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**EDITORIAL**

**Public Relations?**

Many a tired editor has commented that if all the people sending out tripe for free publicity spent the same amount of money on paid ads, they and the papers would do a lot better.

The latest piece of nonsense to cross our desk is from CKGN TV at North Bay. The station proudly announces that it is now staging live wrestling shows inside its own studio. The one and a-half hour show is sponsored by MacDonald Beverages of North Bay.

Wrestling, we suppose, is the only live talent that MacDonalds would support, and we hope this major contribution to the development of culture within North Bay will sell lots of pop for them. If the wrestlers happen to wreck the joint in the process, so much the better. And if the bonehead who sent out the blurb had had the decency to put the right amount of stamps on his wretched letter, instead of forcing us to pay six cents to learn a lot of bunk, we would be that much happier.

Booze, beer, liquor, cocktails, and assorted hangover causes seem to be occupying more and more of the public's interest in town these days.

Dr. W. C. Arnold has headed up the dry forces in the coming vote on cocktails, and Raymond de Souza, a native of the rum laden Jamaica Islands, heads up the wets.

Now Sam Hughe's has made the issue a little more complicated by introducing small beer, near beer, or weak beer, whatever it

is called, into the scene.

We admire Sam's courage and enterprise, but as an old fashioned beer toper, we shudder at the thought of consuming an American brew out of a plastic bottle. We have too many happy memories of hot summer afternoons in the Kentish countryside, where mine host drew foaming mugs from wooden casks, and the aroma of hops lay heavy on the air. A good mug of English beer, a slice of home baked bread, and a chunk of strong flavoured cheese. What else could a man want.

Now we have to settle for Schiltz or Pabst or some other heathen concoction, served from a tin can, or even worse, a non-returnable plastic bottle.

And soon the relative merits of Pink Ladies, Whiz-Bangs or Whisky Sours will become polite conversation in town if the wets win the cocktail vote. We confess we prefer the old days when a gentleman drank his rye or scotch with water or soda, and one's estimate of another's character was in some measure decided by his taste and capacity.

In fact, with all these new fangled ideas, we propose to form an association for the protection of old fashioned imbibers. We'll brew our own, ban all women from taking part, and guzzle quietly in the Haileyburian's basement, a nuisance to none and a haven for those who regard cocktails and plastic bottles with equal horror.

**Hear That Whistle Blowing!**

The melancholy cry of a steam locomotive will echo through the woodlands along the Ontario Northland Railway for the last time next month. With its dieselization program now complete, the Ontario Northland Railway will mark the close of its age of steam with a ceremonial run for the last of the steam engines.

On a two-day tour of Northern Ontario communities, the steam engine will set out from Timmins on the morning of June 24, and draw into the North Bay yards for the last time the following day.

Officials of the railway have extended an open invitation to all residents along the line to take a final look at the coal burner.

"We particularly hope that the school children will turn out and witness the passing of the steam locomotive," an official of the railway said. "We believe that the steam engine has a prominent place in the history of Northern Ontario and we hope that our children will carry on the memories of the age of steam long after these locomotives are extinct.

Final details of the last run are still to be worked out but the railway says that is has been decided to select Engine No. 701 for the honor. Built at Kingston in 1921 by the Canadian Locomotive Company, the Pacific-

type locomotive was chosen as representative of the steam engines which opened up the famous mining fields of Cobalt, Kirkland Lake and Timmins, and the fertile farm and forest land between these points.

On board the special train will be officials of the Ontario government, railway officials and representatives of the district and national press, radio and television.

Railway officials said that a detailed itinerary of the trip would be announced in the near future when final plans for the tour have been worked out.

**The Letter Box**

To The Editor,  
 The Haileyburian,  
 Dear Sir:

On behalf of the Haileybury Home and School Association, I would like to express our sincere thanks to The Haileyburian for their co-operation in publicizing our monthly activities.

We feel this method of publicizing our work increases the interest and attendance of parents, considerably.

Mrs. McDonald, in particular, has been most helpful to us.

Sincerely yours,  
 Mrs. G. N. Standing,  
 Secretary,  
 Haileybury Home and School Association.

**THE ROTARY WHEEL**

When the Haileybury Rotary Club held their weekly luncheon Monday noon, Dr. W. R. Somerville and Carm J. Donegan were appointed as delegates to represent the Club at the district meeting of the Crippled Children's Society being held at Northwood Camp on June 1.

Sam Hughes reported that the attendance had been slightly lower at the last wrestling bout which had been unfortunate as it had been an excellent exhibit-

It was suggested that the pri-

ncipal of the schools be approached regarding making arrangements for letting the pupils be at the station to see the last run of the steam engines on the ONR.

A letter was received from the National Ballet, expressing thanks and appreciation for the co-operation received while in Haileybury.

A discussion regarding the establishment of a shuffleboard court in the park was led by T. G. Tulloch and Wilf. Bailey and resulted in the appointment of Mr. Tulloch and Dr. J. C. Crawford as a committee to investigate the possibilities of starting this new sport.

Robert Sopha of Cobalt was present as the guest of William Ferguson.

The singsong was led by Dr. Crawford with Miss Pat Arnold at the piano.

