

T.C. Richards Building

Address: 302 Steele Street

Built: circa 1944

Renovated: 1981

- Exterior and interior renovations
- Shed roofed log entry added on south side

Designated: Mar. 11, 2002

Named for: Thomas "T.C." Richards

- House was a social centre for Whitehorse
 - House has three stone fireplaces, hardwood floors and numerous Persian rugs
 - House has a study, living room and rumpus room
- T.C. Richards came from England in 1915 to manage Burns Meats
- He began the first cattle drive to the Mayo area mines to provide fresh meat to the camps (1921)
- Inaugurated a winter tractor-train freight and passenger service from Whitehorse to Dawson
- Building was bought by Yukon government in 1951 for use as a teacherage



Current Use: Office/Whitehorse Chamber of Commerce

Past Use: Residence