
Farmhouse 377 Lerderderg Gorge Road



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Location

377 Lerderderg Gorge Road (North of Morven) DARLEY, MOORABOOL SHIRE

Municipality

MOORABOOL SHIRE

Level of significance

Included in Heritage Overlay

Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO143

Heritage Listing

Moorabool Shire

Statement of Significance

Last updated on - July 10, 2015

What is significant?

The Farmhouse and its setting at 377 Lerderderg Gorge Road, Darley.

How is it significant?

The Farmhouse and its setting at 377 Lerderderg Gorge Road, Darley is of local historical and architectural significance to the Shire of Moorabool.

Why is it significant?

The Farmhouse and its setting at 377 Lerderderg Gorge Road, Darley is of local historical significance for its demonstration of the early settlement of Darley because of agriculture. The dwelling is a rare surviving example of a farmhouse from the 1870s period. Survival of intact residential buildings from this era is rare across Victoria.

The Farmhouse and its setting at 377 Lerderderg Gorge Road, Darley is of aesthetic significance as a rare surviving example of a mid to late Victorian weatherboard farmhouse. The residence demonstrates the composition and appearance of a simple weatherboard farmhouse from the Victorian period with hipped roof and verandah.

Heritage Study/Consultant Moorabool - Bacchus Marsh Heritage Study 1995, Richard Peterson and Daniel Catrice, 1995;

Hermes Number 124329

Property Number

Physical Description 1

An L-shaped gable-roofed farmhouse, probably nineteenth century (and possible early). The right hand bay is set forward as a hip-roofed wing. The skillion verandah is in the angle. At left is an external chimney. The left-hand wing, across the site, is five bays and symmetrical, with two doors. All five visible windows are 12-paned double-hung sashes.

Intactness

Probably good.

Physical Conditions

CONDITIONS & THREATS: Good.

Historical Australian Themes

Agricultural

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