LONG POINT SLUICING CLAIM

Location

DARTMOUTH ROAD MITTA MITTA, TOWONG SHIRE

Municipality

TOWONG SHIRE

Level of significance

Heritage Inventory Site

Heritage Inventory (HI) Number

H8324-0008

Heritage Listing

Victorian Heritage Inventory

Hermes Number 11013

Property Number

History

Heritage Inventory History of Site:

The Long Point Sluicing Co. commenced work on constructing their water race in 1884. It was late 1887 before sluicing was in full swing at the company's ground on the upper Mitta Mitta. Sluicing with giant nozzles ('on the latest Californian principle') was introduced the following year

The Long Gully claim (like the Pride of the Mitta) was situated in what Stirling called the 'boulder terraces', the oldest of the Tertiary geological deposits in the Mitta Mitta area.

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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