SITE DETAILS

Lot No.: Lot 500

Reserv No.: Assess No.: 11060

Dia/Plan: Vol/Fol:

USE OF PLACE

Original Use: Residence Current Use: Residence

Ownership:

Public Access: Restricted Occupied: Occupied

DESCRIPTION

Walls: Concrete Block Roof: Corugated Iron

Condition: Not applicable Integrity:

Original fabric:

Modifications: Some verandah enclosures

Set in an elevated position, the house is of concrete block construction with a corrugated iron gambrel roof which is punctuated by a rendered, corbelled chimney. The roof extends to cover the front verandah. There is a separate gable to the front room which features timber battens to the gable end. Supported on timber posts the verandah is partly enclosed to the north-west with fibro. The house features quoining to the comers and there is a corrugated iron awning to the front room window. Entry to the house is via a series of steps leading from the footpath where a low brick wall forms the property boundary.

HISTORY

Construction Date: 1908 Source: Smith, K.R.

Architect: Unknown Builder: John Crothers

The house was built c 1908 by well known Geraldton builder, John Crothers for his wife, Sarah and their family. The house served as their home for many years. John Crothers (1864-1929) was responsible for the construction of numerous buildings in Kalgoorlie including the Roads Board

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SUPPORTING INFORMATION

Smith, K.R., "The Birth of a Legend", 1994.

OTHER PHOTOS



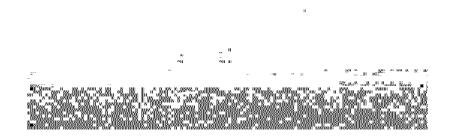


Photo Description: 14/10/1996 Suba & Grundy View of the front (west) facade.

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