are the principal causes of the decreases in net operating revenue which has necessitated the retrenchment policy.

In carrying out this policy thousands of men have been suspended and many important passenger trains have been discontinued.

Removes 62 Trains.

It is planned to increase the number of suspended employees to 25,000 and by tomorrow, April 1, the company announces at least sixty-two trains curtailing the service over practically the entire system, will have been discontinued.

President Rea's explanation of the policy is appended:

"The decision to reduce train service and working forces of the Pennsylvania system, while apparently sudden, should not be considered surprising, as the published monthly statements of the system have shown the large decreases in net operating income the system has sustained.

"Higher wages, extra crew and other laws, higher taxes and other expense items caused the decreases, which are not peculiar to the Pennsylvania Railroad. These causes still exist and in addition the gross revenues of the system have been steadily decreasing since last October.

"While many other railroad systems began to reduce forces in the middle of 1913, the Pennsylvania system continued its usual train service and working force as long as possible.

"In view of the fact, however, that in the four months ending Feb. 28, 1914, compared with the same period of the previous year, operating revenues decreased \$8,815,991 and net operating income decreased \$6,652,871, the company is compelled to reduce operating expenses.

"The falling off in earnings and traffic demands lower operating expenses, and the only way to bring these about is to reduce train service and the number of employees."

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## MOB SEEKS REVENGE

Faction Pleads for Murderer of Daughter.

HERKIMER, N. Y., March 31.—Many residents of this section today threatened to lynch Jean Gianini, the 17-year-old boy, who brutally murdered Miss Lydia Beecher the pretty young school teacher of Poland. So strong did the threats become that the aged white-haired father of the young victim, Rev. William A. Beecher, interceded with his neighbors to protect the prisoner.

"My good friends," said the grief-stricken father, "two wrongs do not make a right. Let the law take its course."

### BURY YOUNG TEACHER.

SENNETT, N. Y., March 31.—In the gray dawn, funeral services were held here today for Miss Lydia Beecher, the young school teacher who was murdered near Poland last Friday night by 17-year-old Jean Gianini. The unusual hour for the services was chosen to shield the mourners from the stares of curious sightseers.

### COURT NEWS

Petition to have Minnie Wettig declared a person of unsound mind and for the appointment of a guardian for her, was made to the judge in circuit court today by Frank Elstro.

