WELLER'S HOTEL, PITMAN CORNER, ELTHAM-YARRA GLEN RD



Former Wellers Pub at Pitman Cnr Kangaroo Ground - Shire of Eltham Heritage Study 1992



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Former Wellers Pub at Pitman Cnr Kangaroo Ground Colour 1 - Shire of Eltham Heritage Study 1992



Former Wellers Pub at Pitman Cnr Kangaroo Ground Colour 2 - Shire of Eltham Heritage Study 1992





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Former Wellers Pub at Pitman Cnr Kangaroo Ground Colour 4 - Shire of Eltham Heritage Study 1992



Former Wellers Pub at Pitman Cnr Kangaroo Ground Colour 5 - Shire of Eltham Heritage Study 1992



Former Wellers Pub at Pitman Cnr Kangaroo Ground Colour 6 - Shire of Eltham Heritage Study 1992



Former Wellers Pub at Pitman Cnr Kangaroo Ground Colour 7 - Shire of Eltham Heritage Study 1992



Former Wellers Pub at Pitman Cnr Kangaroo Ground Colour 8 - Shire of Eltham Heritage Study 1992

Location

ELTHAM-YARRA GLEN ROAD KANGAROO GROUND, NILLUMBIK SHIRE

Municipality

NILLUMBIK SHIRE

Level of significance

Included in Heritage Overlay

Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO45

Heritage Listing

Nillumbik Shire

Statement of Significance

Last updated on - January 5, 2010

REVISED STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE, CONTEXT, 2010

What is significant?

The c1872 hotel, to the extent of the original 19th century fabric only, the site and adjacent sites to a radius of 50 metres from the building.

How is it significant?

The hotel is historically significant to the Shire of Nillumbik.

Why is it significant?

The hotel is historically significant because it served as an early hotel, store and a staging post for Cobb and Co coaches bound for the Caledonian goldfields (near St Andrews) and the Woods Point gold mine, some 80 kilometres to the east of Warburton (Criterion A). Also because it is associated with Edward Weller, who was also connected with the Kangaroo Ground general store and post office, and Gordon Cameron, who was related to the parliamentarian Ewan Cameron, of Pigeon Bank (HO102) (Criterion H). It has served as a local landmark for almost 140 years (Criterion E & G).

Heritage Study/Consultant	Nillumbik - Shire of Eltham Heritage Study, David Bick, 1992;	
Construction dates	1872,	
Other Names	Wellers restaurant, former Wellers Pub,	
Hermes Number	55569	
Property Number		

Historical Australian Themes

EARLY SETTLEMENT

TRANSPORT

TOWNSHIP SETTLEMENT

8.4 Eating and drinking

- 3.12.5 Retailing food and beverages
- 8.14 Living in the country and rural settlements

Physical Description 1

Style mid Victorian with Edwardian changes.

Design standard.

Plan rectangular.

Single storeyed.

Walls solid brick, roughcast later.

Roof gabled with eaves, corrugated iron clad. Features are the modest scale of the building and simple detailing, though somewhat submerged under the Edwardian detail.

Usage/Former Usage

Original Use: Pub and store, changing post for Cobb & Co.

Later Use: Private residence, Restaurant currently

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