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YA# Description:

2002/122 #1 Compliments of Mrs. Whelan. Halfway back 1900. Me [Dempster] on sidewalk. Capt. and Mrs. Whelan [on front:] N.W.M.P. Post 1900 [small log structure with fenced garden in front. Five people standing in front of fence, including two in NWMP uniforms.]

2002/122 #2 Jack, Joy & I [woman in riding pants and boots and two men in front of small wall tent]

2002/122 #3 Bert Lamb - was Registrar at Dawson, Ironside, Steffanson, Dempster, unknown. Tom Lamb gave dinner party in honour of Steffanson [Five men in suits standing on veranda of a building.] [Passenger Edmund Ironside died in the wreck of the Princess Sophia.]

2002/122 #4 Mayo, Y.T. waterfront

2002/122 #5 Dr. Charlie Ross, Celest (Paige's sister) and I [Catherine Smith (Dempster), Matron of Mayo General Hospital]

2002/122 #6 Matron, Doctor, Orderly [on verso:] Dr., Matron and orderly Jimmie Lavery
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<td>A picnic at Mayo [group of thirteen people sitting on ground in front of lake]</td>
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<td>2002/122 #8</td>
<td>Hospital [on verso:] a patient, a visitor [Identified in #5 as &quot;Celest, Paige's sister&quot;], the Matron [Catherine Smith, later Dempster]</td>
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<td>2002/122 #9</td>
<td>Mayo Lake. Mrs. Whitney and John [two women and small child with lake behind. Woman standing holding fish is probably Matron Catherine Smith]</td>
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<td>2002/122 #10</td>
<td>Mr. Jimmy Fairborn a very good friend of ours [older man in suit standing by lake side]</td>
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<td>2002/122 #11</td>
<td>Jim Johnson, Jack and I, Mrs. Shellinger and her boys, Mr. Whitney and son on left.</td>
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<td>2002/122 #12</td>
<td>Paige and Mr. Dulee and the &quot;Hothouse&quot; [two people holding rakes with enclosed log growing box behind]</td>
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2002/122 #13 Mrs. Jones and I ready for a masquerade ball in Mayo, Y.T. We came later or would have had the prize we were told.

2002/122 #14 Pal and I. Catherine Dempster

2002/122 #15 Going for sleigh ride from Mayo to Keno - Jack and I.

2002/122 #16 Jack and Mr. Allen and one of his daughters in Dawson, Y.T.

2002/122 #17 [William John (Jack) Duncan Dempster]

2002/122 #18 In backyard at 2986 [Hugh and Sheila Dempster in winter coats in snow, about six and four years old]

2002/122 #19 [Catherine and Jack Dempster and another young woman picnicing? in bush]
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YA# Description:

2002/122 #20 Joe Walsh and fish I caught. Joe wanted to look as if his arm was [around] me. - it wasn't. [Catherine and Joe Walsh, Catherine holding line of fish]

2002/122 #21 [three or four-year-old Hugh Dempster? sitting in airplane peddle car toy, house behind]  
[additional info from Bob Cameron 2003: checked - no added info]


2002/122 #23 RCMP Macpherson Patrol. Going up the big hill out of Trail River. Two dogteams to each toboggan.


2002/122 #25 Mr. and Mrs. Craig, Allen Fraser, Nellie Joy, Jack and I and Binkie at 2986.

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Y.A# Description:
2002/122 #26 Page and I beside the fire Jack built on one of our snowshoe hikes in the Yukon.

