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# House



106 Barnard St, Bendigo

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## Location

106 BARNARD STREET, BENDIGO - PROPERTY NUMBER 171694, GREATER BENDIGO CITY

## Municipality

GREATER BENDIGO CITY

## Level of significance

Included in Heritage Overlay

## Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO86

## Heritage Listing

Greater Bendigo City

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## Statement of Significance

Last updated on - September 1, 2023

### What is significant?

### How is it significant?

### Why is it significant?

Architecturally, the house is an highly ornamented and distinctively sited example of an otherwise common style and type. It is among the best of the timber medium-scaled Italianate villas in Bendigo - of local importance.

Landscape, the garden remnants contribute to the site but are typical only.

Historically, associated for a brief period with a locally prominent produce merchant and sited close to his McCrae Street business: of local interest.

Heritage Study/Consultant	Greater Bendigo - Eaglehawk & Bendigo Heritage Study, Graeme Butler & Associates, 1993;
Construction dates	1893,
Architect/Designer	Beebe, William,
Other Names	Valverde,
Hermes Number	31679
Property Number	

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## Physical Description 1

Designed in a rich Italianate villa style the house is set well back from Barnard Street behind an ornamental timber picket fence. The Barnard Street face is of timber ashlar-pattern boarding, while the Hope Street walls are the typical square-edge weatherboard. The convex-profile verandah is fitted with ornate cast-iron frieze balustrading and fan-shaped brackets and the dentilation under the gutter moulding survives. Above the verandah is more rich detail, including the roof gablet, gabled roof vents, cemented chimneys, eaves brackets and eaves entablature friezes. Further ornament has been applied around the openings facing Barnard Street. The design is thought to be from William Beebe.[1]

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## Reference

[1] M Butcher - draft p.6

## Integrity

External - Parts of the verandah balustrade and side paling fence have been removed

## Physical Description 2

Landscape - Some mature planting with more recent overlay includes privet hedge.

Formal garden layout with central concrete path coloured red terminating in quarry tile pavement at house; bitumen semi-circular path at ornamental woven wire gate on street; timber picket fence. Garden beds around house altered but some planting remnants include *Pittosporum* hedge and loquat.

## Physical Description 3

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