

Wales: Arctic explorers return home

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South Wales: The British North Greenland Expedition comes home - as four Sunderland Flying Boats arrive at Pembroke Dock - after a two thousand mile flight from ~~thru~~ the uncharted Arctic wastes...

For two years - the team of twenty-five explorers - led by Commander C.J.W. Simpson - have been collecting research data about the diminishing Greenland ice-cap...

With the scientific records, came a live salmon, ^{all ready} (~~preserved in ice water~~) for that ^{celebration} ~~reunion~~ party...

And twelve Huskies, who have trekked ^{many} hundreds of miles - hauling stores and equipment... 2

But soon, the discomforts of Greenland, with its five months of total darkness, were forgotten - in the joy of family reunion..

The Expedition also brought back a pictorial record of their life on the ice-cap - showing their initial landing with ~~the~~ supplies and equipment...

And the setting up of a base camp before they began their task of scientific exploration.

And we recall the crash of the R.A.F. Hastings transport on an eight-thousand foot ice-cap - while dropping supplies to the men who have *NOW* returned with more hard-won secrets of the Arctic ice-mass...