
Timber outbuilding

Location

462-550 Lake Road, CONNEWARRE VIC 3227 - Property No 231560

Municipality

GREATER GEELONG CITY

Level of significance

Incl in HO area indiv sig

Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO1715

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The cottage at 462 Lake Road is **aesthetically** significant at a **LOCAL** level. It demonstrates original design qualities of the Victorian vernacular style. These qualities include the unpainted galvanised corrugated iron roof, horizontal weatherboard wall cladding, narrow eaves, unpainted brick and corbelled chimney, front skillion verandah?, symmetrically arranged timber framed double hung windows, and central doorway.

The outbuilding at 462 Lake Road is **aesthetically** significant at a **LOCAL** level. It demonstrates some original design qualities of the interwar Vernacular style. These qualities include the unpainted galvanised corrugated iron gable roof, unpainted brick walls and unpainted brick chimney. The substantial 19th century cypress trees also contribute to the aesthetic significance of the place.

The timber cottage and brick outbuilding at 462 Lake Road are **historically** significant at a **LOCAL** level. They

are associated with the farm of the Polly family from the mid 19th century.

Overall, the timber cottage and brick outbuilding at 462 Lake Road are of **LOCAL** significance.

References

1. Parish of Connewarre maps, 5 October, 1878, 7 December, 1903, & undated, Geelong Historical Records Centre.
2. Pescott, *South Barwon 1857-1985*, p.131.
3. Shire of South Barwon Rate Books, 1883-84, 1887-88, 1893-94, 1909-10, 1914-15, 1923-24, 1934-35, 1942-43.

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Physical Description 1

This site at 462 Lake Road is comprised of a timber cottage, brick outbuilding and substantial cypress trees. The symmetrical, single storey, horizontal weatherboard Victorian vernacular cottage is characterised by a hipped roof and a front skillion verandah. These roof forms are clad in unpainted galvanised corrugated iron. An early unpainted brick and corbelled chimney adorns the roofline. Narrow overhangs are a feature of the eaves. The early timber framed double hung windows are symmetrically arranged about a central early timber doorway. The single storey, brick, interwar vernacular outbuilding at the rear of the timber cottage is characterised by a gable roof form clad in unpainted galvanised corrugated iron and an unpainted brick chimney adorns the roofline.

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