

Victorian Heritage Database Report

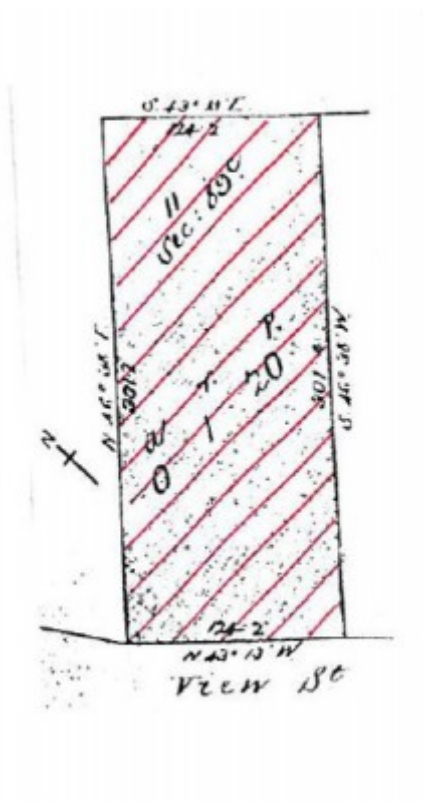
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DUDLEY HOUSE



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Location

60 VIEW STREET BENDIGO, Greater Bendigo City

Municipality

GREATER BENDIGO CITY

Level of significance

Registered

Victorian Heritage Register (VHR) Number

H0793

Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO272

VHR Registration

June 27, 1990

Heritage Listing

Victorian Heritage Register

Statement of Significance

Last updated on - July 1, 1999

Dudley House was one of the first government offices erected in Bendigo's Camp Hill area following the discovery of gold in 1851. It was constructed in 1858-1859 by building contractors Gretch and Cooper for the public works department and served as the residence and office for Bendigo's first surveyor, Richard Larritt. The building is one of the earliest and most intact 1850s buildings remaining in the central administrative and commercial precinct of Bendigo. Its stables were built in 1863 and the property was known as Dudley house from the 1890s. Its significance is summarized as follows:

- 1) Dudley house is one of the earliest and the most intact government buildings surviving in Bendigo from the early gold-rush era of Melbourne.
- 2) Architecturally, the modest exterior detail reflects the style of early government building prior to the opulent styles of later decades.
- 3) The buildings were the office and residence for the government district surveyor, Richard Larritt, responsible for Bendigo's present street layout.

Construction dates	1858,
Heritage Act Categories	Registered place,
Other Names	FORMER DISTRICT LANDS OFFICE,
Hermes Number	146

Property Number

History

Associated People: Tenant RICHARD LARRITT;

Extent of Registration

AMENDMENT OF REGISTER OF HISTORIC BUILDINGS

Historic Building No. 793.

Dudley House, 60 View Street, Bendigo.

(To the extent of all buildings land shown in the Register Book Certificate of Title Volume 4618 Folio 531).

[*Victoria Government Gazette* No. G25 27 June 1990 p.1971]

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