

LIGHT PLANT FUEL PURCHASE DISCUSSED IN COUNCIL MEETING

Purchases of coal for the city light plant was discussed by council Monday night. An explanation of the announcements that have come from the board of works that a general coal strike was anticipated next April and that long time contracts might be entered into by the city to guarantee them a coal supply, was asked by Councilman Ford.

Matt Ven Pein stated that no definite steps had been taken by the works board but that it considered entering into a long time contract. He stated that the coal situation was a gamble. A three months coal supply is now on hand at the plant and the board plans to keep this large a supply ahead if possible, he stated.

Wants Year's Supply.
City Attorney Reller stated that if the city had a place large enough to store a year's supply of coal, and money enough to buy it, now would be the time to lay in the amount needed. This is impossible at the present time because of the finances of the city, Mr. Bescher, controller, reminded council.

A special meeting of council will be held Thursday night, Aug. 11, to consider the budget for next year. All estimates must be in the hands of the controller by that time, Mayor Zimmerman stated.

An ordinance authorizing the sale of houses on Third street, acquired by the city to make possible the widening of that street, was passed by council. Six buildings will be sold with the proviso that they be moved off the grounds by a given date fixed by the board of works. No real estate is to be sold.

Employment Bureau Asked.
The question of establishing a free employment bureau in Richmond was presented to council by Vern Pentecost, of the Central Labor council, and Thomas A. Reilly, of the state industrial board. The matter was referred to the ordinance committee.

The congestion of Main street on Saturday night was deplored by Al Ford, who suggested that an ordinance be passed prohibiting the parking of automobiles between fifth and Tenth streets. No action was taken on the suggestion.

Police were ordered to warn property owners to cut weeds on their property. An ordinance of long standing was pointed out by Mr. Reller which authorizes the cutting of weeds and collecting of the cost from the owners.

Paraffin is found in the native state in coal and bituminous strata.

Flag at Half-Mast For Dead Soldiers of World War, Says This Patriot

The following has been submitted: Yesterday, in Richmond, the veterans of the World war paid honor to Frank Lichtenfels.

Do you remember that the first three American soldiers killed in France were Gresham, Enright and Hay, and that the first three Richmond boys to fall on the field of honor were Lichtenfels, Genn and Kirk. (Robert Kirk was in the marines and was killed in action at Chateau-Thierry in 1918). Yesterday, Lichtenfels was given a regular military funeral and with military honors and the same was given to Genn.

Now, every citizen of Richmond ought to have had a flag out and at half mast, to the honor of one who has given his life to the people of Richmond and of America can still live under the rule and light of liberty. But how many flags were out? I will leave that for the people of Richmond to answer.

It is the duty of every American citizen to have and show respect for those who died while fighting for freedom, liberty and our own country.

The people are more interested in their stomachs than in the heart of the world. If our boys at Chateau-Thierry had been more interested in their stomachs than in the heart of the world they would have run away. They wiped away that very reproach which had been hurled at us during the three long, weary years (1914-1917) when England and France did the fighting for us and kept back the Hun at the cost of millions of lives and billions of treasure. And now that they are exhausted because they defended us we have almost deserted them.

We are in honor bound by the deeds of our soldiers. We are talking of monuments. The greatest monument to those who died on the field of honor is the monument of patriotism. This torn and bleeding world is calling today for the America of Abraham Lincoln.

JAMES HOWARD ROBINSON.

Called by Death

EATON, O., Aug. 2.—Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Kison, 84, who died Sunday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Bird Renner, east of Eaton, were conducted Tuesday morning at the Renner home by the Rev. Hiley Baker, of Eaton Christian church. Burial was in Mound Hill cemetery, Eaton.

The decedent is survived by three daughters and one son.

HENRY J. ADAMS DIES AT NEWCASTLE HOME AFTER LONG ILLNESS

NEWCASTLE, Ind., Aug. 2.—Henry J. Adams, 67 years old, a successful poultry dealer in Newcastle for 30 years, died from a sudden heart attack Saturday night at 8:40 o'clock. Mr. Adams had been in failing health for the past few years and on Friday was taken ill with a severe heart attack. He was believed to be slightly improved Saturday and had walked about the house shortly before his sudden death Saturday night.

The funeral services were to be conducted Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the late residence at 319 South Fourteenth street. Burial will be made at the Hagerstown cemetery.

Coming here from his father's farm near Lewisville 35 years ago to engage in the poultry business, Mr. Adams has been prominently connected with Newcastle's business life since that time. He retired from business five years ago, after completing his thirtieth year in this work. Mr. Adams was connected with one of Newcastle's leading industries of several years ago having been owner of the bicycle factory on the present site of the Hoosier factory.

Married Hagerstown Girl.
After retiring from the poultry business on East Broad street five years ago, he was interested in putting his farm, east of the city and adjoining the fair ground, in modern condition. He recently sold the farm. He was also engaged in the poultry business at Rushville.

