

South Australian
Heritage Act 1978-80:

HERITAGE SURVEY

REGION 6 :
SOUTH EAST

ITEM IDENTIFICATION SHEET

Item No. : NAR:006

ITEM NAME: Council Office and Front Fence

Former or other names: Commercial Bank of South Australia

LOCATION:

Address: De Garis Place,
Naracoorte

Allotment:

Section :

Hundred : Naracoorte

County : Robe

L.G.A. : Naracoorte

S.H.P. Region: 6

A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N: 5909800

E: 476850

TYPE OF ITEM:

Description: Council Offices

Subject: 3.03

Period: 1880-1890

Date: 1884

Condition: Well Kept

Architect:

Builder:

STATUS State Heritage List: Registered

National Estate : Listed

National Trust : Classified

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: State

Description:

Random coursed limestone with elaborate dressed quoins, surrounds and parapet. Rock faced plinth. Detailed decorative stonework 'capitals' below parapet frieze. Elegant screen arched screen door to main entrance foyer/porch. Stone plumes above parapet. Double hung sash windows, some with semicircular fanlights. Intricate wrought iron front fence. Classical building with symmetrical front elevation.

Built in 1884 for the Commercial Bank of South Australia, to be used as a bank and residence. Soon went out of business. Bought as a private home by Park Laurie, who named it 'Winderar'. Passed to Lucas De Garis, and the the Council bought it from his family in 1964.

Report Text:

REFERENCES: J. Murdoch & H. Parker, "History of Naracoorte" pp. 81, 120

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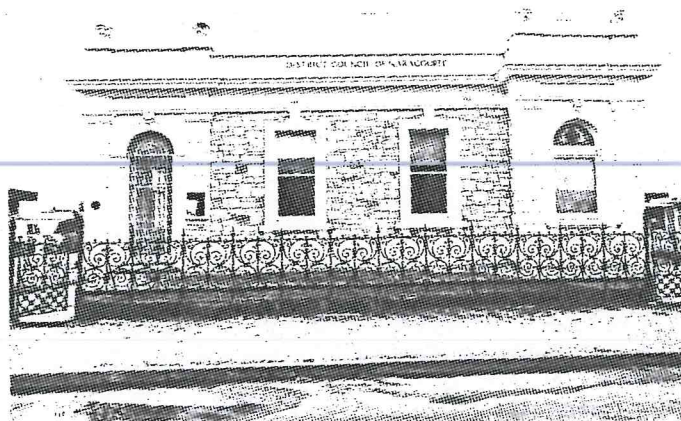
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COUNCIL OFFICE

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