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# Nadir Lies Northward . . .

The July 1 issue of Maclean's Magazine, a large chipper as ever. So mice, look part of which is given to exploring the extent of out! Canada's future as the crossroads of air trainsport in the northern hemisphere after the war, predicts a in the vicinity but Wednesday I LO.D.E. large future for such strategically located places as was wrapping up an overseas Winnipeg, Whitehorse, Port Churchill and Prince parcel for one of the boys and Sergeant Chick Lawrence Rupert.

The article maintains that in the past the world ping service. I must do my and out over a period of 18 has been Mercator-minded, that people have thought shopping for tags and fancy months now and is always of the globe in terms of the flat expression as shown paper in good time so we won't amazed that I remember his by old style maps which followed the original concept run out of it as we did last name. If he only knew all the of the cartographer Mercator in the 16th century. On those maps distances in the northern part of the globe were greatly exaggerated because they did not indicate the convergence of meridian lines and, as a consequence, the north was shunned as a region of Posson IVY interminable distances and barren wastes.

But now, with the advent of long distance flying, the northern part of the globe is being understood as a short cut to the other side of the world. And cities THE ANTISEPTIC LINIMENT which lie on the road to it are marked to become increasingly important just as the north itself is to grow in importance as travel across it develops. The wealth of oil and minerals that have been locked away from the world for lack of access to them will be opened and new settlements will spring up. . Other resources, such as soil fertility and timber will be discovered and the north will become a land to be lived in, and not a background for romantic adventure novels.

Certainly when such development begins Prince Rupert will be in a favored spot. Its position in a relatively high latitude means that, in terms of global air routes, it is closer to the other side of the world than cities farther south which in the past have been used as ports of entry and egress almost exclusively with places on the other side of the world. And as her importance as an air port increases, so will her importance as a sea port and a railhead. Her promising hinterland will then be available for exploratory attention and, if indications are borne out, a great volume of wealth will be released.

The population of Canada in the past has hugged her southern border. Her expansion extended westward because her rail lines ran in that direction. In the future her expansion will go north along the air lines and, although it may stop at the geographical limit of habitation, the airlines will continue on to Nadir—the other side of the world.



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# ACTIVITIES OF Y.M.C.A. AND Y.W.C.A.

The Hostess

By DOROTHY GARBUTT

That mouse was a bit too much for "Sarge"-it was a case of vaulting ambition o'erleaping itself. The poor little thing reacted violently to it and was quite sick but today she's as

it set me thinking about next the R.C.A.F. was in the other



matter how carefully you weigh your parcel beforehand it is always a few ounces overweight SPEED UP when you get it to the post office? One of life's little mys- WAR JOB teries I suppose.

Mallett has arranged a dance for one of the minesweepers at the Empress. The Navy orchestra will be playing for the dances. Junior hostesses are cordially invited. And tonight Thursday, there will be a dance at the Highway camp. Junion hostesses and chaperones will meet at the "Y." Y.W.C.A. chaperones in attendance will Mrs. C. F. Oland and Mrs. Fred Brooksbank, representing Not that Christmas is even Queen Mary Chapter of the

year. And why is it that no names I forget he would be equally amazed at how I could brown eyes I remember, would

> of Elizabethan poetry and ran And leap into a dance is as good a description of our Fit only for Apollo modern jitterbug dancing as To play to, for the moon to lead, any. It is by Francis Beaumont | And all the stars to follow."

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Tomorrow night, Friday, Ivan Canadian Legion Urges Greater Effort-Presentation to Jack Preece

At last night's Canadian Legion meeting a report was read of a meeting at which the Dominion President, Alex Walker. gave a very fine and enthusiastic address. He dealt with his claimed that Canada was nearly approaching the stage when. unless the people woke up to lems. the fact that there was a war to be fought, this requiring a a presentation of a case of silfull measure of total war effort. ver to Jack Preece who has for they might be sorry. The local many years been a very active veterans fully concurred in these worker in the interests of the sentiments and expressed the veterans. He is a Past President feeling that utmost use should and has decided to make his be made by the government of future home in Smithers. He the men and materials available was given a splendid send-off to see that the Allies were supported in an all out war policy It was the regular meeting of do that. It wouldn't be his big the Legion and was held in the

of the Elizabethan variety team in a fisherman's net. of Beaumont and Fletcher. I've been reading a collection "Shake off your heavy trance! across a tiny verse which I think Such as no mortals use to tread

Legion Rooms, Comrade R. C. Bamford being in the chair.

A large number of members were present and sundry routine matters of business were disposed of. Several new members were admitted.

Pleasure was expressed at welcoming Past President W. M. Brown back to the fold after his long and serious illness and hope was expressed that he continue to improve.

Several resolutions for presentation to the forthcoming executive meeting were passed These dealt with the Japanese residents of Canada and with general service men's prob-

A feature of the evening was

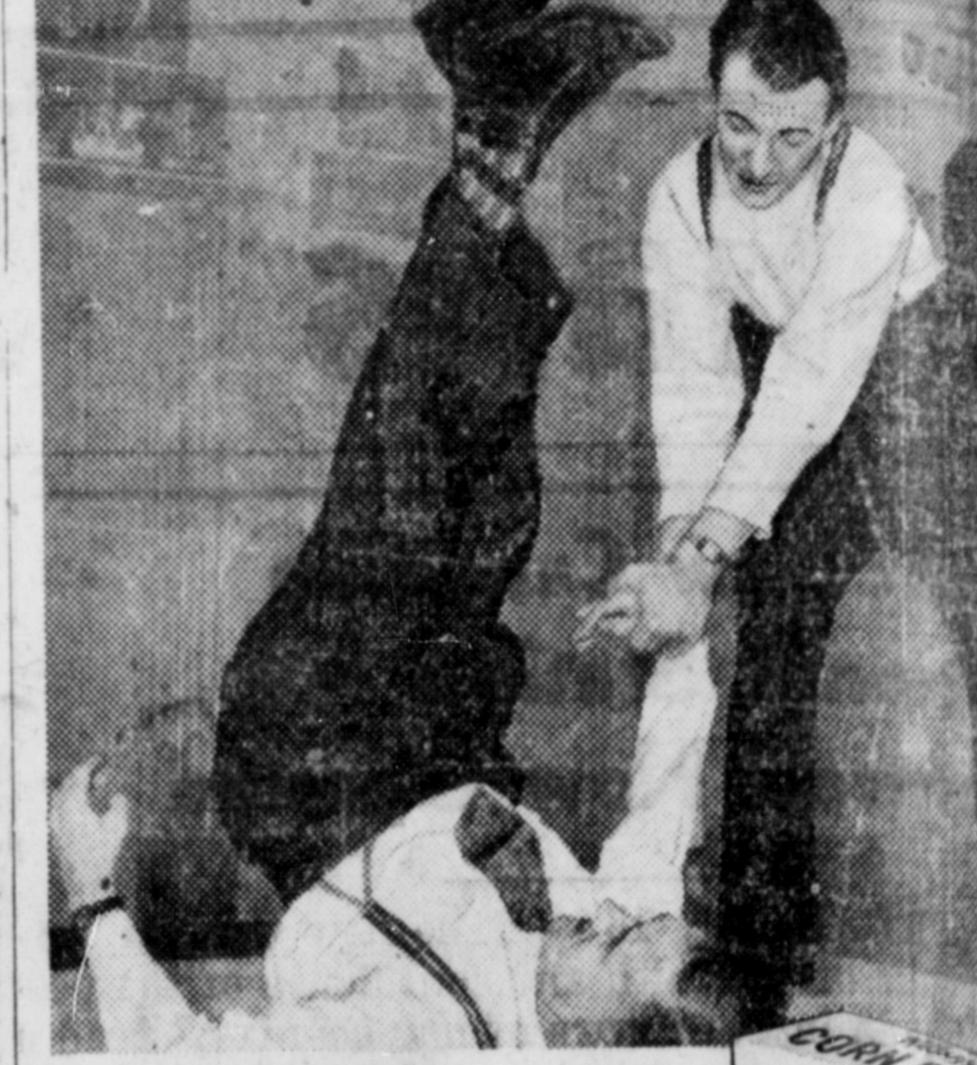
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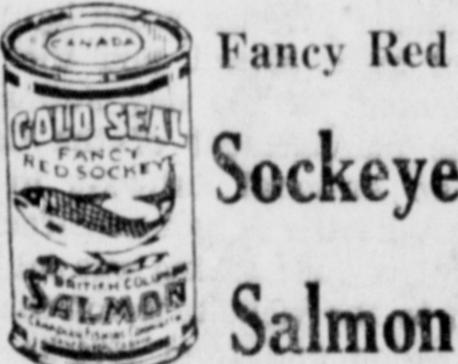
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