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# English Oak *Quercus robur*



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## Location

310-312 Maroondah Highway RINGWOOD, MAROONDAH CITY

## Municipality

MAROONDAH CITY

## Level of significance

Included in Heritage Overlay

## Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO42

## Heritage Listing

Maroondah City

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## Statement of Significance

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An English Oak (*Quercus robur*), planted before 1879 by antimony mine manager Pierce Boardman, who was also a talented artist. He died some time later after a fall at the mine. The area was subdivided into 1.5 acre lots, with the oak passing into private hands. There was a well near the tree, but it was filled after a child fell in and drowned. The oak is now in a front yard where there is a path made from hand-made bricks, and it is possible that these bricks were originally part of the well surrounds, before it was filled in.

Heritage Study/Consultant	Maroondah - Maroondah Heritage Identification Study, Richard Peterson with Peter Barrett, 1998;
Hermes Number	147006
Property Number	

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