

City of Greater Geraldton Municipal Inventory of Heritage Places Place Record

Area: Greenough Place Number: 21 Category: 3

 Assessment Date:
 12/11/1997
 Last Revision Date:
 28/01/2005

 HCWA Number:
 1155
 Asset ID:
 MCH126766

PLACE DETAILS

Name: Delower's Cottage
Other Names: Crowther Road

Type of Place: Ruin

Address: Crowther Road Greenough

LOCATION

Map Geraldton GPS 6797068.00 GPS 276619.000

Reference: S.E. Northing: 0000 Easting: 000



Photo Description:

9/12/2004
Henkel
North elevation of Delower's Cottage

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SITE DETAILS

Lot No.: Lot 1

Reserv No.: 5525 **Assess No.:** 63970

Dia/Plan: Vol/Fol:

USE OF PLACE

Original Use: Residence Current Use: Not in use

Ownership:

Public Access: No Occupied: Not Occupied

DESCRIPTION

Walls: Limestone Roof: Not applicable

Condition: Good Integrity:

Original fabric: Modifications:

2004/05 Review: Located to the west of Crowther Road, approximately 1.5 kilometres south of Phillips Road, this small stone cottage has a corrugated iron hipped roof with a lean-to at the rear. The cottage had a verandah to the front (east) elevation. The front façade is not symmetrical and features rendering around the openings. Note the palm trees to the rear.

HISTORY

Construction Date: 1880 Source: GFF Survey

Architect: Not available Builder: Not available

D.H. Scott took up the title to VL 1001 in 1880. Thomas Bishop farmed the property in the 1880s. In 1904 it was owned by John Bishop and in 1914 by Thomas & John Bishop. (Source: Gary Martin)

HISTORIC THEMES

HCWA: 100 Demographic settlement and mobility

104 Land allocation and subdivision

AHC: 8.14 Living in the country and rural settlements

8.1.1 Playing and watching organised sport

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STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The ruin of Delower's Cottage has local historic significance for its connection with early rural activities of the Front Flats. Further, the place is representative of the small and simple stone buildings which were characteristic of the local farming properties before the turn of the century.

MANAGEMENT CATEGORY

Management Category: 3

Level of Significance: MODERATE SIGNIFICANCE: Important to the

heritage of the locality.

ManagementConservation of the place is recommended. **Recommendation:**Any proposed change to the place should not

unduly impact on the heritage values of the place and should retain significant fabric

wherever feasible.

OTHER LISTINGS

Shire of Greenough - Town Planning Scheme (17), 01/01/1970 National Trust of WA - Classified, 01/01/1970

Australian Heritage Commission - Register, 01/01/1970

SUPPORTING INFORMATION

Bibliography:

HCWA Database No. 1155.

AHC Database No. 009617.

Feilman, M., "Greenough Historical Survey of the Front Flats", 1977 (17). Suba, T., "The Greenough Front Flats Bibliography of Local Sources and

Table of Heritage Places", 1994.

Photographs:

GHS6612 cottage ruin (1969)

OTHER PHOTOS

No other photos

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