
Berry Consols Extended Gold Mining Co. - Mine & Machinery Site

Location

Daylesford-Clunes Road, SMEATON VIC 3364 - Property No B6000

Municipality

HEPBURN SHIRE

Level of significance

State

Heritage Listing

National Trust

Statement of Significance

Last updated on -

The company was the first on this lead system to use a compound steam engine for pumping duties (in September 1889) and the first to use electric haulage underground (in 1903, the fourth mine in Victoria to do so). The company also used a shaft sinking cylinder to bottom their shaft in wash in 1893. The mulloch dump and tailings are particularly complete.

Classified: 22/08/1988

Hermes Number 68543

Property Number

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.

For further details about Heritage Overlay places, contact the relevant local council or go to Planning Schemes Online <http://planningschemes.dpcd.vic.gov.au/>