

Exonerated officers lose legal fee bid

Regional Council, after a 45-minute in camera session, has voted not to pick up the tab of legal bills incurred by two Halton Regional Police officers in the so-called "sweat-box" incident.

The two officers had been charged with misconduct after they had allegedly closed off the air vents and turned up the heat in a paddy wagon in which they were transporting prisoners from Milton. The incident occurred on one of the hottest days of last year.

The constables had appeared before a police association hearing and had been absolved of any wrongdoing. In the course of their defence they had amassed \$6,510 in legal fees.

The bills were presented to the Halton Police Board of Commissioners but they decided not to pay it. Recently, Police Association President Constable Bill Gall appealed to the Administration and Finance Committee at the Region committee turned this to pick up the tab, but down.



Teacher Cindy Blades' Grade 1 class at M.Z. Bennett public school dressed up for a special Easter Parade. The youngsters lined up before stepping out. Pictured above sitting from left to right are Bradley Widish, Darrell Hinx, Brad Thorpe, Bryan Holbiski, Colleen O'Leary, Sheri McFadden, Debbie Kolosvari, Angie Grace and Ashley Fray. In the rear row, Mark Manuel, Grant Bell, John Wall, Jill Murray, Krista Richardson, Michael Alexander and Jamie Goodings.

Chamber Happenings

by Janet Fleming

The main direction for the Acton Chamber of 1980 is to increase our community involvement. We are more than pleased with the community support expressed by our increased membership and look forward to a spirit of co-operation from members and citizens alike.

The Acton Citizen of the Year, Arlie White, was recently announced and will be honoured on April 12. Despite a slow start, the Chamber was pleased to receive many excellent nominations for this annual award.

Our current major project, in co-operation with the staff and students of Acton High School, is the preparation of an extensive information booklet on Acton to be used by citizens, businesses, tourists and new or prospective residents of the area. Please welcome the students as they make their inquiries.

The Back to Acton Days celebration for 1980 has been scheduled for June 28-June 30. Beginning plans are underway, including the second annual Poster and Essay contest for our younger school children. Let's hope for a weekend of sunshine this year!

Recently our executive has become more involved with matters of local interest at the regional level. We have attended the first meeting aimed at co-ordinating tourist events and information within the region and at planning concerted efforts of developing the many interest in reviving a regional association of Chambers of Commerce which will provide a more organized and efficient means of co-operative planning. Finally, the Acton Chamber has expressed its support for a brief submitted by the Oakville Chamber of Commerce Education Committee to the Halton Board of Education planning board in an effort to become more involved in our schools and students.

As the year progresses, the Acton Chamber looks forward to the completion of its many projects as well as the addition of new plans and involvement. We eagerly solicit comments or new ideas from our membership and the public at large.

\$300 for valve

Halton homeowners who install a sanitary sewer backup valve will receive \$300 from Halton Region for the cost of installation.

Regional Public Works Committee has asked the reimbursement be raised from the \$100 it now pays to \$300 due to the cost of labor and equipment which have escalated since the policy was first put into service six years ago.

But the \$300 does not come without a catch. If the homeowner installs the checkvalve, a release must be signed absolving Halton Region from any backflow.

The policy will not affect those people already in conflict with the Region over serious backups due to flooding in March.

To get the money, a resident must have the valve installed and then must send the bill for the work to Regional headquarters. This bill will be paid up to \$300.

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Meter reader for Acton

Halton Region will hire a person part-time to read water meters in Acton.

Hiring a person became necessary after Acton Hydro went out of existence on April 1, leaving the question of who would now read meters up in the air.

The job will pay \$3,000 plus \$700 for gasoline and travel expenses.

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