
Powelltown Mill Settlement Cottages



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Location

21 Yarra Street Powelltown, YARRA RANGES SHIRE

Municipality

YARRA RANGES SHIRE

Level of significance

Included in Heritage Overlay

Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO45

Heritage Listing

Yarra Ranges Shire

Statement of Significance

Last updated on - July 5, 2000

About 25 timber cottages which once belonged to the largest timber mill in Victoria. These cottages were for long the most elaborate timber mill dwellings in the region and, today, they form the only complete group of original mill dwellings in the region. They were built in 1912 when the huge Victorian Powell Wood Process Ltd. mill was constructed. They are all constructed of sawn timber with kangaroo back or single gable corrugated iron roofs. Most of them have had minimal alterations and are in good condition.

The double row at the rear of the present mill are the best examples. (Tansley, 1978)

Heritage Study/Consultant Yarra Ranges - Shire of Yarra Ranges Heritage Study, Context Pty Ltd, 2000;
Construction dates 1900,
Other Names Powelltown Mill Houses, Blake's Mill Houses,
Hermes Number 115705
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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