

CITY AND COUNTY OF SWANSEA

LISTED BUILDING	Maritime and Industrial Museum, Museum Square, South Dock
Grade:-	II
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National Grid Reference:-	6587092620
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Notes:-

On north quayside of South Dock, close to end of Burrows Place. Former dock warehouse.

After 1897, recent alterations for museum. Red brick, slate roofs.

Long two-storey elevation facing South Dock. Pilaster treatment, double pilasters four-bays from west (where small extension added?); plinth and eaves course with diagonal headers. Alternating bays with arched bipartite windows and wide segmental arches (sliding doors inside ground floor openings). Modern first floor cantilevered walkway with double escape stairs.

West entrance gable with stepped and corbelled eaves, modern bargeboards; traceried oculus and lunette windows to upper floor, lean-to canopy with fretted valence and cast-iron columns to ground floor, segmental glazed openings under. Wider east gable with large upper arched recess with oculus flanked by arched openings, projecting cill band, twin segmental ground floor openings with open ground floor under girder to right.

Rear elevation steps out near west end to provide a projecting upper floor with horizontal girders supported by ironwork columns and Corinthian capitals, railway siding under. Twin arched windows in stepped recessed panels over.

Interior retains open boarded roof with lightweight metal trusses; main floor of fireproof construction with cross-girders on central lattice staunchions, shallow segmental plates between. Interiors subdivided.

Group value.

Reference:-

Not shown on 1897 OS Map.

Shown on Laver and Schenk's plan of "Swansea Harbour and Docks", November 1914.