

The Commercial Club held a special meeting last Tuesday evening to consider the report of the special auditing committee appointed at a previous meeting to audit the books of the Piatt Electric Company to ascertain the volume of business done by the company in order to determine whether to recommend a raise in rates to the city council. After listening to the report it was the general opinion that the rates were too low to allow the company to make interest on the investment and a motion was carried to the effect that a raise of one and one half cents per kilowatt be granted and ten cents on a flat rate. In order to have this change made it will be necessary for a big majority of the business men to sign a petition to the council asking for the change.