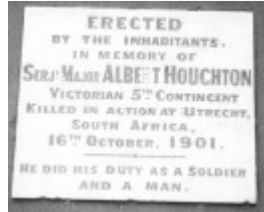


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# Inverleigh Boer War Obelisk



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## Location

Hamilton Highway, Inverleigh, GOLDEN PLAINS SHIRE

## Municipality

GOLDEN PLAINS SHIRE

## Level of significance

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## Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO78

## Heritage Listing

Vic. War Heritage Inventory

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## Statement of Significance

Last updated on - August 20, 2001

HO78 War memorial, Hamilton Highway

Hermes Number 126893

Property Number

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## Physical Description 1

Obelisk erected to commemorate the Boer War. Stone obelisk situated on stone mound.

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## Historical Australian Themes

Remembering the fallen

## Usage/Former Usage

Commemoration

## Veterans Description for Public

The Inverleigh Memorial Obelisk, on Hamilton Highway, was erected to commemorate the Boer War. The memorial comprises of a small granite obelisk raised on a mound of stones. The marble plaque attached to the memorial records the following inscription:

"Erected by the Inhabitants

In Memory of Serjt Major Albert Houchton

Victorian 5th Contingent

Killed in Action at Utrecht

South Africa 16th October 1901

He Did His Duty as a Soldier

And as a Man."

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