
Former Curator's Cottage



B6573 Swiss Cottage -
Former Curator's Lodge

Location

776 - 780 Mt Alexander Road,, MOONEE PONDS VIC 3039 - Property No B6573

Municipality

MOONEE VALLEY CITY

Level of significance

State

Victorian Heritage Register (VHR) Number

H1078

Heritage Listing

National Trust

Statement of Significance

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A cottage of rural Gothic style situated in Essendon's and the region's foremost park, is historically and architecturally significant at State level because it was the residence of Queen's Park designer and first curator John Oliver, and because it is a rare surviving example of a curator's cottage in a large public garden. Its architectural significance lies in it being an outstandingly crafted and decorated example of a style associated with the Picturesque landscape movement, and as the only known example of a curator's cottage with shingled roof and dormers.

Classified: 05/06/1995

See also Garden file: G13090

Other Names Swiss Cottage,

Hermes Number 66153

Property Number

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