
LESLIE & ROSS RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION SITE

Location

SYMES ROAD HARCOURT, MOUNT ALEXANDER SHIRE

Municipality

MOUNT ALEXANDER SHIRE

Level of significance

Heritage Inventory Site

Heritage Inventory (HI) Number

H7724-0290

Heritage Listing

Victorian Heritage Inventory

Interpretation of Site	Heritage Inventory Interpretation: An 1859 - 1862 railway construction camp and private railway siding. There was a gravel crusher and other structures. The dam was built as part of the camp. The Nissan hut is unrelated to original function of the site.
Hermes Number	8583
Property Number	

History

Heritage Inventory History of Site: This was as construction camp built by Leslie & Ross, the subcontractors who constructed this section of the Melbourne - Mt Alexander and Murray Valley Railway between 1859 and 1860. There was a large workers camp in the vicinity. A private siding was built into the camp and a bluestone gravel crushing plant was also erected.

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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