

HISTORIC RESOURCES INVENTORY

Ser. No. _____
HABS _____ HAER _____ Loc _____ SHL No. _____ NR Status 5D
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IDENTIFICATION

1. Common name: _____
2. Historic name: _____
3. Street or rural address: 7790 Egleberry Street
City Gilroy Zip 95020 County Santa Clara
4. Parcel number: 79900365
5. Present Owner: Jack Kazanjian Address: 831 Third Street
City Gilroy Zip 95020 Ownership is: Public _____ Private X
6. Present Use: Commercial Original use: Residence

DESCRIPTION

California Bungalow

- 7a. Architectural style:
- 7b. Briefly describe the present *physical appearance* of the site or structure and describe any major alterations from its original condition:

This stucco house has a double low gable roofline noted for its wideness, exposed rafters and support brackets and the veranda porch which characterize it as a typical California bungalow. The porch is supported by square wooden columns and extends around the corner from the front of the house facing Egleberry street to the Second street side. There are many alterations, including the brick wall at the corner and the cement landing.



8. Construction date: Estimated 1916 Factual _____
9. Architect _____
_____ Unknown _____
10. Builder _____
_____ Unknown _____
11. Approx. property size (in feet)
Frontage 65 Depth 130
or approx. acreage _____
12. Date(s) of enclosed photograph(s)
Mar. 1986

13. Condition: Excellent Good _____ Fair _____ Deteriorated _____ No longer in existence _____
14. Alterations: Brick wall and cemet landing
15. Surroundings: (Check more than one if necessary) Open land _____ Scattered buildings _____ Densely built-up
Residential Industrial _____ Commercial _____ Other: _____
16. Threats to site: None known Private development _____ Zoning _____ Vandalism _____
Public Works project _____ Other: _____
17. Is the structure: On its original site? Moved? _____ Unknown? _____
18. Related features: _____

SIGNIFICANCE

19. Briefly state historical and/or architectural importance (include dates, events, and persons associated with the site.)

The varied bungalow styles were readily accepted and adopted into the Gilroy home collection for their many attributes. A pleasant home that featured overhanging eaves providing protection from the summer sun was an important consideration since most were first occupied in the summer months. Recessed porches allowed a place to sit and watch neighborhood activities from a protected vantage point. Ornament and detailing was straight forward reflecting the style of the structure itself. Well suited to the needs of a growing population, the significance to this survey is in the number of homes and variety of styles that remain relatively in their original condition. These create streetscapes that are important because of the unity of the whole more than the special qualities of any individual structure.

20. Main theme of the historic resource: (If more than one is checked, number in order of importance.)
 Architecture 1 Arts & Leisure _____
 Economic/Industrial _____ Exploration/Settlement _____
 Government _____ Military _____
 Religion _____ Social/Education _____

21. Sources (List books, documents, surveys, personal interviews and their dates).
A Field Guide to American Houses
McAlister
Sanborn Map 1888, 1908

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