



CONSERVATION AREA CHARACTER PROFILE

Ingersoll & Arminger

INGERSOLL & ARMINGER

DESIGNATION AND BOUNDARY EXTENSIONS

(Refer to page 4 of the original profile published February 2001)

On 2nd July 2002 the conservation area was extended by the inclusion of:

- Former Post Office Sorting Office (Church of God), Loftus Road

CHARACTER AND APPEARANCE

Adjoining Sub-area B

Uxbridge Road

(Refer to page 7 of the original profile)

The single storey, former Post Office Sorting Office in red brick with two asymmetrical gables dates from 1905. Attractive stucco mouldings decorate the exterior of the building, including one above the main entrance inscribed with ER and a decorative plaque on the gable end inscribed 1905. Much of the brickwork has regrettably now been painted. Two diocletian windows punctuate the front elevation of the sorting hall, whilst interest is added at roof level by roof lanterns and two tall chimney stacks.

Corrections

(Refer to page 7 of the original profile)

5.14 East of Armingher Road, the original development of semi-detached houses, is less substantial than the remainder of the terraced development and is now unhappily overwhelmed by shopfront extensions. Nos. 290-298, 302-304 and 308-310 are buildings of local merit (BOM), No. 300 and part of No. 306 are modern infill developments of three storeys.

5.16 The rhythm of the houses has been lost either behind shopfront developments filling some front gardens, or side extensions. The shopfront to Nos. 290-294 has a particularly unfortunate plastic fascia which continues over several units, however Nos. 304-306 retain the original pilasters.

LOCAL REGISTER OF BUILDINGS AND STRUCTURES OF MERIT

(Refer to page 14 of the original profile)

The following is now also within the conservation area.

Loftus Road

Former Post Office Sorting Office (Church of God) (added June 2000).

Corrections

(Refer to page 14 of the original profile)

Uxbridge Road

No. 306 is not a Building of Merit



Former Post Office Sorting Office, Loftus Road

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Building of Merit

Conservation Area and Sub-Areas Boundary

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TUNIS ROAD

SWINDON STREET

ABDALE ROAD

LOFTUS ROAD

ARMINGER ROAD

INGERSOLL ROAD

ETHELDEN ROAD

BLOEMFONTEIN AVENUE

UXBRIDGE ROAD

Arlington House

Bakery

Lofius Villas

Merton Villa York House

Carlton Ballroom

Bank

Warehouse

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The Ingersoll and Arminger Conservation Area Character Profile was approved by the Planning Applications and Transport Sub-Committee on 13 July 1998 as supplementary planning guidance. If you have any queries regarding this profile or wish to carry out works in the conservation area please contact Environment Department reception on 020 8748 3020 extension 3330.

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McCoy Associates were the consultants for the first draft of the Ingersoll and Arminger Conservation Area Character Profile

Cover photograph: Arminger Road from Ethelden Road looking south circa 1909; Hammersmith and Fulham Archives and Local History Centre

FOREWORD



The London Borough of Hammersmith and Fulham is fortunate enough to have 43 conservation areas covering almost half the Borough. These have been designated in recognition of the importance of the historic and architectural heritage in our Borough. As Deputy for Environment and Contract Services, I am committed to the preservation of these areas with the help of residents and local groups, so that they continue to enhance the quality of life in the Borough and so that they survive as good examples of our heritage for future generations.

This Profile describes the special character of the Ingersoll and Armingier Conservation Area identifying buildings of note, interesting historic facts and showing how the buildings, open spaces and streets work together to create an environment worthy of protection.

I would like to thank all local groups who helped to prepare these Profiles, in particular the Hammersmith and Fulham Historic Buildings Group under the dedicated leadership of Angela Dixon and the Hammersmith Society. Through the consultation process the documents have evolved to represent not only officers' assessments of the conservation areas, but those of the local amenity societies and residents groups active in each area. I hope these Profiles will now provide extra assistance in the stewardship and preservation of what is best in the Borough.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'M. Cartwright', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Councillor Michael Cartwright
Deputy for Environment and Contract Services