WEST CHICORY KILN

Location

2124 PHILLIP ISLAND ROAD COWES, BASS COAST SHIRE

Municipality

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Level of significance

Heritage Inventory Site

Heritage Inventory (HI) Number

H7921-0086

Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO128

Heritage Listing

Victorian Heritage Inventory

Statement of Significance

Last updated on -

Moderate scientific, regional historic.

Interpretation of Site

Kiln was established by Solomon and John West. John West was the first to establish chicory industry on the island. One of several kilns established on Phillip Island between 1870-1890s. This one belongs to the most prominent member of chicory industry kiln was probably built early 1870s.

Hermes Number

13598

Property Number

History

This allotment is shown to have been purchased by J West. Solomon West (brother) built his house on allotment 101. As John West was the first to establish the chicory industry on Phillip Island this kiln is likely to be one of the earlier structures on the island.

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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