The deceased was born on the farm of his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Steven B. Adams, in Rush county, and spent his boyhood on a farm near Lewisville to which the family later moved. He was the youngest of a family of nine children, three of whom survive. He was wed to Katherine J. Prossbaugh at Hagerstown, January 23, 1901. The widow, a brother, John Adams, of Lewisville, and two sisters, Mrs. Taylor Kimball, of Dunreith, and Mrs. William Bricker, of Muncie, are the nearest surviving relatives. The Adams family is large, but Mr. Adams had no children himself.

\$93,000 BOND ISSUE FOR HOSPITAL FAILS TO SELL.
GREENCASTLE, Ind., Aug. 2.—No bids were submitted on the \$93,000 Putnam county hospital bond issue offered for sale Monday by County Auditor Ralph E. Knoll. The bonds were to bear 6 per cent interest, but bidders objected to the clause in the resolution authorizing the bonds, giving the county the privilege of paying them off after five years, if it was deemed advisable and possible.

Receives \$5,000 Damages From Pennsylvania Road

Wain D. Lyan, of this city, has just received word through his attorneys, Robbins, Reller and Robbins, that the judgment for \$5,000 he recently obtained in the Pittsburgh court against the eastern division of the Pennsylvania railroad company for personal injuries, has been affirmed and a new trial refused the railroad company.

REID FUNERAL HELD TUESDAY AFTERNOON

NEW PARIS, O., Aug. 2.—Funeral services for Mrs. Cora Reid, 40 years old, who died Saturday evening as a result of fatal injuries sustained Saturday afternoon when the automobile she was driving overturned, were held at 1:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

Following short funeral services at the home, four miles north of New Paris, the body was taken to the Christian church in New Paris, where services were again held. Burial was in Springlawn cemetery.

Mrs. Reid, wife of Edward Reid, was on the way to meet her daughter, Miss Helen Reid, who had come from Dayton to assist in caring for Mr. Reid, who has been ill. Just before reaching the Dry Run school house, about one-half mile north of here, she entered into a race with Ernest Shuman, of Braffettsville, O., who was also driving an automobile.

It was estimated that Mrs. Reid was driving at a speed of between 40 and 45 miles an hour when she lost control of her car. Her car turned over in the road after Mr. Shuman had passed her. She died soon after.

Besides her husband and daughter she leaves one son, Carl; her mother, Mrs. Hetzler; three brothers, Charles of Warren, O., Fred and Ira Hetzler. She was a member of the Eastern Star and Rebekah lodges. She attended the Christian church.

Wayne County Holiness Is Program Announced

Following is the program for the Wayne county Holiness convention, to be held at the local church, corner North Eleventh and H streets, Saturday and Sunday, Aug. 6 and 7.

Saturday, 3 p. m., election of officers; Sunday, 11 a. m., Melvin C. Adlington makes an address on "Golden Curls and Dandelion Blossoms"; 3:00 p. m., preaching by the Rev. Clarence Hunt, of Ridgeville, Ind.

FLEET OFF FOR MANEUVERS.
NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—A portion of the Atlantic fleet which has been anchored in the Hudson river, Monday steamed off to Southern drill grounds for three weeks' maneuvers.

ENRICO CARUSO

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Grau at the Metropolitan, however, cabled Caruso an offer to cross the Atlantic and his ambition at last was realized.

Although no official statement of his earnings was ever made public, it is known that Caruso, at the height of his Metropolitan career, was receiving an average of \$3,000 for each performance. On special occasions, such as his 1920 season in Havana, he was paid \$10,000 a night.

The list of Italian and French operas in which the noted tenor's name figures since he first sang in New York revealed an amazing versatility.

In 16 years he sang no less than 549 times, in one season, 1907-08 making 51 appearances, a great test of endurance for any voice. He was unsparing, if not reckless, of his vocal power. No grand opera tenor in America, from the days of Brignoli, Campanini, Ravelli, Tamagno and Jean de Reszke, it is recorded, ever reigned so long in popular favor.

Caruso, after his strenuous opera seasons, sometimes had trouble with his throat, which he usually overcame with a little rest and care and at certain intervals, rumors that "Caruso will never sing again" were frequently printed.

In the winter of 1920, however, he suffered a serious affliction when a small blood vessel in his throat burst while he was singing in "Elisla d'Amore" in the Brooklyn Academy of Music. Recovered from this mishap, Caruso was stricken with pleurisy.

Wife Attends Singer.

During his indisposition, Caruso was the object of devoted attention by his wife, formerly Miss Dorothy Benjamin, of New York, whom he married in 1918. One child was born to them. Caruso had a son by a former wife, a singer named Ada Ciachetti, with whom he had been associated in opera at Treviso and Bologna.

Caruso's repertoire in America included the following: (Italian) "Aida," "Rigoletto," "La Boheme," "L'Africaine," "La Traviata," "Les Huguenots," "Fedora," "Adrienne Lecouvreur," "Cavalleria Rusticana," "Pagliacci," "L'Amore dei tre Re," "Un Ballo in Maschera," "Lodoletta," "Marta," "L'Elisla d'Amore," "Manon Lescaut," "Madame Butterfly," "La-

NOT NECESSARY TO TRAVEL.
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Fanciulla del West," "Lucia di Lamermoor," "La Gioconda," "Il Trovatore," "Don Giovanni," "Germania," "Iris," "Lucrezia Borgia," "Tosca," "Les Pecheurs de Perles," "Armide," "Faust," "Julien," "Le Prophete," "Carmen," "Samson et Delila," and "Manon."

