Quercus macrolepis





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Location

'Glenaroua Homestead', Pyalong Road,, BROADFORD VIC 3658 - Property No T11083

Municipality

MITCHELL SHIRE

Level of significance

State

Heritage Listing

National Trust

Statement of Significance

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Horticultural value Rare or localised

Quercus macrolepis is an unusual species in cultivation in Victoria,. This stand is the largest known planting in Victoria, and may have occurred due to interest in Valonia Oak as a tanning source. The property was owned between 1880-90 by Michaelis Hallenstine, Tanners of Melbourne, and records show that the Black Wattle was harvested from the property in the 1880s. The trees are in good condition. They are low spreading and planted in a grid pattern, similar to an orchard.

The trees are located between the house and shearing shed; single specimen east of creek.

Measurements: circa 1986

Spread (m): 17.1 Girth (m): 2.24 Height (m): 11.5

Estimated Age (yrs): 100

Condition: Good

Access: No Access Classified: 13/08/1987

Other Names Valonia Oak,

Hermes Number 70590

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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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