

TWO HUNDRED ACRE BUSH FIRE EAST OF TERRACE BAY ON THURSDAY MAY 15

Last Thursday, May 15 a bush fire started in the vicinity of Terrace Bay and due to a high wind spread rapidly in an easterly direction.

Due to the quick action this fire was held by 6 p.m. that night and was under control by Friday noon.

Some of the equipment used to fight this fire was as follows:

- 18100 feet of 1½" hose laid into the bush on the fire,
- 1000 feet of 2½" hose laid from the fire truck to the fire,
- 4 forestry fire pumps,
- 4 motor boats,
- 40 pump cans,
- 1 plane which dropped water over the fire and staved off the fire until the wind died down. 160 gals. of water is carried in the pontoons on the plane.

There were about 125 men fighting the fire in relays of 65 to 70 men at a time.

Mr. McGooley, Department of Lands and Forests at Pays Flat and Mr. George Maitland Fire Chief of Terrace Bay wish to thank the men who fought this fire, especially on Thursday evening. Mr. McGooley also informed us that the restrictions made on bush travel at the time of the fire are now cancelled.

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HELP WANTED FEMALE

Full or part time help, experience not required.

- Apply Manager Dresswell Laundry, Hotel Terrace. Phone 3711

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'LAFF A LITTLE'

Worker to colleague: "I'm taking a honey-dew vacation this year. You know, that's where you stay home and the whole time your wife says 'Honey do this' and 'Honey, do that.' "

DOCTOR DREW-BROOK D.D.

Doctor Drew-Brook has arrived in Terrace Bay to set up a dental practice.

He is in the process of setting up his equipment and appointments for dental work may be made beginning on Tuesday, May 27. Phone 3734.

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CEMETERY BOARD NEWS

The Cemetery Board have held their regular monthly meeting at which Garnet Valiquette was chosen to act as caretaker.

Water installations are being put in in the near future.

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CONGRATULATIONS

To Mr. and Mrs. J. MacDonald on the birth of a daughter May 15th, and to Mr. and Mrs. L. Legault on the birth of a son on the 17th.

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Although we think of our forefathers as having been far more religious-minded than we are, actually church membership is now at an all-time high.

Today 60.3 percent of the population are church members, compared with 16 percent a century ago. - Reader's Digest.

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Comment at an Alchololics Anonymous meeting: "Looking at trouble through the bottom of a glass only magnifies it."