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**PUC Disappointed At 13th Power Bill HEPC Asks \$1,155**

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Superintendent D. Mason, reporting for the hydro department, estimated, following a request by the Chamber of Commerce, that cost to install control wire on downtown colored lights would be about \$395.57.

He also reported that vandalism has cost the commission the replacement of about 50 street light bulbs in recent weeks.

An accident with the derrick on the hydro truck has caused a broken lift head, superintendent Mason went on. Steps are to be taken to have this repaired.

**Found in Poor Shape**

During the work of transformer changing to 60 cycle winding, several old units have been found in such poor condition that it is doubtful if they would survive alteration, the superintendent said. The commission agreed to leave these older units up without changing them over until they have to be replaced.

After some airing of pros and cons, it was decided to allow the hydro superintendent to attend an electrical firm display and reception in Toronto this week. A second invitation to another display on accident prevention was filed.

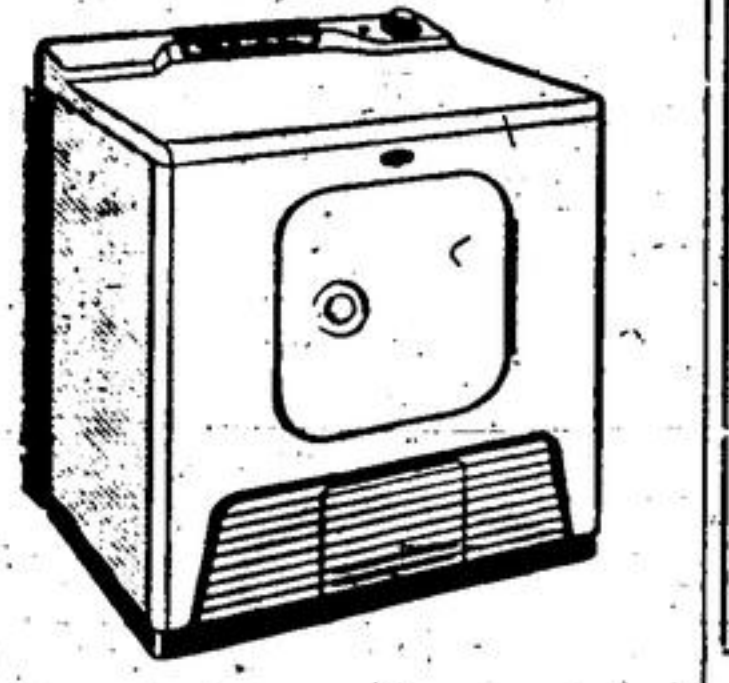
Waterworks superintendent J. Lambert submitted a quoted price of \$85.72 for a new battery for the pumping station. Another quotation is to be sought. The superintendent also reported that after replacement work the pumps are back in service at the lift station.

The following accounts were ordered paid:

Waterworks Accounts	
Acton PUC Jan. operations	\$768.23
Bell Telephone	16.58
Acton PUC hydro	210.83
Can. Brass Co.	7.21
Neptune Meters Ltd.	89.56
Can. Valve and Hydrant	7.50
Williams Supply Co.	3.86
	<b>\$1,103.87</b>
Hydro Accounts	
Bell Telephone	\$ 37.15
Petty cash, exp., trans.	22.00
Mrs. E. McEachern, gas	11.80
J. B. Mackenzie and Son, coal	64.29
Ferranti Elec. Ltd., trans.	428.00
Ellis and Howard Ltd.	23.00
Northern Electric	108.89
H. Palmer, office cleaning	20.00
Whitham's Garage, gas	18.44
HEPC of Ont., hydro heater unit	88.00
MacSwain Motors	5.05
Acton PUC WW hydro	3.04
H. G. Barlow Co.	23.85
L. W. Agar, coal	83.95
J. Wood Co., hot water heaters	531.90
Federal Wire & Cable Co.	158.88
Rec. Co., meter inspection	4.50
Packard Elec., transformer	323.00
Can. Line Materials	35.90
Powerlite Devices Ltd.	77.08
	<b>\$2,064.02</b>

The interior of Knox church is being redecorated this week.

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LOCAL FASHION MODELS who participated in the St. Alban's Guild presentation of what the well-dressed lady will wear last Thursday evening are shown left to right, Sylvia Jones, Mrs. G. Barbeau, Mrs. E. Jones, Ruth Jones, Mrs. Wm. Wilson, Mrs. G. Candler. Nearly 200 ladies attended the show.

**CONTROVERSIAL H-LINE APPROVED BY ACTON LADIES AT FASHION SHOW**

The latest in fashionable clothes, including the controversial box jacket and long torso line, were appreciatively inspected by about 200 Acton ladies when St. Alban's Guild sponsored a Fashion Show in the parish hall last Thursday evening. The smart clothes were topped with spring hats from the Kaye Shoppe and set off with jewelry from Rachin's.

