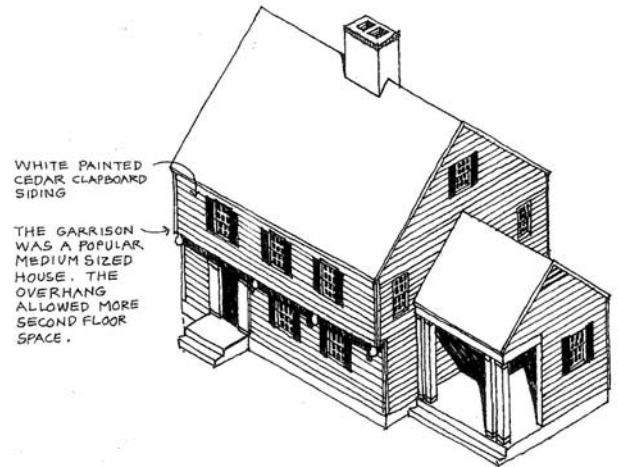


# COLONIAL REVIVAL

1890 – 1915

One of the many Period Revival styles that became popular during the 1920s, the Colonial Revival style took elements from America's past. It was influenced by the Cape Cod, Georgian, and Federal styles. The style was simple and symmetrical, and had a variety different roof forms. This style was also adapted as a variation of the Bungalow style.

There are very few Colonial Revival homes in Ontario, but there are many examples of the Colonial Bungalow.



## COMMON FEATURES

- Wood clapboard siding (occasionally brick was used, not typical in Ontario)
- Gable or hipped roof
- Small centered porch
- projecting pediment
- simple porch columns
- symmetrical facade

## WINDOWS

Windows were typically individual single or double-hung wood frame windows.

## DOORS AND STOREFRONTS

Doors were typically decorative solid doors with glass sidelights.

## COLORS

The base color of the building was typically lighter shades of blues, yellows and greens. Typical colors were blue grey and sea foam green. Trim and accent colors were typically white.

## BUNGALOW VARIATION

The Colonial Bungalow had the elements of the Colonial Revival style with one modification. Colonial Bungalows typically used a hipped gable roof, rather than just the straight gable or hipped roof.

