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Hydro for Markdale

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thirty-seven street lamps altogether. They burn from sundown to twelve o'clock. They are supposed to be 100 watt tungsten lamps and they cost the municipality for one year the sum of $434.02 or exactly $11.73 per light. Quite a substantial amount and certainly a respectable amount when you total up the aggregate and yet there are many dark and dingy streets, especially in the residential section of the town. Several requests for extra lights have been shelved for some time pending the decision of the electors on the Hydro question. If they had been installed it would have meant an increase in the lighting bill of $11.73 per extra lamp. It would also have meant extra capital cost to the present proprietors and in addition to all this, it would have meant just that much more second hand equipment that the municipality, when coming under Hydro, would have to take off the hands of the present owners. In short, the lights are needed and the Hydro street lighting plant and estimates have been eagerly awaited in order to determine exactly in what way the town's interests would best be served. Those plans and estimates are now to hand and it should not require more than an average amount of intelligence on the part of any ratepayer to decide that Hydro street lighting for the village of Markdale cannot come a moment too soon.

There is one feature about operation and proposed operation of Hydro that is particularly commendable. The Commission and its engineers have nothing to hide. Their contracts have no riders and no jokers to catch the unwary, an unsuspicious municipality or private consumer. They are always ready and willing to give exact information whenever exact information on details is possible. There will be posted up in the post office within a day or so, a large blue print showing the streets and the location of the thirty seven lights of the present system. By its side will be another map showing the proposed location of street lights under the Hydro system. There will also be shown photographs of the lamps and fixtures. Count the red spots on the maps. Thirty seven on one of them. How many on the other? Thirty seven? Yes—and then some. Take thirty seven and double it and then add one for good measure and you will have SEVENTY FIVE LIGHTS. Seventy five lights in capital letters too because they are not the ordinary 100 watt tungsten lamps showing 80 candle power. Seventy-five lights and each one a 100 watt nitrogen lamp showing 200 candlepower. This is not a 200 candlepower glare hitting you in the eye, overilluminating a few yards with a flaring effect and intensifying the darkness of the shadows, but rather a 200 candlepower softened light diffused through opaque globes and spreading its mellow rays into the dim corners. Also the brackets of the lamps will be set low on the poles because the idea is street illumination rather than an attempt to search out the sky. As for the appearance of the lamps, just take a look at the cuts shown in the post office and compare them with the rusty reflectors that are doing duty on the streets at present. Let us sum it up, twice the number of the present lamps—four times the candlepower and six hundred times the appearance. But you say the cost, the cost, the terrible cost. Well it would be some cost if you had to figure it out for value received on the same basis that we are paying at present. If you had to take thirty-seven lamps at $11.73 each and double the number of lamps at that cost and quadruple it on account of the extra candlepower and then add what seemed reasonable for the appearance of the lamps themselves, we would surely have an electric light bill on our hands.

This item of cost is very important because, as we have stated, it is absolutely the only item under Hydro that comes out of the general taxes. Please let that statement sink in and take root. We mentioned it in the second article and we repeat it now and its quite likely that we will have to say it all over again. There are still a few people in town who have the idea, wherever or however they got it, that the proposed money by-law asking for a vote of $9,000 for acquiring and building an electric distribution system, is a scheme whereby the town's debt will be increased by that much and that the $9,000 will have to be paid in so many installments out of the general taxes.

The by-law asks for a vote of $9,000. That amount is estimated to be ample for the purpose of buying out the present system and reconstructing it, or of building a new system. Now, as we have explained, the service charges to consumers are calculated to pay the fixed charges for transmitting and distributing the power. The town is a consumer like a private individual. It gets its power at cost—$23.00 per horse power delivered to the Municipality. Instead of paying a service charge in addition to its consumption charge for street lighting, it pays a proportion of the capital cost of constructing and maintaining the distribution system. On a total outlay of $9,000 and with the town taking the number of lights as per proposed plan, its portion of the cost of distribution would be fixed at $1200.00. Now what the town would have to pay each year would be composed of the following items:

For interest on capital cost for depreciation and maintenance, for sinking fund—15 per cent. on $1200	180.00
For consumption of current	230.00
For lamp renewals (2 sets per year	150.00
	$560.00
37 street lights cost the town at present	$434.02
75 street lights would cost under Hydro	$560.00

Now if you will glance at the map showing proposed Hydro lighting it will be noticed that the number of lamps allotted to the business section of Main street is more than generous. Nine lights between the Markdale House and the Revere House. Although it must be remembered that when Hydro is installed the merchants along the street will be under meter and will naturally decline to do the bulk of the Main street lighting as they are doing now. Yet at the same time a few of the nine might be very well done without. Taking the whole plan into consideration we might possibly dispense with ten of the proposed lights and yet be almost twice as well off as we are at present. These plans are not final and we are assured by the Hydro engineers that any deduction from or any addition to the number proposed can be easily arranged as may be deemed expedient. If we therefore take 65 Hydro street lamps, the capital cost will be reduced and also of necessity the annual fixed charges and the consumption of current. 65 Hydro lamps would figure out an annual cost of $494. The present system costs us now for street lighting alone $434.00 and with the addition of eight most needed extra lamps would cost $527.81, or exactly $33.81 more than for 65 Hydro lamps. That is to say that 45 lamps under our present system would cost $33.81 more than the estimated annual cost for 65 lamps under the Hydro System.

