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### Support Citizenship Award Fund

IT IS said there is nothing so old as yesterday's newspaper.

However true this may be, we are confident it will not apply to one particular item which appeared in yesterday's edition of the Daily News. The item was a letter to the editor, carried in this column, by G. P. Lyons who commended the action of the Junior Chamber of Commerce in sponsoring a Good Citizenship award in memory of the late G. A. Hunter.

Mr. Lyons emphasized his approval of the idea by making a contribution towards commencement of a fund which will enable the proposal to be carried out in a manner fitting its purpose.

This enthusiasm for the Jaycees' plan will be shared by many others, for there is a real need to prove to those who voluntarily give valuable service to the city that we are grateful and respect their courage for exposing themselves to public scrutiny and possible criticism.

In recommending the award be made as a memorial to Mr. Hunter the Junior Chamber of Commerce has chosen a fondly remembered citizen to give the prize a special lustre. In every way it is a project which will reflect creditably on Prince Rupert and is lacking only the initial impetus by subscription to get it underway.

Let's give it our support and reward our Good Citizen.

(To assist the Junior Chamber of Commerce the Daily News has agreed to receive contributions for this cause. Cheques should be made payable to the Good Citizenship Award Fund.)

## Knowledge Offered on a Platform

GREAT potential and established value yet hardly known, are the facilities offered by the Public Library Commission of B.C.

Ignorance of the subject prevails in spite of a determined public relations program, with the result that many communities scarcely appreciate the wealth of literary material that is theirs for the asking, free of charge.

In a booklet describing the services available C. K. Morison, commission superintendent, who will meet with the Prince Rupert library board next month, presents some surprising information. In 1951 the travelling library division, serving remote communities and schools without cost, supplied 76,396 books to a total of 376 schools, 234 communities, 18 lighthouses, and five hydrographic survey and weather ships.

In the same year the Open Shelf division, which provides a free srvice by mail, supplied 114,900 books to readers at isolated points.

Commenting on the general failure to absorb the commission's publicity, Mr. Morison remarks:

"It is difficult to understand why there should still be found otherwise well-informed people in city and in country, who are unaware of the great resources of thoroughly up-to-date reading material freely and conveniently accessible to them on any subject from home cooking to nuclear fission: surprising that residents of the largest cities should think that the public library is chiefly a source of light reading for the housewife and is still financed by Mr. Carnegie."

It is indeed surprising, and it is also sad. To neglect reading is to neglect many interests com bined in one.

## Kamloops Hears Plan For Toll Highway to Alberta Boundary

way be built through the North Thompson Valley and Yellow- ever, emphasized that if the road head Pass to the Alberta boun- is to be a toll road, it must be a

paved highway. "What I would like to do is borrow \$15,000,000 or more and route would provide an all-year pay it back through the levying highway as throughout most of of tolls, hence it would be no its length the snowfall is light. burden on the taxpayers," he The average depth of snow is said in a letter to the Board of less than on other routes through

He said British Columbia was already committed to the limit for its present road program and it was impossible to raise money

from general funds. "I would like to make this a paved road," he said. "I feel that

the public would definitely use omic possibilities of the three it, maybe to the extent of about northern provinces after a thor-300,000 cars a year or so. I think ough survey. They were imthe toll should be set at about pressed particularly by forestry At a meeting here of repre- mark, well above the Arctic

sentatives of Boards of TradeCircle.

of a parliamentary committee expressed surprise at the econand farming prospects in Fin-

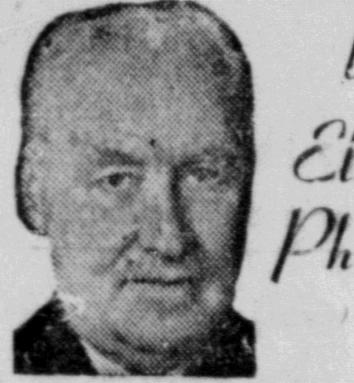
Supporters said the Yellowhead

the mountains, it was reported.

NORTHERN PROSPECTS

OSLO, Norway (CP)-Members

As I See It



Real Issue in U.S.A.

THIS IS the first of several reports on the U.S. presidential election of

Americans for several weeks you find that your Canadian pre-conceptions have to be revised. The most important thing that discovered was this:

The real issue in the U.S.A. today is not Eisenhower versus Truman, Republican versus Democrat, capitalism versus socialism, or any of the other things that one might imagine. It is U.S. isolationism versus international partnership.

