

F. 2, 1932

Meeting of the Association of Lead Packagers, Inc.,
 held at the Hotel... on... 1932

AGENDA

1. Roll Call
 2. Reading of Minutes
 3. Report of Treasurer
 4. Report of Secretary
 5. Report of Committee on Lead
 6. Report of Committee on Packaging
 7. Report of Committee on Standards
 8. Report of Committee on Education
 9. Report of Committee on Public Relations
 10. Report of Committee on Research
 11. Report of Committee on Legislation
 12. Report of Committee on International Relations
 13. Report of Committee on Miscellaneous

E. F. Anderson, President, E. F. Anderson & Co.
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RESOLUTIONS

R. F. Giles, Willard Storage Battery Co.

Robert L. McGee, Secretary
 David A. Bercina

The meeting was called to order by the acting chairman, Robert L. McGee. He explained that the purpose of the meeting was to discuss the problem of lead packaging and to make recommendations for the improvement of the industry. The acting chairman then requested E. F. Anderson, President, to explain the purpose of the meeting.

Mr. Anderson stated that the purpose of the meeting was to study the various methods of packaging of lead in the light of modern scientific knowledge and equipment. It was his opinion that the present methods of packaging of lead were very unsatisfactory and that some action should be taken to improve the industry. He stated that the industry should be organized and that the various methods of packaging should be standardized.

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In their opinion, reduction of the present, is with a wider base for stability is of paramount importance.

... to Star's factory ... and a blueprint that indicated a ... of ... and shapes of pins that are ... to their plant ... line to ...

The representative James Egan-Blicher Co. advised that in view of the emergency, the Government should not be asked to purchase the material as a contract but to purchase it as a purchase order.

...the industry be polled to determine proper size and ...
...further stated that they will perhaps offer ...
...for size six that would be packaged in an ...
...\$10.00, or more. Fire strength of size six now ...

The representative of Ethyl Corp. concurred and mentioned that wire occasionally enters their pots inadvertently, necessitating shutdowns because of the wire fouling submerged burners and pumps. Also large castings are objectionable because of the danger of dropping these heavy castings and creating the melting pots, and slow melting.

The Western Electric Co. representative stated that the method of packaging present day pigs, wire wrapping as described above, is the same except at one plant. However, they would probably not make any changes provided the size of pigs was uniform throughout the industry. Their experience with the cabled Fedmac pigs was satisfactory except that it made necessary an extra operation of cutting apart the pigs.

The suggestion was then made that perhaps a solid rod in coils, either extruded or continuous cast, could be utilized.

Representatives of the National Loan Co. stated that the cost could be prohibitive. It was their thought that perhaps greater utilization of the available floor space of cars could be made, perhaps loading pigs three instead of four deep. This would then facilitate loading with a well and safety and less expense for shifts of the load.

Representative of the American Smelting & Refining Co. stated that they have been unable to find any reliable gas and are found on the following: (1) The gas they are now using is different both in composition and in specifications and would not be suitable for use in the gas turbine. (2) They have also been unable to find any satisfactory.

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1. Meeting time.
2. Meeting place. (Shapes that will ship better.)

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The acting chairman stated that the election of a permanent chairman was in order.

A motion to appoint Robert L. Ziegfeld as permanent chairman was duly recorded and unanimously approved.

The chairman then requested a time for the next meeting. There being no objection, the next meeting was scheduled for Tuesday, January 12, 1936, at 10:30 A.M. at the Yale Club.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 12:00 noon.

Robert L. Ziegfeld
Secretary