

Building: Residences  
Address: 64-66 Roseneath Street



Allotment Reference: -  
National Estate Register: -  
Historic Buildings Council Register: -  
National Trust Register: -  
Location within Precinct: Clifton Hill Eastern Residential Precinct.  
Photo Date June, 1988  
Grantee: -  
Original Owner: William Attenborough  
Present Owner:  
Original Use: Residences  
Present Use: Residences  
Construction Date: 1889-1890

Architect:

Bulder:

Description:

A two storeyed tuckpointed polychrome Italianate terrace pair with black body brick and white dressings and red faced niches. The two storeyed cast iron verandah has staggered columns, encaustic tiled floor and double palisade iron fence with cast iron pillars (also refer Nos. 68-70 and 72 Roseneath). The main windows and doors have barley sugar colonettes.

Condition:

Good

Integrity:

Good. No. 64 cement roof tiles.

History:

In 1888 Augustus Attenborough owned the land on the south-east corner of Roseneath and Rutland Streets, - lots 1 to 3, 105.5', (1891 RB). In 1889 the land passed to William Attenborough, who commenced building two brick houses, numbers 64 and 66, in 1889. Vacant land 60' x 88' remained. The houses were completed in 1890 and in the same year were purchased by John Fenton (No. 64) and Eva Trenchard (No. 66), (1890, 1891 RB). By 1896 both properties were owned by the Australian Widows Fund Life Association, ownership remaining the same in 1900, (1896, 1901 RB).

Significance:

Nos. 64-66 Roseneath Street are of local importance as an intact boom style terrace representative of the type of accommodation provided in Clifton Hill during the late 1880's. They form a visual unit with adjoining Nos. 68-70 (q.v.) and 72 (q.v.).

Recommendations:

Recommended for Planning Scheme protection.

References:

Rate Books

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