

**District Council of
MILLICENT**

HERITAGE SURVEY OF THE SOUTH EAST



DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND PLANNING

DANVERS ARCHITECTS

HERITAGE SURVEY OF THE SOUTH EAST

(REGION 6 - SOUTH AUSTRALIA)

PART TWO

6. D.C. MILLICENT

ITEM IDENTIFICATION SHEET

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DISTRICT COUNCIL OF MILLICENT

ITEM NO.	ITEM	SOURCE	SUBJECT	PERIOD	CURRENT STATUS	RECOMMENDATION
1	Former Powder Magazine	#	4.02	1860-1880	SHR, NE,NT	A
2	Homestead, "Mayurra"	#	2.01	1850-1860	NT	A
3	Grand Hotel	#	4.06	1900-1915	NT	A
4	'Woodgreen'	#	2.01	1890-1900		B
5	Tracks around Mount Burr	#				B
6	Shearing Shed, "Glencoe"	#	4.01	1860-1880	SHR, NE,NT	A
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9	Ruined Cottage	#	4.01			B
10	'Colingrove'	#	4.01	1880-1890		B
11	House & Kitchen "Gum Park"	#	4.01	1860-1880		B
12	Nangula Nursery	#	2.06	1860-1880		B
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15	Homestead, "Poolna"	#	4.01			B
16	Homestead, "Avenue"	#	4.01			B
17	Uniting Church	#	2.05	1900-1915		A

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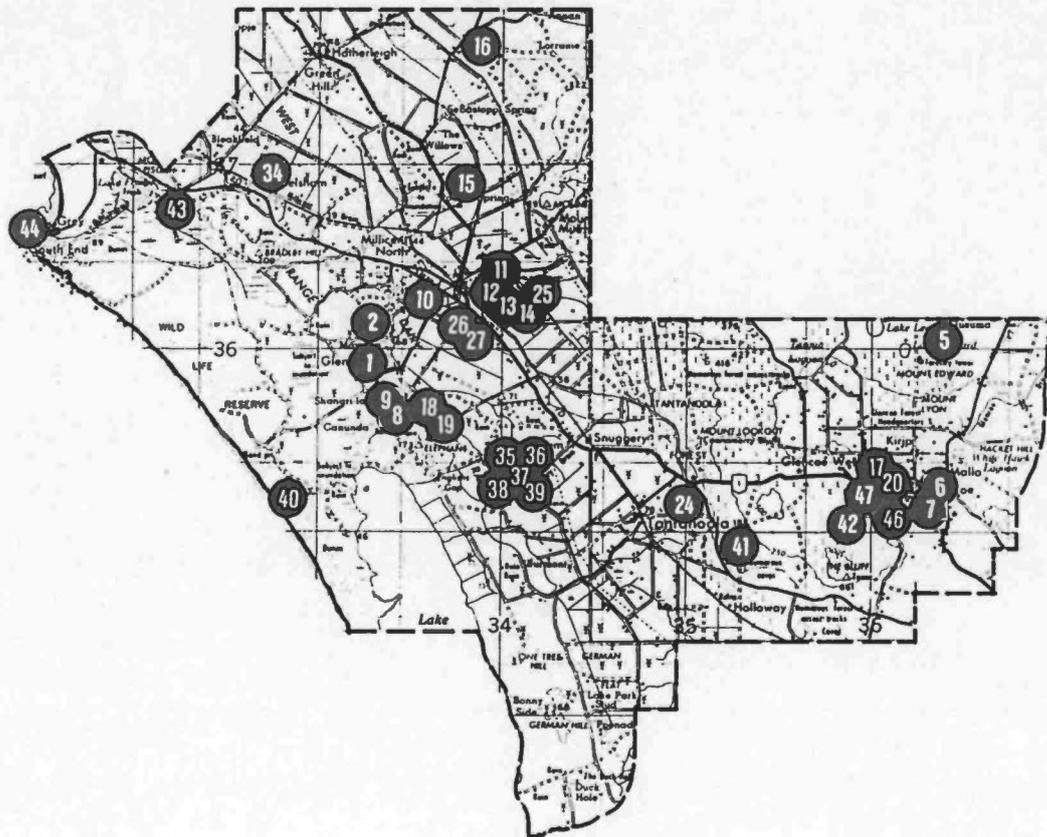
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18	Baron Von Mueller's Norfolk Island Pine Tree	#	2.01	1860-1880		A
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21	Tantanoola Hotel	#	4.06	1860-1880		B
22	St. Clare's Roman Catholic Church	#	2.05	1900-1915		B
23	Primary School	#	2.06	1880-1890		B
24	Hanging Rocks Hotel/Inn	#	4.06		NT	A
25	Varcoe House	#	2.07	1860-1880		B
26	House, "Enderby"	#	4.01	1890-1900		B
27	Stone Trough	#	4.01			B
28	National Trust Museum	#	2.06	1860-1880	NT	B
29	Senior Citizen's Clubrooms	#	2.06	1900-1915		B
30	Rotunda	#	3.03	1900-1915		B
31	Police Lock-up	#	3.05	1860-1880	NT	A
32	Shop & Residence	#	4.06	1860-1880		B
33	St. Paul's Lutheran Church	#	2.05	1880-1890		B
34	Chicory Kiln	#	4.03			B
35	House, Hann's Cheese Factory	#	4.03	1880-1890		A*

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36	Hann's Cheese Factory	#	4.03	1880-1890		A*
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38	Pig Sty, Hann's Cheese Factory	#	4.03	1880-1890		A*
39	Dairy, Hann's Cheese Factory	#	4.03	1880-1890		A*
40	Pt. of Canunda National Park	#	1.05		NE	A
41	Tantanoola Caves Conservation Park	#	1.05		NE	A
42	Gower Conservation Park	#	1.05		NE	A
43	Narrow Neck Cutting, South East Drainage Scheme	#	1.05			A
44	Historic Site, Southend	#	1.04			A
45	St. Michael & All Angela Church of England	#	2.05	1900-1915	NT	B
46	St. Brenden's Roman Catholic Church	#	2.05	1900-1915	NT	B
47	St. Paul's Church of England	#	2.05	1900-1915	NT	B

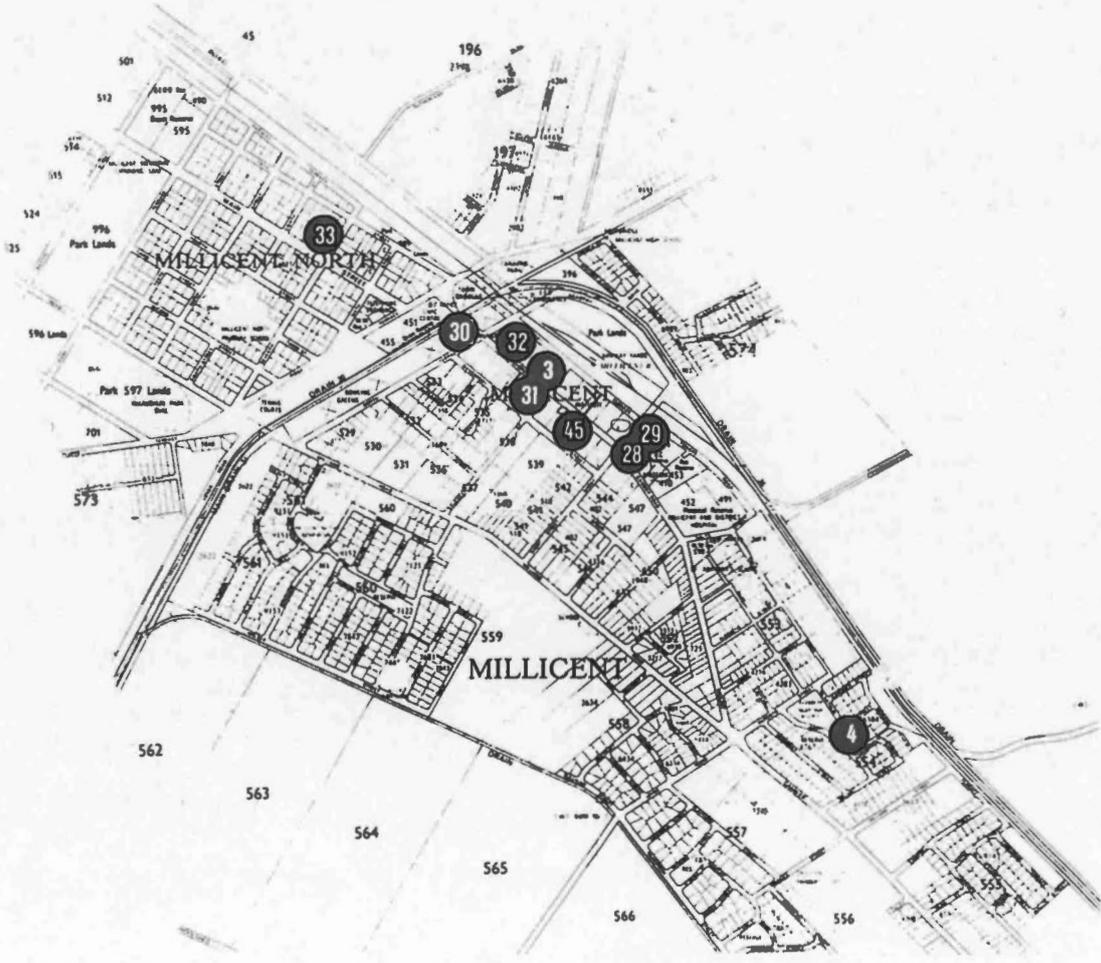
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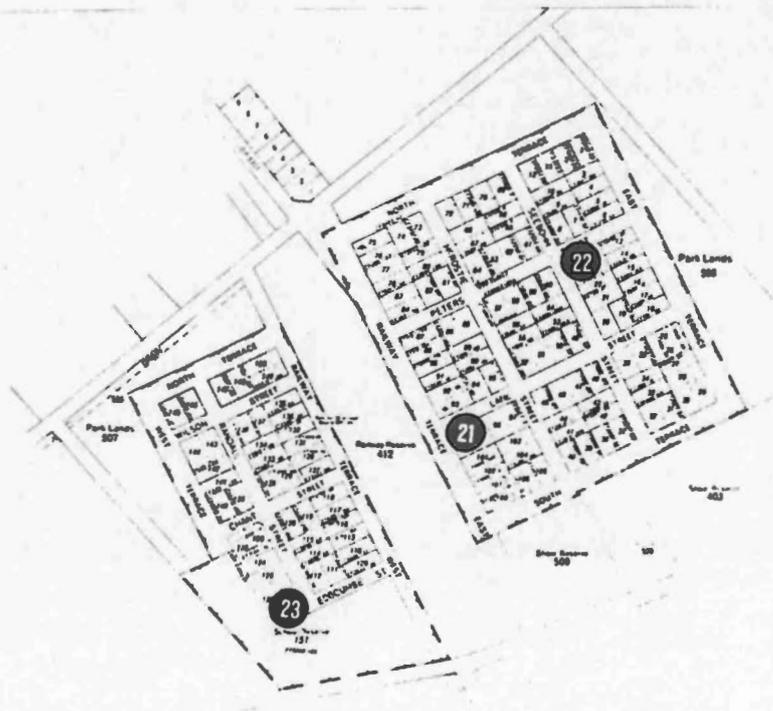
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 LOCATION OF HERITAGE ITEMS AND AREAS
 DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND PLANNING
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Item No. : MIL:001
ITEM NAME: Former Powder Magazine
Former or other names:

LOCATION:

Address: Butte's Hill,
near Millicent

Allotment:

Section : 308

Hundred : Mayurra

County : Grey

L.G.A. : Millicent

S.H.P. Region: 6

A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N: 5836565
E: 438580

TYPE OF ITEM:

Description: Powder Magazine

Subject: 4.02

Period: 1860-1880

Date: 1860's

Condition: Fair

Architect:

Builder:

STATUS State Heritage List: Registered

National Estate : Listed

National Trust : Classified

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: State

Description:

Random coursed stone vault, built into the hillside with a door at one end and a small 'elliptical' window at the other end. Timber lintel over door. Skilled stone cutting to shape vault.

The powder magazine was used to store explosives in connection with the beginnings of the South East Drainage Scheme. It is 'all that remains of the buildings from which operations were directed whilst drainage was in progress in the area' (Bruce Towers). Work on the drainage of the South East began in 1863, and during early years was under the supervision of Dutch engineer Butte.

Report Text:

REFERENCES: J. Richards and B. Towers "Early Millicent" pp. 10-13
J. Melano, "Walking Tall" pp. 26-29

Verbal: Bruce Towers

PHOTOGRAPHS:

Slide No : 5/3,4

Film No : 5

Negative No: 9,10

Archival No:

DANVERS ARCHITECTS Date: 1983



Item No. : MIL:002
ITEM NAME: Homestead, "Mayurra"
Former or other names:

LOCATION:

Address: near Millicent

Allotment:

Section : 1
Hundred : Mayurra
County : Grey
L.G.A. : Millicent
S.H.P. Region: 6
A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N: 5838750
E: 439250

TYPE OF ITEM:

Description: Homestead
Subject: 2.01
Period: 1850-1860
Date: 1857 Condition: Well Kept
Architect: English and Brown
Builder: English and Brown

STATUS

State Heritage List:
National Estate :
National Trust : Recorded

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: State

Description:

Painted random coursed stonework with corrugated galvanized iron hipped roof and bull nose return verandah. Van Dieman's Land timber shingles under roof. Built on a foundation of lime concrete, excavated down to rock. Main rooms have French doors opening on to verandah, with keystone shallow arches. Split lath and plaster ceilings. Large cellars under house. The stone kitchen remains behind the house. Additions - c.1950.

The "Mayurra" run was pioneered by Samuel Davenport in 1845. He soon handed it over to his relative George Glen who built the homestead for his new wife Millicent, daughter of Bishop Short. After her the township of Millicent was later named. The materials and workmen for the building of the house were brought from Adelaide by sea and landed at Greytown (Southend). The domestic buildings were originally grouped around a courtyard. These included the kitchen, schoolroom and nursery.

Report Text:

REFERENCES: J. Richards and B. Towers, "Early Millicent" p. 4
J. Melano, "Walking Tall" p. 15-25

Verbal: Bruce Towers

PHOTOGRAPHS:

Slide No : 5/1
Film No : 5
Negative No: 7

Archival No:



Item No. : MIL:003
ITEM NAME: Grand Hotel
Former or other names:

LOCATION:
Address: Cnr of George St. &
Glen St., Millicent
Allotment:
Section :
Hundred : Mt Muirhead
County : Grey
L.G.A. : Millicent
S.H.P. Region: 6
A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N: 5838770
E: 442870

TYPE OF ITEM:
Description: Hotel
Subject: 4.06
Period: 1900-1915
Date: 1900 Condition: Well Kept
Architect: Thomas M. Hall, Mount Gambier
Builder: H. Knight

STATUS State Heritage List:
National Estate :
National Trust : Recorded

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: State

Description:

Squared rubble walls with dressed stone quoins and rusticated segmental arches to double hung sash windows and doors with fanlights over. Large two storey entrance door with semicircular arched fanlight over. Cast iron lacework balustrade and posts to raked-roof verandah. Hipped corrugated galvanized iron roof, moulded chimneys.

Millicent's third hotel, built by the 'Millicent Syndicate' of White, McDonald and Sutherland. First manager was T. Secker of the Somerset Hotel.

Report Text:

REFERENCES: National Trust of South Australia Notes - File No. 2344
J. Melano, "Walking Tall" p. 116

Verbal: Bruce Towers

PHOTOGRAPHS:

Slide No : 19/5
Film No : 17
Negative No: 14

Archival No:

DANVERS ARCHITECTS Date: 1983



South Australian
Heritage Act 1978-80:

REGION 6 :
SOUTH EAST

Item No. : MIL:004
ITEM NAME: 'Woodgreen'
Former or other names:

LOCATION:

Address: Cnr. of Stewart St. &
Hart St., Millicent

Allotment:

Section :
Hundred : Mt Muirhead
County : Grey
L.G.A. : Millicent

S.H.P. Region: 6

A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N: 5837700
E: 443750

TYPE OF ITEM:

Description: House

Subject: 2.01

Period: 1890-1900

Date: 1894

Condition: Well Kept

Architect:

Builder:

STATUS State Heritage List:

National Estate :

National Trust : Filed

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: Local

Description:

Random coursed sandstone with Mount Gambier limestone quoins. 'M'-shaped corrugated galvanized iron hipped roof and return verandah. Double hung sash windows, some multi-paned. Random coursed stone lean-to extension on east side. Stone chimney.

'Woodgreen' was named after a place in England, where Mrs. Harris' family used to live. Mr. Harris was the first postmaster in Millicent in 1876 and Mrs. Harris was the daughter of Captain Davidson. Mr. & Mrs. Harris sold 'Woodgreen' in 1921 to a Mr. Simon for 3,000 pounds. In 1975, after a sequence of various owners, the house was sold to Miss F. Gower for \$14,000, who left it to the Millicent Branch of the National Trust.