2002/122 #27 [panorama of Dawson City in scrapbook]

2002/122 #28 [Dempster and three men in front of log building]

2002/122 #29 L to R Turner, Dempster and Fife [portrait of three men - Turner in civilian clothes, Dempster and Fife in NWMP uniforms]

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<td>Crowd of men and boys watching the RNWMP relief expedition with their three dog teams and sleds at the Fort Herchmer barracks compound in Dawson City after their search for the Fort McPherson Fitzgerald Patrol. Members are from viewer's left to right: Charlie Stewart, Corporal W.J.D. Dempster (in a white anorak), ex-Constable Frederick Turner, and Constable James Fyfe. The people are standing on a boardwalk next to the horse stables.</td>
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<td>Handwritten on reverse &quot;end of trail - tired dogs and exhausted men Jack standing in white parka&quot;.</td>
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| 2002/122 #32 | Return Of The Arctic [Arctic] Patrol Dempster stands at front of sleigh with beard and cigarette. |

| 2002/122 #33 | Michelle River Tributary of Hart enroute to McPherson [three dog teams travelling on a trail - the frozen surface of the river - deep snow on hillside] |
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YA# Description:

2002/122 #35 [Patrol arriving at First Nations Camp] [RNWMP patrol with dog teams and sleds at a First Nations camp. Photographed from a distance. Winter, sloping hills behind. Possibly the RNWMP relief expedition searching for the Fort McPherson Fitzgerald Patrol.] [83/22 #76, 86/42 #67 and 2002/122 #35 are the same image.] - [ca. 1911].


2002/122 #37 Flashlight in Camp. McLean, Simons, Forrest, Martin, Dempster [five men in a line in repose, smiling, two smoking pipes, inside a tent? The photo has their heads cropped at top.]

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2002/122 #39 | Capt. Whelan Str. "Victorian [ man in shirt sleeves, hands in pockets, hat [WPYR?] on, on deck of steamer"

2002/122 #40 | McLean in Huskie dress 1908 - 9 [man dressed head to toe in winter clothing, standing outside. Appears to be all hides including boots and hat. Dogs at his feet] - 1908 - 9.

2002/122 #41 | Bear at Little Twelve Mile [small black bear in front of log building, may be tied up]

2002/122 #42 | Camp robber or Whiskey Jack [small bird very puffed up, sitting on tree top in winter, trees covered in snow]

2002/122 #43 | Onew & Family (Huskies) 1909-10 60 miles north of MacPherson [ five adult Natives standing in a row, outside, winter. Couple of dogs. Seems to be hides or skins drying on raised horizontal pole] - 1909-10.

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2002/122 #51 | MacPherson Patrol and Indians on Little Wind R. at mouth of Forest Creek 1908-1909 [about a dozen people] - 1908 - 1909. |
2002/122 #53 | Mr. John Henry [man in long fur coat, collar up and hands in pocket. This photo is also in Ironside but man is not identified] |
2002/122 #54 | [Caption crossed out in ink. Man standing amidst stacks of goods with signs e.g. Candles 5.00 box, Evaporated Potatoes 50 cents / pound, Chimneys 1.00 each, Lanterns 4.50 each. Sign says Wilcox and Strait, Dealers in Auction. General Merchandise, Outfits Boug [sic] & Sold. Commissions Executed. T. Snow, General Mdse.] |
2002/122 #55 | Mastodon Tusks [woman and dog sitting in front of log building, very large tusks from ground to roof of building surround them] |
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YA# Description:
2002/122 #56 On Forrest Creek [Landscape only - hills, trees, snow. No people or dogs]

2002/122 #57 [No caption. Man in suit with hand extended in front of a bear that is standing in the upright position]

2002/122 #58 MacPherson Patrol 1911-1912. Noon camp on Michelle Creek Returning [four men sitting on boughs in front of fire, all looking back over their left shoulder, snowshoes standing in the snow around them] - 1911-1912.


