

Historical archaeological site card

Heritage Inventory number and name

HOGANS ROAD HISTORIC
H7626-0013

Date received

Thursday, 04 April 2024

Date accepted

Hermes Number

212128

1. Place details

Place name:

HOGANS ROAD HISTORICAL PLACE

Heritage Inventory Number (if any):

Other or former names:

Municipal Council:

GANNAWARRA SHIRE

Address:

LALBERT-KERANG ROAD BEAUCHAMP 3579

Geographical coordinates (GDA94 or WGS84)
expressed in degrees and decimals of a degree:

Mapsheet name and number (1:100,000 only): 7626

2. Cadastral location

County:

Tatchera

Parish:

Cannie

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Township:	Cannie
Section:	
Allotment:	3
Standard Parcel Identifier (SPI):	3~B\PP2252

3. Details of site owner or land manager (where known)

First Name:

Surname:

Business or organisation name:

Position title:

Address: L

Email address:

Telephone:

4. Details of site occupier (where known)

First Name:

Surname:

Business or organisation name:

Position title:

Address:

Email address:

Telephone:

5. Aboriginal cultural values

Site has known Aboriginal values	NO
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Site is recorded on the Victorian Aboriginal Heritage Register	NO
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6. Current description of site

Please provide description:

HRHP extent is located within agricultural land approximately 400 m west of Hogans Road in Cannie, Victoria. The site extent comprises of scatter of historic artefacts dating to end of the 19th Century and early 20th Century. These artefacts comprised of ceramic shards (>50), glass fragments (>50), several brick fragments (<20), several whole bottles (<10) and at least two small pots. Some metal agricultural fragments (perhaps horse bridles fragments or plough fragments) were identified and larger metal remnants of a boiler, four metal drums and one wagon wheel were also identified.

The dimensions of the place (spprox. 7079m²), based on the dispersion of small artefacts, appears quite extensive, with artefacts clearly dispersed widely by frequent ploughing. Limited ceramic and bottle diagnostics (less than 10% of overall scatter visible) were encountered, however, the complete bottles and vessels have makers' marks that date to late 19th century/ early 20th century. Diagnostics of ceramics are willow pattern or similar. Willow pattern ceramics were popular during the 18th century and into the 19th and early 20th century. Ceramic and glass fragment appear to be of plates, cups, glasses, bottles, and other common domestic items. The clear bottles are medicinal bottles used for the treatment of constipation and an antiseptic eucalyptus oil. the brown bottle is likely to be a beer or wine bottle while the white ceramic pot may be food paste/spread vessel .

Date recorded:

Wednesday, 06 September 2023

On Victorian Heritage Register

On Heritage Overlay

Associated sites:

none

7. Place history

Please provide a brief history of the place (at least 1 to 2 paragraphs):

No specific site history could be sourced for the site location. The property it is situated on is likely to have formed part of the

larger Bael Bael pastoral run taken up in 1846 by merchants merchants G.C Curlewis and Robert Tertius Campbell Jnr. Later Subdivision of the run was likely carried out in the 1860s, which may include the Hogans Road Historic Place. The place has been used predominately used for agricultural purposes (cropping and grazing) since the 1840s to the present

8. Analysis of site (interpretation)

Include phases in the development of the site, functions and activities represented, as well as current place use:

The features of the site included artefacts such as bottles, ceramics and metal common to the late 19th century/early 20th century. It is uncertain if any underlying larger structure exists within the site extent. However, a small hut and brickwork is located in the north of site, as well as the presence of fragments of everyday items indicate the remnants of a small late 19th century/ early 20th century occupation site. The presence of a boiler remnant, drums, bricks and a wagon wheel and fencing may indicate the site of an outbuilding or workshop and lends further credence to the occupation of the area. The presence of the small hut and artefacts may indicate a small shepherds or stockriders quarters on the larger Bael Bael estate that this place is likely a remnant of. Many of the artefacts within the site extent has been dispersed by ploughing and cropping

The site does not contain any artefacts or remnants of later occupation (early 20th century onwards) that suggests ongoing occupation of the site after this period. There is potential within the less disturbed area of the site extent, such as within the fenced-off area, for intact archaeological deposits. Clearance of vegetation and a subsurface investigation would be required to delineate the actual size and extent of the archaeological resource.