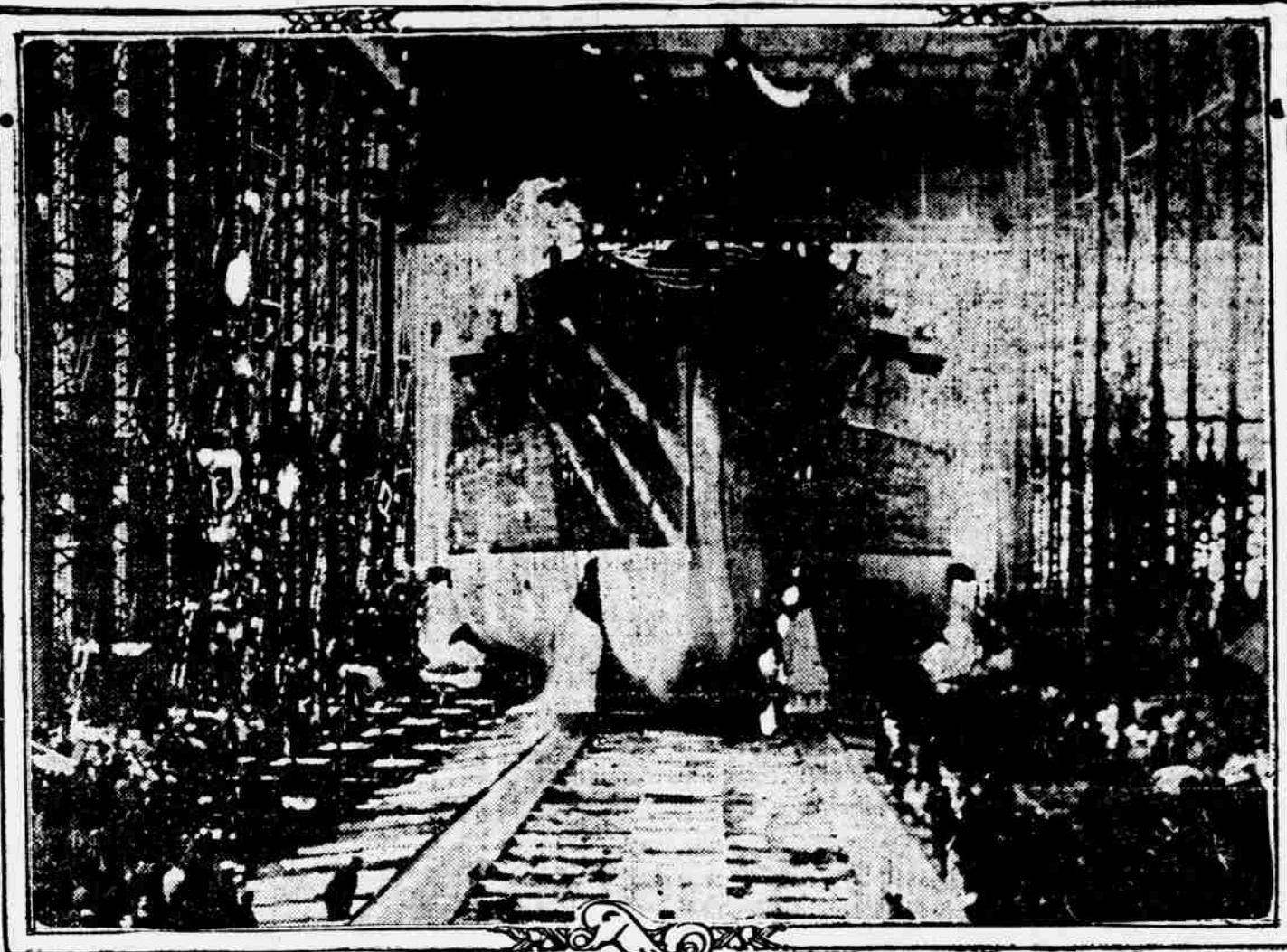
Suit for possession of real estate and \$50 damages was filed against Cleo E. Rothmeyer by Emily Turner. The plaintiff alleges Rothmeyer is her tenant on an agreement regarding the use of certain parts of the farm and the equipment and that he broke the agreement, causing her to be damaged to the extent of \$50.

Only nineteen complaints were filed in circuit court during March. About the same number was disposed of. Five of the suits filed asked divorce and one asked support. Others were probate or damage suits.

### ARDAV RECOVERS

Reports for the Reid Memorial hospital that Albert Arday, who was badly cut in a street brawl, Saturday night, is rapidly improving and it is expected that he will be able to leave the hospital sometime this week.

## Launching of Dreadnaught



The new U. S. S. Oklahoma, the largest warship afloat, is here shown gliding down the ways of the New York Shipbuilding company at Camden, N. J., after having been christened by Miss Lorena J. Cruce, daughter of Governor Cruce, of Oklahoma. This latest edition of Uncle Sam's navy is equipped with ten fourteen-inch guns. (Copyright by International News Service.)

## CHIEF OF POLICE MUST SERVE TERM

Terre Haute Official Is Sentenced to Jail on Contempt Charge.

TERRE HAUTE, March 31.—Judge C. M. Fortune, presiding in the trial of Mayor Donn M. Roberts, indicted for election frauds this morning sent Supt. of Police Ed Holler to jail for contempt, because a witness testified that Holler promised to drop the prosecution of him for not having an automobile license if he would "go easy on Donn" in his testimony. The witness was Walter Myers who told a story of driving bunches of repeaters to registration places last October and that he was paid by Richard Wernecke, chairman of the democratic city committee and now prosecuting attorney. He said that on one trip to Democratic headquarters, Roberts and Wernecke changed hats with two of the repeaters that they might go back to registration places they had already visited.

Holler was fined \$100 and sentenced to thirty days last week for serving a search warrant in an effort to get election documents in the possession of the Special Prosecutor Wernecke being not permitted to act in these cases but the penalty was suspended. This morning Judge G. Fortune rescinded the suspension.

## News Flashes From All Over

CHARTRES, France, March 31.—Aviator Gaix broke all French records for passenger carrying aeroplanes today when he ascended 5,280 with nine passengers.

IRISH POET DIES.

DUBLIN, March 31.—T. B. Sullivan, well known poet and former member of parliament, died today, aged 87. He was author of the poem "God Save Ireland."

### MINES ARE IDLE.

BRAZIL, Ind., March 31.—On account of the failure of miners and operators of District No. 8 to reach a satisfactory agreement on a wage scale the mines will be closed until an agreement is reached. As a result of this action, several hundred miners will be idle. It is understood the operators have a large part of coal on hand.

