Victorian Heritage Database Report

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Location

Bendigo Botanic Gardens, 71 Napoleon Crescent,, WHITE HILLS VIC 3550 - Property No T11375

Municipality

GREATER BENDIGO CITY

Level of significance

State

Heritage Listing

National Trust

Statement of Significance

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Horticultural value Contribution to landscape of historic garden Rare or localised

This is an outstanding specimen of a tree rare in cultivation in Victoria. The only other known specimens are in the Royal Botanic Gardens (7). The Kei Apple is native to southern Africa and its name is derived from the Kei River in the south. The ripe fruits are tasty, and similar to a small apple. This species is widely cultivated for fruit or as a hedge in the Mediterranean and California.

Measurements: 03/1984 Spread (m): 10 Girth (m): 1.4 Height (m): 5 Estimated Age (yrs): 80 Condition: Excellent

Access: Unrestricted Classified: 13/12/1984

Other Names Kei-Apple,

Hermes Number 70875

Property Number

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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