WILLIAM SAFFON GRAVE

Location

LICOLA-HEYFIELD ROAD GLENMAGGIE, WELLINGTON SHIRE

Municipality

WELLINGTON SHIRE

Level of significance

Heritage Inventory Site

Heritage Inventory (HI) Number

H8222-0011

Heritage Listing

Victorian Heritage Inventory

Statement of Significance

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Property Number

History

William Saffron was a shepherd who worked for Henry Meyrick at his station "Glenmaggie". Saffon died in about December 1846, and his age and cause of death were not recorded. He left a wife, Ellen, and three children, Catherine, James and baby Hanna. The death of Saffon was the last straw for Meyrick, who had great difficulty obtaining workers and was at a loss with what to do with Saffon's family. He decided to sell up, but was drowned just a few months later, in the Thomson River. Ellen Saffon remarried in 1847, to Edward Pender.

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