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"Committee for the affirmative vote"

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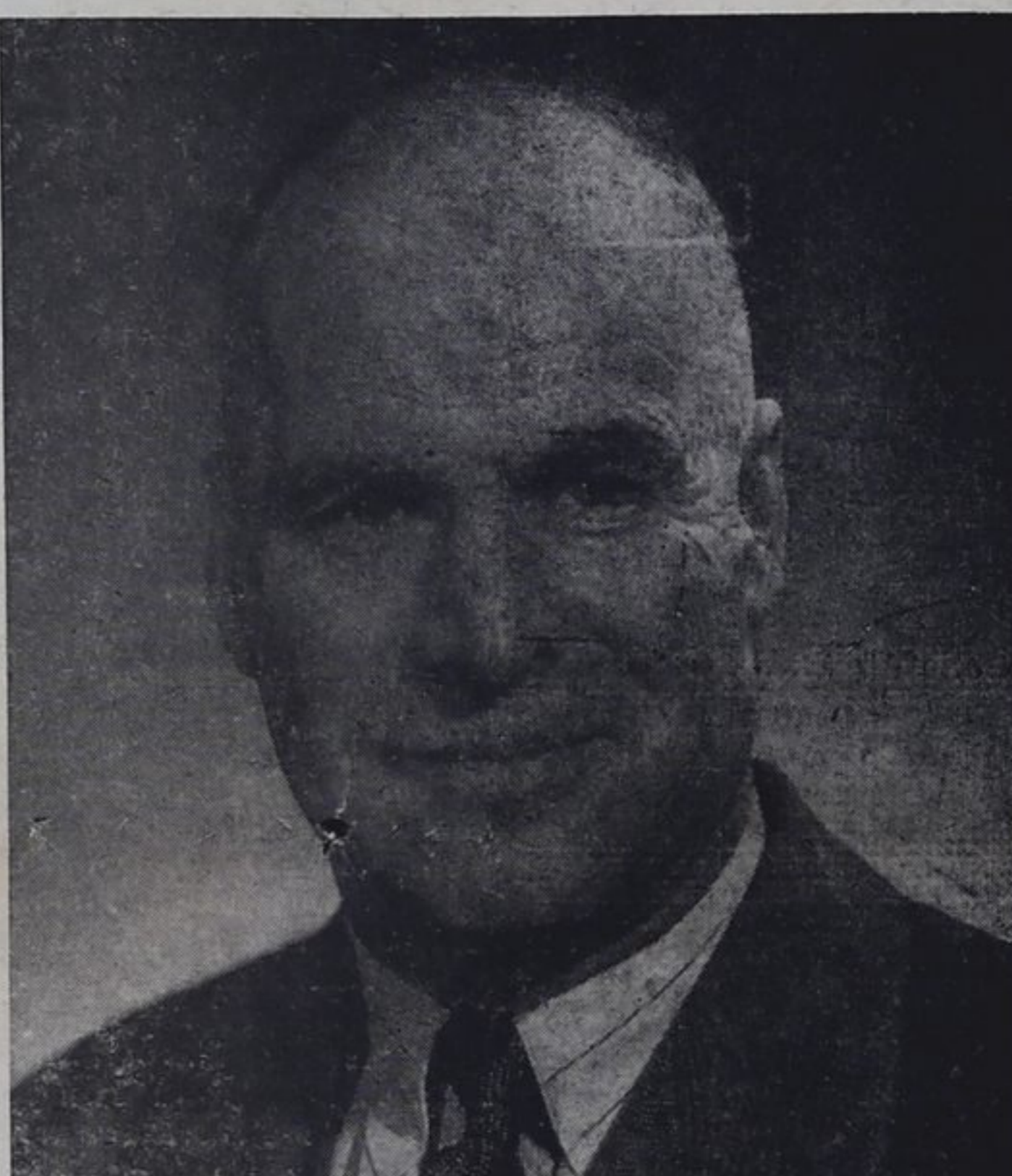
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3. Export arrangements to handle our Timothy Seed. We can handle the exporting of our own seed and control the market to a great extent. Not the hit and miss affair it was this year: 17 cents a pound one day and no sale at any price the next.
4. Complete removal of Federal Credit Restrictions to Farmers and Business men. These restrictions strike at the backbone of our economy.
5. Special consideration to miners who build homes in strictly mining communities to be allowed to use a portion of the cost as Income Tax Exemption on the same basis as mining companies are allowed to write off their mine buildings.
6. Federal restrictions be removed on Housing Loans and Interest Rates lowered.
7. Revision of Old Age Pensions, Mothers Allowances, Veteran's Pensions etc., to comply with the present cost of living.
8. Revision of Personal Income Tax. The basic income tax exemption should be raised to take care of the increased cost of living.
9. Equitable distribution of taxes to assure Provincial and Municipal Governments their share of the total revenue.
10. An energetic campaign to induce industry to locate in our district, such as an atomic energy plant, and any further airport facilities for which there is a natural location between Kirkland Lake and Larder Lake.

I pledge myself to do everything in my power to see that they are carried through.

Progressive Conservative Party

**C. Foster Rice** X

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