
GREAT ESTATE (SOUTH)

Location

80 CARRS ROAD ROKEWOOD, GOLDEN PLAINS SHIRE

Municipality

GOLDEN PLAINS SHIRE

Level of significance

Heritage Inventory Site

Heritage Inventory (HI) Number

H7622-0191

Heritage Listing

Victorian Heritage Inventory

Other Names ROSENEATH CO, WALLACE AND PARTY,

Hermes Number 11955

Property Number

History

Contextual History:History of Place:

Heritage Inventory History of Site:

Break-O'-Day, adjoining the Break-o'-Day Co., Rokewood

ROSENEATH GOLD MINING COMPANY

06.1866: obtained good prospects.

27.11.1866: to start machinery shortly

18.12.1866: shaft down 22 feet; machinery started

18.11.1867: mine flooded out on 24 September due to dam constructed in the creek by the Break O'Day

Company which re-directed water into shaft rather than along the creek bed; damages of £10,000 claimed; to

remove machinery and sink new shaft.

08.1868: to wind up and dispose of plant

12.1868: mine sold to Ashton and Bebro who intend to re-work mine; flooded out by overflow from dam of the Break O'Day Company; compensation inadequate; to stop work

Kuruc-a-ruc Creek, Elder's Estate, on a small government reserve running down to the creek,

OLD PERSEVERANCE COMPANY

WALLACE AND PARTY (six in the party)

06.1889: sinking is 35 feet and wet; getting a little gold but not enough to pay.

09.1889: getting little gold of nice quality but not enough to pay.

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