



City of Greater Geraldton  
Municipal Inventory of Heritage Places  
Place Record

Area: Mullewa	Place Number: 47	Category: 4
Assessment Date: 10/02/1995	Last Revision Date: 13/03/2012	
HCWA Number: 5100	Asset ID: MCH127068	

PLACE DETAILS

Name:	Tardun Store Fmr
Other Names:	39 Drummond Road
Type of Place:	Fmr Store
Address:	39 Drummond Road
Suburb:	Tardun

LOCATION

Map	Eradu S.W.	GPS	378073.960	GPS	6814270.63
Reference:		Northing:	000	Easting:	0000



Photo Description:

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Front (west) elevation of the Tardun Store Fmr.

## SITE DETAILS

Lot No.:	Lot 9	Assess No.:	675
Reserv No.:		Vol/Fol:	1013/213
Dia/Plan:	152182		

## USE OF PLACE

Original Use:	Store	Occupied:	Possibly Occupied
Current Use:	Not in use		
Ownership:			
Public Access:	Restricted		

## DESCRIPTION

Walls:	CGI, Concrete block & Fibro	Roof:	CGI
Condition:	Fair	Integrity:	
Original fabric:	Twin gable section		
Modifications:	Multiple additions over time.		

Located on the eastern side of the railway and immediately fronting Railway Parade, all that remains of the original Tardun Store is what was the northern section of the building. This remnant timber framed building is clad with corrugated iron sheeting to the side walls while the frontage features a combination of shadow line sheeting and concrete bricks to window sill height. A shallow pitched awning provides some protection to the building's front elevation.

## HISTORY

Construction Date:	1920	Source:	1995 MI
Architect:	Not available		
Builder:	Not available		

Following the opening of the Wongan Hills railway to Mullewa in March 1915, the Tardun district developed rapidly. Much of the surrounding land was settled and a hall was constructed for the local community. The original store at Tardun is believed to have been opened in the 1920s. Since 2000 the building has rapidly deteriorated and the southern section collapsed and was removed.

## HISTORIC THEMES

HCWA:	308 Commercial services and industries
	300 Occupations
AHC:	3.19 Marketing and retailing