In addition to this there is another consideration. We have given $434.00 as the present cost of street lighting. But the town has another electric light bill. The bill for lamps and lighting for the fire hall, council room and library for the past six months was $24.76 or practically $50.00 per year. You will also recollect that this means for the old council room and old library. There are lamps burning in the firehall continuously, which would be used very little if we were under Hydro on a meter rate. As for the new library building it seems hardly necessary to state that, even with careful using of light, under the present system the bill for lighting will be considerable. We have already shown in previous articles the difference in rates for lighting buildings under the present system and under Hydro. We can hardly make a guess at the probable amount of current that would be used in the two public buildings so that it would be only guesswork at the best to make an estimate of the annual cost. We do know, however, that the highest possible rate under Hydro is 6 cents per Kw. H. compared to the present 10 cent rate, that its use would effect a saving of 40 per cent. and that the saving under Hydro would very nearly wipe out the difference between the cost of 45 street lamps under the present system and 75 under Hydro. If we take only 65 lamps under Hydro, as opposed to 45 under the present system the saving on the total will be a dead certainty. How much will Hydro raise your taxes?

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Village of Markdale

BY-LAW NO. 265.

To take the vote of the ratepayers of the Village of Markdale entitled to vote on money By-Laws, on a question to be submitted whether the ratepayers are in favor of a supply of Electric power from the Hydro-Electric power commission of Ontario.

Whereas the Municipal council of the Village of Markdale deems it advisable to submit to the rate payers of the Village of Markdale entitled to vote on money by-laws a question as to whether the said ratepayers are in favor of a supply of electric power from the Hydro Electric power commission of Ontario.

Therefore the council of the corporation of the village of Markdale enacts as follows:

1. That the following question be submitted to the ratepayers of the municipal corporation of the village of Markdale entitled to vote on Money By-laws.

Are you in favor of obtaining from the Hydro-Electric Power Commission Of Ontario a supply of Electric Power.

2. That the votes of the said ratepayers shall be taken on this question at the following time and place by the following deputy returning officer and poll clerk hereinafter mentioned, that is to say: At The Public Library in the ..... Village of Markdale ..... the poll to open at 9 o'clock a.m. and close at 5 o'clock p.m. Jas. E. Matson, Returning Officer; J. G. McDuff, Poll Clerk.

3. A true copy of this by-law shall be published in the following newspaper on the days hereinafter mentioned, that is to say, in the Markdale Standard, on August 12, Aug. 19 and Aug. 26th, 1915, and a copy of this By-Law shall be posted at the Public Library, Post Office, Reeve's Office, and Clerk's Office, in the Village of Markdale.

4. On 23rd day of August at the Clerk's office in the Village of Markdale at 10 o'clock a.m. the reeve will in writing signed by him appoint two persons to attend the final summing up of the votes by the clerk of this corporation, and one person to attend each polling place on behalf of the persons interested in and desirous of the answering of the said question in the affirmative and a like number of persons interested in and desirous of answering the said question in the negative respectively.

5. The 31st day of August, at the Clerk's office, Markdale, at 10 o'clock forenoon is hereby appointed for the summing up by the clerk of this corporation of the votes given in the affirmative and in the negative respectively. Made passed and enacted this 30th day of July, 1915.

REEVE—R. W. Ennis.
CLERK—R. J. Gilfillan.

Take notice that the above is a true copy of a By-Law passed by the Municipal Council of the Village of Markdale.

And further take notice that at the hour, day and place therein fixed for taking the votes of the electors the polls will be held.

By-Law No. 266.

To authorize the borrowing of $9,000.00 by the issue and sale of debentures, to provide for the cost of a plant to distribute electric power to be supplied by the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario.

Passed.....

Whereas it is necessary to raise by way of loan on the credit of the Municipal Corporation of the Village of Markdale the sum of $9,000 to provide for the cost of works, plant, machinery and appliances necessary for the distribution of electric power in the said Municipal Corporation of the Village of Markdale to be supplied by the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario.

And whereas the sum of $9,000 is the debt intended to be created by this By-Law,

And whereas it is desirable to issue the said debentures at one time and to make the principal of the said debt re-payable in yearly sums during the period of thirty years, being the currency of said debentures, said yearly sums being of such respective amounts that the aggregate amount payable each year for principal and interest in respect of the said debt shall be as nearly as possible equal to the amount payable in each of the other Twenty-nine years of the said period.

And whereas the total amount required to be raised annually by special rate for paying the said debt and interest as hereinafter provided is $653.84.

And whereas the amount of the whole rateable property of the said Municipal Corporation of the Village of Markdale, according to the last revised assessment roll thereof, is $335,788.00.

