

Haileyburian Has Installed New Offset Press

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Charles Courtemanche Versus Harry Groom In Bucke Twp.

New Offset Press Installed Part Of Our Modernization Plan

The first major step has been taken towards the modernization of the Haileyburian's printing equipment. This is part of present management's intention of providing Haileybury with a printing office comparable with any in the north country for quality, service and competitive prices.

A new Rotaprint offset press has been installed by Bert Phillips, service engineer for the Rotaprint Company of Toronto.

The press is the only model of its kind in Northern Ontario, and offers Haileybury business and social organizations many advantages in speed, economy and quality.

Basically a chemical and photographic process, the offset press will be able to reproduce all kinds of letterheads, printed forms, waybills and commercial literature at high speed in one or more colors.

Of particular interest to

local service and social organizations, is the ability of this new press to act as a duplicator. On a special paper plate, any type of notice or message can be typed, with display material, headlines etc, written with a grease pencil. The Rotaprint can duplicate these messages at the speed of 4,000 impressions an hour.

The Rotaprint will offer local businesses many advantages in the production of well designed promotional material at a very low cost, and it is also capable of producing quality work comparable with anything to be purchased in the district.

The Rotaprint is a British invention, featuring new and patented methods of ink and moisture distributing that has overcome the majority of difficulties and disadvantages in the past associated with offset printing.

C. Of C. Rotary Club To Hold Joint Meet

The Haileybury Rotary Club and the Haileybury Chamber of Commerce will hold a combined meeting Monday, November 28. The meeting will be addressed by Robert L. Curran, an officer of the Ontario Chamber of Commerce.

The two groups also hope to have W.H.C. Marsh of North Bay in attendance. Mr. Marsh is secretary-manager of the recently formed Northeastern Ontario Development Association.

Many Gather To Pay Tribute Remembrance Day

Remembrance Day was observed on Friday, Nov. 11th at the Cenotaph when a large crowd gathered to pay tribute to the servicemen who lost their lives in three wars.

The Legion members, Veterans, members of the Legion Ladies Auxiliary, Scouts and Cubs paraded in a body and formed around the Cenotaph.

Rev. J. W. Wilkinson, United Church Minister and former Air-force Padre, was in charge of the service and gave an impressive address.

The following hymns "O God Our Help" and "O Valiant Hearts" were sung after which the following wreaths were placed on the cenotaph.

Province of Ontario
Town of Haileybury
Canadian Legion
Canadian Legion Ladies Aux.
C. Co. Algonquin Regiment
I. O. D. E.
Anglican Church
United Church
Catholic Women's League
Haileybury Boy Scouts
Haileybury Cubs
Masonic Lodge
Haileybury Rotary Club
and several personal wreaths.

The Salvation Army Captain sounded the last post and Reveille.

The National Anthem was sung at the close of the service.

Spending by municipal governments in Canada in 1953 totalled \$922 million, about 13 per cent of total government spending in Canada in that year.

Mayor Day Quits A. Cooke's Out Millar May Stand

Wanted—a Mayor. Council held its last regular meeting before nominations Monday, and wrapped up most of its routine business.

In the race for the mayoralty, nobody seems eager to run. Art Cooke has told the Haileyburian that he is not running for any council position.

Mayor H. A. Day says that barring some catastrophe, nothing can persuade him to run again.

Councillor Dan Millar is generally considered the most likely candidate, but at press time he was out of town, and not available for comment. Members of the council don't know whether Mr. Millar intends to stand for mayor or not. Some say he will, others say he won't. It is generally conceded that in his own field of finance, there are few in town with comparable experience or ability. At the same time Mr. Millar's insistence on hew closely to the budget line would not likely indicate any great programme of improvements or expansion.

Mr. Day feels that he has been at least 50% successful. He has stood for law and order and better roads. The town has been quiet, but the potholes show no sign of reducing.

REMEMBRANCE DAY DINNER

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Canadian Legion held their annual turkey supper on Friday evening, Nov. 11th, in the Legion Hall with a large crowd in attendance.

W. Inch Vice-President of the Legion was chairman. After the Toast to the Queen, proposed by F. Thompson, the National Anthem was sung and Rev. C. Goodier, pastor of the Anglican Church offered up a prayer. W. Inch proposed a toast to the fallen Comrades and L. Simard one to the Ladies. Mrs. C. Fleming, President of the Ladies Auxiliary responded to the latter toast in a fitting manner.

During the evening there was community singing with Jack White at the piano, also W. Joy entertained the gathering with several selections in his usual witty way.

J. H. Sumbler of New Liskeard was the guest speaker, and gave a talk on his trip to England this past summer which was very interesting.

Bucke Township held its nominations Tuesday evening, with more than 250 taxpayers turning out for the township's annual evening of entertainment and criticism.

The battle for the reeveship will be between Harry Groom, stormy North Cobalt politician, and the present reeve, Charles Courtemanche.

Mr. Courtemanche thanked the council for its co-operation, and denied charges by Mr. Groom that he was under the domination of Councillor Chester Hopkins. Mr. Groom replied that co-operation was understandable, as it was a case of the blind leading the blind, and various councillors replied with unkind remarks about Mr. Groom.

Mr. Courtemanche said that the council had done its best to spend the taxpayers money wisely, had tried to get better fire protection for the township, and had gone to a great deal of trouble to investigate the fire protection problem.

Mr. Courtemanche thanked the councillors for their co-operation and also paid a tribute to the work of township clerk Harvey Switzer, and the assistance rendered by the department of highway's road foreman, Archie Fleming.