9. Statement of Significance

What is significant?

HRHP comprises an artefact assemblage and early structures dating to the late 19th/ early 20th century. This indicates a date range for the site of over 75 years in age and provides information from that era specific to the early settlement of the shire. Key site components that should be considered significant are:

- Artefact assemblage including dateable bottles, ceramics
- iron boilers remnants
- structures such as brickwork and ruined hut
- potential intact subsurface contexts

How is it significant?

The artefact assemblage located within the site extent dates to the late 19th / early 20th century. This may indicate an association with the early settlement of the region and as such provide valuable information on early farming in the area. There is further potential for other artefacts to be located on site that may provide further evidence of a specific reference to a phase or period in Victoria history.

HRHP partially fulfils this criterion as a period dating to the late 19th/ early 20th century due to limited nature of the investigation of the site to date. Further detailed investigation is likely to provide a detailed insight into the early settlement and agriculture in the western shires of Victoria

HRHP meets the definition of being an 'Archaeological site' under Threshold A relating to archaeological significance in the Heritage Act 2017.

Why is it significant?

Portions of the HRHP extent appear to be relatively intact, with discrete areas having sustained minimal disturbance as a result of being fenced off from ploughing. There is a high likelihood for subsurface archaeological / occupation deposit to occur in these areas, which would contribute to the understanding of the site and the early settlement activities in north west Victoria.

The outer western extent of the site, however, has been significantly disturbed by ploughing, which is likely restricted to the upper 300 mm of topsoil. Underlying archaeological deposits may still occur below this disturbance.

Very little study has been carried out in the Cannie region, in particular within the vicinity of the HRHP extent, as such preservation of the site and potential further investigation may further understanding of the early settlement of the region.

10. Suggested Protection : Heritage Inventory

11. Threat

Is the place under any threat? If so, what is the threat?

The site was located as a result of several preliminary heritage assessments for a larger Cannie Wind Farm Project that includes the historic place. Advice has been submitted to the client to avoid this place extent as part of the project. Current wind farm plans do not impact this location. Ongoing damage to the western portions of the site extent is still a high likelihood to occur due to ploughing.

12. References / Informants

Please list books or other sources that may provide historical information about this place.

very little references were found while researching this area. Thematic history of the region was sourced from the following references:

- Ballinger, R. 2008 Gannawarra Shire Heritage Study Stage One: Volume One Thematic Environmental History. Report prepared for the Gannawarra Shire Council. Accessed from 26 August 2023
<https://www.gannawarra.vic.gov.au/files/assets/public/document-resources/strategies-andplans/gannawarra.heritage-study.thematic-history.pdf>
 - Sydney Mail (1870). Valuable Cattle Properties; Reedy Lake and Gordon's Plains. Accessed 17 August from
<https://trove.nla.gov.au/newspaper/article/166813702>
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13. Attachments

- Site card supporting documents-1 MD.pdf
- Site card supporting documents-2 MD.pdf
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- Site card supporting documents-9 MD.jpeg
- Site card supporting documents-10 MD.jpeg
- Spatial Extent files MD.zip
- Application form MD.pdf
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14. Recording archaeologist's details

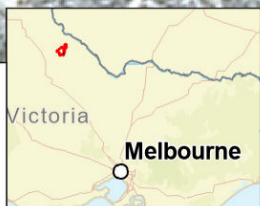
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Telephone:	0425145532

15. Declaration

I state that the information I have given on this form is correct to the best of my knowledge.



- Legend**
- Heritage Feature (Point)
 - ▭ Heritage Feature (Area)
 - ▭ Site Extent



Coordinate System:
GDA2020 MGA Zone 54
Date: 03/04/2024
Created By: CS
Drawing Size: A3
0 10 20 400



F1-1 Hogans Road Historic Place Site Plan

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Legend

- Highway
- Road
- Major Watercourse
- Site Extent
- Local Government Area

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GDA2020 MGA Zone 54

Date: 03/04/2024

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Drawing Size: A3

0 0.8 1.6 2.4KM
1:51,200

F1-2 Hogans Road Historic Place Location Map

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