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Shoppers Plaza:
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Call Mark or Blaine, 667-7651 days.

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 10 ACRE PROPERTY, Ko dern River, Mile 1164. Beautifu views, good fishing, northern lights. Business potential. Call Dorothy at 236-422-4226 for details.4 BEDROOM, 2 bath house + rental cabin on 5 acres, 25 min utes from Whitehorse \$850,000 all or text 333-0260

## FOR RENT

OFF GRID MOBILE home 20 minutes north of town, no power, no water, wood stove, Mike at 778-773-3828 for more information.

## WANTED TO RENT

WANTED: 2 BEDROOM house Call 333-2135.

## AUTOS

 WWW.kandk.ca IN
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## AUTO PARTS

TRUCK CANOPIES IN stock, new Dodge shortbox/ long, new GM shortbox/long, new Ford shortbox/long, new Toyota shortbox. Hi-rise \& cab hi-over, 30 in stock. View at CentennialMotors.com
$393-8100$.

ALUMINUM TRUCK TOOL box, like new $\$ 200$, heavy plastic truck tool box $\$ 100$, Hi-Jack er, double pivot 5th wheel hitch rails \& pins, complete $\$ 500$. Cal 633-4246.
1991 DODGE RAM 50, fair shape, 2.4 L Mitsubishi engine, needs some work, not running Free. Call 667-2694.

## HEAVY EQUIPMENT

 1983 D8K, SERIAL \#77V17446 cab, 4 barrel ripper, U blade, low hours. Excellent condition $\$ 70,000+$ G.S.T. Call 334-8452
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2007 35' COUGAR 5th wheel, toy hauler, travel trailer with satellite dish \$19,950/obo. Call
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2008 FORD 350 Pleasure Way 20' motorhome, $170,000 \mathrm{kms}$, perfect for 2. Ready to roll \$60,000/obo. Call 393-2868.

## MISC FOR SALE

## MOVING BOXES, ALL different

 sizes. Call 335-6959.350 GALLON WATER tank \& 3/4hp pump, bought new \$2400, used 1 month, asking \$2000. Call Heidi at 456-4101 for more info.
OUTDOOR GRILL, NEVER used \$100. Call 334-3080, leave message.
OVER 200 DIE cast cars, trucks \& vans from 1913-1964, scales 1:18 to 1:87. Call 334-2675 for more info.
TROY-BILT SMALL ROTOTILLER, 4 cycle gas engine new $\$ 450$, selling $\$ 250$ used. Call 633-4379.
OUTDOOR SHRUBS \& trees, Tamarack, purple lilac, birch, Elder, mountain ash, May Day, black currants, raspberry, rhubarb. Call 668-4186.
CAR PICTURES WITH lights on them, 1950's Roadside diner $35 " \times 23$ ", 1950's Cyclone racer 24 "x18", Moulin Rouge 27 $1 / 2 " x 193 / 4$ ", Shell station 27 1/2"x19 3/4". Call 334-2675.
SMALL PRESSURE TREATED greenhouse, 32 " $\mathrm{hx} \times 32$ "wx6'long, clear polycarbonate roof. With growing soil $\$ 600$. Call 6334246, leave message.
930L OF STOVE oil $\$ 1200$, fridge, 3 years old $\$ 300$. Call fridge, 3
$689-1845$.

## HELP WANTED

## HELP WANTED! <br> Journeyman Auto Technician <br> Front-end Service Advisor <br> Drop resume off at and Soapy's Carwash <br> 91628 Alaska Highway Whitehorse, Yukon <br> Y1A 3E4 <br> PETS <br> 8 MONTH OLD Chocolate Lab, male, neutered, all shots \& chipped. Call 667-4878. DOG GROOMING EQUIPMENT. Call 333-9577 <br> GARAGE SALES COLLEGE DRIVE

## APPLIANCES

WHIRLPOOL WHITE DISHWASHER, clean and good shape. Asking $\$ 80$. Call 3347841 days or 667-7840 evenings.

## SPORTS EQUIPMENT

YUKAN CANOE, YUKON'S YUKAN CANOE, YUKON'S Paddlesport instruction experts canoe, sea kayak, swift water rescue \& packrafting courses. Build your skills and confidence to safely enjoy all the great Yukon waterways. No partners needed, equipment provided. Book your space today

## WANTED TO BUY

WANTED: 5 ACRES of land about 30 minutes from town, Carcross Cutoff area. Call 3332135.

WANTED: ISO PARTS for 9397 Ford Ranger, will take bits and pieces but preferably whole truck. Let me know what you got. Call 332-9668.
WANTED: VINTAGE CAST iron weight sets, Sears, Weider etc. Text 334-6730.
SITUATIONS WANTED
PROFESSIONAL DRYWALLER, TAPER, painter, 35 years experience, excellent workmanship, small jobs under 3000sq feet. Reasonable rates. Call John at 332-4128.
HARD TO ASSEMBLE, steel \& corrugated plastic greenhouse $8 \times 6$ form Wayfair. Will pay $\$ 300$ to assemble asap. Call 6899976.

## PERSONALS

REPORT YOUR SASQUATCH, Bigfoot, Wild Men experiences in confidentiality to sasquatchyukon@hotmail.com
DOORWAYS INVESTIGATIONS PARANORMAL, discovered a haunted house or establishment? Afraid of your own house? Ease your mind and call 689-2127 or text 334-2173.
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## COMING EVENTS

## WHITEHORSE AA MEETINGS

 are held daily at different locations. Call 1-833-985-6622 for a meeting schedule.THE CIVIL AVIATION Search and Rescue Association annual general meeting is Wednesday June 15th, 19:00 at the Emergency Measures Organization, 7 Norseman Road.
CANADIAN MENTAL HEALTH Association, Yukon Division invites you to our virtual AGM
Thursday June $16 \mathrm{th}, 5: 30 \mathrm{pm}$. Thursday June 16th, 5:30pm. to receive the Zoom link.
SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING to appoint a new accountant Thursday June 23, 7pm Club Thursday June 23, 7pm at the
ski chalet. THE OLD LOG Church Museum invites you to attend its AGM Wednesday June 22nd, 6pm at Old Log Church Museum 303 Elliott St.
AGM FOR WHITEHORSE Aboriginal Women's Circle June 29th, 5:30pm at Fireside room Yukon Inn. Election of directors and special resolution, refreshments provided.

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## CLASS ONE LOW BED WINCH TRUCK DRIVERS

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- Possess a minimum of 3 years previous experience with winch trucks and/or hauling over-dimensional, low-beds, and other various trailers/equipment
Experience driving northern highways, extreme driving conditions, northern climate
Ability to communicate and interact effectively - Ability to maintain legal log books
- Ability to remain alert and maintain a high level of concentration
- Good judgement and the ability to react quickly in emergency situations Understands the operations and limitations of the equipment - Experience with proper cargo securement and familiar with NSC Cargo Securement Standards
- Mechanical ability to make minor repairs when needed.
- Ability and willingness to service equipment an asset Canadian passport with the ability to cross in to the United States considered an asset
Crane certification is an asset - References are required

> Please contact 867-393-3648 or
> admin@mercercontracting.com

## COMING EVENTS

4-H YUKON AGM is July 11th, 6pm at Sport Yukon, 4061-4th Ave. LADIES AUXILIARY TO Y.O.O.P. meeting June 20th, 7pm at Golden Age Society. Call 633-2446.

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April 19, 1929

## Carcross News

Allied Dickson has bought a new Cherrolet Light Truck and is now busy freighting over the ice from Carcross to his ranch at Tagish. Mr. Dickson predicts that there will soon be a through auto road from Carcross to Atilin.
Chief Lauderdale and Fireman McCaulay arived in the noth on the last Princess and are arready busy getting the Tutshi in readiness for the season's operations.
J.A. Begg returned from the outside on Saturday last and is already back at his post in the WhitePass station.

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## MERCER CONTRACTING

## Yard Person/Shop Assistant

This is a permanent full-time, entry level position, available immediately. The ideal candidate will be physically fit, punctual, and have a valid Class 5 driver's license.

Some mechanical knowledge and practical experience would be considered an asset. This position will offer a lot of opportunity to gain a wide variety of experience in the trucking industry.

Please email resume to admin@mercercontracting.com.

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## Heavy Equipment Operator

Mercer Contracting is seeking an experienced Heavy Equipment Operator.

Applicants must be skilled operating and maintaining caterpillar dozers. Experience with winching, steep terrain work and drill pad preparation will be considered an asset.

Will commensurate with experience.
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## Star classifieds 668-2002

## DEATH WINS ON

Entire Party of Police Patrol Overtaken by Starvation Within Arctic Circle - Four Men Succumb After Terrible Experience Dogs Are Eaten in Attempt to Stand off Dread Messenger - Last Survivor composes Comrade in Death's Embrace, Writes His Own Will, Fastens it where it will be found and Enters Final Sleep.

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 awson, April 17. - From the weird wilds within the Arctic Circle comes a story of hardship, starvation and death seldom equaled and which reads like fiction but is only too true The bodies of four members of the Royal Northwest Mounted Police which composed the winter patrol party which was to come to Dawson from Fort Macpherson, near the mouth of the Mackenzie river, where it empties into the Arctic ocean, and return, have been found, each member of the party embraced in the chill arms of relentless death and clothed in the pure white mantle of Arctic winter. News of the gruesome discovery and of the taking the bodies to Fort Macpherson where they were buried, reached Dawson this morning on the return of the relief party which left here on February 18th to seek for the missing patrol, then fully six weeks overdue.The story of the attempted journey which ended in death to every member of the party is as follows:
On December 22 Inspector Fitzgerald,
in charge of the party, Constables Carter, Taylor and Kinney with an Indian guide left Fort Macpherson for Dawson, a distance of approximately 550 miles. They had three teams of five dogs each and expected to reach Dawson about the middle of January, having with them provisions sufficient to last from 23 to 25 days, the length of time it was supposed would be consumed in making the journey. for some unknown reason the Indian guide was discharge and sent back before the range between the Peel and upper reaches of the Klondike river had been reached. Failing to find the pass through the Rocky mountains the party became lost and wandered around the head of Wind river until January 18 when, realizing that they had but ten pounds of flour and eight pounds but en port, they started and pounds of bacon left, hey startedon the back track to Fort Macpherson, a distance or 2 . miles. Then, according to evidence found by the relief party, began a series of hardships unequaled in the annals of the North.
Fighting their way through snow several
feet deep, slow progress was necessarily feet deep, slow progress was necessarily
made. All their grub gone, the dogs were made. All their grub gone, the dogs were killed and eaten one by one until the last of the fifteen had gone to keep the life blood in circulation and when the last dog had been eaten the buckskin thongs of the dogs harness were eaten.
By the time the party had reached this terrible state they were within 35 miles of Fort Macpherson but Taylor and Kinney
were in a dying condition, so they were left b Fitzgerald and Carter who pushed on, evidently hoping to reach the fort from which place relief would have been sent to their dying comrades. But ten miles nearer the Mecca of safety the two latter were overcome. Carter died first and his body showed that Fitzgerald had "laid out" his comrade in the snow, folded his hands peacefully across his breast and covered his face with a handkerchief.
Alone, the brave officer then attempted to continue the hopeless journey, but the death angel was dogging his footsteps and only a few hundred yards from where he had left the body of Carter, Inspector Fitzgerald gave up his life, having scratched on paper a crude will, leaving his earthly possessions to his aged mother who is living in Ireland His body, like those of the others, was found on the trail covered with snow.
When the party failed to reach Dawson when expected, little worry was caused as it was confidently expected they would show up soon, the same trip between the wo points having been made annually in midwinter for several previous years. Not until the Indian guide who had started with the party and turned back, arrived in Dawson about the middle of February was it known for certain that the patrol had left Fort Macpherson for sure. The Indian had returned to the fort and several das later had left with other Indians, making the trip to Dawson in good time and was surprised to learn that the police had not arrived. It was


Photo courtesy R.C.M.P. Mussum, Regina, Sask.
INSPECTOR F.J. FITZGERALD made

then that the relief expedition was started out from Dawson, its members being Corporal Dempster, Constables Fife and Turner and Indian Charley Stewart.

The latter party made the trip on record time, being gone from Dawson but forty nine days, 53 days being the best time previously made on the round trip.
As the last record left by Inspector Fitzgerald was dated February 5th, the last survivor of the ill-fated party had been dead more than three weeks when the relief party
left Dawson. The latter party found the mail with which the lost party had started. It con sisted of a few letters from Hershel Island and from Fort Macpherson.

Wouldn't turn back
years speculation would be that Fitzgerald had simply missed the trail but, being a proud man, could not bring it upon himself to back track to Ft. McPherson How would it look, he may have thought, an officer of the Royal Northwest Mounted Police having left on the annual Dawson City patrol, carrying the mail, suddenly arrives back at the starting point saying he can't find the trail?
Regardless, the amount of time lost looking for the trail and a misjudgment in the mount of food needed for the trip were a fatal combination. By the time Fitzgerald decided to turn back it was too late. Afte raveling nearly $1,000 \mathrm{~km}(620 \mathrm{miles})$ and raveling 53 dy on km ( il filis) pending 53 das $1,000 \mathrm{~km}$ ( 20 miles) and ay throgh se wi feet snow durg one fie coldest wil
Thin 56 km (35 miles) of Fork The route of the Dempster Highway (named after Corporal William Dempster) today follows approximately the route that the Fitzgerald patrol would have followed had they not missed the pass through the Richardson Mountains and become lost. The Northwest Mounted Police, and later the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, continued patrols along the same route until 1921, without the loss of another life.
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