

2011-01-18 RIM VILLAGE REGENERATION PROJECT BRIEF DESCRIPTION AND PHOTOGRAPHS HOUSES 35, 36, 37 CHURCH STREET.

These three houses were built ca 1940 and were part of the AWAAS compound along with the houses in Shearer Ave. These three houses housed the NCO's. They are a little more lavishly appointed than later WWII houses when artisan skills and materials were still available. All three have servants quarters in the backyards. During the war the whole compound was enclosed by a barbed wire fence. The perimeter walls date from the prison period. The perimeter wall of each house has been individualized with different pattern cladding. Asbestos roof, gutters, down pipes, water tanks. Asbestos elements that are still original would be from the war period. All three have fireplaces in the living room but only 34 still has its chimney sticking out from the roof. Earlier parts have wooden window frames with the verandah window frames being metal. The verandahs were later closed in to form a small front room. The plaster space for the original 'T' numbers are above the inside door leading from the verandah room into the living room.



HOUSE 35
ENTRANCE
AND
STREETSCAPE
WITH 36 AND
37 LOOKING
NORTH



HOUSE
35



HOUSE
36



HOUSE
37



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