

# THE KING EDWARD HOTEL

The King Edward Hotel opened its doors on May 1, 1904. This large 3 story Hotel was situated on the corner of Crescent Avenue and First Street. At that time, you came up First Street from the south, turned left onto the Crescent, proceeded about ½ block and then turned right again on First Street. The huge hotel included an excellent dining room. There was also a large lounge for “men only” where alcohol was served. Prohibition of 1916 hit the hotels hard, but The King Edward survived. It was demolished in 1967 and First Street was then changed to a curve as it is today. Today, The Souris Hotel and The Murray Condominiums have replaced The King Edward, and as tradition carries on, offers friendly and welcoming service to its patrons.

