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# Richard Ward House



20104 226 Myer St

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## Location

226 Myers Street, GEELONG VIC 3220 - Property No 216693

## Municipality

GREATER GEELONG CITY

## Level of significance

Incl in HO area indiv sig

## Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO1644

## Heritage Listing

Greater Geelong City

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## Statement of Significance

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### STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

Historically, little is known of the owners and occupiers, with the exception of the Golightly family of building tradesmen who left few, if any, changes to the building exterior but otherwise, an example of housing from the

immediate post gold boom in Geelong.

Architecturally, typical of early Geelong housing with surviving verandah details.

## REFERENCE

RGO SNO42793; RB 1854-5, 795-6.

VB 1865-6; VB 1860, 401-2

D 1910-61; VB 1860, 401-2

See Queenscliff Conservation Study

Heritage Study/Consultant Greater Geelong - Geelong Region Historic Buildings and Objects Study Volume 2, Allan Willingham, 1986; Greater Geelong - Geelong City Urban Conservation Study, Volumes 2-5, Graeme Butler, 1991; Greater Geelong - Geelong City Urban Conservation Study Volume 1, Graeme Butler, 1993; Greater Geelong - Geelong City Urban Conservation Study, Volume 4(a), Helen Lardner, 1995;

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## Physical Description 1

### DESCRIPTION

Like 220 Myers Street, this house is entered from the side, despite the symmetry of its front elevation. A simple hipped roof form, pitched over two rooms, with rear skillion, bears the mark of a former chimney central to the ridge. The concave roof verandah, with slender stop chamfered posts minus valence brackets and the multi-paned windows are further early details.

### External Integrity

Added rooms at the rear of the skillion, anew fence which relates in part to the early fence types and removal of the chimney are the major changes.

### Streetscape

This house and 220 Myers Street, must have stood alone for many years, with adjoining Edwardian and Bungalow era housing nevertheless supporting it in form, materials and siting.

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