Report Text:

REFERENCES: National Trust of South Australia Notes - File No. 2345

Verbal: Bruce Towers

PHOTOGRAPHS:

Slide No : 5/9

Film No : 5

Negative No: 15

Archival No:



DANVERS ARCHITECTS Date: 1983

South Australian
Heritage Act 1978-80:

REGION 6 :
SOUTH EAST

Item No. : MIL:005
ITEM NAME: Tracks around Mount Burr
Former or other names:

LOCATION:

Address: Mount Burr

Allotment:

Section :

Hundred : Mt Muirhead

County : Grey

L.G.A. : Millicent

S.H.P. Region: 6

A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N: 5838000

E: 454200

TYPE OF ITEM:

Description: Walking Tracks

Subject:

Period:

Date:

Condition:

Architect:

Builder:

STATUS State Heritage List:

National Estate :

National Trust :

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: Local

Description:

Report Text:

REFERENCES:

Verbal:

PHOTOGRAPHS:

Slide No :

Film No :

Negative No:

Archival No:

Item No. : MIL:006
ITEM NAME: Shearing Shed, "Glencoe"
Former or other names:

LOCATION:

Address: Glencoe East-Mount
 Gambier Road
Allotment: 1
Section : Pt. 330
Hundred : Young
County : Grey
L.G.A. : Millicent
S.H.P. Region: 6
A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N: 5228600
 E: 465850

TYPE OF ITEM:

Description: Shearing Shed
Subject: 4.01
Period: 1860-1880
Date: 1863 Condition: Well Kept
Architect: William T. Gore
Builder: Hale and Cole

STATUS State Heritage List: Registered
 National Estate : Listed
 National Trust : Classified

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: State

Description:

Random coursed stonework with limestone quoins. Corrugated galvanized iron half hipped roof with fretworked barge board. Arched windows and doors with modern fanlights. Interior timbers for roof framing give an ecclesiastical appearance, using arched members. In some places the timbers are bow sawn, rather than adzed. Floor grating in sheep pens runs parallel to the shearing boards, which is incorrect. The shearing shed used to have 36 stands (18 each side). The total cost of building was 1,500 pounds. The shearers' quarters, at the rear of the shearing shed, used to reflect the style of the shed, but now have been converted into a hall and have lost any similarity.

Built for Edward Leake who, with his brother Robert, had founded the "Glencoe" station in the early 1840's. Later owned by John and George Riddoch, also great squatters. Up to 53,000 sheep per season were shorn in this shed.

Report Text:

REFERENCES: E.M. Yelland, "Baron of the Frontier" p. 162

Verbal: Bruce Towers
 Mr. & Mrs. B. Colley

PHOTOGRAPHS:

Slide No : 5/18, 19
Film No : 5
Negative No: 23

Archival No:



Item No. : MIL:007
ITEM NAME: Stables, "Glencoe"
Former or other names:

LOCATION:

Address: off Glencoe East-Mount
Gambier Road

Allotment:

Section :
Hundred : Hindmarsh
County : Grey
L.G.A. : Millicent

S.H.P. Region: 6

A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N: 5828300
E: 465800

TYPE OF ITEM:

Description: Outbuilding
Subject: 4.01

Period: 1850-1860

Date: 1857 Condition: Well Kept
Architect:
Builder:

STATUS State Heritage List:
National Estate :
National Trust :

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: State

Description:

Random coursed Mount Gambier limestone with a corrugated galvanized iron gable ended roof. Two storey building. Keystones over some openings, otherwise stone lintels. Possibly timber shingles remaining under iron. First floor level of gable end has a multi-paned double hung sash window. Stone walls form courtyard in front of stables with other stone buildings.

Built on a grand scale, like other stone constructions of the Leake Bros. in the 1850's and 1860's. The homestead, "Frontier House", has vanished.

Report Text:

REFERENCES:

Verbal: Bruce Towers

PHOTOGRAPHS:

Slide No : 5/20
Film No : 5
Negative No: 24

Archival No:



Item No. : MIL:008
ITEM NAME: Milne's Gap Woolwash
Former or other names:

LOCATION:
Address: Frontage Road

Allotment:
Section :
Hundred : Mayurra
County : Grey
L.G.A. : Millicent

S.H.P. Region: 6
A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N: 5832000
E: 439450

TYPE OF ITEM:

Description: Factory
Subject: 4.03

Period: 1860-1880

Date: 1876

Architect:

Builder:

Condition: Dilapidated

STATUS State Heritage List:

National Estate :

National Trust :

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: State

Description:

Random rubble stone two storey building with single storey lean-to on one end. Corrugated galvanized iron gable ended roof. Stone fireplace and chimney within structure of wall of lean-to. Timber lintels over openings. Lean-to has raked roof. Upper floor has timber floor.

Built near the newly opened Milne's Gap drain, for the Osborne family who had been woolscourers and fellmongers in Leeds. Wool was washed in the drain and dried near the building. A second building nearby, on a more convenient site, was built in 1880. 'Scoured wool commanded a better price, and was cheaper to transport because all the dirt had been removed. Many hundreds of bales of wool were washed each season, the largest supplier being the Benara Estate of Mt. Gambier' (Bruce Towers).

Report Text:

REFERENCES: J. Richards and B. Towers, "Early Millicent" p. 32

Verbal: Bruce Towers

PHOTOGRAPHS:

Slide No : 13/95,96

Film No : 5

Negative No: 4

Archival No:



South Australian
Heritage Act 1978-80:

REGION 6 :
SOUTH EAST

Item No. : MIL:009
ITEM NAME: Ruined Cottage
Former or other names:

LOCATION:

Address: Frontage Road,
near Millicent

Allotment:

Section :

Hundred : Mayurra

County : Grey

L.G.A. : Millicent

S.H.P. Region: 6

A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N: 5832500

E: 439100

TYPE OF ITEM:

Description: Cottage

Subject: 4.01

Period:

Date:

Condition: Ruins

Architect:

Builder:

STATUS State Heritage List:

National Estate :

National Trust :

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: Local

Description:

Random rubble collapsed stonework with 'biscuit' stone disks in wall construction. Originally gable ended.

Report Text:

REFERENCES:

Verbal: Bruce Towers

PHOTOGRAPHS:

Slide No : 13/97, 98

Film No : 5

Negative No: 5, 6

Archival No:

DANVERS ARCHITECTS Date: 1983



Item No. : MIL:010
ITEM NAME: 'Colingrove'
Former or other names:

LOCATION:
Address: near Millicent

Allotment:
Section :
Hundred : Mount Muirhead
County : Grey
L.G.A. : Millicent
S.H.P. Region: 6
A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N:
E:

TYPE OF ITEM:
Description: House
Subject: 4.01
Period: 1880-1890
Date: c.1884 Condition: Well Kept
Architect:
Builder:

STATUS State Heritage List:
National Estate :
National Trust :

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: Local

Description:

Random coursed sandstone walls with white stone dressings. Red painted corrugated galvanized iron hipped roof with gable end. Corrugated galvanized iron bull nose verandahs. Elegant bay window to gable end. Part of the verandah built in with low stone walls and glazing. Built in three main parts, with the dining room being the latest section. The house includes cottages shifted from across the road and joined on.

Built for Peter Sutherland, of the family which acquired vast holdings in the region. The Sutherland brothers contracted for drainage and road-making works, then turned to the land. They were members of the Morambro Syndicate, which made huge land transactions. Peter was the first Chairman of the District Council of Kennion. House later owned by his daughter and her husband, Mr. & Mrs. Albert Varcoe, noted for horse-racing and philanthropy.

Report Text:

REFERENCES: "Cyclopedia of South Australia" Part II pp. 991,992
J. Richards and B. Towers, "Early Millicent" p. 52

Verbal: Bruce Towers
Yvonne Varcoe

PHOTOGRAPHS:
Slide No : 5/5,6
Film No : 5
Negative No: 11,12

Archival No:

DANVERS ARCHITECTS Date: 1983



Item No. : MIL:011
ITEM NAME: House & Kitchen, "Gum Park"
Former or other names:

LOCATION:	TYPE OF ITEM:
Address: near Millicent	Description: House
Allotment:	Subject: 4.01
Section :	Period: 1860-1880
Hundred : Mount Muirhead	Date: c.1872 Condition: Well Kept
County : Grey	Architect: .
L.G.A. : Millicent	Builder:
S.H.P. Region: 6	STATUS State Heritage List:
A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N:	National Estate :
E:	National Trust :

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: Local

Description:

Kitchen - Random rubble stonework, using stones collected from the surrounding paddocks. New corrugated galvanized iron gable ended roof with small stone parapet walls. Timber lintel above stove. Chimney used some volcanic stones from Mount Muirhead.

House - Built in several stages using different architectural styles and construction. Main part of the house has a red dolomite front elevation with white pointing and Mount Gambier limestone quoins. Corrugated galvanized iron hipped roof with concave verandah. Double hung sash windows.

The kitchen was built by the Kealey family in about 1872. It was used for the first Catholic masses in the Millicent district and 'two Bishops have said mass in it'. The Kealeys made their property available for other activities in connection with the Catholic Church.

