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# GLENLEE HORSE DIP HISTORIC SITE

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## Location

NHILL-JEPARIT ROAD NHILL GLENLEE, HINDMARSH SHIRE

## Municipality

HINDMARSH SHIRE

## Level of significance

Heritage Inventory Site

## Heritage Inventory (HI) Number

H7225-0007

## Heritage Listing

Victorian Heritage Inventory

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Interpretation of Site

HORSES WERE THE PRIMARY MEANS OF TRANSPORT OF BOTH GOODS AND PEOPLE TO THE AREA AND THE GLENLEE HORSE DIP WAS USED TO TREAT DEBILITATING DISEASES OF HORSES. THE HORSES WERE MOSTLY OF THE DRAFT VARIETY. THEY WERE LED INTO THE DIP WHICH FILLED WITH DISINFECTANT AND WATER. HORSES WERE NOT DIPPED FULLY AS SHEEP ARE TODAY.

Hermes Number 13028

Property Number

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## History

AS IS NOTED BY THE GLENLEE HORSE DIP LIST THE MEETING-PLACE OF 50 OR MORE FARMERS ENABLED SOCIAL INTERACTION. THIS WAS AN IMPORTANT FEATURE OF THE EARLY 1900S WITH THE LENGTH OF TIME TAKE TO REACH SUCH A FACILITY, IT GAVE THE FARMERS AN OPPORTUNITY TO

CATCH UP ON NEWS AND GOSSIP AND SO FORTH.

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