

WATERTON HISTORICAL BUILDINGS

“Northland Lodge”
408 Evergreen Avenue

#16 on the History Walking Tour



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This classic Swiss chalet-style lodge was built at the same time as the Prince of Wales Hotel, as the personal lodge for the Great Northern Railway's boss, Louis W. Hill. He named it Carthew Lodge. But he preferred to stay at his beloved Prince of Wales, and is said to have never slept here. Fred Udell, who worked at the Prince many years, became caretaker of the place, and raised his family here. In 1949, the lodge was sold and refitted for guest accommodation under the name of Northland Lodge.

BUILT: 1928

BUILDER: Oland and Scott Construction (presumably as they built Prince of Wales)

OF NOTE: The lodge cost \$9600 to build in 1928, an opulent budget



Louis Hill.
J. J. Hill Library.