ars worth of automobiles were grouped

Mrs. D. Gillmor, widow of the

Monday, the King's birthday, was gen-

erally observed as a holiday. The fine

weather enticed a large number out of

town, and week-end parties at the Lake

to seek harbor at an Atlantic port owing

to a leak. It is supposed the schooner

strained herself while frozen in the ice, in

The marriage is announced to take

Mr. Fred Smith is having a veranda

Miss Alice Chase, who has been train-

John Phillips, of Chamcook, and Ronald

GRAND HARBOR, G. M.

We regret to say that Mr. Loring Guth-

The Misses Inez and Mildred Henderson

Capt. A. Scott Wooster and George

Foster have returned from the Magdalen

The Misses Madge Guptill, Hazel

ed from the Ladies' College, Wolfville, to

Mrs. Frank Lakeman and Mrs. Neil

Since Mr. Fanjoy, the Principal of our

Guptill were passengers on the Stmr.

Grand Manan to Eastport last Saturday.

WILSON'S BEACH, C-BELLO.

Miss Gertie Hilton is visiting her

arents, Mr. and Mrs. Miah Matthews.

spend their vacation with their parents.

week in Eastport.

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were continued over the holiday.

of the Town

Mrs. Boone's mother.

BOCABEC COVE, N. B.

The many friends of Mr. William St. George on any fine Saturday evening. Thompson are glad to hear that he is he would see double that value lined up much improved in health, after a serious on Main Street. The cars come from illness. His son, Mr. Lorne Thompson, or Bocabec to the St. John line and beyond, British Columbia, is home for the summer come crowded with shoppers, who fill the

Miss Agnes Orr and niece, Miss Ruth Pendergrast, spent Sunday in Upper Bocabec, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry

Mr. and Mrs. E. Wetmore and daughte Madeline, of St. John, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Wetmore's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Bryant, of Bart lett's Mills, spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. D. Crichton.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas McCullough and children, Miss Priscilla and Master Mitchell McCullough, of Upper Bocabec, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Angus

Mrs. Jas. D. Crichton, accompanied by her daughters, Mrs. Wilfred Bryant, and little Miss Hilda Crichton, called on Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hanson, of Upper Bocabec

Miss Marietta Cunningham, of Upper

Bocabec, is at Mr. Wm. Thompson's. Miss Hellen Young, accompanied by Miss Inez Holt, spent the week-end at a Maine river, during the winter. Miss Young's home in St. Andrews.

place soon of Miss Margaret Fraser and Messrs Milton and Cecil McCullough Mr. Eldridge Craig, two popular young and Robert and Albert Holt spent Sunday in Lord's Cove, Deer Island, with Mr. people in town. Temple Lambert, who went home for the

added to his house on Clinch Street. Miss Edith Townshend, of Chamcook was a recent guest of Miss Bertie Turner. ing in a hospital in New York the past Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lapthorn left on two years, is expected home next week on a vacation. Friday for their home in Brockton, Mass Mrs. Wellington Hanson and Mrs. Jas Campbell spent the week-end at home. Crichton spent the day with Mrs. Hill Johnston, of the Glebe recently.

Miss Winifred Crichton is in Upper Bocabec with her sister, Mrs. Stanley Mc-Cullough.

ST. GEORGE, N. B.

Daggett convalescent. June 5. CO in her con The banns of marriage of three young couples were published in the Catholic Church on Sunday by the pastor, Rev. Wilson as far as Boston. Father Holland. On Sunday evening after service, Miss Marie Comeau was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Mr. Jerimiah Amero. The young couple last winter. Help is very scarce. came here recently from Nova Scotia Miss Josephine McMullen and Mr. James Curran, both of St. George, and Miss M Dakin is buying up the fish. Edna McCormick, of St. John, and Mr. Bernard Connors, son of Mr. and Mrs. rie continues in very poor health. Lewis Connors, of Black's Harbor, were the other couples called. Miss McCor and Martha Cheney spent one day of last mick and Mr. Connors were married at St. John, on Tuesday morning. The young couples enter the married state with the best wishes of a host of friends.

The main drive of the pulp company is held up at the Long Rips, about fifteen miles up the river. A good rain will no doubt enable the company to bring the Lorimer, and Mildred Guptill have returndrive down.

Gillmor and Jamieson have finished sawing for the Gregory lumber company, St. John, and will start at once on their own logs at Lake Utopia and mill.