THE MOST astounding political fight that I ever witnessed at close range was the one just concluded in Los Angeles. It was to decide whether or not Los Angeles schools were to be permitted to teach about to use an excellent booklet of instruction called "The E in

Last February various war veteran and jingo nationalist Grew and "Soapy" Smith, but always the same," he murmured groups have ganged up and the fact is that we were taken sadly. "It's always the same." blitzed through the School to the edge of Skagway and NO BUSINESS teaching of the Unesco program. The later hearings were to decide whether the ban ruling was to stand.

After a fierce and furious controversy the ban stood-although the School Board sugarcoated the pill by saying some nice meaningless things about UN and Unesco. The triumphant anti-UN brigade moved over from Los Angeles to Long Beach where the School Board is also shortly to open hearings whether or not the Unesco program is a "subversive" and hence, something which should be banned as "Un-American."

The two final public hearings in Los Angeles were literally "something out of this

The advocates of the UN program had all the best of the argument, intellectually. They had brought in some really big FORGOT HIS CAP guns too, including Paul Hoffman and a couple of famous professors from noted universities whose job was to try to answer some militant women in an astonishing organization called the Liberty Belles. But what a hope!

After seeing these dames in lettering. action I began to weaken on my long time opinion that women might be better world peacemakers than men. Some these old gals literally acted like angry cats and spit on the advocates of restoring the Unesco teaching to Los Angeles

AT FIRST glance all this rumpus might seem senseless. Actually it is the most real and vital struggle going on in the United States today—for it spotlights what is the ultimate issue of this century.

If you listen closely to the U.S. ultra-nationalists and jingoes tually none of them are isola- a snarling voice. tionists in the old sense. That is, not a single one of them said. really wants Uncle Sam to bring erally girdling this globe.

The same people who talk clare?" contemptuously of what they (remarkably to a Canadian) call the "UN war in Korea" strongly advocate in the next "Not even one American cig- cured of a rare blood disease by breath bombing of China, or

The real issue is between the complete indifference to the KAMLOOPS, B.C. (P) — Public from Blue River to Chilliwack new isolationists who want wishes and interests of the Works Minister P. A. Gaglardi the proposal was given unani- Uncle Sam to take on the job present partners of the U.S., inof running the world, not only cluding Britain, France-not to A resolution endorsed, how- in naked violent hostility to mention Canada.

3 p.m.

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## UNDER OUR ROOF

By JOHN STURDY

We've been on the Trail of '98 (1952 edition) now for a couple of days-Col. S. Skeffington-Smutts (Ret.) and Hamish and Little Augie and I-and so far we haven't discovered any gold. (As a matter of fact, I'd trade all the gold in Fort Knox for a packet of corn plasters. My feet are killing me and we're United Nations and specifically only half-way up the Chilkoot Pass.)

It seems strange that we are mushing our way into the famed arette." I said. Klondike, in the ghostly shadasked to leave (the police in Alaska are polite but firm) and where can you go from Skagway but up the Trail of '98?

and when Hamish saw this he It's discouraging." flung himself across the line and kissed the soil of his I asked. motherland. The trouble with

Well, at that moment a large beard showed itself at the door of the cabin, and from depths of the whiskers a sur prised voice said:

"Good heavens! People! "Good-morning to you, sir," said. "We are on our way into

The Beard touched the top of

'Excuse me," he said. "Please excuse me. I forgot my cap."

He vanished into the cabin and then re-appeared quickly tire knowing I've seized somewearing a cap. It had "Cana- thing and fulfilled my duty as a dian Immigration" on it in gold customs officer."

the first man-Canadian citi- the U.S.A." zen? Where were you born?" The Beard leapt to his feet

turned he was wearing another Whitehorse. cap with "Canadian Customs" We left him smiling happily,

of 1952 you soon find that vir- toms inspection," he ordered in Little Augie," said Hamish, as

home the soldiers, sailors and could see the disappointed exairmen who now hold bases lit- pression in his eyes. "You mean, you haven't anything to de-

> "Nothing." "Not even a package of American cigarettes?"

use of Chiang Kai-Shek's arm- outright enemies like Red Russia and the new China, but with

The Beard sat down on the ows of Sam McGee and Dan Me- front step of the cabin. "It's

"What is the trouble?" asked sympathetically.

