# Residence



40 Albert Street, Geelong West



Source: GRS1160, Geelong Heritage Centre, c.1981 -85.

#### Location

40-42 Albert Street, GEELONG WEST VIC 3218 - Property No 205894

## Municipality

**GREATER GEELONG CITY** 

## Level of significance

Incl in HO area not sig

## **Heritage Overlay Numbers**

HO1960

## **Heritage Listing**

**Greater Geelong City** 

## **Statement of Significance**

Last updated on -

Not Significant - However is situated within Heritage Precinct

#### STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

40 Albert Street is a single fronted house which has been beautifully decorated with a most unusual design and technique for the period of construction. Another house in Geelong West with a similar decorative technique is 170 Aberdeen Street but the design is quiet different. It is of local significance.

#### POLICY/RECOMMENDATIONS: GRPS

#### REFERENCES:

Sands & McDougall Directories, 1912, 1916, 1920, 1928.

Heritage Study/Consultant Greater Geelong - Ashby Heritage Review, D Rowe and W Jacobs, 2010;

Heritage Act Categories Registered place,

Hermes Number 16687

**Property Number** 

## **Physical Description 1**

This is a single fronted house with a recessed entrance porch on the east side. The front room has a projecting gable end which forms a verandah. The front elevation is highly decorative. The tympanum is on the main wall and includes stylized quoining, and all decorations below the casement windows. The verandah valance is a most unusual design of long, slender, straight vertical timbers and eight short horizontal ones. Below this is a solid piece of timber which forms an arch with a small trefoil cut out of each end. Similar valence decoration can be seen at No 8 The Esplanade South circa 1900.

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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