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Location

18 Stanley Street ELSTERNWICK, Glen Eira City

Municipality

GLEN EIRA CITY

Level of significance

Included in Heritage Overlay

Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO140

Heritage Listing

Glen Eira City

Statement of Significance

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"St Elvins" is situated at no 18 Stanley Street, Elsternwick and was built in 1917-18 for the Queen Street wheat broker, Colin Wood. It is aesthetically significant.

It is aesthetically significant (Criterion E) for its capacity to demonstrate the picturesque qualities of the Arts and Crafts mode around the time of the Great War, hallmarks including the use of symmetry, dominant gabled roof forms and a pre-occupation with the aesthetic qualities of materials including in this instance, rough cast, terra cotta, timber and glass. This importance is enhanced by the high level of integrity of the place.

Heritage Glen Eira - City of Glen Eira Heritage Management Plan, Andrew Ward,

Study/Consultant Architectural Historian, 1996;

Other Names "St Elvins",

Hermes Number 35420

Property Number

Physical Description 1

A substantial Arts and Crafts villa with dominant attic storey, transverse gable and subordinate axially placed facade gable having a shingled end treatment with Arts and Crafts influenced windows and balustrade, now glazed in. There are symmetrically placed lean to dormer windows either side of the front gable end balanced by chimneys and ground level window bays either side of the central recessed entry. The west end gable end treatment is enriched with half timbering, shingles and a subordinate gable end with chimney at the apex in the Arts and Crafts manner. The rough cast walls are reiterated in the front fence which has tapered pillars connected by railings, original ornamental metal vehicle and pedestrian gates and the house name on the main gate pillars.

Physical Description 2

Intregrity: High, includes fence and gates and rear garage. Balcony glazed in.

Physical Description 3

Condition: sound

Historical Australian Themes

Caulfield's Post Federation suburban expansion

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