"Well," said the Beard, "I've been here 27 years, and in that This morning we encountered time only about half a dozen our first human being. We came people have crossed the border across a little cabin in the wil- at this point. Most of the people derness and outside there was take the train these days and a pole with a sign on it, and that customs officer over at it said: "United States-Canada," Carcross gets all the business.

"Why do they keep you here?"

"My grandfather supported Hamish is, he sees too many Sir John A. MacDonald," said the Beard. He looked unhappy again. "Gee, I wish you had few American cigarettes." "Why?" I asked.

"Then I could send in a report to Ottawa. I'll never get promoted if I don't send in report that I've confiscated something. I've been here 27 years and I haven't confiscated thing."

"I'm dreadfully sorry," I said. 'If we had only known."

"Oh, it's all right," murmured the Beard. "It's not your fault But I'm up for pension next year. It would be nice to re-

Suddely Little Augie spoke up. "All right, now," the Beard "Look, pal," he said, "would said in a changed tone of voice. a packet of Bull Durham tobac-"Form a line to the left. Now co do any good? It's made in

Well, each of us went through and flung his arms around Litimmigration and I thanked the tle Augie, sobbing almost hy-Beard and said we would be sterically. Well, it turned out moving along, and he got quite that Bull Durham was almost agitated when he heard that. as good as American cigarettes "Wait a minute! Wait a min- and the Beard confiscated it ute!" he cried, almost plead- and we waited while he wrote ingly, and he vanished again out his report so we could man into the cabin. When he re- it for him when we reached

a contented man.

"Open you luggage for cus- "That was a lovely gesture, we continued our way up the "We haven't any luggage," I Trail of '98.

"It was nothing at all," said "No?" Behind the beard I Little Augie. "Nothing at all."

> CHIP RECOVERS JOHANNESBURG, South Africa (CP)-Tyrus, popular sevenyear-old champanzee at Johannesburg zoo, has injections of the drug cortizone.

GE Washer with Pump

CLOSE OBSERVER

ped tucking their napkins under their chins. asserts that "only one woman in pears to be the inclination. Los a thousand has the proper figure An-jell-ess, or Los An-guh-less?

Ottawa Citizen. Fair enough.

that things started falling apart

The Order of Southern Gentle- | without movie stars, without men, Inc., has just been incor- orange groves and without of porated in Atlanta, Ga. Chivalry gushers? Or did they get along is being restored.

"There isn't enough of it left," observed one member of this forgotten organization. "You can get on a trolley today and all the men are sitting while the ladies are standing. It used to be the other way around."

A BIT EXCLUSIVE

Pork, remarks a worker, studying living costs, is the mainstay of medium and lower incomes. This may be a fact, but to what a degree is pork a blood relative to bacon? The latter seems so costly and aristocratic, particularly in the morning (with an egg o rtwo neatly fried) on the same plate.

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# Ray Reflects and Reminist

"Mama, Mama," sobbed going up, and aboard the trains THAT OLD HOME FOR "Mama, Mama, Mama, Mama, Sobbet government one notes many families moving A man, transferred for the arms of her husband's So said C. A. Berner, Superin-Rupert to a southern mother, Mrs. Leo Venne, on the tendent, Canadian National Rail- some months ago, can station platform at Medicine ways, speaking yesterday morn- on a brief business im

Hat the other night. About 300 ing of the outlook between here on a wet evening? After others were present—as well as and Red Pass Junction. He re- morning handshake he tears, laughter and feasting. The turned to the city Thursday help remarking: former Toasako Natsumo is mak- evening. Mr. Berner said the "Swell to be back I ing a good start in swearing to Edmonton Chamber of Commerce cussed the rain, You love, honor and obey Pte. Mc- is to visit Prince George Sept. 23. mc. Somehow I heres This is particularly significant, before, but oh, the is for hitherto Edmonton's business breeze, and everythin tendency has been more toward well, so different I'd) Looking back on it, one notices the south and Vancouver.

about the same time men stop-To pronounce os Angeles the right way, give it the hard sound The people themselves are de-Speaking of nudism, an artist ciding the matter, and this ap- Leader Hone to appear naked." Let the ladies | Which? City of The Angels! City of Sunlight? Lovely as all that? is not for us. So comments the Let's go back a bit. How'd they get along without irrigation.

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