

Archaeological Site Report	SiteNo	9/2/003/0045
	Site Name	Observatory Museum, 10 Bathurst Street,
	Date	Grahamstown
	Project	
	CaseNID	
	Coords	-33.309942, 26.529205

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Site Category: Building

SiteComments:

Archive Import History: This building is unique in structure and was used by Henry Carter Galpin, watchmaker and jeweller, as a home and business premises soon after his arrival in Grahamstown in 1849. In 1880 Galpin installed a camera obscura in the turret of the building. Visual Description: Front facade has balustraded parapet and cornice. Hood moulds plus panels to first floor windows. Plastered ashlar below. Fine 1880'S facade. Complex building behind. Colours: Site Features: Condition: Good Construction Date: 1840s;1880s Materials: Catalogue: Radford 1989 (a), No: F.04, Significance Category:

Damage Types: