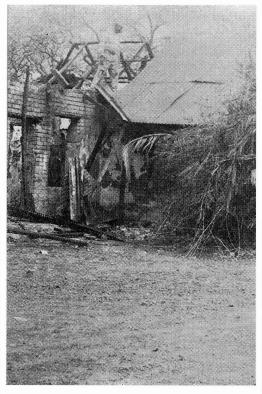


Aasvoëllaan in 1904.



When the Society Old Pretoria was founded in 1948 the then oldest house in Pretoria stood on the corner of Paul Kruger and Skinner Street. This house was built in 1865 by a Portuguese big game hunter and trader, Bras Perreira.

Die Bras Perreirahuis. Hierdie huis wat in 1865 gebou is, was tot onlangs die oudste huis in Pretoria.

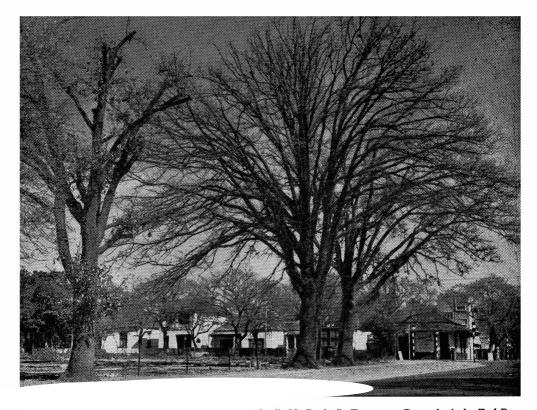


In 1955 the Bras Perreira house was demolished. Photos show demolishment work in progress.



It was hoped that the house could be re-erected on the site of the new open air museum. Sic transit...?

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Oak trees in r 1945. Circle punces in 1882 by J. N. Boshoff, Treasurer General of the Z.A.R. Akkerbome in Visagiestraat wat in 1882 deur J. N. Boshoff, Tesourier-Genl. van die Z.A.R. daar geplant is.

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Since the early nineties visitors to Pretoria were welcomed at the Polley's Hotel in Pretorius Street. This building was demolished in 1950 and the well-known "Wachthuis", headquarters of our police, erected in its place.

Polley's Hotel in Pretoriusstraat wat vanaf die negentigerjare die besoekers verwelkom het, is na 1950 vervang deur die moderne "Wachthuis", hoofkwartier van die S.A.P.