

BUILDING TITLE METHODIST HALL, BARKLY STREET
LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREA CITY OF BALLAARAT

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NATIONAL ESTATE PROJECT No.
DOCUMENTATION OF LISTED HISTORIC BUILDINGS IN VICTORIA

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BUILDING TYPE CHURCH HALL
BUILDING NAME METHODIST HALL
STATE VICTORIA
LOCAL GOVT AREA CITY OF BALLAARAT
STREET BARKLY No.
SUBURB/TOWN BALLARAT EAST
CITY BALLAARAT POSTCODE 3350
RURAL
NEAREST CENTRE Km.

TITLE REFERENCE Vol Fol
DIRECTORY
NEGATIVE FILE FILM 61/FRAME 12

PHOTOGRAPHIC ILLUSTRATION
DATE OF SURVEY/INSPECTION JULY 1978



OWNERSHIP ORIGINAL
PRESENT UNITING CHURCH IN AUSTRALIA
ADDRESS

ARCHITECT/PRACTICE
BUILDER
ARTISANS/TRADES

TENDERS
DATE OF CONSTRUCTION
ESTIMATE/CONTRACT VALUE
ALTERATIONS/ADDITIONS

REFERENCE

BUILDING CITATION

This timber church hall is of unusual form and detail. The central gable section is raised to allow for clerestory windows along each side with skillion roofs flanking it on each side giving a Basilician form of cross-section. The weatherboard cladding is of unusual profile best described as rebated bullnosed bead edging. Over the central of the three doors is a small timber pediment with the flanking doors having classical cornice doorheads. Over the central doorway is a quite elaborate tripartite window of a modified Palladian design. The window lights are separated by panelled pilasters and above the side lights are two panels of classical vase and anthemian motifs, surmounted by a classical cornice windowhead. The window surmounts four foliated scroll consoles.

The church hall is part of a group with the adjacent church and parsonage and is an important element of Barkly Street.

RECOMMENDATIONS

It is recommended that this building be added to the Register of the National Estate, and be specified under Clause 2 of the Town and Country Planning Act (Third Schedule).

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THIRD OF SEPTEMBER

BIBLIOGRAPHY

ASSESSMENT OF LISTING
CONDITION/INTEGRITY OF BUILDING SUBSTANTIALLY INTACT
SIGNIFICANCE OF BUILDING
LANDSCAPE/STREETSCAPE/ENVIRONMENTAL SIGNIFICANCE

DOCUMENTATION JACOBS LEWIS VINES DATE SEPTEMBER 1976
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