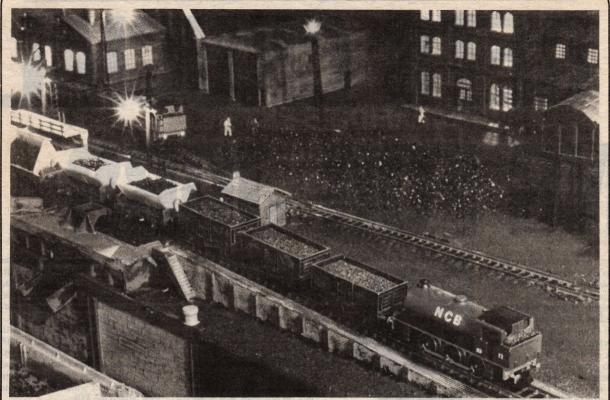
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Action stations to form a local railway society



THE Riverhead Colliery model railway, which will be one of the highlights of the railway evening.

Full steam ahead!

FROM memorabilia to modelling, steam traction to train spotting - the call has gone out to railway enthusiasts Wolds-wide to link up and form a Railway Society.

On track of like-minded devotees, two men have organ-

ised a railway evening in Driffield to whistle up support for the proposed society.

Postman Angus Scott and bank manager Alwyn Pulleyn got their heads together to come up with a packed timetable of events covering everyone and anyone's branch of railway mania.

"Whatever a person is interested in - be it railway modelling, collecting mementoes, or just a liking for locomotives, we hope we have covered everything," said Mr Scott. Attractions at the event, scheduled to take place at the Old Town Hall, Driffield next Monday at 7.30pm, will be a slide show of modern diesel and electric traction and a book stall.

Other highlights are to be all-action video films featuring the North York Moors Railway and Settle and Carlisle Railway. During the evening Peter Price, author of Lost Railways Of Holderness, will talk about the trials and tribulations of preserving the steam locomotive Black 5 number 5305 encountered by the Humberside Locomotive Society.

And a showpiece will be two exhibition standard model railways, including Mr Pulleyn's own night-time coal-mine layout of the Riverhead Colliery.

However, the main purpose of the evening is to put all enthusiasts on the same track with the destination being the Driffield and District Railway Society.

So at some time the possibility, format and style of such a society will be discussed.

Anyone wanting further information or who wishes to go to the event – admission to which is free – should contact Mr Scott on Driffield 70908.

