BLACKSMITH HILL ALLUVIAL LANDSCAPE

Location

DREAMERS HILL ROAD HAPPY VALLEY, GOLDEN PLAINS SHIRE

Municipality

GOLDEN PLAINS SHIRE

Level of significance

Heritage Inventory Site

Heritage Inventory (HI) Number

H7622-0283

Heritage Listing

Victorian Heritage Inventory

Statement of Significance

Last updated on -

SiteCard data copied on 04/07/2024:

What is significant?

The site now possesses poor archaeological value. It is a degraded landscape with many hidden dangers from collapsing shafts.

How is it significant?

The site has little intactness, integrity or condition

Why is it significant?

Site is not significant due to significant ground disturbance.

Interpretation of Site

The site was inspected and found to have been significantly impacted upon by the 'doze & detect' mining operations. It now possesses poor archaeological value. It is a degraded landscape with many hidden dangers from collapsing shafts.

Hermes Number

11816

Property Number

History

Contextual History: History of Place: Heritage Inventory History of Site: Blacksmiths Gully, Lucky Womans,

17.05.1860: paying gold has been struck at the head of Blacksmiths Gully .

Blewett and Co

01.1878 to 03.1878: produced 5 ozs 12 dwt from a mine in this locality. SiteCard data copied on 04/07/2024: Ray Supple found historical information that shows the alluvial mining took place during the late 19th century.

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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