

Address:

6-8 Thompson Street



<u>Allotment Reference:</u>	60
<u>National Estate Register:</u>	-
<u>Historic Buildings Council Register:</u>	-
<u>National Trust Register:</u>	-
<u>Location within Precinct:</u>	-
<u>Photo Date:</u>	November 1989
<u>Grantee:</u>	J. A. Donaldson
<u>Original Owner:</u>	Mrs A Dunn(?)
<u>Present Owner</u>	-
<u>Original Use:</u>	-
<u>Present Use:</u>	-
<u>Construction Date:</u>	pre 1864 (post 1858)

Architect:

Builder:

Description:

A pair of stuccoed brick single storeyed mid Victorian terraces with hipped corrugated iron roofs and a low brick parapet with plain cornice. No. 6 has a tiled verandah floor and front walk. A stud wall with vertical timber lining boards divides the two verandahs.

Condition:

Good

Integrity:

Good

History:

In 1864 Mrs Dunn (Anna) owned two brick houses in Thompson Street east side which she leased to John Hughes (Number 8) and William Mill (Number 6). Mrs Dunn continued as owner in 1884 having leased the properties to a series of tenants.

By 1891 Sarah Johnson was owner/occupant of number 8 and Richard Johnson, an engineer, was owner/occupant of number 6.

By 1900 the Australian Temperance Society owned both properties, number 6 being leased to Hannah Goodwin.

(1864, 1884, 1891, 1901 RB).

Significance:

Nos. 6-8 Thompson Street are of importance to the extent that they relate to the earliest subdivision of this land, Thompson and Nelson Streets appearing as the first minor streets in this vicinity of the 1858 Clement Hodgkinson map. They are believed to be the oldest remaining houses south of the Abbotsford Brewery.

Recommendations:

Recommended for planning scheme protection.

References:

Rate Books

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