2002/122 #60 At MacPherson Wm. Huskie & John Martin Indians. (?) & Bob Forrest [Four men standing in a row in front of a building, dogs around, some snow]

2002/122 #61 At the Fortymile Hotel [Six adults standing in a row outside on a veranda deck in summer. Two are women, one is NWMP officer]
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<td>2002/122 #63</td>
<td>Papsho- - &amp; Tootsie(a?)look (Huskies) and their house 60 miles north of MacPherson Winter 1909 - 1910 [Same photo as #30, similar to #79] - 1909-1910.</td>
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<td>2002/122 #64</td>
<td>MacPherson Patrol 1908 - 1909 Noon camp on Peel River. Dempster, Forrest, McLean, Martin (Indian) [Four men in heavy winter gear around an outside campfire, Martin cooking in a frying pan. Snowshoes upright in the ground. Also see #120 and #130] - 1908 - 1909.</td>
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YA# Description:

2002/122 #68 Hauling wood at MacPherson 1908 - 1909 Pearson, Huskie (Indian) [smudged word] Forrest & Dempster. [Four men standing in front of building with dogs at rest, pulling logs lashed onto boards. See also #127 and #130] - 1908 - 1909.

2002/122 #69 Whaler off Herschel Island


2002/122 #71 MacPherson Patrol 1908-9 Leaving MacPherson on Return to Dawson [several men and dogs standing around building looking on at men and dog teams ready to leave] - 1908 - 1909.
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YA# Description:

2002/122 #72 The cabin at Forty Mile. Beyts, Dempster & Mrs. Grimm & the dogs [Two men in shirtsleeves and woman in long dress outside of log building, some snow on the ground. The man in centre is giving a dog a treat - the dog is standing on its back legs, almost as tall as the man, and six other large dogs are staring in rapt attention]

2002/122 #73 Esquimeau Village Herchel [sic] Island [the backs of a circle of people outside watching something. Entrances to structures, one person sitting on the "roof" watching]

2002/122 #74 MacPherson Patrol 1907 - 8 Breaking trail on the Big Portage [looks like Martin in front up to his waist in snow, taller man following behind him up to his upper thigh in snow. Dog sled and another man in the background] - 1907-8.

2002/122 #75 On Caribou-born Mountain [dog team pulling sled across flat snowy tundra]

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**Description:**

2002/122 #77 At Fortymile. Beyts, Mrs. Grimm and dog Jack. [Man and woman in front of wooden two-story house, man in shirt sleeves and woman in dress but snow on the ground. Large dog standing in front of open gate of white picket fence around the house]

2002/122 #78 At Herschel Island on board a whaler [Four men standing on board the whaler. Sitting on the right is an Eskimo/native woman. Also see #111]

2002/122 #79 Oneak and his house 60 miles north of MacPherson [similar to #30 and #63]


2002/122 #81 On Big Wind Portage [small photo, no sleds or people just trees and lots of snow]

2002/122 #82 Group at MacPherson 1911-12 [group of 12 men - 3 standing in back row, 4 standing in centre row, 5 sitting in front row - all in heavy winter dress] - 1911-1912.
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[Full view of two dog teams in straight line going up a snowy slope, 8 or 9 dogs per team] - 1908-9. |
| 2002/122 #84 | MacPherson Patrol 1908-9. Dinner Camp on Seven-mile Portage  
[mainly scenery with heavy snow, people at a campfire. Foreground is sled and line of dog harnesses lying in snow. Same photo as #94] - 1908-9. |
| 2002/122 #85 | [No caption added. Scenic shot of mountains and glacier with iceberg floating in foreground] |
| 2002/122 #86 | MacPherson Patrol 1911-12 on Hart River. Hart Mountain  
[four men each with a sled and dog team, one behind the other, on the frozen ice surface, a large mountain in background] - 1911-1912. |
| 2002/122 #87 | MacPherson Patrol 1908-9 Noon Camp on North End of Caribou-born Mountain  
[four men huddled around campfire dressed in heavy winter clothing. See also #110, #121 and #122] - 1908-9. |
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2002/122 #89 Wolf in deadfall on Waugh Ck. 1907-8 - 1907-8.

2002/122 #90 Log Cabin on Mountain Ck. [small photo, log cabin in background, dog team and sled in foreground, heavy snow]

2002/122 #91 On the Little Wind River Looking down the Big Glacier [scenery only, large frozen surface in foreground, snow covered mountains in background]

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2002/122 #93 | Dance at MacPherson Bob Forrest & Ellen Firth 1908-9 [Inside shot, man and young girl dancing, several people looking on, one man smoking a pipe, man at end of photo playing a fiddle. Shelves of books in background] - 1908-9.

