

# City of Greater Geraldton Municipal Inventory of Heritage Places Place Record

Area: Greenough Place Number: 124 Category: 4

 Assessment Date:
 30/09/1997
 Last Revision Date:
 24/02/2015

 HCWA Number:
 6112
 Asset ID:
 MCH127096

#### **PLACE DETAILS**

Name: Former Store & Tea Rooms
Other Names: Hackett's Store, Martin's Store

**Type of Place:** House

Address: Padbury Road Walkaway

## **LOCATION**

**Map** Walkaway **GPS** 6796753.00 **GPS** 285782.000

**Reference:** Townsite Northing: 0000 Easting: 000



## **Photo Description:**

22/03/2005
Daemeon and Martin
View from Padbury Road

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### SITE DETAILS

**Lot No.:** Pt 2 Loc 1259

**Reserv No.:** 2844 **Assess No.:** 63263

**Dia/Plan:** 163300 **Vol/Fol:** LR3152/691

#### **USE OF PLACE**

Original Use: Store/Residence

Current Use: Residence

Ownership: Education Department

Public Access: No Occupied: Occupied

# **DESCRIPTION**

Walls: Concrete Block Roof: Corrugated Iron

Condition: Good Integrity:

Original fabric:

**Modifications:** Numerous periods of construction

Centrally located in the small town of Walkaway this former store is of concrete block construction with a hipped corrugated iron roof. The front (west) elevation still reveals the building's use as a shop, there being two large display windows. The roof is punctuated by a corbelled brick chimney to the south.

2004/5 Review: The building has been repainted and reroofed.

#### HISTORY

**Construction Date:** 1910 **Source:** Ahearn, "I Remember"

Architect: Not available Builder: Not available

The store, located opposite the Railway Station (Place No. 132), was established by Ned Hackett in 1910. After Ned's death in 1913, the store was managed by his widow. In the Geraldton Express 20/09/1926 there is a photograph of the store, then operated by R. Martin. Martin disposed of his business at Walkaway in 1932.

(Source: "I Remember", Gary Martin & Greenough-Walkaway Heritage Trail)

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## **HISTORIC THEMES**

**HCWA:** 100 Demographic settlement and mobility

308 Commercial services and industries

603 Local heroes and battlers

**AHC:** 3.12.5 Retailing food and beverages

## STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The former Store and Tearooms has some local historic significance as a commercial venture which operated in the town in the first half of the century. Further the place is associated with local Greenough identity Ned Hackett.

#### MANAGEMENT CATEGORY

Management Category: 4

**Level of Significance:** SOME SIGNIFICANCE: Contributes to the

heritage and/or historical development of the

locality.

**Management** Conservation of the place is desirable. Any **Recommendation:** proposed change to the place should be in

sympathy with the heritage values of the place.

#### **OTHER LISTINGS**

No other listings

## SUPPORTING INFORMATION

Bibliography:

Geraldton Express 20/09/1926

Ahearn, M.E., "I Remember," 1977.

Greenough-Walkaway Heritage Trail

HCWA Database No. 13904.

#### OTHER PHOTOS

No other photos

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