

## ADJUSTING ACTUAL COST OF "HYDRO"

(By J. E. Middleton)

It is not possible for the Hydro Electric Power Commission to show either a profit or a loss on a year's business. The task of the Commission is to supply energy to the municipalities in co-operation at the actual cost of the service, and the meaning of that word "cost" is fully and definitely explained in the Statutes. It means interest, sinking fund, renewal fund, contingency fund, operation, maintenance, administration, line loss, and the expense of any loans negotiated by the Provincial Government on behalf of the Commission. Every outlay on the generating plant, the transforming plant and the transmission lines must be covered by the revenue to be collected from the municipalities.

The proportion of the total expenditure borne by each municipality depends upon the amount of power taken for the year and the mileage of transmission line actually needed for delivery of the power to the municipality. At the beginning of the year when the Estimating Engineers have done figuring they may discover that the proportion of the outlay to be collected from, say, Lucan, or some other municipality of similar size, may be \$3,611. The "load" of the municipality in question is, perhaps, 157 horse-power. Then the engineers divide \$3,611 by 157 and dis-

cover that the horse-power rate for delivered energy to this municipality for the next twelve months must be \$23.

On that basis the bills go out month by month until twelve payments have been made. But business has been good in the town. A number of new customers have been secured; one of the factories has been extended and its demand is heavier. The municipality has required on an average through the year a "load" of 161 horse-power instead of 157 as estimated. Thus the total collection has been \$3,703.

Meantime the conservative estimating of the Engineers as to the cost of producing and delivering energy has been found a shade higher than the actual outlay. The actual outlay on this one municipality's behalf has been, say, \$3,500 instead of \$3,611. Here is the situation: For a service costed by the revenue to be collected from the municipalities has paid \$3,703. But the law says that the energy must be supplied at cost. Therefore the surplus-payment of \$203 literally belongs to the municipality, and in due course will be rebated to it.

It may go the other way. The estimate may be higher than the actual collection. In that case the difference is collected from the town, since the municipality is under obligation to meet the cost of the service.

Here is an extract from the Commission's annual Report showing how this balancing operation came out with respect to five municipalities on the Niagara System.

Total cost of power to the Commission from the Municipality. Credited Charged

Aetna	\$5,117.30	\$5,117.30	
Albion	5,250.35	5,250.35	
Arden	5,961.91	5,961.91	
Arif	2,817.10	2,817.10	\$1,017.18
Baden	5,254.74	5,254.74	

On these five cases the difference was \$1,311.49 on \$26,446.67, not quite 5%. That average runs fairly true throughout the System.

## DOMINION OF CANADA VICTORY LOAN BONDS

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Westbound—No. 21, Detroit express (daily, no local stops) 4.43 a.m.; No. 75, accommodation (ex. Sunday) 7.25 a.m.; No. 117, Detroit express (daily, stops at Glencoe, Bothwell, Thamesville and Chatham) 12.26 p.m.; No. 11, accommodation (ex. Sunday) 6.37 p.m.; No. 115, International Limited (daily, stops Glencoe and Chatham) 9.52 p.m.

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Eastbound—No. 352, mixed, 10.05 a.m.; No. 354, mixed, 4.10 p.m.

Westbound—No. 351, mixed, 9.10 a.m.; No. 353, mixed, 2.50 p.m.

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Arrives—7.10 a.m., 5.30 p.m.

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Westbound—No. 635, for Windsor, 4.45 a.m.; No. 671, Chatham mixed, 9.27 a.m.; No. 633, 8.13 p.m.

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Mails closed—G. T. R. East, 9.45 a.m.; G. T. R. West, 6.00 p.m.; London and East, 6.45 p.m.

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## PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

—Mrs. Rankin, of Detroit, spent a day last week the guest of Miss Hood.

—John Knox, of Toledo, spent a few days last week with his brother, Matthew Knox.

—Mrs. Levi Smith was called to London last week owing to the illness of her father, C. Small.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Tomlinson and daughter Leah have returned home after spending a week in Toronto and Hamilton.

—Miss Marion Huston left on Monday for Toronto where she has been engaged on the teaching staff of St. Mildred's College.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Knox, of Jewell City, Conn., have returned home after spending three weeks with his brother, Matthew Knox.

—Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Clarke and family motored to Toronto and spent last week with Mr. Clarke's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Clarke.

—For the first time in sixteen years the Knox brothers—Robert, William, John and Matthew—spent a day together last Sunday, at the home of the latter here.

—Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hillman announce the engagement of their only daughter, Mabel, to Derwood Dobbins, of Detroit, the marriage to take place the latter part of September.

—Mr. and Mrs. James Poole attended the wedding at Windsor last week of Mrs. Poole's nephew, Lorne McCallum, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. McCallum, of London, to Miss Beatrice Helen Phillips, second daughter of Mrs. Mary Phillips, of Windsor.

—Mrs. A. E. Powley, of Winnipeg, is spending a couple of weeks with her nieces, Mrs. Andrew Gardiner and Mrs. Archie Graham, on her way home from Grand Rapids, Mich., where she had been spending the summer with her sister, Mrs. Slater.

## SPECIAL NOTICES

25c trade and 26c cash for eggs, at Mayhew's.

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Onions, cabbages, celery and tomatoes for sale—David Squire, Main street; phone 14 r 11.