Harry Groom took the floor, and said that he didn't want to criticize Mr. Courtemanche, and he didn't blame the council for having a high tax rate. He then went to town on the council for everything from wasting time to wasting gravel.

He said that the Council went to Toronto on a jaunt, to inspect a rotting, rusty fire engine. That they had deposited countless loads of gravel in a bottomless pit on the west road, hired a broken down diamond drill rig to drill at eight dollars a foot, and a surveyor to look down the diamond drill hole at fifty dollars a look.

Mr. Groom said that he was in favor of giving the Wabi Iron Works a reduced assessment on the Canadian Splint Factory, providing there was a proper guarantee given that it would be used for manufacturing.

Chester Hopkins answered most of Mr. Groom's criticisms, and in a moment of stress summarized them by referring to a male bovine.

He said that last year was the first time in 11 years that any real road work had been done in the rural areas, and the Council was trying to get away from a policy of patching, but instead was trying to make permanent roads wherever possible.

As far as the bottomless pit was concerned Mr. Hopkins said a Bayand will remain on the staff permanent repair job done where a bridge had been washed away on the West Road. He said that the council had taken the advice

of the department of highways, and replaced the bridge with a culvert and gravel fill.

He denied Mr. Groom's charge of wasting time and money on a trip to Toronto to see a rusty fire engine. He said that the council went at the expense of the fire engine company, and that the engine in question was in top shape, had only 6,000 miles on the speedometer, had been stationed only two miles from the LaFrance manufacturing plant, where it had been serviced and had been approved by the underwriters.

"I am glad that we attempted something to get better fire protection. It didn't turn out the way we expected, but now it looks as if we will have an agreement with Haileybury, and I am glad," he said.

Mr. Hopkins revealed that most of the legal details involved in making an agreement with Haileybury for fire protection have now been clarified with the department of municipal affairs.

Bucke plans to purchase an interest in a fire engine to be bought by Haileybury, which will be written off at the rate of \$1,500 a year, the same amount as the annual standby charge. The township will use \$7,500 of a surplus of \$8,900 to buy the truck.

Later in the evening, Mr. Groom said that no doubt there had been good cooperation in the council, as it was a case of the blind leading the blind.

Mr. Hopkins said that Mr. Groom was trying to cast doubt and confusion in the minds of the ratepayers, and that the council in the past year had done more constructive work than had been done in all the years Mr. Groom was reeve.

In a general discussion on the proposed fixed assessment on the former splint factory, the council asked the audience for a show of hands on whether or not a fixed assessment should be granted. The vote was unambiguously in favor.

When things got dull Harvey Plaunt entertained with recitations, and was the only recipient of unanimous applause.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations are extended to the following girls for successfully passing their R.N.

Miss Constance Vachon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Vachon

Miss Rita Vannier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Vannier.

Miss Jean Tulloch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. Tulloch.

Constance and Rita trained at St. Joseph's Hospital at North Bay and will remain on the staff there, while Jean trained in Guelph but will be on the staff at the North Western Hospital in Toronto.

Sponsor Wanted For Town Rink

Haileybury town council is looking for some organization that will take over the running of the rink.

Last year the rink cost about \$2,000 to operate, and revenue amounted to about \$700. The council is prepared to make some kind of a grant to any group that wants to take on the job of running the rink.

If no group comes forward, council has pretty well decided that it will have to operate the rink again this year as a town project.

THE WEEK'S WEATHER

Week Ending Nov. 16, 1955		
Thursday	29	40
Friday	36	47
Saturday	35	45
Sunday	30	42
Monday	28	40
Tuesday	25	32
Wednesday	29	35

Coming Events

Saturday, Nov. 19th—Curling Club Bingo, at 8.30 p.m.

Monday, Nov. 21st—Court of Revision in Town Office at 8 p.m.

November 23rd—2nd Canadian Concert Series, New Liskeard High School, 8.15 p.m.

Friday, Nov. 25th—Curling Club Stag in Club Lounge.

Saturday, Nov. 26th—Christmas Bazaar, sponsored by W.A. of the United Church, in Sunday School Room. From 3 to 6 p.m.

Saturday, Nov. 26th—Rotary Club Bingo in Legion Hall, 8.30

Saturday, Dec. 3rd—Xmas Tea. At the home of Mrs. R. Cumming Lake Shore Road.

Phone 52

Modern Taxi Hotel Haileybury

NOTICE

Any organization interested in operating the Haileybury Skating Rink for season of 1955-56 please advise the Town Clerk in writing.

BINGO!

HAILEYBURY CURLING CLUB LOUNGE

SAT., NOV. 19th

8:30 p.m. Sharp

DOOR PRIZE \$100.00 BLACKOUT

Admission: 50c for 20 Games Additional Cards 25c

EVERYBODY WELCOME

COBALT-HAILEYBURY CURLING CLUB

TOWN OF HAILEYBURY

Nomination Meeting

NOTICE is hereby given that the annual meeting for Nominations for the Office of MAYOR, COUNCILLORS and MEMBERS of the BOARD of EDUCATION will be held in the Council Chambers, Ferguson Avenue, from 8.00 to 9.00 p.m.

Thursday, Nov. 24th 1955

And Notice is further given that in case a Poll is necessary, such Poll shall be held on

Monday, Dec. 5th

1955, from the hour of 9.00 a.m. until 6.00 p.m.

C. C. D. Pringle, Returning Officer

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COBALT-HAILEYBURY CURLING CLUB

STAG!

CURLING CLUB LOUNGE Haileybury

Friday, Nov. 18th

No Admittance to Students or anyone under the age of 21 years.

ADMISSION TICKETS 25c