And whereas the amount of the existing debenture debt of the said Municipal Corporation of the Village of Markdale, exclusive of local improvement debts, is $41,675.00, and no part of the principal or interest is in arrears.

Therefore the Council of the Corporation of the Village of Markdale enacts as follows:

1. That for the purpose aforesaid it shall be lawful for the Reeve and Treasurer of the said Municipal Corporation of the Village of Markdale to borrow the sum of $9,000.00 and to issue debentures of the said Corporation to the amount of $9,000.00, each of which debentures shall be dated on the date of the issue thereof, and shall be payable within thirty years thereafter at the office of the Treasurer of the said Corporation.

2. The said debentures shall be payable in thirty annual instalments during the thirty years next after the issue thereof, and the total amounts of principal and interest payable during each of the said years shall be as follows:

Year	Interest	Principal	Annual Payment
1	$540 00	$113 84	$653 84
2	233 17	120 67	653 84
3	525 93	127 91	653 84
4	518 25	135 59	653 84
5	510 12	143 72	653 84
6	501 50	152 34	653 84
7	492 36	161 48	653 84
8	482 67	171 17	653 84
9	472 40	181 44	653 84
10	461 51	192 33	653 84
11	449 97	203 87	653 84
12	437 74	216 10	653 84
13	424 77	229 07	653 84
14	411 03	242.81	653 84
15	396 46	257 38	653 84
16	381 02	272 82	653 84
17	364 64	289 20	653 84
18	347 29	306 55	653 84
19	328 90	324 94	653 84
20	309 40	344 44	653 84
21	288 74	365 10	653 84
22	266 83	387 01	653 84
23	243 61	410 23	653 84
24	219 00	434 84	653 84
25	192 91	460 93	653 84
26	165 25	488 59	653 84
27	135 94	517 90	653 84
28	104 86	548 98	653 84
29	71 92	581 92	653 84
30	37 01	616 83	653 84

3. Each of the said debentures shall be signed by the Reeve of the said Municipal Corporation of the Village of Markdale, or by some other person authorized by by-law to sign same and by the Treasurer thereof, and the Clerk shall seal the same with the common seal of the said Corporation.

4. The said debentures shall bear interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable yearly at the office of the said Treasurer and shall have attached thereto coupons for the payment of same, which coupons shall be signed by the Reeve and Treasurer of the said Municipal Corporation of the Village of Markdale.

5. During the currency of the said debentures, there shall be raised annually by special rate on all the rateable property in the said Village of Markdale the sum of $653.84 for the purpose of paying the amount due in each of the said years for principal and interest in respect to the said debt.

6. This By-Law shall take effect and come into operation from and after the final passing thereof.

7. The votes of the ratepayers of the said Village of Markdale shall be taken on this question on the 30th day of August, A.D. 1915, commencing at the hour of 9 a.m. and continuing until 5 p.m. at the following places, and by the Deputy Returning Officer and Poll Clerk hereinafter mentioned, that is to say:

At the Public Library in the Village of Markdale and James E. Matson shall be Returning Officer, and J. G. McDuff shall be Poll Clerk.

8. On the 23rd day of August, A.D., 1915, the Reeve will attend to appoint in writing, signed by him, two persons to attend at the final summing up of the votes by the Clerk of this Corporation and one person to attend each polling place on behalf of the persons interested in and desirous of promoting the passing of this By-Law, and a like number on behalf of the persons interested in and desirous of opposing the passing of this By-Law.

The Clerk's Office at the said Village of Markdale, at 10 o'clock forenoon, on the 31st day of August, A.D., 1915, is hereby appointed for the summing up by the Clerk of this Corporation of the number of votes given for and against this By-Law.

R. W. ENNIS, Reeve
R. J. GILFILLAN, Clerk.

NOTICE.

Take notice that the above is a true copy of a proposed By-Law which has been taken into consideration and which will be finally passed by the Council of the Municipality (in the event of the assent of the ratepayers being obtained thereto), and after one month from the first publication in The Markdale Standard, the date of which publication was August 12, A.D., 1915, and that the votes of the ratepayers of the said Municipality will be taken thereon on the day and at the hours and place therein fixed, and further that the names of lease-holders neglecting to file a declaration pursuant to Section 354, Sub-section 1, of the Consolidated Municipal Act, 1903, as amended by 9 Edward 7th, Chapter 73, Section 10, shall not be placed on the voters' list for such voting.

R. J. GILFILLAN, Clerk.

Dated at Markdale this 31st day of July, 1915.

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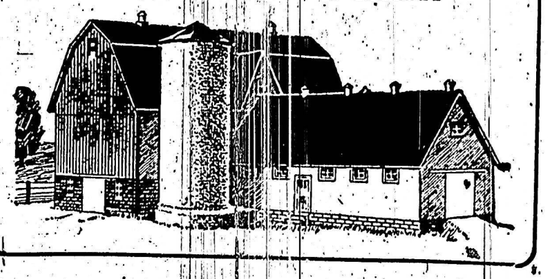
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