
STAR OF THE NORTH CO

Location

114 NEWTOWN-BERRINGA ROAD NEWTOWN, GOLDEN PLAINS SHIRE

Municipality

GOLDEN PLAINS SHIRE

Level of significance

Heritage Inventory Site

Heritage Inventory (HI) Number

H7622-0070

Heritage Listing

Victorian Heritage Inventory

Hermes Number 12067

Property Number

History

Contextual History:History of Place:

Heritage Inventory History of Site:

STAR OF THE NORTH CO. (party of 18 men), Italian Gully, Black Ball Lead;

08.1859: have converted their claim into a block claim under the new regulations; unable to cope with the water and are acquiring steam power.

01.1861: enlarged their claim, remodelled their company and by working economically are paying about £5 per week.

03.1861: getting moderate dividends.

04.1861: have begun to block out and expect to make £4 to £6 per man per week.

05.1861: the Kossuth, Emeu, Prince of Wales and the Star of the North are the only paying claims on the Black Ball Lead.

06.1861: making good wages.
07.1861: paying very well of late.
09.1861: sinking a new shaft.
10.1861: making fair returns.
11.1861: making moderate wages
13.12.1861: is the prospecting claim of this lead; sunk its third shaft and is just getting into the gutter again.
12.1861: doing very little.

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