IDENTIFICATION
1. Common name: Mr. Art's

2. Historic name: Phone Exchange and Barber Shop

3. Street or rural address: 7525 Monterey Street
   City: Gilroy Zip: 95020 County: Santa Clara

4. Parcel number: 79900650

5. Present Owner: Vernon Naughton Address: 5/5 Fifth Street
   City: Gilroy Zip: 95020 Ownership is: Public Private X

6. Present Use: Shoe Store Original use: Commercial

DESCRIPTION
7a. Architectural style: Commercial - stripped

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

The site is a small, two story brick commercial building which has been altered on the street facade. Plaster covers the brick and a large indented rectangular space provides the major ornament. The first floor commercial space is a deep recessed entry with angled glass display cases surrounding a centered front door. A two story concrete addition is found on the rear of the building and a single story cinder block addition further has been added to the back of the site. Note that the bland remodeling of the structure comprises the building's quality as an individual site, but the size massing and first floor commercial space all keeps the basic design elements that define the urban form of Gilroy's central business district.

8. Construction date: Estimated 1910 Factual

9. Architect Unknown

10. Builder Unknown

11. Approx. property size (in feet)
    Frontage: 25 Depth: 142 or approx. acreage

12. Date(s) of enclosed photograph(s)
    Mar. 1986

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This two story, all brick building originally housed, in its central business district location, the Gilroy Telephone Company. Since that time, it has had a concrete, two story addition at the rear and a one story concrete addition at the back of the lot. The building now houses the Mr. Art Shoe Store.

During the time the Gilroy Telephone Company occupied the upstairs, retail activity such as Enrico Conrotto's Barber Shop and Candy Store were downstairs.