IDENTIFICATION
1. Common name: ____________________________________________
2. Historic name: ____________________________________________
3. Street or rural address: 7840 Church Street
   City: Gilroy Zip: 95020 County: Santa Clara
4. Parcel number: 79900120
5. Present Owner: Charles Haines
   Address: 770 Lawrence Drive
   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 very low gabled California Bungalow has exposed rafters and support brackets and stucco siding, the three common denominators of that style. In addition, the recessed porch is supported by a large square pillar, another mandatory item.

8. Construction date: Estimated 1923 Factual
9. Architect Unknown
10. Builder Unknown
11. Approx. property size (in feet)
    Frontage 57 Depth 136
    or approx. acreage
12. Date(s) of enclosed photograph(s) 5/12/85 Mar. 1986
The booming years after World War I were centered around agriculture in the valley around Gilroy. Food processing and the various related businesses grew and brought additional population to the area. Many new residents were people who valued the natural feeling of bungalows and enjoyed the comfort of a California style. Gilroy has retained a full range of bungalow styles that are concentrated in the area, bound by First Street on the north, Fifth Street on the south, Monterey Road and Hanna Street. Within the context of this area are found homes of industry employees, merchants, bankers, doctors, and education. A full cross section of community life is still visible in the size, style and complexity of these residences.