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Location

St Fillans, Maroondah Highway, NARBETHONG VIC 3778 - Property No T11266

Municipality

MURRINDINDI SHIRE

Level of significance

State

Heritage Listing

National Trust

Statement of Significance

Last updated on - June 8, 2004

Contribution to the landscape
Outstanding example of species

An outstanding example which has developed a large trunk, it is the largest known in cultivation in Victoria. This form, which has flatter branchlets, is uncommon in Victoria. Another example occurs at the entrance to Walhalla Cemetery. A smaller tree, possibly a seedling, occurs to the south of the subject tree. Part of the impressive conifer collection developed from the 1880s by Sir James Munro (Premier of Victoria 1890-92). St Fillans was purchased by Sir James Munro in the late 1880s and the planting is thought to be from this period. He sold the property in 1903.

Measurements: 04/04/1994
Spread (m): 21.7
Girth (m):4.9
Height (m): 28.5
Estimated Age (yrs): 100
Condition: Good

Access: Restricted
Classified: 05/05/1994

Other Names Cupressus, Bentham Cypress,

Hermes Number 70770

Property Number

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