
BRIDGE DAIRY & RESIDENCE (FORMER)



Dwelling AT2 Ogilvy Street
Leongatha 3953

Location

2 Ogilvy Street LEONGATHA, South Gippsland Shire

Municipality

SOUTH GIPPSLAND SHIRE

Level of significance

Demolished/Removed

Heritage Listing

South Gippsland Shire

Statement of Significance

Last updated on -

The former Bridge Dairy and residence at 2 Ogilvy Street has been demolished. The following SoS was prepared for the 2004 Heritage Study:

What is significant?

The former Bridge Dairy constructed in 1944, and the attached dwelling constructed by M Strazzabosca in 1946 at 2 Ogilvy Street, Leongatha.

Why is it significant?

The former Bridge Dairy complex is of local historic and aesthetic significance to the town of Leongatha.

Historically, it is a locally rare example of an integrated complex that demonstrates the development of the local

milk industries. (AHC criteria - A.4 and D.2)

Aesthetically, the dwelling is a locally rare example of a building in the Moderne style. It occupies a key and prominent position at the entrance to Ogilvy Street and Koonwarra Road and contributes to the historic character of Ogilvy Street. (AHC criterion - E.1)

Heritage Study/Consultant	South Gippsland - South Gippsland Heritage Study, David Helms with Trevor Westmore, 2004;
Construction dates	1944,
Hermes Number	30834
Property Number	

Physical Description 1

The former Bridge Retail Dairy and residence, constructed in 1944 and 1946, are simple wartime verandah structures with hipped terra cotta tiled roofs and rendered concrete block walls. The placement at the corners and form of the steel framed windows with their horizontal emphasis is in the Moderne style. The built in verandah appears to be original, as does the low brick boundary fence.

The dairy is typically a secondary structure located behind the house, in this case facing the highway to the side. It has an industrial sliding door and high level windows.

The former Retail Dairy and residence occupy a prominent corner site and are part of a group of buildings (including the former Railway Cottages on the opposite corner) that contribute to the historic character of this area, which forms one of the key entry points to the historic Long and Ogilvy Street precincts.

Historical Australian Themes

Thematic Context

Commercial Enterprise

Sub-Themes

Dairying Industries & Milk, Butter and Cheese Factories

Physical Description 2

Contractor

M Strazzabosco (Dwelling)

Style

Vernacular/Moderne residential & commercial

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