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former harp inn packington street
geelong west front view apr1997



former harp inn packington street
geelong west verandah view publication



former harp inn packington street
geelong west side view jul1984



former harp inn packington street
geelong west rear view

Location

22 PAKINGTON STREET GEELONG WEST, Greater Geelong City

Municipality

GREATER GEELONG CITY

Level of significance

Registered

Victorian Heritage Register (VHR) Number

H0585

Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO337

VHR Registration

March 6, 1985

Heritage Listing

Victorian Heritage Register

Statement of Significance

Last updated on - June 24, 1999

The Former Harp inn was constructed in 1848 or earlier and is therefore one of the oldest buildings in Victoria. It was one of several inns servicing the villages of Newtown and Ashby on the outskirts of Geelong. It drew much of its trade from the nearby stockyards. The inn remained licensed until the early 1860's. The licensee was listed as Michael or Jeremiah Loughnan (probably the same person). He established a new hotel, The Telegraph, which superseded the Harp. The building then became a residence and was extended soon after.

The new rooms with typical bay windows replaced the courtyard and a service wing. With the extension the former inn remains substantially intact. Outhouses at the rear have been demolished. The form and detail of the building are typical of its early date and relate more to New South Wales and Tasmanian architectural development. The former inn is important as a rare survivor of the pre-gold rush period.

[Source: Historic Buildings Council]

Construction dates	1848,
Heritage Act Categories	Registered place,
Hermes Number	547
Property Number	

Extent of Registration

AMENDMENT OF REGISTER OF HISTORIC BUILDINGS

Historic Building No. 585 Former Harp Inn, 22 Pakington Street, Geelong West (to the extent of the whole of the building whole of the Title Volume 5106 Folio 021).

[*Victoria Government Gazette* No. 16 6 March 1985 pp. 588-589]

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