The visit of Hon. P. Veniot here last week was, in more ways than one, a welcome one. Mr. Veniot impressed those by Miss Inez Henderson. meeting him as a man of action, and outlying districts will profit from his presence. He said, among other things, that the roads should first of all answer the wants of our own people and it was his intention to so administer the funds at his disposal that the greatest good might follow expenditures. This will be welcome news to the people residing along the shore, whose roads have been allowed

A writer in a recent issue of a Frederic on paper said that thirty thousand dol-

with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs Burden Brown, Eileen Carolyn, infant daughter of M

n Halifax last week.

and Mrs. W. C. Brown, passed to the arms of Him who said "Suffer little children to come unto me, and forbid them not, for of such is the kingdom Heaven." The little life was one of much promise, and the sudden passing brough grief to many hearts.

and Miss Thorpe returned to their hom

Miss Gladys McGowan spent Sunday

Mrs. Willie Plumer and three children of St. John, are visiting Mr. and Mrs.

Mrs. George Brown, Mrs. Charles Fletcher, and Mrs. David Henderson were passengers by Stmr. Grand Manan to St. ohn on Monday.

Miss Zedro Brown spent part of last week in St. Andrews, a guest of Miss Charlotte Amos.

Miss Georgie Cline is visiting friends in Mrs. Abbie Babcock spent part of the

week with relatives in St. Andrews Up-River Doings

Mr. B. F. Baker, of St. John, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Walter DeWolfe.

Miss Freda Rogerson, lately graduated from the St. Stephen Business College, has accepted a position in the office of the whôlesale store of the W. C. Purves

Rev. Dr. Goucher has returned from Wolfville, N. S. Mrs. Goucher and Miss lean Goucher have remained to visit relaabout the opera house in that city on a recent occasion. Should he chance into tives in Windsor and Toronto.

Misses Dorothy and Florence Huestis who are students at Mount Allison Col lege, are at home for the summer vaca-

The dwelling house on the Bay Road moving picture houses in the early part of. owned and occupied by Mr. and Mrs. the evening, and keep the storekeepers Harry Woodard and family, was destroybusy until midnight. Besides giving the ed by fire last Thursday morning. It Main Street a city appearance, the coming caught on the roof, and as there was no of the cars means much to the business water, except from the well, and a high wind blowing at the time, very little could be done to stay the flames, and the house and nearly all of its contents were quickly Senator Gillmor, arrived home on Monday from Montreal. Her son, Horace, consumed. Mr. Woodard is one of the and Miss Claire MacIntyre accompanied head workmen in the St. Croix Axe Factory: he is a thrifty, highly esteemed young man, and his loss is a heavy one, Mrs. Boone and daughter, Marjorie, are as the insurance is small. home from Boston, guests of Mrs. Coutts,

Sergt. Leonard Webber was a recen visitor in St. Stephen from St. John.

Mrs. Daniel Morris has returned from short visit in St. John, where she wen to attend the funeral of a friend. Mrs. Marion Hepburn has returned to

Schooner Lillian, loaded with pulp, left Calais, after a pleasant visit in Ottawa, St. George.

Miss Elizabeth Lyford, of Boston, is the guest of Mrs. Thirlmere Lyford in Calais. Dr. I. F. Commins, of Bath, N. B., has been in St. Stephen during the past week. Judge N. Marks Mills has been absent for the past few days enjoying a fishing

Miss Florence Josselyn, of St. John, the guest of Mrs. W. W. Malcolm at the Presbyterian Manse.

Mrs. Smith Dawson, of Fredericton, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Frank Meahan on Church Street, St. Stephen.

Mr. A. E. Vessey has been in St. John for a few days visit.

Ven. Archdeacon Newnham has been on a short visit to Woodstock this week. The rehearsals for the Minstrel Enter-Miss Opal Bagley, of White Head, was ainment to be given under the auspices the guest of Mrs. LeRoy Russell this week. of the Women's Patriotic Association We are pleased to report Mrs. Mary have been postponed for a week or two. Miss Annie Ryder has arrived home

Mrs. F. D. Weldon and little daughter. from Newport, R. I. for a vacation from a Isabel, are visiting relatives in New York. course of study at the Newport Hospital. They were accompanied by Mrs. Cleveland Mrs. Wm. Burton, matron of the Robinson Memorial Nurses Home, has been spending a few days in St. Andrews. The weir owners of this place are very

busy at present repairing the damages of Mrs. John N. Wall and her son, Gilbert, leave at an early date for Mill Stream, King's County, to spend a month with her The handliners and trawlers are doing a very good business this spring. G. L

parents. Mrs. James Inches has been visiting

Woodstock friends. Mrs. Lelia Webber spent a day or two

n St. Andrews last week. Mrs. Gower McKay, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. John Ryder, leaves on Friday for her home in Sydney C. B. Miss Christine Douglas, student at U Islands with their schooners loaded with N. B., has arrived home to spend the ummer vacation and is most cordially

> welcomed by her young friends. Mr. John Black has been a recent guest of Judge Grimmer in St-John.

Miss Florence Boardman has lately returned from a pleasant visit in Boston. Mrs. J. M. Millidge, of St. John, is visiting at Moore's Mills this week.

A number of people went to Elmsville school, has enlisted, the work is being on Tuesday to attend the funeral of the carred on for the remainder of the term late Mr. Henry Dyer.

An alarm of fire from Calais on Sunday morning proved to be a blaze in a room in the Border City Hotel, occupied by Miss Emily Milliken, who in some way while lighting a small stove set the room on fire. In endeavoring to put out the fire, Miss Milligan was slightly burned on Mr. Earle Fitzsimmons and Miss Ida her hands and face. The flames got such Matthews were united in marriage by a headway that some furniture was burn-Rev. G. E. Tobin, at Welshpool, one ed and the room quite badly destroyed by evening last week. We wish them all smoke and water.

Mr. Irvin Malloch and little son, Ralph, Ask for Minard's and take no other.

LORD'S COVE, D. I.

Mr. Will Lord has moved his family to St. Andrews for the summer. Mr. and Mrs. Burpee Wilson, of Leon-

ardville visited Capt, and Mrs. G. I. Stuar

to extend their deepest sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Edgar McNeill, of Leonardville, in the loss of their only child Donald, who lost his life last Saturday under such very sad circumstances.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Leeman were pas engers on the Grand Manan to St. Steph

risiting Mr. Hartford's mother in Calais for a few days.

Inspector McLean visited the schools in this place on Wednesday. Mr. Howard Cook and Mr. Frank Green law are giving their cottages a fresh coat

Building on Wednesday afternoon, and after the routine of business was carried out the ladies took their tea at the Parson-

age with Mrs. Harry Bell.

A large number of travellers from every where visited the stores here this week. Mr. W. E. Ludlow, of Wilson's Beach

ailed over to Lords Cove on Tuesday. We the undersigned wish to convey to fire Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas, of Digdeguash and family our heart-felt sympathy in the loss of their eldest son Hazen, so soon de parted. His early demise will be deeply deplored: Mr. Seward Parker and family Mr. and Mrs. Austin Parker, Mr. and Mrs Thos. Barker and family.

BEAVER HARBOR, N. B.

The Red Cross Society was very deasantly entertained by Mrs. John

Paul last Wednesday evening. The stork visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Tatton on Saturday, June 1, and left a baby girl. Congratulations. Rev. Mr. Bonney, of Boston, preached in the Baptist Church here last Sunday

Basil L. Paul returned home on Satur day from a trip to Argyle, N. S. Mrs. Robert Barry and Mrs. Melvin Eldridge are spending a few days at their

old home, Leonardville, D. I. Mr. and Mrs. Otty Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Kennedy, T. R. Kent, and Morton Kennedy were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Medley Kennedy on Sunday. The Women's Missionary Aid Society net with Mrs. Embry Paul on Tuesday

THE FOREST FIRE LAWS

The Hon. E. A. Smith, Minister of ands and Mines, has issued an important circular letter to settlers who are ourning brush, in which he emphasizes the rules, and the reasons for observing Department of Lands and Mines,

bring to your attention some of the more important points of the forest fire law,

The close season in respect to fires ow April 15 to October 15. During the obtained from a forest ranger before setting out any fire for land-clearing, brushburning, etc., within 1-2 mile of the forest. Experience has shown that in the timbered countries undergoing settlement, the permit regulation is the only means of ensuring adequate fire protection both to the settler and to the forests This regulation, in one form or another, is in force Capt, and Mrs. Liscomb Hartford are to-day in every section of Canada where fire protection is successful.

It is our desire to place the least possible restriction on your land-clearing work. Each forest ranger has been instructed to see that all settlers are visited as often as possible, so that permits can be obtained without difficulty or delay.

We ask you to do your burning in the early and late parts of the season, when weather conditions are safe, and to use every reasonable precaution to prevent your fires from escaping control and causing forest fires. It is especially important that all slashes near railroads. public roads, etc., be disposed of, because they are particularly liable to be set on

RULES FOR SLASH-BURNING

The following rules are recommended for guidance in burning slashes:

1. Burn in the early spring and fall, preferably when the slash is dry but the soil damp. When the soil is very dry a fire will destroy the humus or vegetable matter which enriches the top layer, and also is much more difficult to handle.

2. If possible, have one or more neighbours assist in the burning so that the fire may be kept under control at all

3. Always make a light fire-break around the slash by throwing any brush or litter in for fifty feet. This will help to confine the fire and let you get round it quickly should it start to spread.

4. If the slash adjoins timber, burn it if possible when there is a light breeze blowing away from the timber, and start the fire first on the leeward side. If the slash is on a side hill, start fire first on the apper side, and burn downhill. When a good guard has been backed along the top, fires may be set at the foot of the slope and allowed to burn up.

5. If conditions are at all dangerous, ever start a fire in the morning. The best time to start burning is after 4 o'clock in the afternoon of a calm day. The slash is then dry and burns readily, there is little danger of wind, and the fire burns out during the night, when it is least apt

6. Keep close watch on the area until

CO-OPERATION IN FIRE-FIGHTING

them, in the interest of the individual and and public property, and often to life. power toward the prevention and supthe public welfare. The letter follows: From the standpoint of good citizenship pression of forest fires. alone, every able-bodied citizen should in Fredericton, N. B., May, 1918. every way possible try to prevent fires, Dear Sir,-The object of this letter is to and be ready and willing to assist in put-

ting them out. Land owners are requir ed by law to do their utmost to prevent and to enlist your co-operation on behalf the spread of any fire (no matter how caused, even if set under permit), burning on their own property, and must place themselves and their employes at the disposal of the forest ranger for the purpose of fighting such fires. The Forest Fires Act" states that such firefighting must be done at the expense of the land-owner, and if he fails to take action he is required to pay any expenses incurred by his neighbours or by the

> government, in fighting the fire. Thus every person in the province has direct interest in the prompt and effective suppression of all forest fires. With the great forest area to be protected, forest rangers can only protect the timber resources of the province by having the willing assistance and hearty co-operation of every citizen. Your help in this matter is earnestly requested. All you are asked to do is this: First of all, put out promptly any fires which may start on your own property. Next, watch for fires on your neighbour's land, and if one is discovered, warn him and help in extinguishing it. Lastily, if you discover a fire on crown lands, or if a fire threatens to spread to crown lands, notify the forest ranger if you cannot yourself readily extinguish it. If you yourself extinguish a fire, please report your action to the forest ranger.

WHY FIRE PROTECTION IS NECESSARY

The greatest aid to agriculture and to settlement in New Brunswick is a flourishing and prosperous lumber industry. This industry contains a great deal of invested capital, and in ordinary times pays an immense sum in wages. Out of every dollar spent in logging and manufacturing lumber, a large part goes directly to the community to employ labor and buy supplies and transportation. The annual revenue from the forests forms more than one-third of the total ordinary revenue of the government. It helps to build roads, schools, and all kinds of public works. It keeps the taxes down. The continuance and increase of this revenue is directly dependent on the

prosperity of the lumber indu try Fire protection is necessary to ensure a permanent supply of raw material for the lumber industry. It is necessary to preserve the mature timber for cutting now and in the future. It is equally necessary to protect the second growth to provide saw-timber for the more distant future, when the demand will be much greater than at present. It takes from 50 to 100 years for a second crop of timber to grow after a fire. If repeated fires occur, the young growth is destroyed, the soil injured, and the timber crop is delayed

indefinitely. Nearly all the crown land is held in partnership with the public, under leases fore one of the shareholders in the forest resources of the province. You are urged to be careful with fire in the woods. A forest fire is a menace both to private and to give every assistance in your

> Yours truly, E. A. SMITH.

Minister of Lands and Mines-



NANADA faces the gravest crisis in her history. Four years of war have taken from the Dominion a heavy toll in talent and labor, yet despite the shortage of man power, our Allies still depend on Canada to maintain her own fighting forces at full strength and to increase her exports of food and war materials, so vital to them, and to the successful prosecution of the war.

Every ounce by which Canada can increase her food production and every ounce Canada can save in her food consumption is needed for export to the Allies.

Should the war continue for another year, food cards and a rationing system may have to be instituted. It is the duty of Canada to be prepared for whatever situation circumstances may force upon her.

It is quite probable that before the war is won our Government may have to place restrictions upon the occupations in which men and women may engage. In such an event the Government wishes to be in a position to render all possible assistance in keeping our population usefully and profitably employed.

Registration Day, June 22nd

These conditions point to the necessity of Canada knowing the exact capabilities of her men and

All persons residing in Canada, male or fen British or alien of 16 years and over, will be required to register on June 22nd and truthfully answer the questions set forth upon the registration card.

It is not the Government's intention to cons labour in any form, but to assist in directing it wi

Power Cherly Hall to Ma Chickers

so that every available unit of human energy may be utilized to the best advantage:

The information procured through registration will be used—as an aid to the Military Authorities in procuring the men necessary to maintain "Canada's First Line of Defence"—to mobilize all units of available labor in the Dominion and direct them from less essential to more essential occupations—to establish and intelligently administer a system of food rationing hould that become necessary.

Issued by authority of Canada Registration Board

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