Abraham house (part of a duplex), 203 Amess Street, Carlton North

Heritage overlay: HO326 City of Yarra Property Number: 204265

What is significant?

The Abraham house (part of a duplex) at 203 Amess Street, Carlton North was created in 1938 for Bryan and Kay Abraham and has other historical associations with persons such as William Popok. The place has a good integrity to its creation date.

Fabric from the 1930s at the Abraham house (part duplex) is locally significant within the City of Yarra, compared to other similar places from a similar era.

How is it significant?

The Abraham house (part duplex) at 203 Amess Street, Carlton North is historically and architecturally significant to the locality of Carlton North and the City of Yarra.

Why is it significant?

The Abraham house is significant as part of a well preserved one-storey brick and render duplex, with distinctive Moderne style brick detailing. It is distinguished as an example of one of the key later phases of development in the Carlton North precinct, as residential high density infill.

References:

Municipal rate books:

VPRS 5708/P0004 City of Melbourne / Victoria Ward Rate year/Rate no./Occupier/Owner/Description /NAV 1939; 3294; Kay Abraham; Bryan Abraham; 203 Amess St, Brick House 5 rms. 33 x 126; 70 1938; Rate Book Missing; 1937; 3219; Land; VPRS 8915/P/0001 City of Melbourne Valuer's Books/ Victoria Ward Rate year/Rate no./Occupier/Owner/Description /NAV 1938; 3224; Vacant; Sukiert Israel crossed out to read Kay Abraham and Bryan Abraham; Land changed to 2 Brick House's 5 rms. Each, 16' 6 x 126' 8 ½; 70 each

Melbourne or Victorian directories:

West Side 1944/45; Popok, Wm 1940; Kay Abrhm. 1939; Kay Abrhm. 1938; No Listing 1937; No Listing 1936; No Listing 1935; No Listing

Other references:

VPRS 11202/P1, Unit 170

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Date/Application/Cost/Description 27 October 1937; 18873; £1,300; Erection of dwellings 203/205 12 April 1938; H2089; Fence

VPRS 11200/P0005 Unit 41 Application 18873 Proposed Semi-detached Brick Villas at 203/205 Amess St North Carlton for Mr Roy Munro. Date Received 27/10/1937 Lewis, 1984: see BIF - E grading definition implies altered but not