**Location:**
274 Latrobe Terrace, NEWTOWN VIC 3220 - Property No 202410

**Heritage Status / Level of Significance:**
Individually Significant

**Heritage Overlay Numbers:** HO1622, HO90

**Listing Authority:** Greater Geelong City

**Precinct:**
Latrobe Terrace Heritage Area

**Statement of Significance:**
B Listed - Regional Significance

**STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE**

‘Allington’, a two storey dichromatic brick villa erected in 1872 for Dr. William Shaw, is an unusual Victorian eclectic composition largely based upon Italianate traditions. It incorporates stylistic trends first apparent in the architecture of the villa, ‘Belle Ville’ in Ryrie Street, by architects Davidson and Henderson, and built in 1870 for Shaw’s medical contemporary Dr. David Boswell Reid. Dr. William Shaw alone and in partnership with his brother, Dr. Foster Shaw, made a significant contribution to the medical and public welfare of Geelong. The villa is notable work of distinguished architect, Joseph Lowe Shaw.

References

Geelong Advertiser, 16th March, 1872, tender notice 24th August, 1872, tender for Servants Offices, stabling.

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