
St Francis Xavier Catholic Chapel



B6080 St Francis Xavier
Catholic Chapel

Location

Midland Highway,, EGANSTOWN VIC 3461 - Property No B6080

Municipality

HEPBURN SHIRE

Level of significance

State

Victorian Heritage Register (VHR) Number

H0738

Heritage Listing

National Trust

Statement of Significance

Last updated on - July 26, 2005

A rudimentary but very well preserved wooden chapel of 1865-7, with picturesque fretted bargeboards, and only the roof pitch and the pointed entrance doorway to suggest the Gothic style. The building is of interest as an example of a combined church and school, having fulfilled both functions until 1889, and for its associations with John Egan, pioneer pastoralist and gold discoverer of the area, who donated the site, and whose Celtic cross memorial adjoins the chapel and is included. The chapel is further enhanced by its association with the unusually intact cemetery (not included).

Classified: 02/11/1989

Revised: 03/08/1998

Hermes Number 68568

Property Number

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