

Area: Greenough	Place Number: 2	Category: 6
Assessment Date: 09/12/1997	Last Revision Date: 19/04/2005	
HCWA Number: 13874	Asset ID: MCH126678	

PLACE DETAILS

Name:	Grave Site
Other Names:	off Rudds Gully Road
Type of Place:	Grave Site
Address:	off Rudds Gully Road
Suburb:	Rudds Gully

LOCATION

Map Reference: BE 43 4.2	GPS Northing: 6807387.00	GPS Easting: 272771.000
	GPS Northing: 0000	GPS Easting: 000



Photo Description:

Aerial Photograph - Location Map

SITE DETAILS

Lot No.:	3 of 718	Assess No.:	63712
Reserv No.:		Vol/Fol:	
Dia/Plan:			

USE OF PLACE

Original Use:	Grave		
Current Use:	Grave		
Ownership:			
Public Access:	No	Occupied:	Not Occupied

DESCRIPTION

Walls:	Not applicable	Roof:	Not applicable
Condition:	Good	Integrity:	
Original fabric:			
Modifications:			

The consultant was unable to locate the gravesite which is believed to be positioned on the fenceline of a paddock 300 metres to the west of McConkey's Cottage and approximately 500 metres to the south of Rudds Gully Road. Some stones are believed to mark the position of the grave.

2004/05 Review: The consultant was unable to locate the gravesite.

HISTORY

Construction Date:	1866	Source:	Bicentennial Dictionary
Architect:	Not available		
Builder:	Not available		

According to local historian Stan Gratte, the grave is of a baby girl, probably Margaret Mary Giles (1866), the daughter of early settlers John and Mary Giles. John Giles was a free settler who arrived in Western Australia on 26 March 1852. He married Mary McKenna at Greenough on 15 December 1865 and had baby Margaret the following year. John and Mary moved to Giles Road in Moonyoonooka where a further tragedy beset them when their young son fell off a table and died from his injuries. He is buried in the Roman Catholic Cemetery in Urch Street.

(Sources: Stan Gratte & Bicentennial Dictionary of Western Australians, p.1196)

HISTORIC THEMES

HCWA:	602 Early settlers
AHC:	2.4.2 Migrating to seek opportunity 9.7.3 Remembering the dead

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The lonely grave has some local historic significance as evidence of the lonely and harsh life of the early settlers in Greenough.

MANAGEMENT CATEGORY

Management Category:	6
Level of Significance:	MUNICIPAL INVENTORY ARCHIVE: Place was previously included in the Municipal Inventory but has been removed due to demolition or diminished heritage significance.
Management Recommendation:	The place does not form part of the relevant local Town Planning Scheme Heritage List. This category is for record keeping purposes only.

OTHER LISTINGS

No other listings

SUPPORTING INFORMATION

Bibliography:
Bicentennial Dictionary of Western Australians.
HCWA Database No. 13874.

OTHER PHOTOS

No other photos