

YARRA GOLD COTTAGE

Place No. 26

ADDRESS 70 Yarra Street
Warrandyte

Last Update 19/04/2005

DESCRIPTION A simple timber, symmetrical, double-fronted cottage, set on 0.1 hectares. It has a double gable roof across the site and a skillion verandah extending the main roof line. The building is clad with cement sheet.

Condition Good **Integrity** Altered

Threats Sale **Key elements**

Designer

HISTORY The site of the cottage was purchased in 1856 by William Masterton (stonemason for the Warrandyte Primary School), and he built a cottage on the site. His widow continued to live there until the early 1900s when it was bought by Tom Logan, a gold miner; he took out his last miner's licence in 1925. Another house was built, and it burnt down in the 1939 fires. The current cottage was built to replace it by Tom Logan Jnr. as a four roomed cottage. It has been recently extended, and is in good condition.

Creation Date c1939

Change Dates

Associations

Local Themes

Tom Logan

4.02 - Gold mining houses

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE Of local historical significance as a building that has adopted its form from and therefore provides a recent interpretation of the early miner's cottages that characterised Warrandyte; its significance and connection to the theme of gold mining is enhanced by the long association with the Logan family.

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