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## INDIANAPOLIS LIGHT AND HEAT COMPANY PHOTOGRAPHS, 1905

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### COLLECTION INFORMATION

VOLUME OF  
COLLECTION: 1 folder of photographs

COLLECTION  
DATES: 1905

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RELATED HOLDINGS: None

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NOTES:

## HISTORICAL SKETCH

A merger between the Indianapolis Light and Power Company and the Marion County Hot Water Heating Company created the Indianapolis Light and Heat Company on 31 December 1904. On 27 October 1926 the Merchant Public Utility Company acquired the Indianapolis Light and Heat Company, and transferred its assets to the newly incorporated Indianapolis Power and Light Company.

### Sources:

Boddenhammer, David S., and Robert G. Barrows. *Encyclopedia of Indianapolis*. Bloomington: Indiana University Press, 1994.

Todd, Zane. *Electrifying Indianapolis. 1881–1954. A History of the Indianapolis Power and Light Company and its Predecessors*. Indianapolis: Indianapolis Power and Light Company, 1954.

## SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

The collection contains two black-and-white photographs of work crews posed on horse-drawn wagons. In one photograph, the words “Heat and Light Co.” are visible on the frame of the wagon. The wagons may have been used for repair work, as the load appears to be ropes or cables, and poles.

The titles for each photograph were written by the processor and are in square [ ] brackets.

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[Workmen on horse-drawn wagon]  
[Workmen on horse-drawn wagon with “Heat and Light Co.” sign visible on wagon]

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5. When you find the collection, go to the "Full Record" screen for a list of headings that can be searched for related materials.