

Archaeological Site Report	SiteNo	9/2/050/0011
	Site Name	Stead Wing, Kaffrarian Museum, Alexandra Road,
	Date	King William's Town
	Project	
	CaseNID	
	Coords	-32.877380, 27.391566
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Site Category: Building

Directions:

HIGH LANDMARK VALUE. PART OF THE HISTORICAL CENTRE OF THE TOWN. BUILDING BUILT ON THE BUILDING LINE.

SiteComments:

Archive Import History: This building was first occupied in 1877 and accommodated various Government departments. The building has an imposing clock tower with a memorial clock, which was installed in memory of John Brownlee, first missionary and founder of King William's Town. Visual Description: SQUARE SHAPED BUILDING WITH INTERIOR COURTYARD BELOW A RIDGED AND HIPPED ROOF WITH 3 CHIMNEY STACKS VISIBLE. THE STRAIGHT ROOFED FRONT VERANDAH IS SUPPORTED BY TIMBER COLUMNSON A STONE BASE AND FINISHED OFF WITH CAST IRON BALUSTRADES. THE ENTRANCE IS FORMED BY DOUBLE TIMBER DOORS WITH A STRAIGHT FANLIGHT ABOVE. FENESTRATION MAKES USE OF 4 PANE SASH WINDOWS WITH ARCHED FANLIGHTS. RAISED PLASTER MOULDINGS SURROUND THE WINDOWS. 3 CHIMNEY STACKS VISIBLE ON THE ROOF. Colours: Site Features: Condition: EXCELLENT Construction Date: 1877c Materials: CORRUGATED IRON ROOF ON STONE WALLS Catalogue: Frescura, 1987 (a), No: 018, Significance Category:

Damage Types: