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# Former Levicks & Piper - Wholesale Ironmongers Warehouse



B0458 Austral Grain

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## Location

46 King Street,, MELBOURNE VIC 3000 - Property No B458

## Municipality

MELBOURNE CITY

## Level of significance

State

## Victorian Heritage Register (VHR) Number

H0431

## Heritage Listing

National Trust

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## Statement of Significance

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The former warehouse is constructed in bluestone. It has two floors and extensive cellars. The architect was Leonard Terry and the building was erected in 1859 for Messrs. Levicks and Piper, wholesale ironmongers. This is one of the oldest and finest bluestone warehouses in the CBD. It is one of the few survivors of a large number of solidly constructed warehouses which owed their existence to the presence of wharves on the Yarra nearby. The King Street arcade is a fine example of the conservative classic style of Leonard Terry and expresses the office and trading aspects of the building. The more utilitarian rear elevation with arched window

and door openings and deep keystones is equally distinctive.

Classified: 'Regional'

Revised: 03/08/1988

Other Names Grain Store Tavern, Austral Grain, Austral Grain & Ambler Pty Ltd,

Hermes Number 65179

Property Number

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