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# John Daniel's Ironmongery Warehouse (former)



186 Moorabool Street,  
Geelong

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## Location

186 Moorabool Street, GEELONG VIC 3220 - Property No 216404

## Municipality

GREATER GEELONG CITY

## Level of significance

Incl in HO area indiv sig

## Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO1637

HO1058

## Heritage Listing

Greater Geelong City

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## Statement of Significance

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STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

Historically, among the earliest stone warehouse in Geelong and closely associated with John Daniel, a prominent Geelong 19th Century businessman. Architecturally, it possesses a rare detailing and distinctive stonework.

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| Heritage Study/Consultant | Greater Geelong - Geelong Region Historic Buildings and Objects Study, Allan Willingham, 1986; Greater Geelong - Geelong City Urban Conservation Study, Volumes 2-5, Graeme Butler, 1991; Greater Geelong - Geelong City Urban Conservation Study Volume 1, Graeme Butler, 1993; Greater Geelong - Geelong City Urban Conservation Study, Volume 4(a), Helen Lardner, 1995; |
| Heritage Act Categories   | Registered place,   |
| Hermes Number             | 19996   |
| Property Number           |   |

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## Physical Description 1

### DESCRIPTION

Still possessing the delicate timber detailing (gable fascia) which is often absent from the usually otherwise austere warehouse buildings, this store also demonstrates the use of both basalt (walls) and local sandstone (dressing). It also retains the broad wagon archway, upper-level loading doors, gantry and arched lower openings. Where the basalt is coursed regular and rough-axed, the sandstone is left quarry-faced, accentuating the power of the design and the utility of the building type.

### External Integrity

Parapets have been added to the side, along with box-sumps and down pipes and opening details (loading doors) have changed in part. The adjoining warehouses cover the fine stone-work at the corners.

### Streetscape

Relates closely to the store at the rear of 200 Moorabool Street and at a distance, to Strong's factory in Baylie Place North.

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