

Wimmera Stock Bazaar



B7128 Wimmera Stock
Bazaar

Location

Hamilton Street, HORSHAM VIC 3400 - Property No B7128

Municipality

HORSHAM RURAL CITY

Level of significance

State

Victorian Heritage Register (VHR) Number

H1985

Heritage Listing

National Trust

Statement of Significance

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The Wimmera Livestock Bazaar, designer unknown, built in 1936, is historically and architecturally important at the State Level.

Historically, it is one of the few livestock 'Bazaar' buildings remaining in Victoria, and probably the most elaborate. Bazaars, also known as 'rings', where livestock, particularly horses, were paraded for inspection and sold undercover, were once dotted across Victoria. This building is the last remnant of the original stockyards, once a feature of the centre of Horsham, and the major part of an important industry in the town.

Architecturally, the facade is a striking example of the Moderne style. Its highly unusual form, with a pair of

sloping sided 'pylons', displays a distinctly Egyptian influence.

Classified: 04/06/2001

Hermes Number 68618

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