## Two agreements signed by hydro

Two agreements for hydro service were signed with Alf Berry and Mike Brodigan at the December hydro commission meeting Thursday, Dec. 13 in the hydro building. Hydro will be supplied to eight lots on Churchill Rd. N. and Block E of phase three of

Kingham Hill Estates. All the services are underground and the work was paid for in advance by the developers.

"There goes my view", commented the mayor, as he looked at the plans for the eight new houses on Churchill Rd. N. He has seen a fawn and doe there frequently over the years, he commented.

Credit missing Commissioners asked Mr. Berry why the second sign advertising condominiums at Kingham Hill did not Include the expected designation of all-electric homes with Acton Commission's name. Hydro had shared the cost of the sign. Mr. Berry said he had overlooked the hydro when he phoned in an order for a new sign and he'd correct the altuation.

Commissioner Ted Tyler Sr. conveyed the Development Commission's request for lighting for four new town signs. The signs are badly needed, the mayor said. The council started trying to get signs at the town entrance cars ago but the Chamber of Commerce had wanted to take the project over from

Hydro men will also install more Christmas street decorations.

Usual seasons greeting and holiday closing ads were authorized. Arrangements for judging the home decorating contest

Two or three will attend the OMEA convention in Toronto in January.

Another letter was received from Ontario Hydro more explicit on their Christmas lighting policy. The letter

stated there is no shortage of continued. It advocated a electricity but hydro will be modest approach to lighting expected to supply more power with a greater involvement. Our responsibility is to support the wise use of electricity and support the government trend toward

and hours of use. "It's an irrational approach," commented mayor Les Duby shaking his head. turning off the lights at Niagara Falls - but they conservation, the letter won't turn off the lights in Maple Leaf gardens!

Need truck Mason said the commission needs a new truck with twin buckets. The present truck is 10 years old. A demonstrator had been in town that day. Mr. Tyler wondered where the truck would go eventually. Who'll have it?

### Parade

The mayor said it's most

Over 200 people joined in the Santa Parade Saturday, Dec. 22, to make a success of the merry old gentleman's visit to Erin. His helpers delighted hundreds on Erin's Main Street, with dancing, singing, and bringing in the Christmas spirit.

Santa handed out goodles to more than 850 children after the parade.

Trophies awarded to floats, went to: first Erin Girl Guldes with their Christmas train; second Ed Stewart's Garage with a Mother Goose Story Book; third to the Hillsburgh Potato Fest float with live potatoes and the queen and princesses of the festival.

hasn't seen fit to advise never had an excess of staff in councils what's taking place any department. Right now, with hydro commissions under regional government. Mr. Tyler said the more equipment we buy, the fewer

Georgetown's not going to walk in and take our truck. Superintendent Doug Commissioner MacArthur

people are needed. We know

Even with a new truck, the town would not have enough men to get all the work done,

unfortunate the province the mayor added. Acton has some people are doing two

No decision on a new truck was made.

we'll be here for another year All members of the commission were present with chairman Will McEachern presiding. Salads and cold meats were brought out by Audrey Urquhart and Mr. Mason as members enjoyed their usual social get-together after the Christman meeting.

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A number of Halton Hills employees had called the regional headquarters asking clarification on that matter. Many assumed they would work for the region at the

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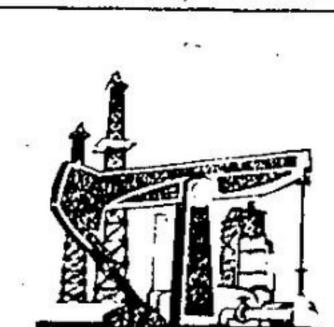
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