# Former Crone's buildings, rear Store/Stables over drain, 80-84 Napier Street, ST ARNAUD



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#### Location

80-84 Napier Street ST ARNAUD, NORTHERN GRAMPIANS SHIRE

## Municipality

NORTHERN GRAMPIANS SHIRE

#### Level of significance

Recommended for Heritage Overlay

### **Heritage Listing**

Northern Grampians Shire

#### Statement of Significance

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The timber store/stables at the rear of 80-84 Napier Street, St Arnaud, is **aesthetically** significant at a **LOCAL** level. The building demonstrates design qualities of the Victorian vernacular style. These intact qualities include the gable roof form with loft door, gable roof and gantry beam, the timber cladding and louvre window openings. The siting of the building as a bridge over the a drain contributes to the aesthetic significance of the building as does its relationship to the butchers' shop and dwelling on the same property.

The timber store/stables at the rear of 80-84 Napier Street, St Arnaud, is **historically** significant at a **LOCAL** level. It is associated with the commercial development of St Arnaud in the early twentieth century and with the

Crone's butchering business. The building is also historically significant for its association with the use of horses for transport in business.

Overall, the timber store/stables at the rear of 80-84 Napier Street, St Arnaud, is of LOCAL significance.

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## **Physical Description 1**

The rectangular timber building is built over the St Arnaud creek which runs parallel with Napier Street. The building is built right to the lane boundary. The buildings has a gable roof clad in corrugated steel. A small intersecting gable covers the loft door and supports a gantry beam for lifting chaff onto or off drays for storage and distribution. The walls are clad in square edged weatherboards. The openings are screened with timber louvres. There are five square openings at the lower level facing the lane. A narrow door appears to have been introduced on this elevation. The building has a slatted floor which was reputed to be to allow for the sweeping out of any muck directly in the creek running below.

This place/object may be included in the Victorian Heritage Register pursuant to the Heritage Act 2017. Check the Victorian Heritage Database, selecting 'Heritage Victoria' as the place source.

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