Mrs. S. Eisen acted as commentator, describing the outfits which came from Eisen's store.

A clever backdrop, a spring scene, was made by Mr. and Mrs. M. Root. Bouquets of flowers and shamrocks added to the effect. The models, coming into the large upstairs room at the stairway from the basement, mounted a runway leading the length of the room to the platform.

Mrs. Eisen, wearing a princess line pink dress with a small white head and corsage, was seated here. She pointed out special features on each costume as the models paused before walking back.

The styles varied from rainwear to evening wear and each article received favorable comment from the audience. Applauded since there were squaw skirts for the teen-agers and dark dresses and coats for the larger figure.

Pink and grey were popular shades and several dark dresses were set off by white collars and cuffs.

Vic Bristow managed the lighting and Rino Braida supplied the public address system. George Hall played the piano during the show.

Modelling were: Mrs. F. Oakes, Mrs. Phyllis Mackie, Mrs. C. Taylor, Miss Sylvia Jones, Mrs. H. Graham, Mrs. Evan Jones, Mrs. G. Currie, Mrs. William Wilson, Mrs. G. Candler, Mrs. George Lee, Mrs. William Denny, Mrs. C. Townsley, Miss Ruth Jones, Mrs. Howard Townsend, Mrs. R. Anderson, Mrs. G. Barbeau, Mrs. E. Footitt and Mrs. Howard Dolphin.

At intermission candy was sold and several lucky draws made. Winners were: cosmetic kit, Mrs. John Jettin, Worthington, Ont.; etched toy, Mrs. Walker, carved leather bag, Mrs. John Black, pairs of stockings, Mrs. D. Manning, Mrs. W. Middleton, Mrs. Gordon Beatty, Mrs. K. McPhail and Mrs. Wes Allen; pot shamrocks, Mrs. E. Lashby, Mrs. B. Griesse; aprons, Mrs. George Hall, Mrs. G. Ingles, Mrs. S. Snow and Mrs. K. Taylor.

Mrs. C. Cook was in charge of the program and presented bouquets to Mrs. Eisen and Miss Rozell.

**Several Showers For Bride-to-Be**

Prior to her marriage to Murray McLaren, Miss Jane Dalton of Rockwood was guest of honor at showers and presentations.

Mrs. G. Cox gave a miscellaneous shower. Miss Bessie Calder entertained at a kitchen shower. Mrs. E. Thatcher was hostess at a pantry and linen shower.

The employees of the Bell Telephone office presented her with a table lamp.

**Businessman Lauds Local Advertising**

Effectiveness of newspaper advertising at a local level was borne out this week in comments by an Acton businessman who recently concluded a month-long stock liquidation sale.

A display advertisement in the Free Press last week, advertising nylons as a week-end special, brought instant results. S. Eisen, owner of Eisen's Clothing Store, said this week. Mr. Eisen reported that the Free Press had barely been on the street a half hour Thursday afternoon when customers appeared requesting the advertised stock.

Referring to his successful special liquidation sale, the local merchant added that concentrated use of large display ads, coupled with handbill reprints circulated by mail through the district, had achieved gratifying response from shoppers in the town and rural area.

Mr. Eisen indicated that during the sale many items and specials marked down week to week had been bought by customers who identified the price and garment through the local advertising.

**P.S. Donation**

On Friday, Acton Public School forwarded \$147.50 to the Junior Red Cross. This represents 25 cents per pupil at the school.

**Personal Notes . . .**

Of Actonians Visiting Out-of-Town Points and of Visitors in Acton Homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Beatty are in Montreal this week.

Vacationing in Florida is Mr. Alf Long, who flew to Miami this week.

Friends are happy to see Miss M. Z. Bennett back home, improved in health.

Mr. Allan Gordon of Kingston visited his dad, Mr. W. Gordon, Rockwood.

On Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mainprize and Mr. Bill Mainprize motored to Midland.

Mr. John McClure and Mrs. Sarah Hurst arrived home last week from a holiday in Florida.

Mrs. Ross Robertson, Stuart and Jimmie spent several days last week with friends at Horby.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lambert and family of Drayton visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Lambert.

Last Friday, Mrs. J. Wood and Mrs. G. A. Dilts visited in Toronto with Mrs. E. G. Black and Mrs. J. Matthews.

Miss Grace Shoemaker of Kitchener spent the week-end in Acton with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Shoemaker.

Mrs. Dirk VanGoogen is a patient in St. Joseph's Hospital, Hamilton, where she underwent an operation last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Hill of Kingston were visiting with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nightingale of Rockwood.

