

ITEM NO. : 510 Zone: CL Heritage Zone:

ITEM NAME: Garden, "Beechwood"
Former or Other Names: "St. Wilfred's"

LOCATION: C/T No. : 4175/188 Type of Item: 0415
Town: Stirling
No. : 36 Street: Snows Road
Section No. : Portion of 45
Hundred: Noarlunga A.M.G. Ref. Z: N:
Assessment No. : 2-0494-036 E:

DESCRIPTION: CURRENT STATUS:
Date: c. 1893 State Heritage List: Registered
Historical Period: 1884-1913 National Estate: Registered
Historical Theme: 2.1 National Trust:
Architect:
Builder: CONDITION: Good

STATEMENT OF HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE:

Architectural:
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Historical:

(See "Beechwood" house). Frank Snow's principal interest was the garden, for which he employed six gardeners. On his frequent travels he collected exotic species, especially azaleas, rhododendrons, hydrangeas and lupins. Most of the trees and rhododendrons remain but there have been substantial changes in other parts of the garden since the 1950's. From late 1890's-1960's, an annual Red Cross garden party took place at "St. Wilfred's"/"Beechwood".

Heritage Significance Recommendation: State

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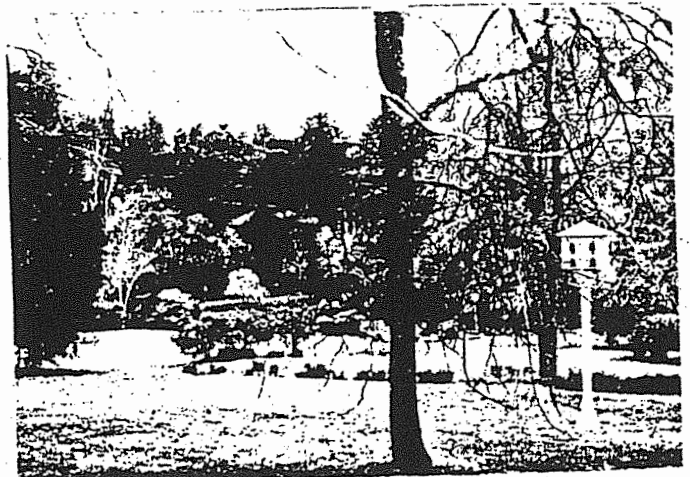
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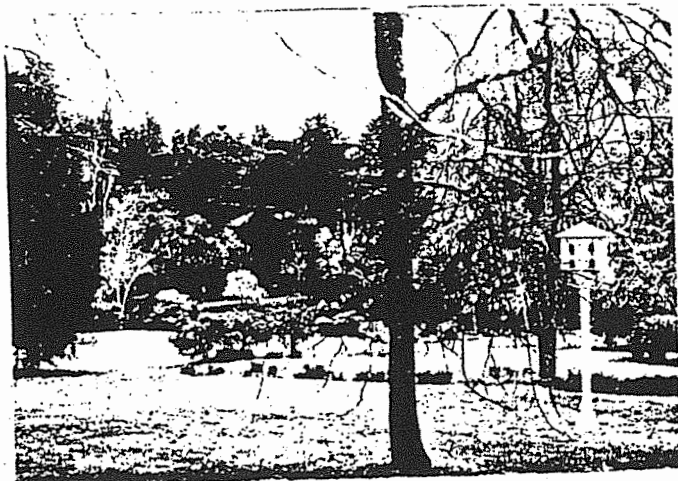
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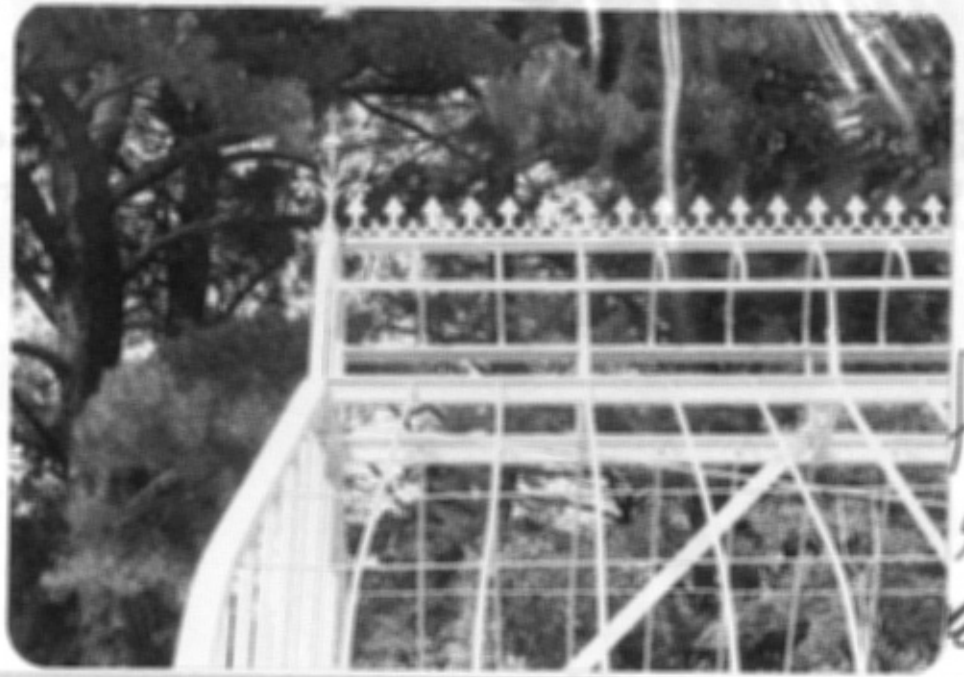
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