
Residence

Location

46 Skene Street, NEWTOWN VIC 3220 - Property No 205153

Municipality

GREATER GEELONG CITY

Level of significance

Incl in HO area indiv sig

Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO1623

Heritage Listing

Greater Geelong City

Statement of Significance

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STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

A characteristic Edwardian timber house built in 1913 for working class owners. It is architecturally significant locally as representative of this domestic style and historically as embodying comfortable working class life in the prosperous years immediately prior to the Great War in Newtown.

INTACTNESS: Very good.

CONDITIONS & THREATS: Very good

Heritage Study/Consultant	Greater Geelong - Geelong Region Historic Buildings and Objects Study, Allan Willingham, 1986; Greater Geelong - City of Newtown Urban Conservation Study, Context Pty Ltd, 1991; Greater Geelong - City of Newtown Urban Conservation Study, Richard Peterson, 1997;
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Physical Description 1

A triple-fronted timber Edwardian hipped roof house. The left bay is set forward as a gable and right rear side bay also projects. The verandah returns with a rectangular bay and a gable on the splay at the angle. Its valance is palisade, with tulip fretwork pairs and catenary-curved at the splay and side rear. Brackets are fretwork, posts have an unusual flush bead.

The left window has a large hipped hood on four elaborate fretwork tulip ogee brackets. It is a triple sash and projects on ogee brackets. There are two small segmental head leadlight windows under the verandah. Gables have pressed metal curlicue finials. Chimneys have a frieze and corbelled tops with terracotta pots. Upper gables are timbered, with pressed metal roughcast pattern.

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