

LIBERTY LIGHT CO., ASKS HIGHER RATES BEFORE COMMISSION

In view of the expectation that increased electric light and power rates will be granted the city of Richmond, the Liberty Light and Power Company, which buys electricity from the city of Richmond and distributes it in a number of small towns nearby, filed a petition with the public service commission Monday for an increase in its rates to cover the expected increase it will have to pay the city.

The company asks the following schedule for the towns of Liberty, West College Corner and Boston: For lighting, 13 cents a kilowatt hour for the first sixty kilowatts, and 10 cents for all more than sixty, with a minimum monthly charge of \$1.25; for power, \$1.50 per H. D. connected, with 5 cents a kilowatt hour additional, and for rural lighting 10 cents a kilowatt hour.

The company resells power to the Brookville Electric Company, at Brookville, and it also asks for an increase in its rates to the Brookville company.

A hearing on the petition of the city of Richmond was held last week before E. L. Lewis, chairman of the commission, and he intimated after the hearing that an increase would be granted. A decision in the case will be given in the next few days.

Farmers Are Warned to See That Threshers Are Insured

The Workman's Compensation law of Indiana provides that all men operating threshing rigs shall carry enough insurance to protect their men against accidents. Farmers should ascertain in advance if the law has been complied with. In case there is no such insurance in force and an accident occurs, the farmer is jointly liable with the thrasher for the damages. This applies to men filling silos, to building barns, etc., under contract with the farmer, who should, in all cases, see that the workmen are duly protected by insurance.

The Tippecanoe county brotherhood has formulated a set of rules for threshers that are considered excellent, and which contain so much common sense that they have been adopted by the entire state association. These rules are for rig owners, managers of rigs and for the farmers, the duties of each being defined to facilitate the work and to insure safety of men, prevent losses from fire, etc. These rules have been mailed over the state to heads of threshing outfits. All county agents, officers of farm associations and others interested are being supplied with the folder and copy of the law relating to the matter.

The Farm and the Farmer

By William R. Sanborn

The farmers' co-operative elevator at Camden reports a shortage of coal for threshing operations, which threatens to delay the work. They also report the arrival of the first load of 1920 wheat on last Saturday, of a good grade, which was brought in by George Riner. George Riner showed up with a load of fine wheat on Monday afternoon.

The manager of the elevator says that the wheat is fine down their way. While often thin or light in straw, it seems to be of prime quality, he says, and is testing 60 to 62 pounds so far. He states that the crop promises to be heavier than was thought probable. They paid 2.60 for No. 2 red on Monday.

Too Wet for Threshing.

Thompson & Powell, of Hagerstown, said Monday night: "The heavy rain on Sunday set back the threshers for about three days. We are not looking for the rigs to run until Thursday, although one may get busy here and there on Wednesday afternoon. This will depend on the weather in the meantime. Threshers are not all supplied with coal yet, and we are out of coal, with plenty ordered and some expected to arrive at any time."

Sunday Rain Was General.

The rain on Sunday put threshers on the hammer in Union county, and indeed over a wide portion of the Indiana map, for the showers were pretty general and heavy in places. Frank Demott, of the elevator at Liberty, says he fears that no wheat will be threshed in Union county until Wednesday afternoon, possibly not until Thursday morning, depending on the weather. At this time they are planning to pay 2.60 for No. 2 red wheat.

No Wheat at Lynn.

"It is entirely too wet to thresh up this way," was the word from the Lynn mill and elevator on Monday night. "We hardly expect threshers to get going until Wednesday. Call us next week at this time and we hope to be as busy as nailers. Just now flour is very quiet and our wholesale price is \$13.60 per barrel."

One elevator man was asked Tuesday if he had any cars ready for loading and said: "Well no, nor can we ask for cars until we have the grain to load, and if we should we wouldn't get them. We must also load and be ready to move the cars within a short specified time."

Tried Out Their New Rig.

A new threshing rig was tried out at the Gib Morgan place, southeast of Centerville, last Saturday evening. The grain was in good condition and 14 bushels went through on the test. It was figured that the Morgan crop would have been threshed on Monday but a soaking rain on Sunday afternoon prevented.

