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Name of Item Cottage				Reference No	
Other Names	5				18
Address	042 Liverpo	ool Road			Land Title
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Locality	Summer Hill		Postcode (2130	
Item Type	Building				Zoning
Group Name					2c
Evaluati	on of Significance	Rare	Associative	Representative	Owner
Historic			\boxtimes		Private
Aesthetic				\boxtimes	
Social					
Scientific					Condition ☐ Intact
Other					☐ Minor alteration
	of Significance				✓ Sympathetic alteration ☐ Unsympathetic alteration
Although not in its original form, this cottage is a survivor of the earliest phase					
of development of the locality. The changes to its fabric have melded in with the					
earlier forms. The mix of styles and periods demonstrates the history of the area					
and the evolution of building styles within it.					
This was an early dwelling in this part of Ashfield and was built for and					
occupied by Joseph Boylson, a miller who was a member of the family who built					lt
and operated Boylson's mill on Parramatta Road nearby.					

Photograph



				Survey Date	Surveyed by:
Photo roll	2000-3	Negative	31	1/13/2000	TK

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Residential		18
Heritage Listing		
Themes: Local	Themes: State	
Subdivision & consolidation	Housing	
Sub themes: local		
History of the Item		

This land was transferred to Joseph Boylson, miller, one of the family associated with M Boylson and Sons flour mill which was on the north side of Parramatta Road near this house. He was listed as living in this house by the 1880s. He retained ownership of this house until his death in the 1920s after which it was sold.

Physical Description

Single storey brick cottage now clad with stucco. This is an earlier cottage which was extensively remodelled probably in the 1920s. The main roof is jerkin-head in form and is likely to have been the original form of the roof form. It is now clad with Marseilles terra cotta tiles. An attic storey has been incorporated in the roof and a bank of attic windows facing west lets light into this space. Another window at the side provides light to this storey and suggests that the attic was part of the original layout of the cottage. At the side, below this rectangular window there is a pair of round headed windows which also appear to date from the earlier form of this building. A verandah runs across the front of this cottage. A break front gable has been added to this verandah possibly when the cottage was remodelled. This gable is clad with fibro with timber cover strips. The verandah roof is supported by four sets of twin round masonry pillars set upon a high stuccoed brick base which rises from the balustrade. Triple casement windows with leadlight glass are on either side of the main entrance.

Information Sources

CT 446 f 173; Sands, Directories, 1880-85

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Additional Images

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