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Dear Sir,

We at this Cinema have sponsored a Tug Of War contest to take place in the local park across the River Welland teams are paying an entrance fee which will be 8/- per team or a 1/- per person all proceeds from the contest will go to the World Refugee Year Fund. The teams so far entered are ~~British Railways (Loco Men)~~ Harbuilt Construction Company, Kibworth Rugby Club, ~~Local Territorials~~, ~~Danite Rubber Factory~~, ~~Leoms Shoe Factory~~, Army Cadets Force, Air Training Corps. Also possible team from local ~~Police Force~~. Extensive publicity for the event has been arranged and it seems their will be a bumper crowd of spectators. We also hope to get two teams of Ladies to compete against each other from ~~two~~ local factories, we will also have a junior contest. The river in question is 14 feet wide, and 2 feet deep the river its self runs through the centre of the town. We think this quite a good stunt which might warrant your interest. The chairman of the local Council will start off the contest at 12-30p.m. approx. on Saturday 2nd April.

yours faithfully,

*W.D. Brooks*

Manager.

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between north and south  
village.*

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