Report Text:

REFERENCES: J. Richards and B. Towers, "Early Millicent" p. 28
J. Melano, "Walking Tall" p. 89

Verbal: Bruce Towers
Mr. & Mrs. E. Pettingill

PHOTOGRAPHS:

Slide No : 5/7,8
Film No : 5
Negative No: 13,14

Archival No:



Item No. : MIL:012
ITEM NAME: Nangula Nursery
Former or other names: School/Residence

LOCATION:	TYPE OF ITEM:
Address: Millicent-Mount Gambier Road, Millicent	Description: School Subject: 2.06
Allotment:	Period: 1860-1880
Section :	Date: 1878 Condition: Well Kept
Hundred : Mount Muirhead	Architect: Col. Arch. - Edward J. Woods
County : Grey	Builder: Hann and Moon
L.G.A. : Millicent	
S.H.P. Region: 6	STATUS State Heritage List:
A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N: 5833850	National Estate :
E: 446600	National Trust :

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: Local

Description:

Painted random rubble stonework with corrugated galvanized iron gablee ended roof and raked verandah. Extensively modernized with new additionn on northern end. Internal addition of mezzanine floor, to old school room. Pointed arched school windows with high sills lowered and dormer window added to light mezzanine level. Original ceiling 'Mansard' configuration. Small paned double hung sash windows.

'It is the finest of all the schools which sprang up at convenient locations around the Millicent [sic] district in the Seventies and Eighties....' (B. Towers). Closed down as a school in 1962.

Report Text:

REFERENCES: J. Richards and B. Towers, "Early Millicent" p. 34
J. Melano, "Walking Tall" p. 239

Verbal: Bruce Towers
Mr. & Mrs. N. Bonney

PHOTOGRAPHS:

Slide No : 5/10
Film No : 5
Negative No: 16

Archival No:



Item No. : MIL:013
ITEM NAME: Crafter's Cottage
Former or other names:

LOCATION:

Address: Millicent-Mount
Gambier Road
Allotment:
Section :
Hundred : Mount Muirhead
County : Grey
L.G.A. : Millicent
S.H.P. Region: 6
A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N: 5833700
E: 446800

TYPE OF ITEM:

Description: Cottage
Subject: 2.07
Period:
Date: Condition: Fair
Architect:
Builder:

STATUS State Heritage List:
National Estate :
National Trust :

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: Local

Description:

Random rubble stonework with corrugated galvanized iron gable ended roof. Large stone chimney on one gable end. Casement windows. Internal vertical lines off plumb.

Used as a midwifery.

Report Text:

REFERENCES:

Verbal: Bruce Towers
Janice Nitschke

PHOTOGRAPHS:

Slide No : 5/11
Film No : 5 17
Negative No: 17 18

Archival No:

DANVERS ARCHITECTS Date: 1983



Item No. : MIL:014

ITEM NAME: Homestead, "Nantithet"

Former or other names:

LOCATION:

Address: East of Millicent

Allotment:

Section :

Hundred : Mount Muirhead

County : Grey

L.G.A. : Millicent

S.H.P. Region: 6

A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N:

E:

TYPE OF ITEM:

Description: Homestead

Subject: 4.01

Period: 1900-1915

Date: 1907

Condition: Well Kept

Architect: Thomas M. Hall, Mount Gambier

Builder:

STATUS State Heritage List:

National Estate :

National Trust :

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: State

Description:

Front elevation has random coursed red dolomite stonework with limestone quoins, whilst the side elevation is constructed of local sandstone with limestone quoins. Corrugated galvanized iron hipped and gable ended roof with bull nose return verandah. Verandah has wrought iron balustrade and small gable adjacent to front entrance. Gable end on front elevation has a bay window. Alteration made to back of the house, enclosing the small verandah. Interior has large rooms with fine joinery, particularly in the main hall. The front bedroom has a pressed metal ceiling and a marble fireplace. Beautiful hand painted stained glass sidelights and fanlight to front door.

The "Nantithet" house was built in 1907 for Samuel Skewes, a Millicent bootmaker/newsagent. The original plans for the house are still in existence. The house was built for 2,000 pounds. Skewes started business in Millicent in 1878. In the following year he bought the land on which "Nantithet" stands. 'He was very active in civic affairs and is said to be the first to prove that cross-bred sheep are the best suited to this area'. (J. Melano)

Report Text:

REFERENCES: J. Melano, "Walking Tall" p. 168

"Cyclopedia of South Australia" Part II p. 994

Verbal: Bruce Towers
Thomas Telford

PHOTOGRAPHS:

Slide No : 5/12,13

Film No : 5

Negative No: 18

Archival No:



DANVERS ARCHITECTS Date: 1983

Item No. : MIL:015
ITEM NAME: Homestead, "Poolna"
Former or other names:

LOCATION:
Address: N.E. of Millicent

Allotment:
Section :
Hundred : Mount Muirhead
County : Grey
L.G.A. : Millicent

S.H.P. Region: 6
A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N: 5845500
E: 443600

TYPE OF ITEM:

Description: Homestead

Subject: 4.01

Period:

Date:

Condition: Well Kept

Architect:

Builder:

STATUS State Heritage List:

National Estate :

National Trust :

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: Local

Description:

Painted random coursed pointed sandstone with red tiled gable ended roof and raked verandah between gable ends. Gable ends have small bay windows and shields. Ornamental verandah posts and barge boards have been removed in addition to high stone chimneys. Interior has marble fireplaces and wood panelling. Symmetrical front elevation.

The "Poolna" homestead was the home of Jonathan Rogers, Head of the South East Drainage Board. Sold by him in 1912 to J.B. Mitchell, Chairman of the Millicent District Council. from 1920 to 1932.

Report Text:

REFERENCES: J. Melano, "Walking Tall" p. 242

Verbal: Bruce Towers

PHOTOGRAPHS:

Slide No : 5/14

Film No : 5

Negative No: 19

Archival No:



Item No. : MIL:016
ITEM NAME: Homestead, "Avenue"
Former or other names:

LOCATION:
Address: N.E. of Millicent

Allotment:
Section :
Hundred : Mount Muirhead
County : Grey
L.G.A. : Millicent

S.H.P. Region: 6
A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N: 5850600
E: 442800

TYPE OF ITEM:
Description: Homestead
Subject: 4.01
Period:
Date:
Architect:
Builder:

Condition: Well Kept

STATUS State Heritage List:
National Estate :
National Trust :

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: Local

Description:

Painted random coursed sandstone with corrugated galvanized iron hipped roof and bull nose return verandah. Raised verandah has heavy stone pillars (c.1940's), which are not original. French doors, with keystones, open onto verandah.

"Avenue" was one of the stations established by David Power. It reached an area of 125 square miles. Owned early in the twentieth century by W. Clifford, who later purchased "Yallum Park".

Report Text:

REFERENCES: R. Cockburn, "Pastoral Pioneers" Part II p. 243

Verbal: Bruce Towers

PHOTOGRAPHS:

Slide No : 5/15
Film No : 5
Negative No: 20

Archival No:



Item No. : MIL:017
ITEM NAME: Uniting Church
Former or other names: Presbyterian Church

LOCATION:	TYPE OF ITEM:
Address: Glencoe West	Description: Church
Allotment:	Subject: 2.07
Section :	Period: 1900-1915
Hundred : Hindmarsh	Date: 1906
County : Grey	Condition: Well Kept
L.G.A. : Millicent	Architect:
S.H.P. Region: 6	Builder:
A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N: 5828700	STATUS State Heritage List:
E: 465600	National Estate :
	National Trust :

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: State

Description:

Mount Gambier limestone block walls with side buttresses. Corrugated galvanized iron gable ended roof. Front elevation has a square porch with crenallated parapet and buttresses. Pointed arched windows along side elevation and tri-partite pointed arched window on front elevation.

The Foundation Stone was laid by the Rev. R.A. Caldwell on March 2nd., 1906.

Report Text:

REFERENCES:

Verbal: Bruce Towers

PHOTOGRAPHS:

Slide No : 5/17
Film No : 5
Negative No: 22

Archival No:

DANVERS ARCHITECTS Date: 1983



Item No. : MIL:018

ITEM NAME: Baron Von Mueller's Norfolk Island Pine Tree

Former or other names:

LOCATION:

Address: Ehrenbreitstein House,
S.E. of Millicent

Allotment:

Section :

Hundred : Mayurra

County : Grey

L.G.A. : Millicent

S.H.P. Region: 6

A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N: 5830400

E: 442050

TYPE OF ITEM:

Description: Tree

Subject: 2.01

Period: 1860-1880

Date: c.1874

Condition:

Architect:

Builder:

STATUS State Heritage List:

National Estate :

National Trust :

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: State

Description:

Planted by Baron Ferdinand Von Mueller, noted naturalist. His sister Clara married Dr. Wehl, who built Ehrenbreitstein. The Baron's association with the district began in 1847 when, for Samuel Davenport, he searched for a weed which might cause the Coast Disease in stock. He also provided the pines for the driveway of "Mayurra" station.

