

Victorian Heritage Database Report
Murdeduke Homestead



Location:

Cressy Road, WINCHELSEA VIC 3241 - Property No B1123

Heritage Status / Level of Significance:

Local

Heritage Inventory (HI) Number:

Listing Authority: HI

Statement of Significance:

The property was first owned by William Harding & James Highett. William's sister, Elizabeth, lived with them until her marriage to Thomas Austin of Barwon Park in 1845. The original house c. early 1840's was dismantled and replaced by its next owner, Arthur Hopkins in 1875. The Gothic style 20 room bluestone homestead was designed by architects Terry and Oakden. The basalt bluestone was quarried on the property. The circular driveway in front of the house probably dates from 1854.

Classified: 09/06/1960

Heritage Study / Consultant	
Construction Date Range	
Architect / Designer	
Municipality	SURF COAST SHIRE
Other names	
Hermes number	69771
Property number	B1123

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