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Incident: 2 Abbotsford Men Missing

Abbotsford – January 20, 2011.

Just before noon yesterday the Abbotsford Police Department was contacted in regard to 2 overdue travelers. The pair is from Abbotsford and had travelled to the Edmonton area (Spruce Grove) to purchase a truck. On Monday, January 17 at 8 pm they were dropped off at the bus station and boarded an Edmonton bound bus. Phone contact was made on Tuesday, January 18th with a family member. At that time the pair advised that they had obtained the truck and would drive through the night with the intention of arriving back in Abbotsford around 4 am on January 19th. The men have not been heard from since. Neither Edmonton Police not Alberta RCMP have had contact with them.

The missing men are 28 year old Jason MELANSON and 46 year old Wayne CAREW. The men were not dressed for cold weather and did not have emergency provisions with them when they left Abbotsford. MELANSON is described as a white male, 5'4"

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