

## Captain Martin House

Address: 305 Wood Street (Lepage Park)

Built: between 1900 and 1915

Renovated:

- 1917—Second storey was added
- 1987—Foundation and basement were added

Designated: Oct. 25, 1999

Named for: Captain Patrick “Paddy” Martin

- Captain Martin was a sea captain from Newfoundland
- Came to Whitehorse in 1898 as a skipper on the steamer *Canadian*
- Opened the Arctic Trading Company – general merchandise and grocery store on First Avenue in 1900
- The Martin family occupied the house until the mid-1930's
- In 1980 the house was donated to the City of Whitehorse by the Territorial Gold placers
- In 1987 it was moved to its current location by the Lions Club



Current Use: Office/Lions Club/  
Yukon Volunteer Bureau

Past Use: Residence