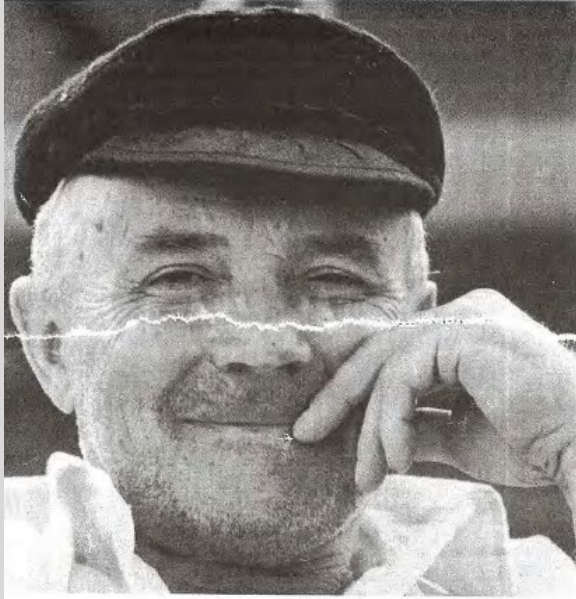


DESMOND DUNCAN



STORY: Des Duncan (1928-1995) moved to Whitehorse in 1953 with his wife Peggy and son Steve. Three more children, Jim, Laurie, and Gord, were born in Whitehorse.

Des was a partner in Lunde Metals Ltd. from 1956-68. He then started Duncan's Ltd. in a small building on Baxter Street. Eventually he built his own shop on Copper Road to accommodate the growing business.

Selling the business and retiring in 1982 gave Des more time to enjoy his love of the outdoors, especially cross-country skiing. Des was one of the founding members of the Yukon Voyageurs Canoe Club. He loved to spend time at his cabin at Jackfish Bay. His motto was "Work Hard, Play Hard."