The board of the Ekfrid Farm Loan Association will meet on Tuesday, Sept. 19th, at 2 p.m., in the Appin town hall.

We have our fall showing of millinery ready for early buyers. A complete range of sport and dress hats.—The Keith Cash Store.

Kellogg's corn flakes 10c, best baking powder 8c per tin, at Mayhew's. For sale, cheap—1 baby buggy, wicker; 1 bassinet, wicker, never used; 1 wringer, new.—P. E. Lumley.

Upholstering, fine cabinet work, carpenter work, furniture finishing.—J. D. Brown, first door north of Transcript office; phone 63.

Tomatoes, onions, cabbages, cauliflower and corn for sale—W. R. Sutherland; phone 81.

Tr. Humphries for cooked ham, 55c lb.; also corned beef, sausage and bologna. Order your thrashing roast here and get the best.

The new coats, in correct materials and styles, at \$17 up—\$5 under city prices. Ladies, compare these values. At J. N. Currie & Co's.

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## G. H. S. LITERARY

The first meeting of the Literary Society for the year 1922-23 was held on Monday, Sept. 11. The evening opened with Miss Helen Gillies, vice-president for the past year, in the chair. The officers for the coming year were elected as follows:—President, James McNabb; vice-president, Ethel George; secretary-treasurer, Rheta Christner; editor of Oracle, Catherine Lawrence; sub-editors, Stanley Hyndman, William Moss and Florence McEachren; pianist, Anna B. McRae; assistant, Eleanor Sutherland; reporter to Transcript, Margaret McDonald; form representatives—III, Gladys Bechill and Wm. McKellar; II, Olive Black and Wm. Trestain; I, Miriam Oxley and Merwin Webster; reporters to Oracle—III, Helen Gillies and Alex. Munroe; II, Sherman McAlpine and Emma Reyerat; I, Dorothy Buchan and Harold Gates.

Each newly-elected officer then spoke a few words, and the meeting closed with the national anthem and the school yell.

Explaining why he is not a smoker, Premier Drury recently said:—"My father in his younger days was quite a regular smoker. When was a boy, however, he gave up the habit rather than risk my acquiring it from him. It meant quite a sacrifice for him, and I always feel it would be a low down trick for me to start the habit now that he is dead. And of course, not knowing the joys of tobacco, I don't miss them."

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The Etude, the well-known musical magazine, thinks it is about time to quit blaming jazz or any other kind of music for dissolute dancing and to put the responsibility where it belongs. "When you see young people in their teens going through performances that would have been suppressed in the midway, it is time," says the Etude, "to ask parents whether they have lost all control of their children or whether they have lost their senses. The blame is not on the music but what is done with the music. Jazz is but a passing phrase of exaggerated musical expression; it will exhaust itself in time. It is the lack of parental control that is the serious thing. The chief objection to jazz is that it spoils the taste for what is good and beautiful in music, but there is little use in wasting time denouncing jazz."

## AUCTION SALES

At Appin, on Saturday, Sept. 16th, at 1 o'clock:—10 springer cows, Herefords and Durhams; 10 two-year-old steers; 10 two-year-old heifers; 10 yearling steers; 10 yearling heifers. A. D. Brown, proprietor; Dan McIntyre, auctioneer.

On south half lot 13, range 3 south of L. W. R., Ekfrid, on Thursday, Sept. 21st, at 1 o'clock:—3 bedroom suites; 2 bedsteads, with springs; 2 extension tables, 1 new; 1 oak armchair, heavy; 1 oak rocker, heavy; 2 oak rockers; a number of pictures; 10 kitchen chairs; 1 oak leather couch, new; 1 chest of drawers; 1 bureau; 1 oak sideboard, with double plate mirror; 1 new piano; 2 new gramophones; 200 records; 1 telephone; 8 new roller blinds; curtain poles; 1 knitting machine; 1 sewing machine; about 40 yards of new linoleum; foil sets, lamps, and numerous other articles of use in a household; 1 Pandora range, new; 1 Art Grand baseburner stove, new; 50 links of 7-1/2 stovepipe; a quantity of kitchen utensils; 1 three-burner oil stove; 1 almost new 12-25 Waterloo Boy tractor, with 3-furrow John Deere plow; a 13-inch Vesot Heavy Duty mill grinder; a 20-inch heavy oil roller, with elevators, shafting, belts, etc. (can be seen at Ekfrid store); 1 single-furrow Fleury sulky plow; 1 Maxwell power washing machine, with 2-horsepower Waterloo Boy engine, new; some shafting, belting, etc.; 1 wheelbarrow, nearly new; about 5 tons of chestnut coal; 1 light wagon trailer; 1 Oldsmobile auto, in good running order; 1 Grant 6-cylinder auto, newly painted and overhauled; 1 new Oldsmobile auto, subject to reserve bid; a number of 40-gallon galvanized drums for containing gasoline; some barrels with oil; 1 power engine wheel; 1 one-gallon Bowser gasoline pump, suitable for 1,000-gallon underground tank, new; 1 new John Deere 12-link fertilizer drill, new, been set up; 1 32-foot extension ladder, new; 1 stepladder; 1 cistern pump; 1 collie dog; 1 cow supposed to be in calf; a quantity of 3-inch steel pipe, elbows, etc.; some pulleys, and other articles, such as bearings, etc.—W. R. McDonald, proprietor; L. L. McTaggart, auctioneer.

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