# Victorian Heritage Database Report

# HOUSE



18 Aberfeldie Street.JPG



Moonee Valley Heritage Review 1998

## Location

18 ABERFELDIE STREET,, ESSENDON VIC 3040 - Property No 193324

#### **Municipality**

MOONEE VALLEY CITY

#### Level of significance

Included in Heritage Overlay

#### **Heritage Overlay Numbers**

HO144

#### **Heritage Listing**

Moonee Valley City

#### **Statement of Significance**

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The house at no.18 Aberfeldie Street was built between 1888 and 1891, by which time it was occupied by Charles Harris. It is important as a surviving villa representative of the development spawned by the "Aberfeldie Estate" subdivision of 1888 and compares with other similar houses in this respect. Its association with Edward H. Kinnear of Kinnear's Rope Works in Footscray is of interest, Kinnears' being one of the four Victorian manufacturers of rope products since last century.

## **Physical Description 1**

A richly ornamented single storey asymmetrical Italianate villa on a bluestone plinth with projecting faceted bay window to the wing, coupled cabled verandah columns and a cast iron frieze with hipped slate roof. The corner verandah terminated on the south side by a wing with a curved window bay and there is anearty shade house alongside.

#### Integrity

Conditiori: Sound. Integrity: High' (exterior), recently depainted, gates manufactured by Hill and Smith, "Brierley Hill".

#### **Historical Australian Themes**

4. Building settlements, towns and cities. 4.1.2. Making suburbs (Essendon).

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