
NUGGETTY GULLY ALLUVIAL SINKINGS (2)

Location

NUGGETTY GULLY ROAD LINTON, GOLDEN PLAINS SHIRE

Municipality

GOLDEN PLAINS SHIRE

Level of significance

Heritage Inventory Site

Heritage Inventory (HI) Number

H7622-0302

Heritage Listing

Victorian Heritage Inventory

Hermes Number 11834

Property Number

History

Contextual History:History of Place:

Heritage Inventory History of Site:

MACCLESFIELD COMPANY, Linton

21.08.1861: resolved to divide their claim into 124 shares of £10 each; have taken up an extended claim and are negotiating for a machine from Mount Misery.

29.08.1857: Linton - Wardy Yallock: a large proportion of the population has joined the rush to Mt. Ararat and business is dull; but there are still 2000 Chinese at Linton; several new puddling machines have been erected in Bloomers and Candlestick Gullies.

08.07.1858: At Linton population is 2000 including 400 Chinese; Bloomers and Nuggetty Gullies have 4 puddling

machines and accompanying dams.

15.04.1859: there are several puddling machines in Bloomers and Candlestick Gullies, one was recently sold to the Chinese for £120; the Chinese are working in this district and more are arriving for the winter when the rains provide a good living in the Hard Hills.

09.1859: mining was confined to the rich shallow gullies for the first 3 years, the best known were Nuggetty, Bloomer's, Wet Flat, and Candlestick; the deep ground was not properly opened until 2 years ago.

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