ST ARNAUD BREWERY

Location

8669 WIMMERA HIGHWAY ST ARNAUD EAST, NORTHERN GRAMPIANS SHIRE

Municipality

NORTHERN GRAMPIANS SHIRE

Level of significance

Heritage Inventory Site

Heritage Inventory (HI) Number

H7524-0101

Heritage Listing

Victorian Heritage Inventory

Statement of Significance

Last updated on - April 4, 2003

THE BREWERY WAS VERY IMPORTANT SOCIALLY AND ECONOMICALLY TO THE PEOPLE OF ST ARNAUD AND SURROUNDING DISTRICTS FOR ALMOST 50 YEARS. HISTORIC RECORDS SHOW THAT THE BEWERY HAD ITS OWN BOTTLE AND MAKERS STAMP AND THAT ITS PRODUCTS SERVICED A LARGE PORTION OF THE WIMMERA DISTRICT OF WESTERN VICTORIA. THE BREWERY IS A RELATIVELY RARE EXAMPLE OF A ONCE COMMON INDUSTRY IN RURAL 19TH-C VICTORIA.

Interpretation of Site

On the surface it appears not much remains of the old St Arnaud Brewery. The timber, corrugated iron and machinery was probably torn down and sold after the brewery closed down. Despite the buildings no longer being present, the features and artefacts that remain form an important archaeological site representing the brewing industry in rural 19th century Victoria.

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History

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SEE SITE CARD'S ACCOMPANYING SHEET. DETAILED.

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