

City of Greater Geraldton Municipal Inventory of Heritage Places Place Record

Area: Greenough Place Number: 22 Category: 4

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

 HCWA Number:
 13990
 Asset ID:
 MCH126768

PLACE DETAILS

Name: Ruin

Other Names: Hit or Miss

Type of Place: Ruin

Address: Brand Highway (east side)

Suburb: Greenough

LOCATION

Map Geraldton **GPS** 6798661.00 **GPS** 277784.000

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



Photo Description:

9/12/2004 Henkel Ruins of stone farm buildings

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SITE DETAILS

Lot No.: CG 173

Reserv No.: Assess No.: 63213

Dia/Plan: Vol/Fol:

USE OF PLACE

Original Use: Residence/Outbuildings

Current Use: Not in use

Ownership: City of Geraldton-Greenough

Public Access: No Occupied: Not Occupied

DESCRIPTION

Walls: Brick/Limestone Roof: Not applicable

Condition: Poor **Integrity:**

Original fabric: Modifications:

Located on the east side of Brand Highway, approximately 1.2 kilometres south of Phillips Road is the ruin of "Hit or Miss". The consultants were unable to secure access to the property and therefore the following description is drawn from Feilman, M., "Greenough Historical Survey of the Front Flats":

Ruins of a three-roomed brick cottage which had a front verandah and corrugated iron roof. Nearby are the ruins of stone outbuildings and a well set amongst a cluster of trees.

2004/05 Review: A shed has been built to the rear of the ruins in recent years.

HISTORY

Construction Date: 1860 Source: GFF Survey

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

W. Padbury took up the title to VL 173 in 1862. The place derives it's name because it was the site of an early rifle-range. It was part of Maley's farm that was advertised to let in 1882. C1904-14 the property was owned by

H.K. Maley. (Sources: Gary Martin)

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HISTORIC THEMES

HCWA: 100 Demographic settlement and mobility

104 Land allocation and subdivision

AHC: 8.14 Living in the country and rural settlements

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The ruins of "Hit or Miss" have local significance only as evidence of the rural activities which dominated the development of the Greenough Front Flats.

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

Shire of Greenough - Town Planning Scheme (18), 01/01/1970 National Trust of WA - Recorded, 01/01/1970

SUPPORTING INFORMATION

Bibliography:

Eakins, G.C., "Memoirs of G.C. Eakins," 1976, p.34.

Feilman, M., "Greenough Historical Survey of the Front Flats", 1977 (18).

Suba, T., "The Greenough Front Flats Bibliography of Local Sources and

Table of Heritage Places", 1994.

HCWA Database No. 13989.

OTHER PHOTOS

No other photos

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