M. M. and Mrs. Coles have as their guests at "Brookdale" their cousin and sister respectively, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Gilmour of Carrot River, Sask.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Swackhamer and Misses Nadine and Joyce Swackhamer visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Swackhamer and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Swackhamer and family.

Mr. Charles Mason visited in Buffalo over the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. William E. Ramsden and motored with them to Rochester Saturday for the wedding of his grandson, William E. Ramsden Jr. to Miss Elsa Boedicker of Rochester.

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**Spring Here Brings More Subdivision Problems to Council**

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expenditures of \$25,000, the maximum figure upon which subsidy will be granted. However, the Department of Municipal Affairs advised the town that an included item of \$3,000 for new road expenditure could not be debentured.

**Building By-law Rapped**

Clerk McGeechie read the last minutes of the North Halton Urban Board, also a circular on street marking material. The clerk also presented the magistrate's summary for February.

Action to revise Acton's outdated building by-law was urged by the clerk following reading of a letter from the Department of Planning and Development dealing with the national building code and municipal building by-laws. A suggestion was made a committee, composed of council members, Chamber of Commerce representatives and Planning Board members, tackle the job of the building by-law revision here. It was later agreed to discuss the matter more fully at a later meeting.

A draft agreement for fire protection with portions of the townships of Erin, Esqueping and Nassagawaga with Acton was read. Under this new agreement the townships would pay a standby fee of \$75 yearly, \$100 per trip and provision was made for readjustment of fees if the building assessment in all the townships increases 20 per cent. The agreement runs to March 1, 1958.

**Gas Distribution Here?**

Considerations involved in the deciding over to the town of legal land in the Glenlea subdivision were brought before council. Several details are to be raised to council's satisfaction before the transfer can be completed.

Two letters, from Civil Administration regarding low subscription rates and from a Clifford tree selling firm, were filed.

The Union Gas Co. distributors of natural gas for consumer use, authorized a lengthy letter to council. Particulars on a proposed pipeline, which would pass through this area south of Milton, were given in the letter which went on to speculate that residents of Acton, Milton and Georgetown could feasibly take advantage of this pipe line's gas distribution possibilities.

Council accepted an invitation from the Chamber of Commerce to be the latter's guests at the next Chamber meeting, a Civic Night.

**Seek Sidewalks in W. G.**

Brief discussion followed the submission of a petition from Warren Grove homeowners for sidewalk installations on a local improvement basis. It was noted that all homeowners, except two, had signed the document. Council but agreed it had no alternative but to install the sidewalks. The homeowners indicated they wished to pay for the walks over a 10 year term.

However, council was undecided how the cost of the work on Wallace street would be assessed.

Councillor Lindsay and deputy-revee Footitt both drew attention to various street locations in need of attention due to holes or drainage difficulties.

Councillor S. Brunelle reported gas stolen from supplies owned by the town in the park storage shed. He also considered tools in the same shed were in danger of being stolen since there was no adequate lock on the door. The situation is to be investigated.

**Close Park Gates**

Following councillor J. Newton's complaint from Cameron Street, residents about old tree stumps, a directive was made that all tree stumps on town property be attacked with saltpetre.

Councillor L. Weick asserted that the park gates should be closed at night. Council, going further, ordered the gates should be closed until further notice. Councillor Weick also asked that a copy of Acton's protest on the impending removal of provincial police protection be sent to all municipalities affected by the announcement. This suggestion was readily endorsed by other members.

Reeve Hargrave demanded steps be taken to prevent the recurrence of fire hazards such as were involved in a recent trailer blaze behind a local garage. The reeve criticized the town's by-laws in allowing such a structure to exist without regulations or even assessment provisions.

**Nothing from H. and S.**

"We get no revenue from this type of living accommodation," the reeve said, "yet we send our fire equipment to fight the fire. Give the occupants police protection and garbage service."

It was further contended that dwellers in such a structure, considered a movable trailer, do not pay water or hydro rates. A discussion of by-law restrictions, or lack of them, followed, but no action was taken.

Earlier, council passed a motion granting payment of the following accounts, totalling \$1,198.99:

E. Grishow, saw repairs	\$ 75
MacSwain Motors	100.95
Acton Free Press, mdoe.	22.05
L. W. Agar, coal	45.00
Acton PUC Hydro	427.15
Bell Telephone	48.51
S. F. Lawson and Co.	29.10
Gordon Hdwe.	18.10
Pedlar People Ltd., signs	20.55
W. Coles, Division Court	8.00
Halton Manufacturing	36.83
grill for tractor	36.83
Commercial and Domestic Upholstering re new chairs	442.00