Report Text:

REFERENCES: J. Richards and B. Towers, "Early Millicent" p. 18

Verbal: Bruce Towers

PHOTOGRAPHS:

Slide No : 11/42,43

Film No : 12

Negative No: 42a

Archival No:



Item No. : MIL:019
ITEM NAME: 'Ehrenbreitstein'
Former or other names:

LOCATION:
Address: S.E. of Millicent

Allotment:
Section :
Hundred : Mayurra
County : Grey
L.G.A. : Millicent
S.H.P. Region: 6
A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N: 5830400
E: 442050

TYPE OF ITEM:
Description: House
Subject: 4.01
Period: 1860-1880
Date: 1874 Condition: Fair
Architect:
Builder:

STATUS State Heritage List:
National Estate :
National Trust :

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: Local

Description:

Random coursed Mount Gambier limestone with stuccoed south elevation.
Corrugated galvanized iron multi-hipped roof and raked verandah.
Multi-paned double hung sash windows. Stone chimneys. Lean-to at rear.

Built for Dr. Edward Wehl, who played so large a part in the history of
Mount Gambier. After his death in 1876, Mrs. Wehl continued to live at
Ehrenbreitstein, till her death in 1901. The house was named after a
family home in Germany.

Report Text:

REFERENCES: J. Richards and B. Towers, "Early Millicent" p. 18

Verbal: Bruce Towers

PHOTOGRAPHS:

Slide No : 11/44
Film No : 12
Negative No: 1

Archival No:



Item No. : MIL:020
ITEM NAME: Institute Hall
Former or other names:

LOCATION:
Address: Glencoe West

Allotment:
Section :
Hundred : Young
County : Grey
L.G.A. : Millicent

S.H.P. Region: 6
A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N: 5828600
E: 465700

TYPE OF ITEM:

Description: Meeting Rooms
Subject: 2.06

Period:

Date: Condition: Well Kept

Architect:

Builder:

STATUS State Heritage List:
National Estate :
National Trust :

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: Local

Description:

Rock-faced facade with dressed stone plinth to sill height finished with string course. Smooth rusticated pilasters and quoins to semi-circular arched double hung sash windows and door with fanlight over. Pedimented parapet concealing gabled corrugated galvanized iron roof.

Report Text:

REFERENCES:

Verbal: Bruce Towers

PHOTOGRAPHS:

Slide No : 19/11
Film No : 17
Negative No: 20

Archival No:



Item No. : MIL:021
ITEM NAME: Tantanoola Hotel
Former or other names:

LOCATION:
Address: Railway Terrace East,
Tantanoola
Allotment:
Section :
Hundred : Hindmarsh
County : Grey
L.G.A. : Millicent
S.H.P. Region: 6
A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N: 5827500
E: 452000

TYPE OF ITEM:
Description: Hotel
Subject: 4.06
Period: 1860-1880
Date: c.1879 Condition: Well Kept
Architect:
Builder:

STATUS State Heritage List:
National Estate :
National Trust :

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: Local

Description:

Painted rendered stonework with painted stone quoins around windows and
Corrugated galvanized iron hipped roof with new corrugated galvanized
iron raked verandah. Elegant stone chimneys.

Built for Aaron Lane who had also built the Wave Queen at Southend, the
Somerset at Millicent and other hotels. Since 1947 the Tantanoola Hotel
has housed the celebrated 'Tantanoola Tiger', which gained Australia wide
attention for its depredations in the area in the early 1890's. The hotel
was called the 'Tantanoola Tiger' at the turn of the century and even
then carried the representation of a tiger on its roof.

Report Text:

REFERENCES: "Cyclopedia of South Australia" Part II p. 1000
L. Hill, "Mount Gambier, the City around a Cave" p. 268

Verbal: Bruce Towers

PHOTOGRAPHS:

Slide No : 11/51
Film No : 12
Negative No: 8

Archival No:

DANVERS ARCHITECTS Date: 1983



Item No. : MIL1022

ITEM NAME: St. Clare's Roman Catholic Church

Former or other names:

LOCATION:

Address: Peters Street,
Tantanoola

Allotment:

Section :
Hundred : Hindmarsh

County : Grey

L.G.A. : Millicent

S.H.P. Region: 6

A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N: 5827750

E: 452150

TYPE OF ITEM:

Description: Church

Subject: 2.05

Period: 1900-1915

Date: 1908

Condition: Well Kept

Architect:

Builder:

STATUS State Heritage List:

National Estate :

National Trust :

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: Local

Description:

Painted random coursed stonework with buttresses along side elevations. Square stone porch with crenallated parapet adjoins front elevation. Corrugated galvanized iron gable ended roof with ventilators. Pointed arched stained glass windows along side elevations of the building. Imposing entrance through front of porch.

Report Text:

REFERENCES:

Verbal: Bruce Towers

PHOTOGRAPHS:

Slide No : 11/52

Film No : 12

Negative No: 9

Archival No:



Item No. : MIL:023
ITEM NAME: Primary School
Former or other names:

LOCATION:

Address: Randall Street,
Tantanoola

Allotment:

Section :

Hundred : Hindmarsh

County : Grey

L.G.A. : Millicent

S.H.P. Region: 6

A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N: 5827300

E: 451800

TYPE OF ITEM:

Description: School

Subject: 2.06

Period: 1880-1890

Date: 1883

Condition: Well Kept

Architect: Col. Arch. - Edward J. Woods

Builder:

STATUS State Heritage List:

National Estate :

National Trust :

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: Local

Description:

Painted random coursed stonework with dressed quoins and plinth. New corrugated galvanized iron hipped and gabled roof with raked verandah. Dressed stone string course and keystones above windows. Double hung sash windows.

Once a residence as well.

Report Text:

REFERENCES:

Verbal: Bruce Towers

PHOTOGRAPHS:

Slide No : 11/53

Film No : 12

Negative No: 10

Archival No:



Item No. : MIL:024
ITEM NAME: Hanging Rocks Hotel/Inn
Former or other names: Up and Down Rocks Hotel

LOCATION:	TYPE OF ITEM:
Address: Millicent-Mount Gambier Road	Description: Hotel
Allotment:	Subject: 4.06
Section :	Period:
Hundred : Hindmarsh	Date: Condition: Dilapidated
County : Grey	Architect:
L.G.A. : Millicent	Builder:
S.H.P. Region: 6	STATUS State Heritage List:
A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N: 5828850	National Estate :
E: 454500	National Trust : Recorded

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: State

Description:

Incorporates several different types of construction. Parts have Mount Gambier limestone walls and others weatherboard. Corrugated galvanized iron gable ended roofs (various levels). Hand split hardwood lath and plaster ceilings. Painted calico ceilings. Casement and double hung sash windows. Stringy bark timber shingles remain under iron. Stone chimney at one end. Some original wallpaper still in existence. Built in several stages and forming a group of distinct attached buildings.

Licensed by the Wilson family till 1886; thereafter they used it as a private dwelling.

Report Text:

REFERENCES: J. Richards and B. Towers, "Early Millicent" p. 26

Verbal: Bruce Towers

PHOTOGRAPHS:

Slide No : 11/54
Film No : 12
Negative No: 11

Archival No:

DANVERS ARCHITECTS Date: 1983



Item No. : MIL:025
ITEM NAME: Varcoe House
Former or other names:

LOCATION:
Address: Nangula
 near Millicent
Allotment:
Section :
Hundred : Mount Muirhead
County : Grey
L.G.A. : Millicent
S.H.P. Region: 6
A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N: 5837100
 E: 449050

TYPE OF ITEM:
Description: Cottage
Subject: 2.07
Period: 1860-1880
Date: c.1872 Condition: Well Kept
Architect:
Builder:

STATUS State Heritage List:
 National Estate :
 National Trust :

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: Local

Description:

Weatherboard timber cottage with corrugated galvanized iron gable ended roof extending into a front verandah. Stone side walls and chimney. Multi-paned casement windows. 'Cottage' garden.

Thomas Varcoe bought land near Nangula in December, 1871 and travelled there from Marion with his family. He completed the drainage of his land, cleared and fenced it, and built a cottage. The timber had been pit-sawn in the Mount Burr ranges, and the flooring was from a shipwreck. Farming was difficult until superphosphate was introduced, and the whole property was nearly lost in the depression of the 1890's. 'This short story, which partially tells the trials and efforts of a pioneering family, could well be told of every family arriving in the area during the period 1860-1890' (B. Towers).