2002/122 #94 | Noon Camp on 7 mile Portage 1908-9 [same photo as #84] - 1908-9.


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<td>2002/122 #99</td>
<td>On the Big Portage 1908-9 [mainly landscape of snow covered hills but taken from a distance and in the centre ground is a dog team and one man ahead of team could be with a second team] - 1908-9.</td>
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2002/122 #104  On Michelle Ck. [scenery only - trees along bottom of hills, snow]

2002/122 #105  Caribou killed on Forrest Ck. Divide. Martin, Forrest, Dempster 1908-9 [two dead caribou on the ground, three men standing in a row - man at one end Martin with rifle, man at other end Dempster with rifle and wearing snowshoes] - 1908-9.

2002/122 #106  MacPherson Patrol leaving Dawson [Dog teams in front of several buildings at the RNWMP compound in Dawson City. The Territorial Courthouse is in the background.] - 1911.

2002/122 #107  E. S. Ironside, G. A. Campbell [Also see #49 - on hill behind Dawson]

2002/122 #108  Mount Deception on the Big Wind River 1908-9 [Also see #92] - 1908-9.
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YA# Description:

2002/122 #109 On the Fortymile Summertime 1912 [Also see #98, #100 and #114] - 1912.

2002/122 #110 On Caribou-Born Riv. Nick, Bob, Jim, Jack and Tom 1908-09 [Five dogs curled up together on spruce boughs all sleeping except for one looking at the camera. See also #87, #121 and #122] - 1908-09.

2002/122 #111 On board a whaler at Herschel Island [Also see #78] [Group photo of boat crew on deck.]


2002/122 #113 Camp on Peel River 1911-12 Stewart, Turner, Campbell & Dempster [Four men in a row in front of canvas tent with a smoking chimney, dogs all around] - 1911-1912.
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2002/122 #114 On the Fortymile 1912 [See also #98, #100 and #109] - 1912.


2002/122 #116 [No caption added. Looks like a picture of Dawson, taken from up on a hill behind Dawson, looking towards the river]

2002/122 #117 Going down the Little Wind River 1908-9 [Three dog sleds travelling away from the photographer down the frozen surface, mountains in the background] - 1908-9.


2002/122 #119 Fort MacPherson [view of several buildings - maybe eight. Foreground is a black dog, sitting. Winter, considerable snow]
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2002/122 #126 The mouth of the Pelly River [scenery, river and banks. Heavy gray cloud, probably summer as no snow]

2002/122 #127 At MacPherson [Pole barn with sleds on top. Underneath dogs pulling wood. Three men, many dogs around, two buildings in the background. See also #68 which gives the date as 1908-09 and #130] - 1908-09.

2002/122 #128 [No caption. Picture of a baby approx. a year old]

2002/122 #129 The Sun's course from 11AM until 1PM from top of hill. Walkers Peak Ala Dec. 1910 (LYS) (?) - 1910.

2002/122 #130 MacPherson Detachment Top [See also #68 which gives the date as 1908-09 and #127 of dogs moving wood] [Photo is split top and bottom - two different pictures, each one cut in half horizontally] Going up Peel River 1908-9 [See also #64 and #120] - 1908-09.

2002/122 #131 Miss E. C. S. Among the Roses [Woman with short hair wearing hat surrounded by roses, hill in background] [E. Catherine Smith became his wife]
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2002/122 #132 At the funeral of Inspect. Fitzgerald and party at MacPherson March 1910 The "Fitzgerald Shot"
[Firing party at the funeral / burial of "The Lost Patrol" at Fort McPherson church. Four RNWMP men shooting rifles in the air, small crowd of people, shovel leaning on fence. Rev. C.E. Whittaker in white robes with back to camera.] [Handwritten in pen on back of photograph "Fitzgerald of Lost Patrol". Two buildings in background.] - Mar [1911].