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ITEM NAME (Former Names) : Thrush Grove

Turners Gully Road, near Clarendon ADDRESS :

4125/266 CANER (Former Owners) : Robert Turner

:SE (Former Uses) : House

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CONSTRUCTION DATE : 1850's HISTORICAL PERIOD : 1846-1864

HISTORICAL THEME : Primary Industry

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HERITAGE ENDORSEMENTS : State Heritage Register, No. 10452, Status -

Registered (24/07/80). National Trust of SA Reg No 455, Classified List. Registered item of National

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STATEMENT OF HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE:

Architecture/Environment :

The house is typical of the early cottage type exhibiting an M-shaped roof. The min section of the house is of sandstone rubble, with the principal facade of Flemish bond brickwork, and brick dressings. The building is symmetrical with a central pair of french doors with half-paned glazing. The windows retain their :welve-paned double-hung sash frames. The two gabled sections of roof seem to have been built concurrently, yet the rear section is clad in corrugated galvanised iron and the front portion clad with slates. A cellar in the house ccaprises two rooms which originally had both a front and rear entrance, however, the former has been built in. The associated wine rooms to the south of the building are of probably earlier date and are in poor repair. A trunk owned by the Turners and dating back from their passage to Australia was in the house in An early wine press remains close to the front cellar entrance. addition of flecked cream brick has been erected at the rear of the main building The addition incorporates the joining to the main house and wine rooms. remaining fireplace of supposedly the earliest structure on the property, a wattle and daub outbuilding which may have been a detached kitchen. acte remains of the interior to the main house, however, the two roomed barn adjacent is in good condition, but the original wine press uprights have been iffected by termites. The floors of the house have also been replaced due to the action of termites.

Mistory:

The Thrush Grove property on Section 688 at Clarendon is associated with the Firner family, a member or members of which supposedly built the house, originally known as 'Marlingford Farm' after their home in England. The Section an which the house was built was granted to Richard Blundell on 27 May 1840 and sonweyed by a subsequent owner, George Morphett to Jonathon Marriot, Robert Firmer and Thomas Thredgold in 1854. The property remained in the hands of the Furner family until the 1960's, when it was sold to the Hope family who were responsible for the renovation of buildings and the name Thrush Grove.

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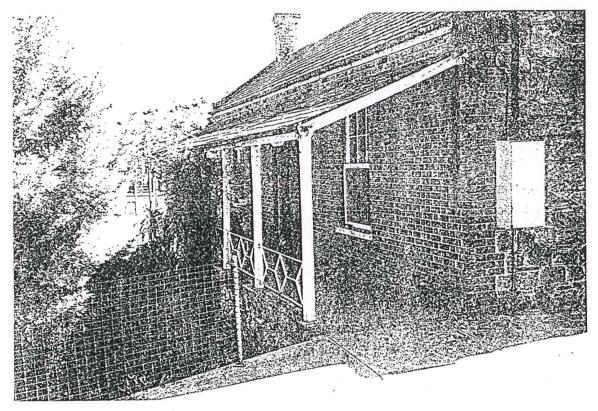
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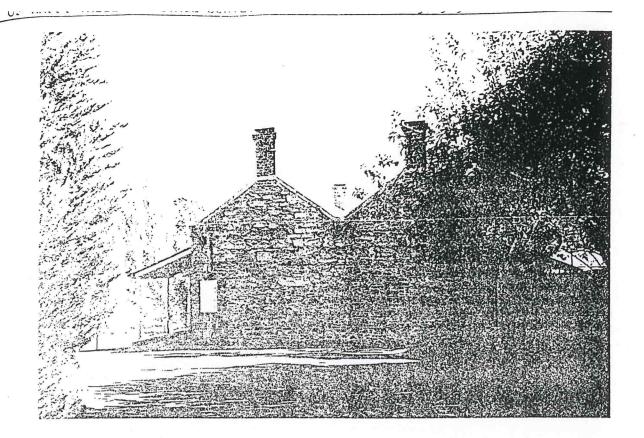
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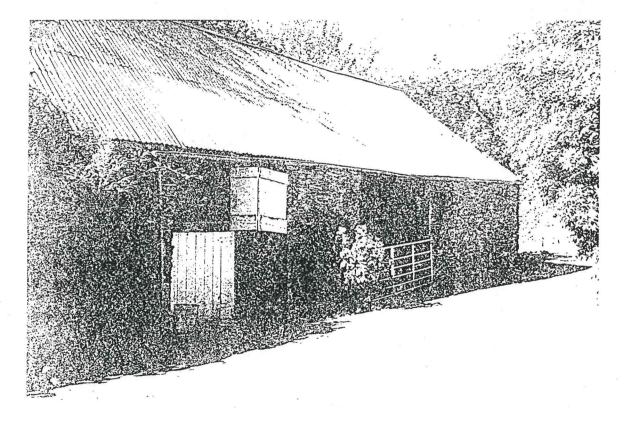
Heritage Listing Recommendation : State Heritage Register

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