Report Text:

REFERENCES: J. Richards & B. Towers, "Early Millicent" p. 36

Verbal: Bruce Towers

PHOTOGRAPHS:
Slide No : 11/55
Film No : 12
Negative No: 12

Archival No:

DANVERS ARCHITECTS Date: 1983



Item No. : MIL:026
ITEM NAME: House, "Enderby"
Former or other names:

LOCATION:
Address: off Millicent-Mount
 Gambier Road
Allotment:
Section :
Hundred : Mount Muirhead
County : Grey
L.G.A. : Millicent
S.H.P. Region: 6
A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N: 5835850
 E: 444450

TYPE OF ITEM:
Description: House
Subject: 4.01
Period: 1890-1900
Date: 1890's Condition: Well Kept
Architect:
Builder:

STATUS State Heritage List:
 National Estate :
 National Trust :

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: Local

Description:

Cream painted random coursed stonework with painted dressed quoins. Corrugated galvanized iron hipped roof. Two storey porch (c.1958) has large curved arches on the ground floor and square arches on the first floor with a timber balustrading. Entrance porch/balcony has corrugated galvanized iron gable ended roof. Originally had a full balcony/verandah across front elevation. Double hung sash windows. Unusual double arch at top of central staircase. Horizontal timber boarded internal wall. Classical Georgian proportions with clean elegant lines.

Built for Robert Josiah Holland, and supposedly modelled on "Crower" homestead (Lucindale LGA - LUC:011:401) where he had worked.

Report Text:

REFERENCES:

Verbal: Bruce Towers
 Jeanette Chant

PHOTOGRAPHS:

Slide No :
Film No : 12
Negative No: 13

Archival No:



Item No. : MIL:027
ITEM NAME: Stone Trough
Former or other names:

LOCATION:
Address: off Millicent-Mount
 Gambier Road
Allotment:
Section :
Hundred : Mount Muirhead
County : Grey
L.G.A. : Millicent
S.H.P. Region: 6
A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N: 5836300
 E: 444650

TYPE OF ITEM:
Description: Trough
Subject: 4.01
Period:
Date: Condition: Fair
Architect:
Builder: Mrs. R. Holland

STATUS State Heritage List:
 National Estate :
 National Trust :

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: Local

Description:

Hand built stone trough set into the ground with timber posts at either end.

Built by Mrs. Robert Holland of "Enderby". She was a Hann, and would seem to have inherited some of her father's skill as a stonemason.

Report Text:

REFERENCES:

Verbal: Bruce Towers

PHOTOGRAPHS:

Slide No : 11/57
Film No : 12
Negative No: 14

Archival No:

DANVERS ARCHITECTS Date: 1983



Item No. : MIL:028
ITEM NAME: National Trust Museum
Former or other names: Public School/First High School

LOCATION:	TYPE OF ITEM:
Address: Mount Gambier Road, Millicent	Description: School Subject: 2.06
Allotment:	Period: 1860-1880
Section :	Date: 1873 Condition: Well Kept
Hundred : Mount Muirhead	Architect: Col. Arch. - George T. Light
County : Grey	Builder: Moon and Stanway
L.G.A. : Millicent	
S.H.P. Region: 6	STATUS State Heritage List:
A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N: 5838540	National Estate :
E: 443100	National Trust : Recorded

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: Local

Description:

Random coursed sandstone with black pointing and stone quoins. Corrugated galvanized iron gable ended roof with ventilators at roof apex. Basic 'T' shape with stone lean-to additions. Rough stone plinth. New stone capped parapet at one gable end. Casement and double hung sash windows. Old chimney removed.

The cost of the school was shared between the Board of Education and local subscription. The building was of local stone and had a shingle roof. Extensions were made at various times because of a burgeoning enrolment. When it was decided in 1910 to erect an entirely new school nearby, a deputation argued against the old school's demolition, claiming that 'Millicent is one of only a couple of towns in the South-East that can say it built its own school and, in that, there is a good argument to lay before the Government'. The building languished for a time, then became the Millicent Higher Primary School and later the Millicent High School. In 1935 it became a Primary School again when a new High School was built. Since 1969 it has been the headquarters of the Millicent National Trust.

Report Text:

REFERENCES: J. Richards and B. Towers, "Early Millicent" p. 22
J. Melano, "Walking Tall" pp. 39-42, 104-106, 276

Verbal: Bruce Towers

PHOTOGRAPHS:

Slide No : 11/58
Film No : 12
Negative No: 15

Archival No:

DANVERS ARCHITECTS Date: 1983



Item No. : MIL:029
ITEM NAME: Senior Citizens' Clubrooms
Former or other names: Primary School

LOCATION:	TYPE OF ITEM:
Address: Cnr. Mount Gambier Rd. & Short St., Millicent	Description: Meeting Rooms Subject: 2.06
Allotment:	Period: 1900-1915
Section :	Date: 1910 Condition: Well Kept
Hundred : Mount Muirhead	Architect: P.B.D. - C.E. Owen Smyth
County : Grey	Builder:
L.G.A. : Millicent	
S.H.P. Region: 6	STATUS State Heritage List:
A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N: 5838580	National Estate :
E: 443120	National Trust :

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: Local

Description:

Painted random coursed stonework with quoins and plinth. Corrugated galvanized iron gable ended roof with elaborate gable ends, parapet capping and string courses. Stone detailing under windows and dressed stone chimneys. Louvred roof ventilators on gable ends with shelf pediments and quoins. Double hung sash windows.

Received high praise on its opening, for its ornate structure, internal fittings, comfort, lighting and ventilation. Renovated in the 1960's to become the Senior Citizens' Club, new schools having been built in other parts of the town for the growing population of town children and those being bussed in from the countryside.

Report Text:

REFERENCES: J. Richards and B. Towers, "Early Millicent" p. 46

Verbal: Bruce Towers

PHOTOGRAPHS:

Slide No : 11/59
Film No : 12
Negative No: 16

Archival No:



Item No. : MIL:030
ITEM NAME: Rotunda
Former or other names:

LOCATION:
Address: Cnr. of George St. &
North Tce., Millicent
Allotment:
Section :
Hundred : Mount Muirhead
County : Grey
L.G.A. : Millicent
S.H.P. Region: 6
A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N: 5838900
E: 442600

TYPE OF ITEM:
Description: Rotunda
Subject: 3.03
Period: 1900-1911
Date: 1911 Condition: Well Kept
Architect: W.K. Stanway
Builder:

STATUS State Heritage List:
National Estate :
National Trust :

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: Local

Description:

Octagonal structure on stepped concrete plinth with cast iron posts supporting double curved (timber?) roof capped with spire. Pressed metal ceiling, cast iron balustrading, lacework and eaves corbels. Renewed square gutters.

About 1910 Millicent formed a Town Improvements Committee, which decided to beautify the parklands near the drain and to take over the scheme for a Band Rotunda. The Rotunda was planned to be 'the handsomest structure of its kind yet to be erected in any country town in South Australia'. It saw many concerts and other functions till, 'due to changing times and customs' (Bruce Towers), it fell into disrepair. Saved from demolition by the Millicent National Trust in 1969.

Report Text:

REFERENCES: J. Richards and B. Towers, "Early Millicent" p. 50
J. Melano, "Walking Tall" pp. 119,120

Verbal: Bruce Towers

PHOTOGRAPHS:

Slide No : 19/4
Film No : 17
Negative No: 13

Archival No:



Item No. : MIL:031
ITEM NAME: Police Lock-up
Former or other names:

LOCATION:
Address: off George Street,
 Millicent
Allotment:
Section :
Hundred : Mount Miurhead
County : Grey
L.G.A. : Millicent
S.H.P. Region: 6
A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N: 5838700
 E: 442800

TYPE OF ITEM:
Description: Police Station
Subject: 3.05
Period: 1860-1880
Date: c.1874 Condition: Fair
Architect: Col. Arch. - George T. Light
Builder:

STATUS State Heritage List:
 National Estate :
 National Trust : Recorded

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: State

Description:

Former police cells of squared rubble with dressed stone quoins, segmental arched window filled in with matching stonework, circular vent to loft above. Corbelled ends to gable parapet wall, corrugated iron roof.

Police patrolled the district from 1846. After the formation of the town a resident Police Trooper was appointed in 1874, a police station with cells and stables being built in the same year. A larger station was necessary after only two years, and the earlier building became a residence. A Court House followed in 1877. Of all these buildings only the cells remain

Report Text:

REFERENCES: J. Melano, "Walking Tall" pp. 42, 43
 J. Richards and B. Towers, "Early Millicent" p. 30

Verbal: Bruce Towers
 Heather Carthew

PHOTOGRAPHS:
Slide No : 19/6
Film No : 17
Negative No: 15

Archival No:



Item No. : MIL:032
ITEM NAME: Shop & Residence
Former or other names: Bowering's

LOCATION:	TYPE OF ITEM:
Address: George Street, Millicent	Description: Shop
Allotment:	Subject: 4.06
Section :	Period: 1860-1880
Hundred : Mount Muirhead	Date: 1872 Condition: Fair
County : Grey	Architect:
L.G.A. : Millicent	Builder:
S.H.P. Region: 6	STATUS State Heritage List:
A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N: 5838850	National Estate :
E: 442750	National Trust :

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: Local

Description:

Rendered facade to Mount Gambier limestone building. Partial parapet wall to street facade, continuous with (more recent?) residence, all under one hipped corrugated iron roof. Fixed pane shop-front window, double hung windows to house.