Wade Kennedy, of Economy, reports it still too wet to thresh, and that they had a heavy rainfall there on Sunday.

Sugar Market Appears To Have Become Heavy

It begins to look as if the sugar market has become top heavy. For instance, England is now offering West Indian sugar at 16 1/2 cents for prompt shipment from London and Cubans are selling at 13.05 for centrifugals. Suffering Europe is also able to spare us some sugar, aside from the British Isles, for a cargo of 5,000 tons of cut sugar has just arrived at New York from Hamburg, Germany.

The most pertinent fact to consumers, however, is that eastern refiners are quoting fine granulated at \$22 to \$22.50 per hundred pounds at this time, right at the beginning of the greatest demand. Cuban and Brazilian granulated, while not so white and slightly as our American product, is sweeter and goes farther in canning operations. Perhaps they do not know just what they are talking about, but the claim is made that they are getting more of the sweetness out of sugar at our refineries in order to increase the supply of syrups.

Prohibitionists Discuss Attitude of W. J. Bryan

(By Associated Press)

LINCOLN, Neb., July 20.—Early arrivals among the delegates to the prohibition party's national convention today were discussing chiefly the attitude of William J. Bryan should the convention offer him the leadership of the prohibition ticket next fall. Frequent mention of Rev. William A. ("Billy") Sunday as his running mate brought the statement from Mr. Sunday that he would be willing to accept the nomination if chosen.

"Mr. Bryan's recent statement in the Commoner that a man must accept such an honor if it is offered," said W. G. Calderwood, vice chairman of the national committee, "is looked upon by us as tantamount to a declaration that he will accept. We are preparing to go to the mat in this campaign and we are going to nominate a ticket that will draw hundreds of thousands of votes."

PIG SHOW IN FALL

At a meeting of the Poland China, Duroc and Chester White hog men at the county agent's office on Monday night it was decided to hold the pig club show along in September, most likely about the middle of the month. County Agent Murphy, Clyde Leverton and L. C. Palmer have completed their visits to the boys and girls who are feeding Chester Whites and Duroc hogs, the visits to the Poland China group having been made a week ago.

BOY KILLED BY LIVE WIRE

EVANSVILLE, Ind., July 20.—Charles Tieman, 9 years old, was instantly killed when he picked up a "live" wire blown down from an electric light pole last night during a storm.

Motion pictures of domestic interest are most popular.

Allied Premiers Recognize Japan's Territorial Rights

(By Associated Press)

HONOLULU, July 20.—The council of allied premiers at Spa has recognized Japan's right to occupy Nikolaevsk and the northern portion of the island of Saghalien and to establish military governments in those districts to protect the lives and property of Japanese subjects from the Bolsheviks, according to information from Viscount Chinda to the Japanese government and conveyed here from Tokyo in special cable dispatches to Nippon Jiji, Japanese language newspaper.

Sporadic fighting has occurred between Japanese troops and Bolsheviks at Nikolaevsk, which is on the coast of Siberia, in the province of Primorsk. Saghalien, island of Nikolaevsk, and separated from the mainland by the Amur gulf and the gulf of Tartary, has been the scene of Bolshevik activities. The southern part of the island was ceded to Japan by Russia in accordance with the treaty of Portsmouth.

Shipping Board Opens Bids For 78 Sea-Going Vessels

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, July 20.—Bids were opened today by the shipping board for the sale of 78 sea-going tugs. Terms of sale call for 25 per cent of the purchase price on delivery of the vessel and the balance in semi-annual installments over a period of three years.

Twenty-two of the tugs are operating on the Atlantic coast, 24 on the Great Lakes, and the remainder are scattered between various Gulf and Atlantic ports or are in shipyards in the process of construction.

MRS. FISHER DIES FROM OPERATION FOR GOITRE

CENTERVILLE, Ind., July 20.—Mrs. Blanche Fisher, of Centerville, died at Mayo Brothers hospital after an operation for goitre. She was brought to her home in Centerville Monday night. Mr. and Mrs. Fisher have been residents of this community for several years.

She is survived by her husband, Ot.

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to, one son, William, and one daughter, Viana.

