State of California - The Resources Agency
DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION
HISTORIC RESOURCES INVENTORY

IDENTIFICATION
1. Common name: 

2. Historic name: (Pasquale) Perrelli House

3. Street or rural address: 7421 Hanna Street
   City: Gilroy Zip 95020 County: Santa Clara

4. Parcel number: 79901831

5. Present Owner: Ferne A. Nelson Address: 7421 Hanna Street
   City: Gilroy Zip 95020 Ownership is: Public Private X

6. Present Use: Residence Original use: Residence

DESCRIPTION
7a. Architectural style: California Bungalow

7b. Briefly describe the present physical appearance of the site or structure and describe any major alterations from its original condition:
   This structure is a one story stucco building with low, wide pitched roof. The porch is recessed and supported at the corner with a square column. A large window in the front facade is divided into two side lights and a center with small square panes on the top.

8. Construction date:
   Estimated 1923
9. Architect: Unknown
10. Builder: W.C. Ehrich
11. Approx. property size (in feet)
    Frontage
    Depth
    or approx. acreage
12. Date(s) of recent photographs:
    Mar. 1986
SIGNIFICANCE
19. Briefly state historical and/or architectural importance (include dates, events, and persons associated with the site.)

This site is associated with a member one of Gilroy's most influential families. Although not a part of the canning industry for which the family is noted, Pasquale Perrilli was, like his home, a contributor to patterns of life in Gilroy.

Pasquale Perrilli was a native of Calabria, Italy. He was a member of the Perrelli Family associated with the Filice and Perrelli Canning Company. Pasquale Perrilli was a grocery store owner for twenty years. The store was located on the west side of Monterey Street between 5th and 6th Streets. Later he owned and managed the Pasquale Perrelli Winery for 20 years. He retired in 1953. He died in San Jose in 1963 at the age of 79.