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THE DRURYS SEEM TO BE ON THE MOVE THESE DAYS

Last week The Haileyburian had this item in its Local and Personal Notes:—“Mr. and Mrs. E. Drury and family have moved from Cochrane to North Bay.”

Next week The Toronto Telegram could easily have this item in its Local and Personal Notes:—“Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Drury and family have moved from their handsome quarters in the Parliament Buildings, Toronto, to their old home at the farm at Crown Hill.”

The Telegram might also mention whether or not they took the \$100.00 coal scuttle or basket with them.

STANDING OF PARTIES FOUR YEARS AGO AND NOW

Last week The Advance had an enquiry as to the figures for the standing of the parties in the Provincial political arena at the last election. At the moment the figures were not available, but a few days afterwards along comes The New Liskeard Speaker with the figures as follows:—

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THIRD BAND CONCERT SHORTENED BY THE RAIN

Timmins Citizens' Band gave its third open air band concert on Friday evening at the Athletic Grounds, and there was a large crowd out for the event. The good music furnished by the Band was much enjoyed by all, and there were many complimentary comments in regard to the Band. Unfortunately, however, a heavy shower of rain came along shortly after 8.30, and the crowd and band alike had to seek shelter hurriedly. In the meantime the people had enjoyed three or four well-rendered selections, and the programme, though cut short by the rain, was considered as a specially good one.

As noted before, it is the intention to have one of these open air band concerts each Friday evening during the summer months. There will be one on Friday evening of this week at the Athletic Grounds.

YOUNG MAN LOSES \$230 IN BILLS MONDAY NIGHT

A young man recently coming to Timmins had the misfortune to lose a roll of bills on Monday night. The money was in a purse and in some way or another he mislaid the money. The last he noticed of the money was when he was in an ice-cream parlour. He had the money then but later found it was gone. He promptly notified the police of his loss, and also took measures to trace the money as it was chiefly in U.S. bills of large denomination. The loss is a serious one to the young man and he is naturally very anxious to secure the return of the \$230.00 he has lost, and accordingly is willing to give a very substantial reward to the finder if the money is returned. The money likely dropped from his pocket on the street and would likely be picked up soon by someone. If the finder will return the money to the Police Station he will not only be doing a real kindness to the young man who can not afford to lose this amount, but also he will receive a substantial reward in return for his honesty in the matter. In this connection it may not be out of place to point out that the school-boy idea of “findings keepings” has no standing in law or justice. No one finding anything has any right to keep it. In the case of this young man's loss, the finder places himself in a very compromising position by holding the amount. The proper procedure would be to turn over the find at once to the police.

HAILEYBURY POLLED BIG VOTE COMPARED TO TIMMINS

Last week's issue of the Haileyburian says:—“As another evidence of how Haileybury is coming back, may be cited the figures in Mondays voting on the Provincial election. A total of 61 votes were cast in the four polling places provided, while in New Liskeard the total was 714, or only 63 more than in Haileybury. When the fact that there were no official lists here and only four days for registration is allowed, it can readily be seen that the population of Haileybury is rapidly approaching the point at which it stood previous to the disaster of last fall.”

If the Haileyburian has proceeded to compare the vote at Haileybury with that at Timmins the comparison would have been still more favourable to Haileybury. With a population at least three times as large as Haileybury, the community of Timmins (which may be said to include the Town of Timmins, Moneta, Rochester and Mattagami polls) the total vote cast only ran about 680, as compared with the 651 in Haileybury.

There are many reasons for the comparatively small vote here. Many did not have a vote, for instance. Again, the population is to a certain extent transient, and there is also a proportion of people other than British subjects. But after all this is said, there were two main reasons for the smallness of the vote. The chief one is that the voters did not take the trouble to turn out to vote, and the other contributing cause of the small vote was the fact that all did not show enough interest to assure themselves before of the fact that they were duly listed as entitled to vote.

In the last issue of The Haileyburian there appears the following:—“In the levelling of the walls of St. Paul's church, the workmen have discovered the foundation stone and its contents are for the present in the care of the Rector. They consist of a coin of the realm and a copy of the Algoma Missionary News, dated Sept. 15, 1894, the Canadian Churchman, dated Sept. 13, 1894, and the North Bay Times of April 5, 1894. The stone was “well and truly laid” in the latter part of September of that year and the event was marked by great rejoicing in which visitors from all over the district took part.”

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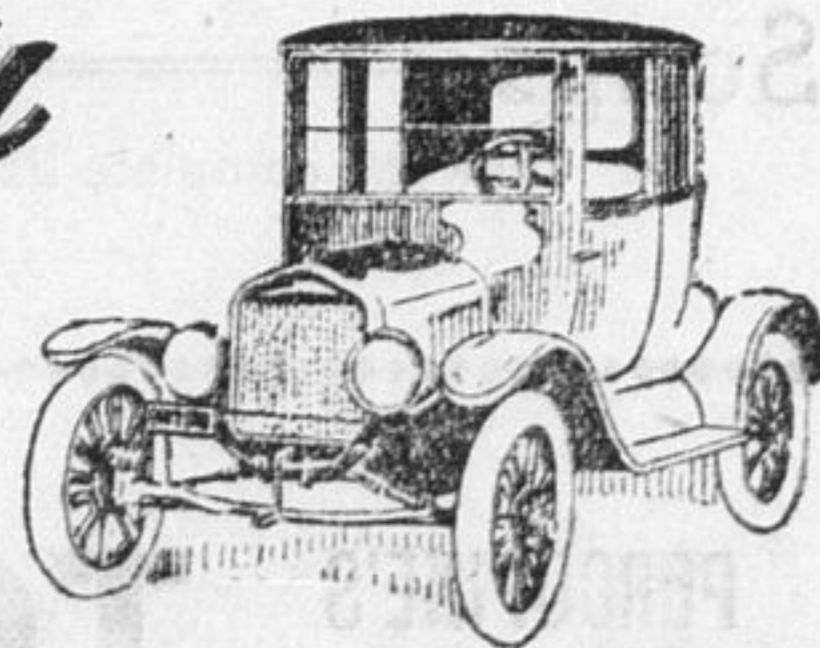
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