Funeral services will be conducted from the Christian church, Wednesday, at 2 p. m. The Rev. F. C. McCormick will officiate. Burial will be in Crown Hill cemetery.

Cubans Refuse Rice; Serious Credit Situation

(By Associated Press)

HAVANA, July 20.—Several of Havana's leading bankers and a committee representing the California rice association conferred today on the serious credit situation brought about by the alleged failure of certain Cuban importers to accept rice shipments valued at more than \$20,000,000, now held up in the harbor here which it is claimed were shipped under contracts. No statement was given out by the conferees, but the bankers are reported to have demanded that merchants protect their paper and to have intimated that the island's credit might be seriously involved as American exporters are becoming dubious of the good faith of certain Cuban importers.

A member of the rice association declared that for the past five years American firms have been shipping to Cuba under the same terms and conditions which now exist but have never been faced by such a situation.

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BRUSSELS, Belgium—The Chamber of Deputies has decided that women are eligible to become members of the Chamber and Senate. There were only ten dissenting votes.

LONDON, Eng.—For a complete set of the German Samoa stamps to five marks, overprinted G. R. I., \$1.125 was realized at a sale here. It was a record price.

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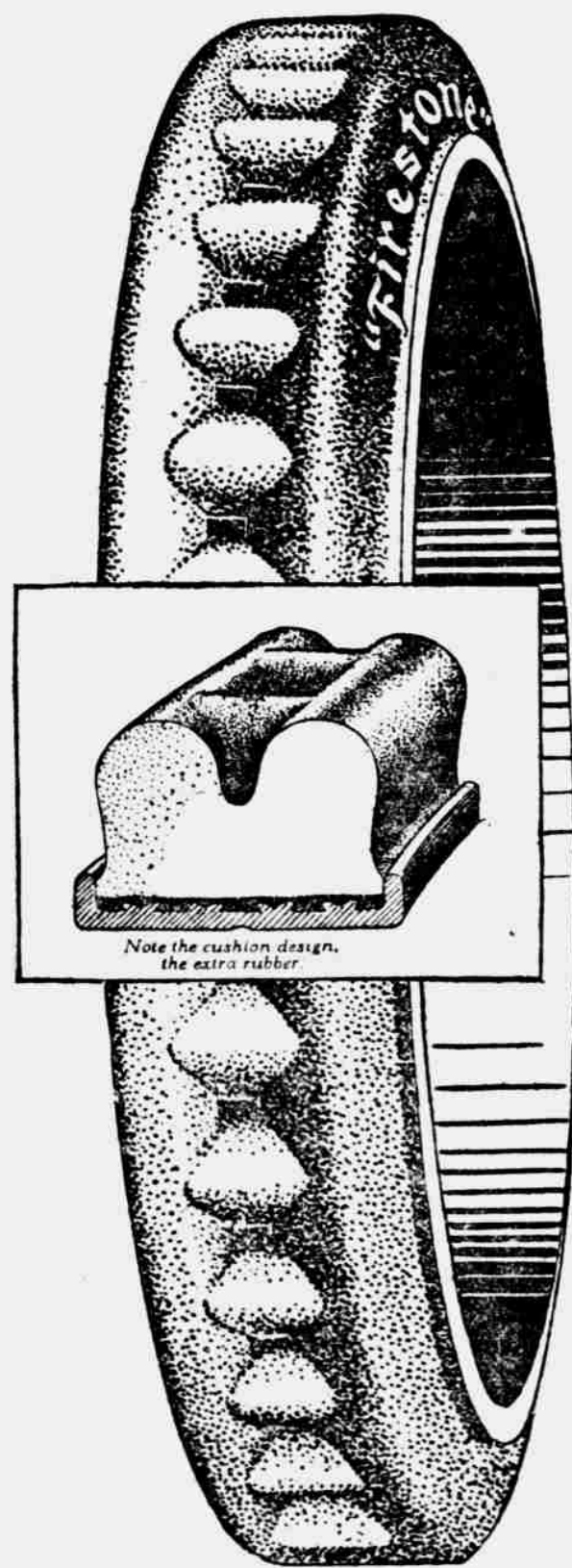
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