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DESTINATION

Smile!

U. Helava's invention of a computerized plotter allowed photographs taken from satellites to be processed, thus creating a whole new era of map making.

Canadarm

Canada is recognized as an industry leader in space robotics, thanks to the Canadarm-15 metres of innovation.

PRO

Drrring!

"Come here Watson, I want you." These were the first words spoken on the telephone by its inventor, A.G. Bell, to his assistant.

Flying Ships

A.G. Bell and C. Baldwin invented the world's first successful hydrofoil in 1908 in Nova Scotia.

Listen Up!

E. Rogers created the first battery-free radio which triggered the popularity of home radio reception. Songs like Jagged Little Pill heard over this medium, are copyrighted.

Wrrr The variable-pitch propeller was invented by W. Turnbull of

New Brunswick in 1927. Some experts believe that this invention made the air transport industry possible!

Train's on time...

thanks to the genius of J. Elliot of Toronto. In 1869 he developed the revolving snow shovel which permitted railways to run during our Canadian winters



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Ski-Dog?

That was J.A. Bombardier's original name for his great invention known today as the SKI-DOO (1959).

What's in the box?

The appearance of boxes or bottles may be protected by registration as industrial designs, AND the tuck-away box handle was the brainchild of S. Pasjack of Vancouver.





Industrial Designs

Smooth Sailing

The laser boat was developed in 1970 by 3 Canadian Olympic sailors. Be an innovatordesign a sail!



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