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Location

BENNETTS TRACK GENTLE ANNIE, BAW BAW SHIRE

Municipality

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Level of significance

Heritage Inventory Site

Heritage Inventory (HI) Number

H8022-0002

Heritage Listing

Victorian Heritage Inventory

Hermes Number 10550

Property Number

History

Heritage Inventory History of Site: The Forests Commission of Victoria established the first state mill when it purchased the Nayook Sawmilling Company in 1918. This one opened a few years later. The sawmill operated until 1939 and was thereafter used by a lone and reclusive man, Sid Bennett. He died in the early 1960s and, in recent years the huts have been partially modernised and used by Scout groups.

This place/object may be included in the Victorian Heritage Register pursuant to the Heritage Act 2017. Check the Victorian Heritage Database, selecting 'Heritage Victoria' as the place source.

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