



'G' Street Names

Street Name	Suburb	Street Name Origin
Gadaloff Close	Gordonvale	No information found.
Gadd Close	Gordonvale	No information found.
Gadgarra Close	Edmonton	Named after the Gadgarra National Park, which is traditional Yidinji land.
Galeandra Street	Edmonton	Named after an orchid species from the family of Catasetinae. The street's survey plan was registered on 20/04/04.
Galicia Street	Brinsmead	No information found.
Gallagher Street	Edmonton	No information found.
Gallery Drive	Mount Sheridan	No information found.
Gallet Road	Little Mulgrave	Named after a survivor of the ill-fated de Rays Port Breton Scheme who stayed in Cairns to farm cane.
Gallo Close	Brinsmead	No information found.
Gamburra Drive	Redlynch	No information found.
Gammie Close	Edmonton	Named after an early farming family in the district, and Mr Gammie was a long-term Hambledon Mill manager.
Gannet Street	Kewarra Beach	Named after an Australian beaches theme, Gannet Beach is on the NSW south coast.
Gardenia Court	Mooroolbool	The estate in which this street exists is based on a floral theme. The street is named after Gardenia flowers.



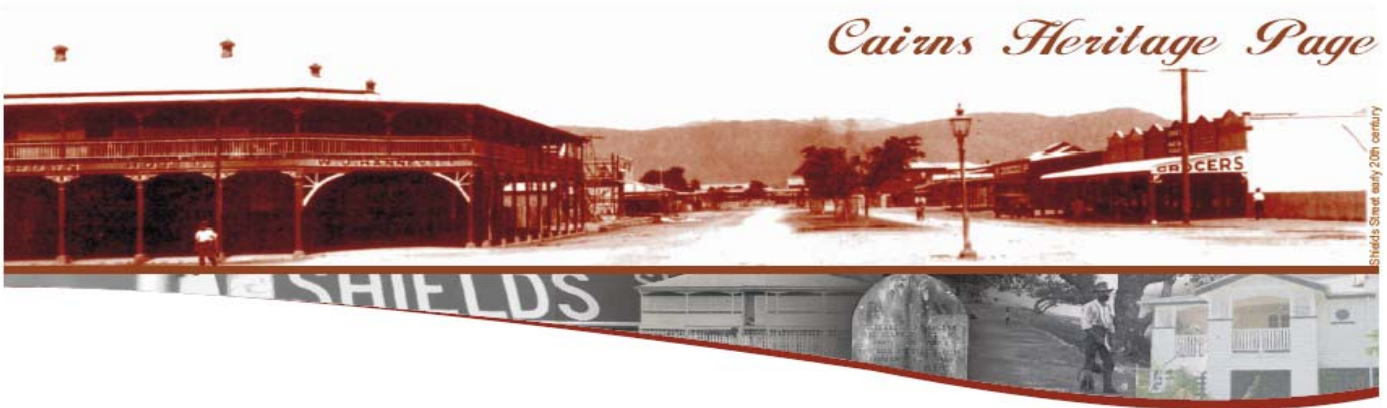
Shields Street early 20th century

Gardiner Close	Brinsmead	No information found.
Garioch Close	Edmonton	No information found.
Garland Close	Kanimbla	Named after the Caretaker of the Botanical Reserve – 1911.
Garlock Close	Clifton Beach	No information found.
Garnet Street	Smithfield	Named after a mountain theme, Mount Garnet is a mountain and town on the Atherton Tablelands.
Gates Close	Edmonton	Named after an early Edmonton settler who was a committee member for starting the Hambledon State School.
Gattenby Close	Edmonton	Named after early mining entity Captain Gattenby who was also an airman.
Gatton Street	Cairns, Manunda, Parramatta Park	No information found.
Gavin Hamilton Close	Redlynch	This close was named after Gavin Hamilton who was an early settler in the area and was burned to death in an accident in May of 1887. He was pinned under a log that he was rolling into a fire at Beards cutting.
Gavin Street	Smithfield	No information found.
Gaway Street	Caravonica	No information found.
Gayundah Close	Earlville	Named after a gunboat, HMAS Gayundah, the first ship of the Cairns Naval Brigade, which arrived in the town in November 1887.
Gelling Street	Cairns North	Named after R.C.C. Gelling who was Mayor of Cairns in 1919. The street name was approved at a Cairns Municipal Council meeting on 11 th December 1922.
George Cannon Drive	Mount Sheridan	No information found.

