

SORELL HERITAGE STUDY

Address: 281 Marion Bay Road, Bream Creek 7175		UPI: 2900034	PID: 5961089
Name: SHINGLED HUT		Owner: J & R C MENARY	
Structure Type: Site Feature Type:		Dating: 1830 – 1890 c1880	
Feature Type: Hut	Access Restrictions: Not available		Inspection date: October 96 Ian Terry
	Style: Vernacular		
	Grid ref: 5625 56788 525840		
Indication of Significance: Possible Significance		Theme: Land Selection and Closer Settlements	
Material: Timber vertical siding Shingle		Listings:	
Condition: Deteriorated			
Integrity: Disturbed or Damaged			
National Estate Criteria:		Photograph Index: 15: 23	
Risk: Excavation: ☐ Development: ☐ Maintenance: ☒ Vandalism: ☐			

SITE DESCRIPTION:

A very small vertical board hut with a shingled hip roof and a sandstone external chimney base. The hut has sawn cladding, split rafters and rose headed nails. The chimney has been removed.

The hut is in very dilapidated condition and needs urgent conservation work if it is to survive.

HISTORY:

The history of the hut is unknown although it is located on Elizabeth Allanby's 1000 acre grant which made up the family's Clifton Hill Estate at Bream Creek.

BOUNDARY:

The listing boundary is formed by the hut and a surrounding nominal buffer zone of 50 metres.

COMMENTS:

The hut has possible historic significance as an early dwelling in the district. It has architectural and technical significance as a rare shingled hut using traditional methods of construction remaining in the district. It has some aesthetic significance.

It should be included in Schedule 3 of the Sorell Planning Scheme.

BIBLIOGRAPHY + PREVIOUS STUDIES:

Pem 3a/55 (survey plan)

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