Built for J.B. O'Connor, it is a rare survivor of the early buildings of Millicent's main street, and the only shop in that street to retain a house. Was for many years the premises of Richard Bowering, bootmaker, amateur musician and storyteller. Later the barber shop and residence of P.J Bowering.

Report Text:

REFERENCES: J. Richards and B. Towers, "Early Millicent" p. 38
 J. Melano, "Walking Tall" p.215

Verbal: Bruce Towers

PHOTOGRAPHS:

Slide No : 19/7
Film No : 17
Negative No: 16

Archival No:

DANVERS ARCHITECTS Date: 1983



Item No. : MIL:033
ITEM NAME: St. Paul's Lutheran Church
Former or other names:

LOCATION:	TYPE OF ITEM:
Address: George Street, Millicent	Description: Church Subject: 2.05
Allotment:	Period: 1880-1890
Section :	Date: 1884 Condition: Well Kept
Hundred : Mount Muirhead	Architect:
County : Grey	Builder:
L.G.A. : Millicent	
S.H.P. Region: 6	STATUS State Heritage List:
A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N: 5839150	National Estate :
E: 442200	National Trust :

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: Local

Description:

Built of squared rubble with dressed stone plinth, quoins and buttresses. Gabled corrugated iron roof to nave and entrance porch, each with circular vent to gable. Pointed arched windows and doorways.

Lutheran services were conducted in private homes from 1874. A building fund for a church commenced in 1879. Mount Gambier pastors serviced the community till 1961.

Report Text:

REFERENCES: J. Melano, "Walking Tall" pp. 91, 236

Verbal:

PHOTOGRAPHS:

Slide No : 19/8
Film No : 17
Negative No: 17

Archival No:

DANVERS ARCHITECTS Date: 1983



Item No. : MIL:034
ITEM NAME: Chicory Kiln
Former or other names:

LOCATION:	TYPE OF ITEM:
Address: Mount Hope Road, near Rendelsham	Description: Factory
Allotment:	Subject: 4.03
Section :	Period:
Hundred : Rivoli Bay	Date: Condition: Dilapidated
County : Grey	Architect:
L.G.A. : Millicent	Builder:
S.H.P. Region: 6	STATUS State Heritage List:
A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N:	National Estate :
E:	National Trust :

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: Local

Description:

Squared Mount Gambier limestone kiln with corrugated iron lean-to and pyramidal roof with large central galvanized iron roof.

Chicory growing began in the Rendelsham district in 1881 and continued till 1977. Local growers began erecting kilns in 1923 to obtain a greater share of the profits. Many kilns have been lost in fires.

Report Text:

REFERENCES: A. McArthur and H. Carthew, "Rendelsham 1880-1980" pp. 17-20

Verbal: Neville Hart

PHOTOGRAPHS:

Slide No : 19/3

Film No : 13

Negative No: 10

Archival No:

DANVERS ARCHITECTS Date: 1983



Item No. : MIL:035
ITEM NAME: House, Hann's Cheese Factory
Former or other names:

LOCATION:
Address: S.E. of Millicent

Allotment:
Section :
Hundred : Mayurra
County : Grey
L.G.A. : Millicent
S.H.P. Region: 6
A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N:
E:

TYPE OF ITEM:
Description: House
Subject: 4.03
Period: 1880-1890
Date: c.1880 Condition: Dilapidated
Architect:
Builder:

STATUS State Heritage List:
National Estate :
National Trust :

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: State

Description:

Random coursed stonework with corrugated galvanized iron gable ended roof. Multi-paned double hung sash windows with timber lintels. Kitchen has large stone chimney and living room has elegant fireplace. Timber ceilings in bedrooms and living room. Timber partially built-in verandah with a corrugated galvanized iron raked verandah.

Hann, a stonemason, who had worked on Nangula School and "Struan" homestead, built the dairy buildings himself, including a cheese factory, at a time when the area was dotted with such small enterprises. Transport difficulties encouraged the formation of small factories, of which this is the only early complex in the area to survive in a fairly complete state. Hann died early, and the factory ceased operation about 1890. The house and farm continued into this century.

Report Text:

REFERENCES: J. Richards and B. Towers, "Early Millicent" p. 20

Verbal: Bruce Towers

PHOTOGRAPHS:

Slide No : 11/45
Film No : 12
Negative No: 2

Archival No:



Item No. : MIL:036
ITEM NAME: Hann's Cheese Factory
Former or other names:

LOCATION:
Address: S.E. of Millicent

Allotment:
Section :
Hundred : Mayurra
County : Grey
L.G.A. : Millicent

S.H.P. Region: 6
A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N:
E:

TYPE OF ITEM:
Description: Factory
Subject: 4.03
Period: 1880-1890
Date: c.1880 Condition: Dilapidated
Architect:
Builder:

STATUS State Heritage List:
National Estate :
National Trust :

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: State

Description:

Random rubble stonework with timber framed roof (some corrugated galvanized iron remaining). Cement rendered internal walls. Small chimney, designed for ventilation. Multi-paned casement windows.

Refer to : MIL:035:403.

Report Text:

REFERENCES: J. Richards and B. Towers, "Early Millicent" p. 20

Verbal: Bruce Towers

PHOTOGRAPHS:

Slide No : 11/46, 48
Film No : 12
Negative No: 3,5

Archival No:

DANVERS ARCHITECTS Date: 1983



Item No. : MIL:037

ITEM NAME: Loft, Hann's Cheese Factory

Former or other names:

LOCATION:

Address: S.E. of Millicent

Allotment:

Section :

Hundred : Mayurra

County : Grey

L.G.A. : Millicent

S.H.P. Region: 6

A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N:

E:

TYPE OF ITEM:

Description: Outbuilding

Subject: 4.03

Period: 1880-1890

Date: c.1880

Condition: Dilapidated

Architect:

Builder:

STATUS State Heritage List:

National Estate :

National Trust :

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: State

Description:

Random coursed limestone with stone ground floor. Corrugated galvanized iron gable ended roof, with pit sawn timbers. Lime washed internal walls.

Refer to : MIL:035:403.

Report Text:

REFERENCES: J. Richards and B. Towers, "Early Millicent" p. 20

Verbal: Bruce Towers

PHOTOGRAPHS:

Slide No : 11/47

Film No : 12

Negative No: 4

Archival No:



Item No. : MIL:038

ITEM NAME: Pig Sty, Hann's Cheese Factory

Former or other names:

LOCATION:

Address: S.E. of Millicent

Allotment:

Section :

Hundred : Mayurra

County : Grey

L.G.A. : Millicent

S.H.P. Region: 6

A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N:

E:

TYPE OF ITEM:

Description: Outbuilding

Subject: 4.03

Period: 1880-1890

Date: c.1880

Condition: Dilapidated

Architect:

Builder:

STATUS State Heritage List:

National Estate :

National Trust :

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: State

Description:

Random rubble stonework. Originally with thatched roof.

Refer to : MIL:035:403.

Report Text:

REFERENCES: J. Richards and B. Towers, "Early Millicent" p. 20

Verbal: Bruce Towers

PHOTOGRAPHS:

Slide No : 11/49

Film No : 12

Negative No: 6

Archival No:

DANVERS ARCHITECTS Date: 1983



Item No. : MIL:039
ITEM NAME: Dairy, Hann's Chesse Factory
Former or other names:

LOCATION:
Address: S.E. of Millicent

Allotment:
Section :
Hundred : Mayurra
County : Grey
L.G.A. : Millicent
S.H.P. Region: 6
A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N:
E:

TYPE OF ITEM:
Description: Outbuilding
Subject: 4.03
Period: 1880-1890
Date: c.1880 Condition: Dilapidated
Architect:
Builder:

STATUS State Heritage List:
National Estate :
National Trust :

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: State

Description:

Random coursed limestone walls embedded in pipe clay. Corrugated galvanized iron gable ended roof.

Refer to : MIL:035:403.

Report Text:

REFERENCES: J. Richards and B. Towers, "Early Millicent" p. 20

Verbal: Bruce Towers

PHOTOGRAPHS:

Slide No : 11/50
Film No : 12
Negative No: 7

Archival No:



Item No. : MIL:040

ITEM NAME: Part of the Canunda National Park (N6)

Former or other names:

LOCATION:

Address: West of Millicent

Allotment:

Section : See Description

Hundred : Rivoli Bay/Mayurra

County : Grey

L.G.A. : Millicent

S.H.P. Region: 6

A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N: 582600

E: 436000

TYPE OF ITEM:

Description: National Park

Subject: 1.05

Period:

Date:

Condition:

Architect:

Builder:

STATUS State Heritage List:

National Estate : Listed

National Trust :

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: State

Description:

Total Approximate Area of National Park - 9,086 hectares.

Date of Establishment - 1959.

