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Location

Eurack Road,, EURACK VIC 3251 - Property No T12104

Municipality

COLAC OTWAY SHIRE

Level of significance

State

Victorian Heritage Register (VHR) Number

H2102

Heritage Listing

National Trust

Statement of Significance

Last updated on - December 14, 2007

Contribution to landscape, important landmark

Aesthetic value

Historical value

The Eurack Avenue of Honour is a World War 1 memorial consisting of a row of 20 Ulmus x hollandica (Dutch Elm). Planting commenced in May 1916, with each tree marked with a painted concrete cross bearing the name

of the soldier/s it commemorates. It is the earliest known planting of an Avenue of Honour in Victoria. The Eurack Avenue of Honour is historically important as a rare completely intact example of an Avenue of Honour. The Eurack Avenue of Honour is historically important for exemplifying rural Victoria's reaction to World War I. It is of aesthetic importance, the uniform plantings of the trees and the concrete crosses in their isolated surroundings combining to create an august cultural landscape. The Avenue is socially important for its association with the Eurack's community's efforts to commemorate the sacrifices of its volunteers.

Measurements: 08/11/2005

Girth (m): 1.7 at 1.4

Spread (m): 8

Height (m): 8

Estimated age (yrs): 90

Condition: Good

Access: Unrestricted

Classified: 27/08/2007

Other Names Dutch Elm,

Hermes Number 71753

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