

RICE & CO LIMITED.

Offices:
20, YORK STREET,
MANCHESTER.

Telegrams: "RICE, CHORLEY."

TELEPHONE NO 20.

Croft Mill,
Chorley, 4th May 1934

Lt-Col E, L, Beddington Esq,

Dear Sir,

Re purchasing of Rice & Co Ltd, as
a going concern.

It is with regret we read that you and
your colleagues have turned down my offer of April
25th, which we considered a sound proposition
for both sides.

I enclose a statement of my offer of last
week in case some of its features have been over-
looked.

Reading between the lines it seems to me that
there is room for further negotiations on the
basis of a trading agreement between U.A.C, and
self and my colleagues.

If so can you give me some indication of what
your ideas are and then we could meet and thrash
matters out, and you would have the pleasure
along with us of seeing the Mills continuing in
the hands of those who have worked in them so long

Yours faithfully

Feller