House, 61 York St, Fitzroy North, VIC, Australia

Photographs:



List: Register of the National Estate

Class: Historic

Legal Status: Registered (21/03/1978)

Place ID: 4912

Place File No: 2/11/020/0047 Statement of Significance:

This is one of the oldest houses in North Fitzroy. The typical three bay composition has little decoration, the bracketed cornice with projecting blocks at each end being the most notable feature. This type of dwelling, characterized by its small scale and austerity, was once common in the inner suburbs, however few examples remain today.

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Official Values: Not Available

Description:

The residence at 61 York Street was erected in 1876 for Michael Connell. The single storey brick structure is not set back from the street. The rendered facade comprises a centrally located entrance flanked by windows. There are architrave mouldings around these three opening and mutules below the windowsills. A row of brackets support the gutter which terminates in projecting blocks supported on consoles. The chimneys are intact.

History: Not Available **Condition and Integrity:**

The building is intact and in good condition.

Location:

61 York Street, Fitzroy North.

Bibliography:

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