
HENRY'S TRAMWAY TUNNEL

Location

WEST BARWON TRACK BARRAMUNGA, COLAC OTWAY SHIRE

Municipality

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Level of significance

Heritage Inventory Site

Heritage Inventory (HI) Number

H7620-0010

Heritage Listing

Victorian Heritage Inventory

Interpretation of Site Heritage Inventory Interpretation: Tunnel provided access for timber tramway extending upstream from Henry's No.1 Mill bypassing on s-bend in the West Barwon River.

Hermes Number 7017

Property
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History

Heritage Inventory History of Site: Following establishment of Henry's No 1 Mill in 1904, logging operations gradually extended upstream into the watershed of the West Barwon River. This tunnel, the second on Henry's tramlines, was built around 1911, and provided access to Henry's No 2 Mill. The tramline continued to operate until the cessation of West Barwon logging in 1928.

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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