
GELANTIPY STATION GRAVES

Location

41 ROGERS ROAD GELANTIPY, EAST GIPPSLAND SHIRE

Municipality

EAST GIPPSLAND SHIRE

Level of significance

Heritage Inventory Site

Heritage Inventory (HI) Number

H8523-0004

Heritage Listing

Victorian Heritage Inventory

Statement of Significance

Last updated on -

Regional

Hermes Number 14052

Property Number

History

Up to 9 people are believed to be buried here. Marked grave is of Arthur Chapel Burnand, died 18 Jan 1880 at Bayrook selection, Gelantipy Station, a remittance man who had been in the colony for 4 years. He died when he fell from a horse, and the headstone is believed to have been sent out from London. Other known burials include Clark Turner Statham, aged 51/57, who died 31 January 1878 after taking strychnin (suicide), leaving a wife & 3 children. He was the manager of Gelantipy Station, and felt he would be blamed for a 1400-head shortfall in the annual muster. Also Henry Unruh, aged 25 years, who was killed by a falling tree on 8 September 1892. Henry was a German labourer.

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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