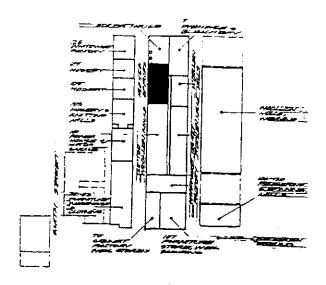
Building 150 - 154 Oxford Street





Allotment Reference

National Trust Register

National Estate Register

Historic Buildings Council Register

Location within Precinct

Photograph Date:

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Under consideration

Recommended

Registered

Collingwood Slope

30.3.1988

Grantee

S.A. Donaldson

Original Owner

Fov & Gibson Ptv. Ltd.

Present Owner

Original Use

Offices for Woollen Mills

Present Use

Offices of The Pratt Group, and Willows.

Construction Date:

1906-8 RB

Architect

probably William Pitt

Builder

Description

Formed from two separate buildings, the Oxford Street facade has a north section with two storeys plus semi basement, with 4 bays and is symmetrical about a raised parapetted section (Foy & Gibson Pty. Ltd.). The south section is also symmetrical in a similar manner, but has 6 bays to Oxford Street with 2 levels plus basement. The facade windows throughout are recent, the buildings conforming in other respects with standard Foy and Gibson details.

Condition

Good

Integrity

Fair, "The Pratt Group" entry is intrusive.

History

Built on the site of houses these buildings were commenced in 1906 (1907 RB) and completed by 1908 (1909RB).

Significance

The former F & G offices for Woollen Mills at 150-154 Oxford Street form an integral part of the Oxford Street streetscape and are important also for their probable link with William Pitt, architect and City of Collingwood councillor.

Recommendations

Recommended for inclusion on the National Estate . Register and for

Planning Scheme protection.

References

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