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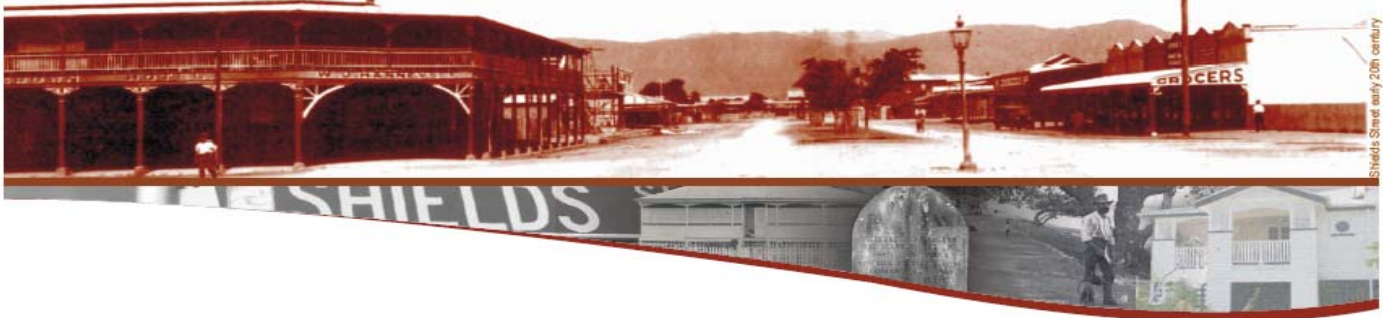


George Street	Earlville	Named after George Michael Gummow, General Manager of Cairns Timber Limited. He died in 1926.
George Street	Gordonvale	No information found.
Gerard Street	Woree	This street was named after a male Christian name theme.
Gerbanas Road	Babinda	No information found.
Gerbera Street	Holloways Beach	Many street names in this suburb were named for a floral theme at the suggestion of Ann Edwards, a resident of the suburb from 1961 to the mid 1980's.
Ghidella Road	Miriwinni	Named after long-term residents.
Gianguorra Esplanade	East Trinity	The street is named after an Aboriginal name, and the street's survey plan was registered with the former Mulgrave Shire on 19/9/1986.
Giauca Street	Redlynch	No information found.
Gibson Close	Clifton Beach	Named after the reefs off the Queensland coast, the Gibson reef is about 50 kilometres south – southeast of Cairns.
Giffin Road	White Rock	No information found.
Gilbert Court	Gordonvale	No information found.
Gillette Street	Edmonton	Named after a Hambledon Mill manager from 1928-1943.
Gillian Close	Smithfield	Named after a female Christian name theme.
Gillies Highway	Gordonvale, Lamb Range, Little Mulgrave	Named to honour William Neal Gillies who was born on 28/10/1868 and died on 9/2/1928. He was the (ALP) Member (Queensland Parliament) for Eacham and was briefly the Premier of Queensland