Indiana mine operators will meet in Terre Haute tonight to consider the matter of adopting the agreement with the miners recently proposed in Chicago.

### GAMBLER TAKES LIFE.

LAFAYETTE, Ind., March 31.—Mason J. Crosbie, aged 49, a local gambler, was found dead in his apartments this morning. He had taken strychnine, and left a note saying: "Life is not worth living since the lid has been put on."

## TO SING AT MUNCIE

Madame Schumann-Heink Will Appear April 27.

MUNCIE, Ind., March 31.—For her only stop in the Hoosier state outside of Indianapolis, Madame Schumann-Heink, one of the world's greatest contraltos, has selected this city. Harry E. Paris, a local musical promoter, will conduct the concert, which will be held Monday night, April 27.

The madame is making a tour of the Middle West and a few days ago appeared in the Murat theatre in Indianapolis. Hundreds of people were turned away from the theatre and it was decided to make another stop. Mr. Paris immediately made the booking for this city.

It has been a number of years since Madame Schumann-Heink gave a concert in this city and preparations for a great reception are being made. The concert will be held in the Lyons tabernacle, which has a large seating capacity, thereby making it possible to bring the noted singer at popular prices.

Mr. Paris is well known to the musical people of Richmond, having conducted the two Orville Harrold concerts here. He sang at a number of churches before residing permanently in Muncie.

## LATE MARKET NEWS

Furnished by Correll and Thompson, I. O. O. F. Bldg. Phone 1446.

### CHICAGO GRAIN

	WHEAT	CORN	OATS
May	Open 92 1/2	Open 68 1/2	Open 39 3/8
July	Close 91 1/2	Close 67 1/2	Close 38 3/8
	87 1/2	67 1/2	38 3/8

### NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS

Am. Can	29 1/2	23 1/2
Amal. Copper	76 1/2	76 1/2
Amer. Smelter	69	69 1/2
U. S. Steel	63 1/2	63 1/2
Atchafson	96 1/2	96 1/2
St. Paul	99 1/2	100 1/2
Great North. pfd	126 1/2	126 1/2
Lehigh Valley	143 1/2	144 1/2
N. Y. Central	90 1/2	90 1/2
Northern Pacific	114	114 1/2
Pennsylvania	110 1/2	111 1/2
Reading	165 1/2	166 1/2
Southern Pacific	94 1/2	95 1/2
Union Pacific	159 1/2	159 3/4

### CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO, March 31.—Hogs—Receipts, 14,000; market 5c lower; top price, \$8.80; bulk of sales, \$8.50 to \$8.80. Cattle—Receipts, 4,000; market weak; beefs, \$7.00 to \$9.40; calves, \$5.00 to \$9.25. Sheep—Receipts, 25,000; natives and western, \$4.25 to \$6.25; lambs, \$5.75 to \$8.50.

### PITTSBURG LIVESTOCK

PITTSBURG, March 31.—Cattle—Supply, 100; market higher; veal calves, \$10.75. Sheep and lambs—Supply, 1,000; market steady; prime sheep, \$6.75; lambs, \$8.75. Hogs—Receipts, 1,800; market slow; prime heavies, \$9.10; pigs, \$9.00.

### INDIANAPOLIS LIVESTOCK

INDIANAPOLIS, March 31.—Hogs—Lower; tops, \$8.80; bulk of sales, \$8.75 to \$8.75. Cattle—Receipts, 1,200; choice steers, \$7.90 to \$8.25; other grades, \$6.25 to \$7.65. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 50; market steady; prime sheep, \$6.00; lambs, \$8.00 down.

### INDIANAPOLIS GRAIN

INDIANAPOLIS, March 31.—Wheat, Cash No. 2 red 96. Corn, Cash No. 3 white, 69 1/2. Oats, Cash No. 2 white, 40 1/2.

### TOLEDO GRAIN

TOLEDO, March 31.—Cash Grain: Wheat, 37 1/2. Corn 69 1/2. Oats 40 1/2. Cloverseed, cash \$8.07 1/2.

### RICHMOND MARKET

(Corrected daily by Anton Stolle, Phone 1316)

### LIVE STOCK

HOGS.

Primes (average 200 lbs.) per 100 lbs., \$8.65; heavy mixed, per 100 lbs., \$8.25; roughs, per 100 lbs., \$7 to \$7.75.

### CATTLE

Choice steers, per lb., 7c to 7 1/2c; butcher steers, per lb., 7c; cows, per lb., 3c to 6c; bulls, per lb., 5 1/2c to 6c; choice veal calves, per lb., 9c.

### GRAIN MARKET

(Corrected daily by Richmond Roller Mills, Phone 2019)

Wheat, per bu. 53c  
Oats, per bu. 40c  
New Corn, per bu. 65c  
Rye, per bu. 60c  
Bran, per ton 25.00  
Middlings, per ton 30.00

## "POET OF ROCKIES" DYING IN HOSPITAL

Cy Warman, Who Wrote "Sweet Marie" Dangerously Ill.

CHICAGO, March 31.—Cy Warman, "poet of the Rockies" was near death at St. Luke's hospital today. The author of the words to song "Sweet Marie" was cheered in what were believed to be his last hours by the presence of the woman who inspired him to write the words that have been classed as "immortal." She is Miss Myrtle Marie Gilman.

It was reported that Sir Arthur Paget, commander in chief in Ireland, resenting the declarations of the Liberals in regard to the controversy over the "people versus the army," has either resigned or is contemplating resignation. The resignations of Field Marshal Sir John French, chief of the imperial general's staff, and Adjutant General Sir John Ewart, were still in the hands of the cabinet today, both officers renewing their determination to quit the army council because of "misrepresentations."

An hour's session of the cabinet was held at which there was an animated discussion over the proposed retirement of Viscount Morley. Viscount Morley had announced his intention of making an official announcement in parliament and to explain his part in the army affair. The lord president of the council expressed strong desire to be allowed to explain that he had acted through an error of judgment and had been misled by Colonel Seely in giving instructions to army officers in Ireland without the knowledge of other members of the cabinet.

### PRODUCE

(Corrected daily by Ed Cooper, Phone 2577)

Old Hens (live weight) per lb. 12c  
Old Chickens, dressed per lb. 15c to 20c  
Young Chickens, dressed, lb. 20 to 22c  
Country Eggs, per doz. 15c  
Country Butter, per lb. 20 to 25c

### WAGON MARKET

(Corrected daily by Omer Whelan, Phone 1679)

Oats, per bu. 40c  
Corn, per bu. 65c  
Timothy Hay, per ton \$15 to \$16  
Straw ..... \$5.00  
Bran ..... \$30.00  
Middlings ..... \$30.00

### THE KING OF ALL LAXATIVES

For constipation, use Dr. King's New Life Pills. Paul Mathuka, of Buffalo, N. Y., says they are the "king of all laxatives. They are a blessing to all my family and I always keep a box at home." Get a box and get well again. 5c at A. G. Luken & Co's. (Advertisement)

### CITY STATISTICS

Building Permits.

W. S. Bates, garage in rear of 76 South Fourteenth street, concrete and brick.

Oliver Knobe, nw front at 23 North Ninth street, \$100.

J. O. Foss, double house at 731 West Main street, \$2,700.

### Deaths and Funerals.

LIGON.—William S. Ligon, 75 years old, today died this morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Charles Harris, 510 North Twentieth street. He is survived by four children, Mrs. Charles Harris, Mrs. Richard Taylor, Rufus and Samuel Ligon. The funeral will be held at the late home Thursday morning at 10 o'clock. Burial will be in Richmond cemetery on the Liberty pike. Friends may call at any time.

JAY.—Mrs. Edna Jay, 24, died this morning after a short illness at her home six miles northwest of the city. She is survived by her mother and father, four sisters and three brothers. Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

BIRTHS.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Barton, 229 North Twentieth street, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kettler, North West Fifth street, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. William M. G. Stigleman, 844 South Fifth street, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Verne R. Pentecoste, 112 Randolph street, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. George Spalding, 625 North G street, boy.

### \$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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## ASQUITH RESIGNS; SEEKS RE-ELECTION

Firm Hand of Premier Missed Today When Home Rule Fight Resumes.

LONDON, England, March 31.—The firm hand of Premier Asquith was missing when the fight was resumed as he resigned his seat in commons to seek re-election so as to make his double portfolio—premier and war secretary—legal.

Sir Edward Grey, the foreign minister and a man of little personal magnetism, was in charge of the government's affairs in commons in place of Mr. Asquith.

During his campaign for re-election from East Fife, a district he has represented in parliament since 1886, Premier Asquith in his political speeches, will go fully into the army crisis which arose from military officers refusing to take the left against the Ulster Orangemen. By these explanations he hopes to strengthen the government's position with the people. Although the Unionists will make a strong fight against Premier Asquith's re-election, leaders of the Liberal party believe the premier will be returned by a big plurality.

Mr. Asquith called at the war office during the morning and held a conference of several hours with Colonel J. E. B. Seely, whose resignation as secretary of state for war was accepted yesterday. Later the premier conferred with Sir Edward Grey on the course to be pursued in parliament tonight.

The latest resignation expected from the complicated political situation is that of Viscount Morley, lord president of the council, who probably will be forced from public life as a result of the army scandal.

Lord Morley is accused of misrepresenting the cabinet's policy in regard to the army officers in Ireland, although he is not accused of doing so with irregular intent.

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### COBB GETS LETTERS CONCERNING FARMS

Wayne county is becoming well known through this section of the country, through the occasional publicity given farming movements through agricultural papers, of wide circulation. A. D. Cobb, county agent, receives letters from persons living in various surrounding states on an average of once a week.

Today a letter was received from a man just completing a two year special course at Purdue, who desires to get practical experience by hiring as a hand. Later, he writes, when he becomes acquainted he will purchase a farm in this community. He specializes in hog raising. Mr. Cobb will secure him a place.

Another letter was received from a Monroe, Ky., man who says he has heard such favorable reports of Wayne county as a corn country that he will lease a farm here and build it up to one of the finest farms in the county. He asked information regarding such farms, and said his business is trading in farm land, which he cultivates.

## SAMUEL STUDY DEAD

Wayne County Pioneer Succumbs At Ft. Wayne.

Samuel Study, 93 years old, died at the home of his son, J. N. Study, who is superintendent of the Fort Wayne city schools. Death came Sunday afternoon and was due to senility. Mr. Study was born in Wayne county, February 16, 1821, on the farm which his father had owned since his immigration to Indiana in 1817. After many years on the farm he decided to engage in the furniture business, and later, retiring from that, he made his home in Toledo, where he lived a retired life. His first wife died in 1871 and the second wife in 1905. Since the death of his second wife he has been making his home with his son. Mr. Study was very well up to ten days before his death. He was a member of the Methodist Episcopal church and also of the Masonic order. Funeral services were held from the home of Superintendent Study at 10:30 o'clock this morning, after which the body was shipped to Hagerstown, Wayne county. From there connection will be made for the burial in the cemetery where the Masonic order will hold services on Wednesday. J. N. Study is the only surviving relative.

Death came very suddenly from a stroke of apoplexy.

### WIFE SUES HUSBAND

Mrs. Elsie Bowman Demands \$50 Support.

Mrs. Elsie Bowman demands \$50 a month for her maintenance from Curtis Bowman, her husband in a suit filed in circuit court today. Mrs. Bowman alleges her husband has treated her in a cruel and inhuman manner and has circulated false reports against her character. She does not ask divorce, however.

The P. C. C. and St. L. Railway company is named co-defendant in the suit. The plaintiff says her husband works for the railroad company at a salary of \$100 a month, of which a large sum is still owing him by the company. She asks that judgment be issued against the company for \$50 a month as long as her husband works there.

### CARD PARTY

A card party will be held Wednesday afternoon at the Moose Hall. A big attendance is expected.

### Soda For Gas, Acid Stomach or Indigestion

Gas, Gas, Gas—When everything eaten turns to gas and we eructate sour food and acid fluids it means we are troubled with acidity, says a noted authority. An excess of hydrochloric acid in the stomach starts food fermentation and prevents complete digestion. Then our meals sour in the stomach like garbage sours in a can, forming gases which inflate the stomach like a toy balloon, causing a heavy, lumpy misery in the chest; we belch gas, have sour risings, heartburn, flatulence, waterbrash and nausea.

He tells us to put aside all digestive aids and instead get from any pharmacy a package of 10 grain Sodagen tablets and take one tablet any time followed by a tumbler of water, which will instantly neutralize acidity; stop fermentation, absorb the gases and sweeten the entire digestive tract.

He further states that those men and women troubled with chronic acidity and its resulting indigestion, Sourness and Gases should take one 10 grain Sodagen tablet regularly after meals for a period as this antacid is entirely harmless, being composed of Soda, Magnesia and Calcium Carbonate, U. S. P.

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