St. Paul – 2236 Columbia Ave.



Rossland Heritage Home Inventory

1) Address: 2236 Columbia Ave.

2) Property Description: Block 51, Lot 4

3) Common or Historical Name: Not available

4) Date of Construction: 1910 **1**st **Owner:** Dr. Chandler

5) Early History: Was originally an apartment and the owner, Dr. Chandler lived next door. The building was sold when Dr. Chandler returned to England to work at London Hospital.

6) Design, Style, Architecture, Architect:

The architectural style is Vernacular.

7) Description of Home:

-2 storeys and a basement

- -Area of main floor is 960 ft²
- -Width is 24 ft. and depth is 40 ft.
- -Exterior walls are stuccoed
- -Foundation is concrete
- -Roof is covered with aluminum

8) Interior Layout and Features:

-9 ft. high ceilings of wood (wood beams crossed up the walls and on the ceiling)

9) Alterations/Restorations:

- -Den and upstairs were added on in 1940
- -Fireplace was added in 1945
- **10) Other Information:** Urquhart owned the drug store in Rossland at the time. He received a Robbins Award for his pharmacy and was very into sports. He was also an RAF observer in World War 1 and was on the cover of Time Magazine. In addition to the apartments there was a shack on Urquhart's property that was rented to a miner. As with Dr. Chandler, Urquhart lived next door in a large house that had been brought down from the mines. Second owner, Waynman, was a pharmacist.
- 11) Other Owners: Waynman, and the Urquhart family (1924+), and Craig M. Goldsmith.



1983 Photo