

City of Greater Geraldton Municipal Inventory of Heritage Places Place Record

Area: Greenough Place Number: 167 Category: 4

 Assessment Date:
 09/12/1997
 Last Revision Date:
 24/02/2015

 HCWA Number:
 13934
 Asset ID:
 MCH126998

PLACE DETAILS

Name: Cream's House

Other Names: Station Master's House

Type of Place: House

Address: Eradu North Road

Suburb: Eradu

LOCATION

Map Eradu S.W. **GPS** 6824184.00 **GPS** 308658.000

Reference: Northing: 0000 Easting: 000



Photo Description:

5/04/2005 Martin Side elevation

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SITE DETAILS

Lot No.: Lot 2205

Reserv No.: Assess No.: 61042

Dia/Plan: Vol/Fol:

USE OF PLACE

Original Use: Residence
Current Use: Residence

Ownership:

Public Access: No Occupied: Occupied

DESCRIPTION

Walls: Brick Roof: Corrugated Iron

Condition: Good Integrity:

Original fabric: Modifications:

Located immediately south of the Eradu North Road, this house is of brick construction with a hipped corrugated iron roof. The front verandah has been enclosed with brick and there is a brick lean-to at the rear. Windows to the south elevation have feature brick arches over and rendered sills, while there are replacement aluminium framed windows to the north. The roof is punctuated by two simple rendered chimneys.

HISTORY

Construction Date: 1894 Source: Stan Gratte

Architect: Not available **Builder:** Not available

This house was a former Station Master's House which was built in 1894, when the railway line between Geraldton and Mullewa was constructed.

(Source: Stan Gratte)

HISTORIC THEMES

HCWA: 200 Transport and communications

202 Rail and light rail transport

AHC: 8.14 Living in the country and rural settlements

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STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

Cream's House, the former Station Master's House, has some historic significance for its association with the rail transport in the district. Although altered considerably, there is some evidence of the original structure.

MANAGEMENT CATEGORY

Management Category: 4

Level of Significance: SOME SIGNIFICANCE: Contributes to the

heritage and/or historical development of the

locality.

ManagementConservation of the place is desirable. Any proposed change to the place should be in

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OTHER LISTINGS

No other listings

SUPPORTING INFORMATION

Bibliography:

HCWA Database No. 13934.

Halley, E.M. & Wilson, H.H., "Roundabout Geraldton and the Victoria District", reprinted 1978.

OTHER PHOTOS

No other photos

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