

Lock-up, Bannockburn

Bannockburn

Lot No. **Plan No.****Municipal Rate No.****Architectural Style****Designer(s)****Contractor(s)**

Legislative Registers	Nominated	Registered	Other Registers	Registered
Victorian Heritage Register No.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	National Estate RNE - Database	<input type="text"/>
Heritage Inventory No.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	RNE Legal Status	<input type="text"/>
Precinct Heritage Overlay No.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	National Trust (Vic.) File	<input type="text" value="B2174"/>
Precinct Heritage Overlay Nam	<input type="text"/>		Nat. Trust Classification	<input type="checkbox"/>
Individual Heritage Overlay No.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>		

Statement of Significance

National Trust: Of local signficance.

Description

CITATION

The stone lock-up at Bannockburn was originally constructed by Thomas Brooking and Co of Geelong and located at Lethbridge. The rectangular paln gaol of square coursed basalt with gabled entry porch and iron grille gate was completed in June 1860. In December 1869 Trevena and Gubby contracted to remove the stone lock-up from Lethbridge to Bannockburn, each stone being numbered.

The lock-up at Bannockburn is a standard plan structure designed by the Public Works Department and erected throughout Victoria in the late 1850' s and early 1860's. Whilst tradition accords these structures a role in providing overnight security for gold escorts, the principal function was to house prisoners awaiting trial before the visiting Police Magistrate. The lock-up at Bannockburn is a good example of this building type and of significance to the district.

The lock-up at Bannockburn is maintained in good condition and used as a store house by the present owners, the Shire of Bannockburn.

Of local signficance.

History

Thematic Context

Recommendations