

City of Greater Geraldton Municipal Inventory of Heritage Places Place Record

Area: Greenough Place Number: 51 Category: 2

 Assessment Date:
 16/12/1997
 Last Revision Date:
 09/02/2005

 HCWA Number:
 3729
 Asset ID:
 MCH126914

PLACE DETAILS

Name: Temperance Lodge

Other Names: Company Road (west side)

Type of Place: Ruin

Address: Company Road (west side)

Suburb: Greenough

LOCATION

Map Geraldton **GPS** 6794905.00 **GPS** 279789.000

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



Photo Description:

16/09/2004 Henkel Ruins of Temperance Lodge

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SITE DETAILS

Lot No.: Pt. CG 77

Reserv No.: Assess No.: 63789

Dia/Plan: Vol/Fol:

USE OF PLACE

Original Use: Lodge
Current Use: Not in use

Ownership:

Public Access: No Occupied: Not Occupied

DESCRIPTION

Walls: Limestone Roof: Not applicable

Condition: Good Integrity:

Original fabric: Modifications:

Fronting onto Company Road, the Temperance Lodge is located to the south of Gray's Store. The building is of simple rectangular form of a vernacular design. The place is unroofed. Window openings are set high in the walls.

2004/05 Review: Stabilisation work has been undertaken since the last review.

HISTORY

Construction Date: 1861 Source: Palassis

Architect: Not available Builder: Not available

Completed in late 1861 on land donated by Frederick Waldeck and first used as a school, the place had 34 pupils during its first year of operation. It ceased being a school in 1863 and was subsequently used as a meeting place of the Methodist Temperance organisation of the Good Templars. By 1881 it was known locally as the "Certainly Not" because no alcohol was allowed at the social gatherings which took place there. It was later renamed St Catherine's Hall when used by the Anglican Community between 1891 and 1898. Bob Lawrie lived in the building c1908. The building was eventually bought by Mr McAuliffe and was accidently burnt out in the early 1940s.

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(Source: Palassis Architects, "Greenough District Conservation Masterplan", 1995, pp.180 & 213 & Greenough-Walkaway Heritage Trail)

HISTORIC THEMES

HCWA: 100 Demographic settlement and mobility

400 Social and civic activities

406 Religion

AHC: 6.2 Establishing schools

education

8.6.2 Maintaining religious traditions and ceremonies

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The Temperance Lodge ruin has considerable historic significance for its connection to the early development of educational and social activities on the Greenough Flats, in particular for its association with the Wesleyan Community. Despite being a ruin, the place makes an important contribution to the built environment of the Greenough Flats.

MANAGEMENT CATEGORY

Management Category: 2

Level of Significance: CONSIDERABLE SIGNIFICANCE: Very important

to the heritage of the locality.

Management Conservation of the place is highly

Recommendation: recommended. Any proposed change 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 (45), 01/01/1970

National Trust of WA - Recorded, 01/01/1970

Australian Heritage Commission - Register, 01/01/1970

Heritage Council of WA - Register, 01/01/1970

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SUPPORTING INFORMATION

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Suba, T., "The Greenough Front Flats Bibliography of Local Sources and Table of Heritage Places", 1994.

Palassis Architects, "Greenough District Conservation Masterplan", 1995.

"Tempernce Lodge", Trust News, Vol. 207, June 2000, pp.4-6.

HCWA Database No. 3729.

OTHER PHOTOS

No other photos

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