HILL FARM 3

Location

415 CLYDE-FIVEWAYS ROAD CLYDE, CASEY CITY

Municipality

CASEY CITY

Level of significance

Heritage Inventory Site

Heritage Inventory (HI) Number

H7921-0104

Heritage Listing

Victorian Heritage Inventory

Statement of Significance

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The function of this site has not been determined. Preliminary investigations suggests it may be a farm outbuilding or a dump site. The in situ well is in good condition and has similarities with the well at the nearby historic cottage.

Interpretation of Site

This site could be a dump site or a demolished farm outbuilding.

Archaeological Significance

Low to med archaeological significance. Subsurface deposits may provide information on life on this site in the 19th and 20th C. The continual use of the land for pastoral activities

increases the significance, as does the knowledge of subsurface deposits.

Historical Significance Local historical significance as one of the early pastoral runs in the area and the

association with historic local persons.

Hermes Number 28777

Property Number

History

The site was originally part of the large 'Mayne' pastoral run in 1840's. Mayne was subdivided in the 1850's and allotment 36 was purchased by E. Mitchell and J. Close in 1852. They then leased part of the property to J. Jennings who, in 1875 purchased 26 acres for cultivation. Jennings, a bricklayer, may have built the nearby historic cottage and well around 1885 when it first appears in rate books. The two wells are very similar in construction and are of fine craftmanship.

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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