

PIGTAIL MINE

		Place No.	135
ADDRESS	- Warrandyte State Park Warrandyte		Last Update
DESCRIPTION	-		
	Condition	-	Integrity Not known
	Threats		Key elements
	Designer		
HISTORY	<p>Started by Henry Stiggants (Snr. and Jnr. with Henry Holloway and Lewis Grant) in 1874, this mine produced 1500 ounces of gold in two years.[59] It was one of Warrandyte's most productive mines.[60] The Pigtail Quartz Mining Co., with Lewis Grant as the general manager was formed to work the mine. A legal dispute suspended work, and the extended legal proceedings meant financial ruin for the company. Their opponent (a man named Lawler) formed a new company, recovering substantial amounts of gold before the mine was closed after a landslide. In 1906, another company, Caldeonia Consuls worked the mine.[61]</p> <p>Henry stiggants was still listed as a miner in 1899[62], and his son (Henry Jnr.), later established an orchard at Pound Bend.</p>		
	Creation Date	Change Dates	
	Associations	Local Themes	
	Henry Stiggants (Snr. and Jnr.), George	4.01 - Gold mining	
STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE	Of local significance as the site of one of Warrandyte's most successful mines.		
LEVEL			
RECOMMENDATIONS			
	Heritage Register Listings		
	Register	Reference	Zoning Status
	None Specified		
	Extent		
	Heritage Schedule		
	External Paint Controls:	On VHR:	VHR Ref No:
	Internal Alteration Controls:	Prohibited Uses:	
	Tree Controls:	Aboriginal Heritage Place:	
	Outbuildings or Fences:	Incorporated Plan:	Incorporated Plan Details
	Description:		
	Conservation Management		
	Extra Research		
BIBLIOGRAPHY	[59] Warrandyte State Park Management Plan, Site H26, p.140; Keogh p.38, p.57 [60] Cranfield, p.100 [61] Keogh, p.38 [62] Voter's Roll for the Warrandyte Riding of the Shire of Templestowe 1899		