
Lynwood



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Location

30 Gray Street HAMILTON, Southern Grampians Shire

Municipality

SOUTHERN GRAMPIANS SHIRE

Level of significance

Stage 2 study complete

Heritage Listing

Southern Grampians Shire

Statement of Significance

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SIGNIFICANCE: »One of the earliest substantial residences in Hamilton, this house is in the elegant Colonial style with a verandah on three sides. It was extended in the Federation period on the east side.

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This house is of regional significance for its architectural interest as one of the earliest substantial buildings in Hamilton and for its historical associations with a number of distinguished local medical men such as Dr William

Stevenson, chemist (c1822-1855), Dr T Wylie, surgeon, and Dr Walter Scott, physician. Hamilton's doctors were responsible for the erection of some of Hamilton's largest and most elegant houses. ([i]) Constructed in 1866 or earlier for Stevenson, ([ii]) Lynwood was occupied in the late 1860s and early 1870s by Wylie and Scott. ([iii]) From the late 1870s, Lynwood was owned by schoolteacher, and, briefly, Liberal parliamentarian, John Sarjeant (1845-1895). ([iv]) Notable features of the building include the old iron roof over shingles, the simple verandah, tuck pointed bluestone, shutters on French doors and the stables at the rear. The building was extended on the east side in the Federation period. Stylistically it can also be compared with The Manor House at 4 Dryden Street, built about the same time and with the same form and materials. Lynwood remains substantially intact and in good condition.

[i] Garden, Don, *Hamilton*, p 92.

[ii] *Hamilton Rate Book 1866*, No. 207 (house and stables, NAV 110 pounds).

[iii] *Ibid.*, 1867, No. 211, 1870, No. 215.

[iv] Garden, Don, *Hamilton*, pp 79-90; *Hamilton Rate Book 1877*, No. 236.

Heritage Study/Consultant	Southern Grampians - City of Hamilton Conservation Study, Timothy Hubbard with Carlotta Kellaway & Michael Looker (plus Francis Punch), 1991;
Construction dates	1866,
Hermes Number	24305
Property Number	

Physical Description 1

MATERIALS:

Roof: »corrugated iron

Walls: »bluestone & brick

Dressings: »

Plinth: »bluestone

Windows: »timber casements

Paving: »concrete

Other: »shingles under iron roof timber verandah floor & columns

Physical Description 2

NOTABLE FEATURES:»old iron roof over shingles, simple verandah, tuck pointed old iron roof over shingles, simple verandah, tuck pointed bluestone, shutters on French doors. Stable at rear.

Integrity

INTEGRITY:G

CONDITION:G

Historical Australian Themes

Evolution of the Town: 1860s

Health: Doctors & Chemists

Education

Notable people

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