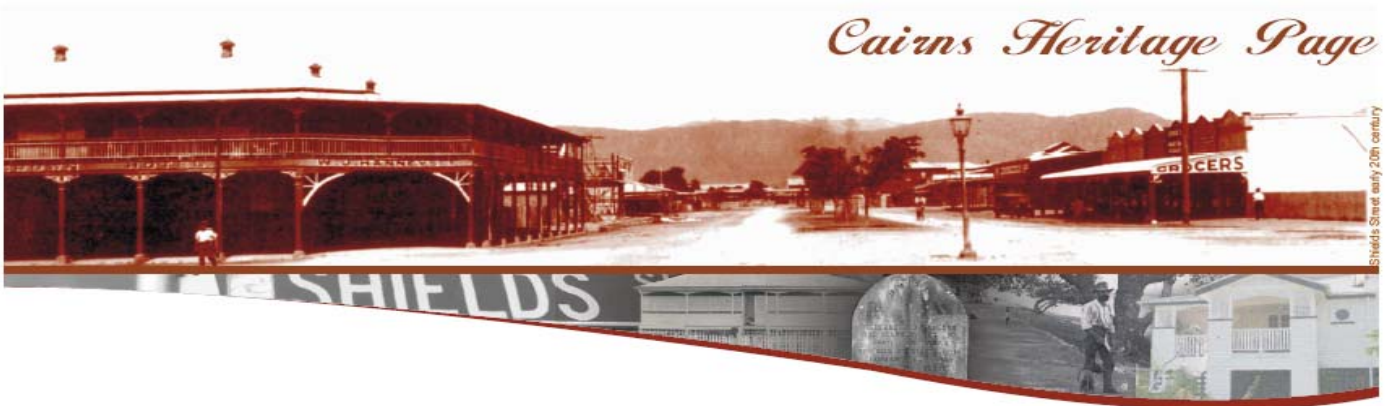
from 26/02/1925 – 22/10/1925.

Gilmore Street	Bentley Park	Named after a ship carrying immigrants to Australia in the 1800s.
Ginger Close	Redlynch	This close was named for a rainforest and water theme after the ginger plant.
Girralong Street	Woree	No information found.
Givens Street	Mooroobool to Westcourt	Named after Tom Givens (1864-1928), Member of Parliament for Cairns 1899 to 1902 and a Federal Senator 1903-1928. He started the Advocate Newspaper in 1897 as well as the Trinity Times Newspaper.
Glacier Road	Kamerunga	This road was named after Glacier Rock on the Kuranda Railway above Kamerunga.
Glasgow Court	Mount Sheridan	Early Ships of the Cairns area.
Glen Boughton Street	Aeroglen	Named after property at East Trinity owned by John Hill who provided the fledgling Cairns settlement with fresh milk.
Glen Close	Bayview Heights	This close was named for a male Christian name theme. Developed by Bayview Development Company, the survey plan was registered in September 1971.
Glenelg Close	Kewarra Beach	Named after an Australian beaches theme, Glenelg is located in Adelaide, South Australia. The name was approved on the 19 th April 1988.
Glenlea Street	Edge Hill	Named after the originator of early newspapers, The "Advocate" in 1897, and then the "Trinity Times" which survived up until the beginning of World War II.
Glenrowan Street	White Rock	No information found.
Gloucester Street	Whitfield	Named after Prince Henry William Fredrick Albert (31 March 1900 – 10 June 1974). The Duke of Gloucester, served as Governor General



of Aust, during World War II from 1945 to 1947. The Labor Prime Minister of the time, John Curtin had a policy of appointing Australians to the vice-regal post. But in the circumstances of World War II, he decided that by appointing a member of the Royal Family would encourage Britain to maintain its support of Australia, and prevent her from becoming too dependent on the United States of America. The survey plan was registered on 3/9/1969.

Goessling Street	Gordonvale	No information found.
Goldberg Close	White Rock	No information found.
Golden Grove Drive	Bentley Park	A British ship from the first fleet to Australia, which was built in 1780 at Whitby. She was skippered by Master Sharp and carried Reverend Richard Johnson, who was the first chaplain to the colony, and his wife. The Golden Grove was a store-ship that weighted 350 ton.
Golden Street	Goldsborough	Named after the gold prospecting that was done in this area.
Goldrush Close	Goldsborough	Named after the gold prospecting that was done in this area.
Goldsborough Road	Goldsborough	Named because the road leads to the district of Goldsborough.
Goldsworthy Road	Miriwinni	No information found.
Goldwyn Close	White Rock	Named after a motion picture theme, Goldwyn Pictures Corporation was an American motion picture production company founded in 1916 by Samuel Goldfish in partnership with Broadway producers Edgar and Archibald Selwyn using a combination of both last names to create the name. Seeing an opportunity, Samuel Goldfish then had his name legally changed to Samuel Goldwyn. Samuel Goldwyn went on to form Samuel Goldwyn Productions in 1923 that would become one of the most respected filmmakers in the industry.
Golf Parade	Babinda	Named on account of the golf club which was formed in 1929 and now the Babinda Mill grows cane here and also where it spreads some of the bagasse.



Golf Street	Yorkeys Knob	Names after a golfing theme this street is adjacent to the Half Moon golf course. The name was approved in 1988.
Gommory Close	Earlville	Named after a well know aboriginal in early days The name was approved in 1988.
Goodfellow Court	Mooroobool	Overseer of Works 1891.
Goodhew Close	Bentley Park	Named after early farming family, the street survey plan was registered on 21/10/2002.
Goodsell Drive	Bentley Park	Named after early farming family, the street survey plan was registered on 03/09/2004.
Goodwin Street	Edge Hill	Named after Lieutenant-General Sir John Goodwin, KCB, CMG, DSO, and Governor of Queensland, 1927-1932.
Gordon Street	Earlville	No information found.
Gordon Street	Gordonvale	This street was named after John Gordon who initially landed in Cooktown in 1874 before following new settlements through North Queensland becoming established in the cattle and butchering trades. He later became involved in cane growing. John Gordon applied himself so actively in many aspects of early Gordonvale (Nelson) so it seemed appropriate that the township adopt his name, and the decision was instigated by the Progress Association at the time.
Gordonvale Atherton Road	Gordonvale	This street was named as it is the approach road to the Atherton Tablelands from Gordonvale. It is most commonly known as the Gillies Highway.
Goru Court	Mooroobool	Variety of cane brought to Cairns in 1895 from New Guinea by Government entomologist Henry Tyson.
Gough Street	Manunda	Named after Charles Gough, an Alderman of Cairns and Court Bailiff.
Gouldian Street	Bayview Heights	Named for a bird theme, a Gouldian is a type of Finch, a species of

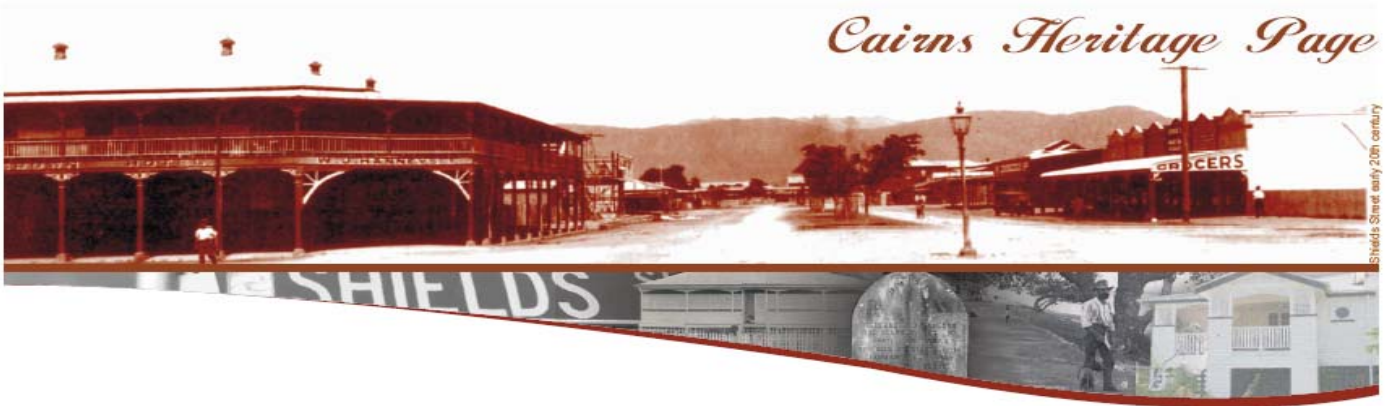


small seed-eating passerines [perching birds].

Govern Close	Redlynch	No information found.
Gowrie Street	Whitfield	This name was suggested by the owner of the property after the Earl of Gowrie, General Rt Hon Alexander Gore Arkwright Hore-Ruthven, Baron Gowrie, VC, PC, GCMG, CB, DSO and who acted as Governor General of Australia from 1936–1945.
Grace Close	Whitfield	No information found.
Grafton Street	Cairns	Originally named Sachs Street after Leopold Ferdinand Sachs, manager of the A.J.S. Bank in Townsville in 1876, it was later renamed Grafton Street after the birthplace in NSW of Mrs Hoare, wife of Alderman Hoare.
Graham Street	Edmonton	Early Scottish family of this area, also Secretary of the Fire Brigade in 1891.
Grampian Close	Smithfield	Named for a mountain theme after the Grampians, a group of 3 mountain ranges in Western Victoria. Thomas Mitchell, who named them after the Grampians in the Highlands of Scotland, explored it in 1836.
Granadilla Drive	Earlville	The Granadilla is a tropical passionfruit.
Granadilla Street	Holloways Beach	Many street names in this suburb were named for a floral theme at the suggestion of Ann Edwards, a resident of the suburb from 1961 to the mid 1980's. Granadilla is a tropical passionfruit.
Grandview Crescent	Earlville	Named for the Scenic view obtained from this road.
Granite Close	Brinsmead	Streets in this subdivision are named after a rock theme.
Grantala Street	Manoora	Name approved on 19 October 1988. The Grantala (3655 tons) was an Adelaide Co. passenger ship that was used in the Cairns area in 1911. It served as a hospital ship in World War I.



Grason Street	Yorkeys Knob	No information found.
Gray Road	Green Hill	Named after an early pioneering family, the street survey plan was registered on 24/7/1995.
Gray Street	Freshwater	Named after the Gray family who owned the land where the street is situated.
Green Avenue	Kewarra Beach	Name approved on 15 October 1990. Named after the Astronomer Charles Green who was with Captain James Cook when the Endeavour sailed past Cairns n June 1770.
Green Street	Edmonton	Long established family in the district, the streets survey plan was registered with the Mulgrave Shire on 17/1/1959.
Greenacres Close	White Rock	No information found.
Greenbank Road	Aeroglen, Stratford	Named after the area on the Barron River that this road parallels.
Greenbank West Road	Aeroglen	No information found.
Greendale Close	Brinsmead	No information found.
Greenfield Close	Mooroobool	No information found.
Greenford Close	Brinsmead	No information found.
Greenhaven Street	Clifton Beach	No information found.
Greenhill Road	Green Hill	So named because this was the route to Green Hill. The original road was surveyed in June 1898. Captain Mein originally named Green Hill as Crescent Hill when he climbed it in 1857. Later Dalrymple named it Emerald Hill in 1873. It was called Green Hill from at least the 1890s and possibly earlier.
Greenock Way	Kanimbla	This street was named for an environmental 'green' theme.
Greenslopes Street	Edge Hill, Whitfield	Named for the green slopes of the Whitfield Range.



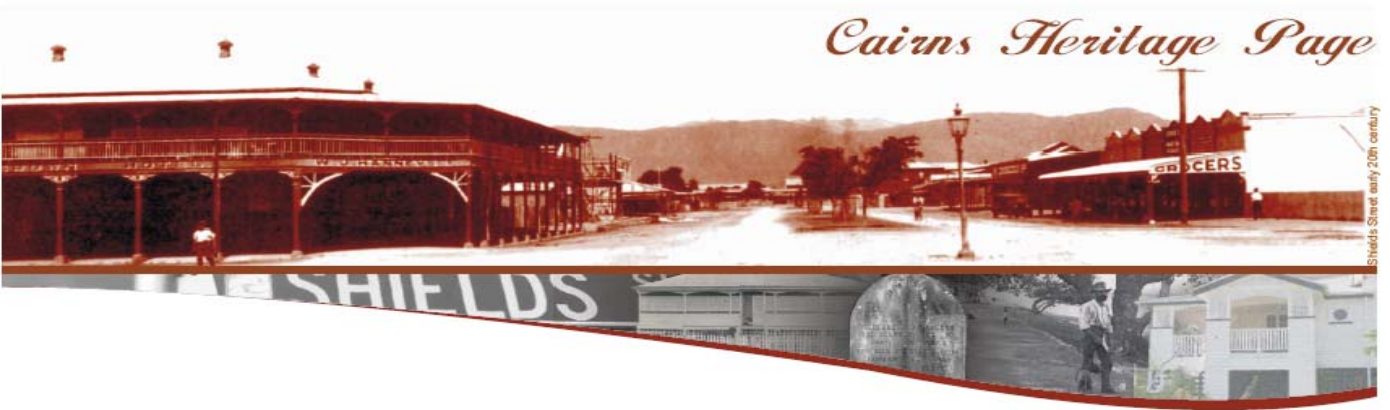
Greenvale Close	Smithfield	No information found.
Greenwood Street	Gordonvale	Named after the family who came to the area in the late 1880s. Their reputation was soon established with brick making at Redbank along with packhorse teamsters to the Tablelands. They later took up cane growing at Gordonvale and purchased the property "Ramsay Farm" in 1901.
Greer Road	Miriwinni	Named after a resident family and R.T. Greer, a Cairns Shire Councillor 1939-42.
Gregory Street	Westcourt	Named after the Honourable Sir A.C. Gregory K.C.M.G., an explorer who passed down the Lynd River in 1855 in an effort to trace the remains of the explorer Ludwig Leichhardt. The first Masonic lodge in Cairns bore his name.
Grevillea Street	Mooroobool	The street names in the estate in which this street exists are based on a floral theme. This street was named after the Grevillea plant.
Grey Street	Gordonvale	No information found.
Gribble Street	Mooroobool	Named after the Reverend who started the Yarrabah Mission in 1891.
Griffin Street	Gordonvale	Named after William Charles Griffin who began cane farming around 1896 and his property was called Somerset Farm. His varied interests and involvements for the betterment of Gordonvale also show him take the position of Chairman of Mulgrave shire 1944 – 51.
Griffith Street	Freshwater	Named after Sir Samuel Griffith, Premier of Queensland (1883-1888). On 10 May 1886, Sir Samuel Griffith turned the first sod on the Cairns to Kuranda railway line.
Griffiths Street	Manoora	Named by the suburb's sub-divider Mr Charles Woodward after his wife Maud's family. Her father Thomas Griffiths (1856-1943) and his brother John Griffiths (who was Mayor of Cairns Municipal Council 1915-1917) were born in Wales. Thomas Griffiths arrived in Cairns in 1898 after first landing in Brisbane in 1883. In 1899, he established a sawmilling business on the corner of Spence and Draper streets. By 1908, Thomas Griffiths and Co. was the largest sawmill operation in North Queensland. In the 1920s, the sawmill was sold to a consortium which formed Cairns Timber Limited.

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Grimes Close	Kanimbla	Named after John Brown Grimes, the packer who carried the first postal service between Cairns and Thornborough from 1887.
Grimshaw Road	Fishery Falls	Named after early Cairns family and Cairns Divisional Board Member L.J. Grimshaw. The name was approved at a Cairns Town Council Meeting on 11 th December 1922.
Grimshaw Street	Parramatta Park	Named after early Cairns family and Cairns Divisional Board Member L.J. Grimshaw. The name was approved at a Cairns Town Council Meeting on 11 th December 1922.
Grogan Street	Westcourt	Named after the Grogan family, a pioneering family of North Queensland.
Grove Street	Cairns, Cairns North, Parramatta Park	No information found.
Guava Street	Holloways Beach	Many street names in this suburb were named for a floral theme at the suggestion of Ann Edwards, a resident of the suburb from 1961 to the mid 1980's.
Guernieri Access	Packers Camp	Early pioneering farming family.
Guide Street	Clifton Beach	This street was named because of the Girl Guide camping ground on the street.
Guinness Close	White Rock	This street was named for a motion picture theme after Alex Guinness, a famous English actor who played the lead role in 'Bridge over the River Kwai'.
Gum Street	Redlynch	The gum is a common term for the Eucalyptus genus whose 700 species dominate the tree flora of Australia.
Gummow Close	Whitfield	Named after Mr George Douglas Gummow General Manager and owner of Cairns Timber Limited and also an Alderman of the Cairns City Council, 1939-1949. He took control of the company after his father George Michael Gummow passed away in 1926.

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Guthrie Close

Bentley Park

Named for a ship theme after the steamship Guthrie which was built in 1884.