Section Nos. : 344, 347, 337-80, 392, 396, 412/157-8

(Rivoli Bay)

(Mayurra)

This park is the only National Park in the South East district apart from Coorong National Park. It stretches along the coastline from Southend for about 40 km. and varies in width from 0.8 km. to 5.5 km. Most of the park's coastline is sandy beaches with limestone outcrops and reefs at the northern end. The rest of the park consists of a extensive system of sand dunes, of which 50% are mobile, representing the largest unstable dune system in the South East. The park is covered with an extensive variety of flora, including Coastal Wattle, Currant Bush and Dryland Tea-tree with a range of grasses (Marram Grass, Spiny Rolling Grass and Coast Fescue). The area near Lake Bonney between the lake and the dunes is the habitat for a population of Common Wombat (*Vombatus ursinus*).

Report Text:

REFERENCES: National Parks and Wildlife Act : Reserves - South Australia
Area Statement (As at June, 1982)

A.C. Robinson & G.M. Rowberry, "National Parks" in M. Tyler
et al, NATURAL HISTORY OF THE SOUTH EAST p. 227

Verbal:

PHOTOGRAPHS:

Slide No :

Film No :

Negative No:

Archival No:

Item No. : MIL:041

ITEM NAME: Tantanoola Caves Conservation Park (C83)

Former or other names:

LOCATION:

Address: off Millicent-Mount
Gambier Road

Allotment:

Section : 213

Hundred : Hindmarsh

County : Grey

L.G.A. : Millicent

S.H.P. Region: 6

A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N: 5825500
E: 456500

TYPE OF ITEM:

Description: Conservation Park

Subject: 1.05

Period:

Date:

Condition:

Architect:

Builder:

STATUS State Heritage List:

National Estate : Listed

National Trust :

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: State

Description:

Approximate Area of Conservation Park - 14 hectares.

Date of Establishment - 1930.

Two caves, the Tantanoola Tourist Cave and Lakes Caves, are the primary reason for declaring this area a Conservation Park. However another important natural feature within the park is the Up-and-Down Rocks, a former marine cliff. The Tantanoola Tourist Cave was discovered by Boyce Lane in 1930 and following an enlargement of its entrance the Lane family conducted tours. In the same year the area was proclaimed a National Pleasure Resort and was managed by the Tantanoola District Council. The National Parks and Wildlife Service took over the management of the park in 1972. A collection of sub-fossil mammals bones was discovered in 1936 during an investigation of the geology of the Tourist Cave. The Lake Cave was discovered in 1957, with its large and beautifully decorated chamber. The public are allowed access to the Tourist Cave, but speleologists are only allowed access to the Lake Cave.

Report Text:

REFERENCES: National Parks and Wildlife Act : Reserves - South Australia
Area Statement (As at June, 1982)
A.C. Robinson & G.M. Rowberry, "National Parks" in M. Tyler
et al, NATURAL HISTORY OF THE SOUTH EAST pp. 229-230

Verbal:

PHOTOGRAPHS:

Slide No :

Film No :

Negative No:

Archival No:

Item No. : MIL:042
ITEM NAME: Gower Conservation Park (C61)
Former or other names:

LOCATION:	TYPE OF ITEM:
Address: off Millicent-Glencoe Road	Description: Conservation Park Subject: 1.05
Allotment:	Period:
Section : 517	Date: Condition:
Hundred : Hindmarsh	Architect:
County : Grey	Builder:
L.G.A. : Millicent	
S.H.P. Region: 6	STATUS State Heritage List:
A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N: 5627000 E: 461000	National Estate : Listed National Trust :

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: State

Description:

Approximate Area of Conservation Park - 39 hectares.
Date of Establishment - 1971.

The Gower Conservation Park contains an area of eucalypt forest, which is a remnant of the type of natural vegetation, which once covered the dune ranges of the South East. The park is surrounded on three sides by pine plantations and on the fourth boundary there is open pasture. The park's vegetation is mainly multi-trunked Brown Stringybark trees with an understorey of Bracken and Yaccas. The Little Robin (*Petroica phoenicea*) has been seen within the park, otherwise there is not much information concerning other fauna within the park.

Report Text:

REFERENCES: National Parks and Wildlife Act : Reserves - South Australia
Area Statement (As at June, 1982)
A.C. Robinson & G.M. Rowberry, "National Parks" in M. Tyler
et al, NATURAL HISTORY OF THE SOUTH EAST p. 230

Verbal:

PHOTOGRAPHS:
Slide No :
Film No :
Negative No:

Archival No:

Item No. : MIL:043

ITEM NAME: Narrow Neck Cutting, South East Drainage Scheme
Former or other names:

LOCATION:

Address: near Millicent

Allotment:

Section :

Hundred : Mount Muirhead

County : Grey

L.G.A. : Millicent

S.H.P. Region: 6

A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N:

E:

TYPE OF ITEM:

Description: Cutting

Subject: 1.05

Period:

Date:

Condition:

Architect:

Builder:

STATUS State Heritage List:

National Estate :

National Trust :

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: State

Description:

Part of the South East Drainage Scheme.

Report Text:

REFERENCES:

Verbal:

PHOTOGRAPHS:

Slide No :

Film No :

Negative No:

Archival No:

Item No. : MIL:044

ITEM NAME: Historic Site, Southend
Former or other names: Greytown

LOCATION:

Address: Southend

Allotment:

Section :
Hundred : Rivoli Bay
County : Grey
L.G.A. : Millicent
S.H.P. Region: 6
A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N:
E:

TYPE OF ITEM:

Description: Historic Site
Subject: 1.04
Period:
Date: Condition:
Architect:
Builder:

STATUS State Heritage List:
National Estate :
National Trust :

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: State

Description:

The town of Grey was proclaimed just before Robe, in 1846, but after two surges of growth all buildings of the early town have vanished. Occasionally some foundations come to light in the sand. 'It was the pioneer coastal town of the South East.' (Heather Carthew).

Report Text:

REFERENCES: H. Carthew, "Rivoli Bay" pp. 43, 44, 60-79

Verbal: Heather Carthew

PHOTOGRAPHS:

Slide No :
Film No :
Negative No:

Archival No:

Item No. : MIL:045

ITEM NAME: St. Michael and All Angels Church of England
Former or other names:

LOCATION:

Address: Millicent

Allotment:

Section :

Hundred : Mount Muirhead

County : Grey

L.G.A. : Millicent

S.H.P. Region: 6

A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N:

E:

TYPE OF ITEM:

Description: Church

Subject: 2.05

Period: 1860-1880

Date: 1879

Condition:

Architect:

Builder:

STATUS State Heritage List:

National Estate :

National Trust : Recorded

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: Local

Description:

The foundation stone of this church was laid by Mrs. Millicent Glen,
the daughter of Bishop Short. in 1879.

Report Text:

REFERENCES: National Trust of South Australia Notes - File No. 414

Verbal:

PHOTOGRAPHS:

Slide No :

Film No :

Negative No:

Archival No:

South Australian
Heritage Act 1978-80:

REGION 6 :
SOUTH EAST

Item No. : MIL:046

ITEM NAME: St Brenden's Roman Catholic Church

Former or other names:

LOCATION:

Address: Glencoe East

Allotment:

Section :

Hundred : Young

County : Grey

L.G.A. : Millicent

S.H.P. Region: 6

A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N:

E:

TYPE OF ITEM:

Description: Church

Subject: 2.05

Period: 1900-1915

Date: 1910

Condition: Fair

Architect: Mr. Turton

Builder: Mr. Knight (Masonry)

STATUS State Heritage List:

National Estate :

National Trust : Recorded

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: Local

Description:

This church was opened on the 16th of March, 1910 and is built of Mount Gambier stone.

Report Text:

REFERENCES: National Trust of South Australia Notes - File No. 2476

Verbal:

PHOTOGRAPHS:

Slide No :

Film No :

Negative No:

Archival No:

South Australian
Heritage Act 1978-80:

REGION 6 :
SOUTH EAST

Item No. : MIL:047
ITEM NAME: St. Paul's Church of England
Former or other names:

LOCATION:
Address: Glencoe East

TYPE OF ITEM:
Description: Church
Subject: 2.05

Allotment:
Section :
Hundred : Young
County : Grey
L.G.A. : Millicent
S.H.P. Region: 6
A.M.G., Ref. Z: 54 N:
E:

Period: 1900-1915
Date: 1913 Condition: Fair
Architect: Mr. A.P. Daniel
Builder: Mr. J. Hosking

STATUS State Heritage List:
National Estate :
National Trust : Recorded

HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE

RECOMMENDATION: Local

Description:

Mr. George Riddoch, of "Koorine", laid the foundation stone of this church on the 5th of March, 1913. At the opening of the church in 1913 the Revs. Collinson and Glover assisted at the service. In 1970 an additional room was added.

Report Text:

REFERENCES: National Trust of South Australia Notes - File No. 2477

Verbal:

PHOTOGRAPHS:
Slide No :
Film No :
Negative No:

Archival No: