
SHOP & RESIDENCE



189 Union Road.JPG

Location

189 UNION ROAD,, ASCOT VALE VIC 3032 - Property No 226851

Municipality

MOONEE VALLEY CITY

Level of significance

Included in Heritage Overlay

Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO288

Heritage Listing

Moonee Valley City

Statement of Significance

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The Shop and residence at no. 189 Union Road, Ascot Vale is understood to have been built in 1880 and was occupied in that year by Misses Carr and Starr as a drapery. It is aesthetically important. This importance (Criterion A) is derived from its capacity to demonstrate the stylistic transition between the Italianate facades of the Boom period and the then new Queen Anne mode, with its dependence on the use of red brick and Elizabethan influenced forms. The exceptionally rich ornamentation is unusual in the Municipality whilst the pedimented treatment is especially representative of the Queen Anne period.

Heritage Study/Consultant	Moonee Valley - City of Moonee Valley Heritage Study, Andrew Ward, 1998;
Construction dates	1890,
Hermes Number	24271
Property Number	

Physical Description 1

A richly decorated Queen Anne two storeyed shop and residence with red body bricks and abundant cement ornamentation including fluted architraves and aedicules to the round arched window, a balustraded parapet with urns and an arrangement of pediments in the centre highly expressive of the Queen Anne mode and its Elizabethan influenced forbears.

Integrity

Condition: Sound. Integrity: Medium, posted verandah and shop front replaced.

Historical Australian Themes

Thematic Context

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

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