The famous singer was the guest of honor at a silver jubilee celebration, on the 25th anniversary of his operatic debut, in November, 1919 at the Metropolitan at which the Mayor and New Yorkers, including the Mayor and other officials, spoke of his great artistic achievements. He received an illuminated parchment from 35 families holding boxes in the \$7,000,000 "Golden Horseshoe," a flag from the City of New York, several medals and numerous gifts from his fellow artists.

Mr. and Mrs. Caruso resided in New York City during the opera season. They had a summer home on Long Island and another residence, Villa alle Panche, at Florence, Italy.

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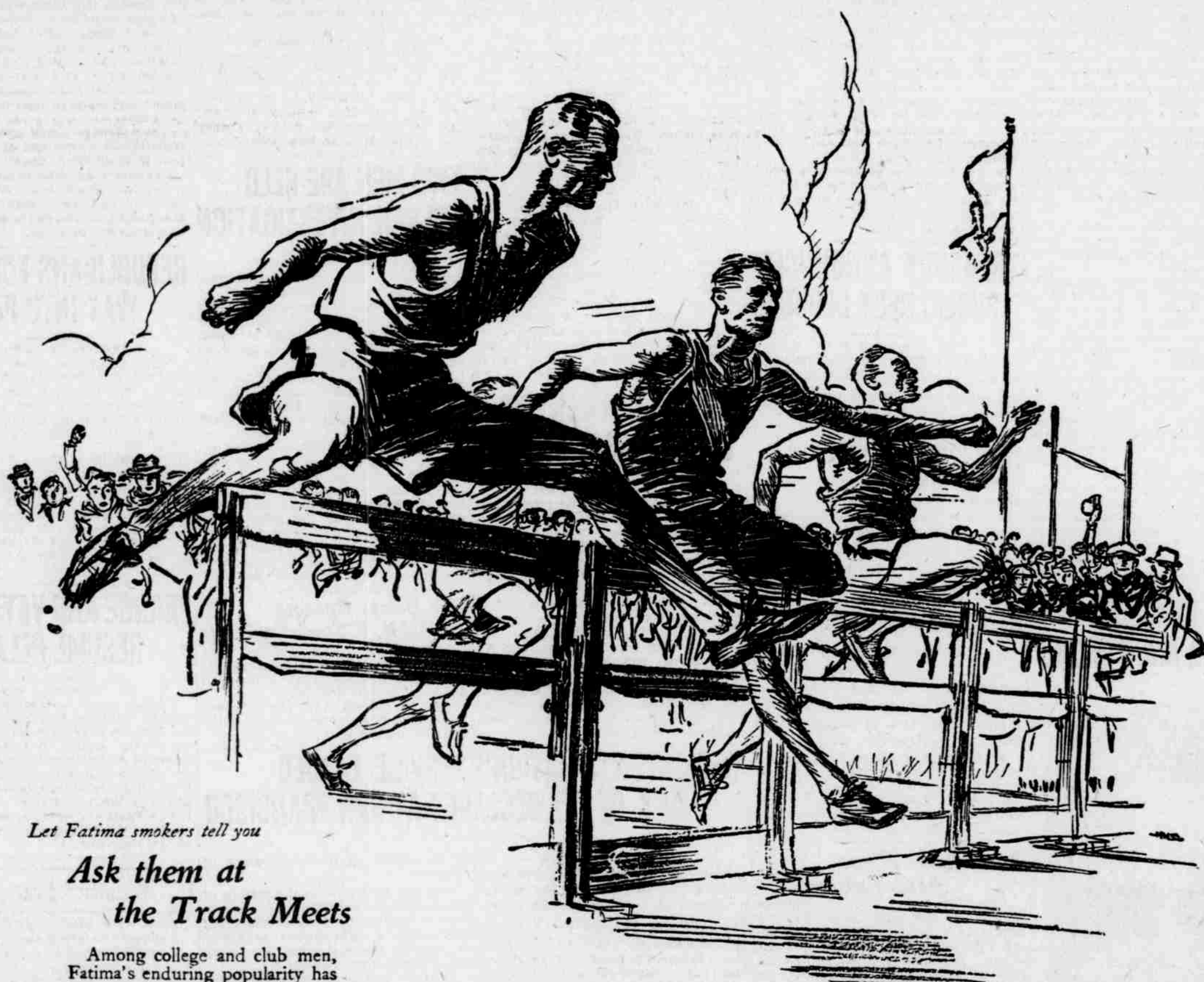
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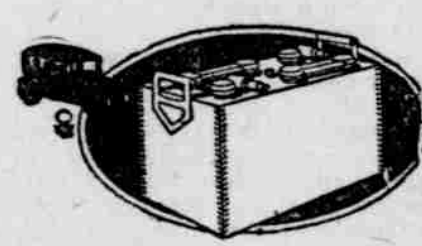
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