

Victorian Heritage Database Report Powelltown Mill Settlement Cottages



Location:

21 Yarra Street Powelltown, YARRA RANGES SHIRE

Heritage Status / Level of Significance:

Included in Heritage Overlay

Heritage Inventory (HI) Number:

Listing Authority: HI

Heritage Overlay Number: HO45

Statement of Significance:

About 25 timber cottages which once belonged to the largest timber mill in Victoria. These cottages were for long the most elaborate timber mill dwellings in the region and, today, they form the only complete group of original mill dwellings in the region. They were built in 1912 when the huge Victorian Powell Wood Process Ltd. mill was constructed. They are all constructed of sawn timber with kangaroo back or single gable corrugated iron roofs. Most of them have had minimal alterations and are in good condition.

The double row at the rear of the present mill are the best examples. (Tansley, 1978)

Heritage Study / Consultant	Yarra Ranges - Shire of Yarra Ranges Heritage Study, Context Pty Ltd, 2000
Construction Date Range	1900 - 1900
Architect / Designer	
Municipality	YARRA RANGES SHIRE
Other names	
Hermes number	115705
Property number	

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