30. Corner block Grahamstown/Shephardstown
Monument. Known as
Thornton's Corner, later
Hawthorne's Corner. Homan's

**31. Creekside block.** Boston Bros had a showroom for their buggies and sulkies here.

German Band was based here.

**32.** Courthouse and Police Station. Courthouse was constructed in 1860 with renovations in 1878. Wardens and Mining Registrar were also located in this building. A new Police station was built in 2020 in Tumut Street.

33. Stone Church. Wesleyan/ Methodist Church built in 1860s and opened on Easter Day 1868. The many Cornish miners in Adelong filled the church to capacity and in 1872 a gallery was added to accommodate the choir. Now accommodation.

**34. Residence.** Property known as *Blinkbonny* was constructed c1860s by architect Andrew Smith for his son WD Smith.

**35. St. Joseph's School** constructed in 1906. Original school attached to church. Bricks manufactured locally by Fifields.

**36.** St. James Church designed by Andrew Smith and built using two French stonemasons. The foundation stone was laid on July 4 1862 by His Grace Bede Polding, Australia's first Catholic archbishop.

#### 37. Adelong Public School.

The main building was designed by John Gordon of Wagga and built by Kinred Bros in 1877 for £1700

**38.** Headmaster's residence. Constructed c1890.

**39. St. Paul's Anglican Church.** Has records from 1855 and was made a parish in 1873. It is the oldest parish in the Goulburn Diocese.
The church was designed by Andrew Smith and built in 1872. Its steeple was lost in a storm on Good Friday 1888.

**40. Residence.** Constructed as a parsonage for the *Wesley Methodist Church* in 1874. It was sold in 1950.

#### 41. Memorial Park.

The memorial was constructed after World War I and the avenue of elms planted for each soldier who died.

**42. Show Ground and Pavilion.** The Adelong Pastoral & Agriculture Association held the first show on September 23, 1903 on this recreation ground.

**43. Residence.** This house was built for James Curtis, a successful early miner. In c.1920 purchased by Nurse Lindbeck to become Adelong Hospital.

**44. Presbyterian Church.**Built in 1878 and designed by David Wilson. Now a private residence.











Settlement of the Adelong area dates from around 1837 and gold was discovered in 1852.

By 1876 Adelong was the third most productive gold field in the country.

The heart of the town, along the creek and adjacent to the bridge has retained its character and much of its original condition.

Enjoy exploring Adelong by walking, cycling or driving.

A walk can also be taken to the Adelong Falls Gold Reserve and Reefer Battery Ruins. It commences in Tumut Street and follows the Adelong Creek out to the Falls.

For those seeking family history information, the cemetery is located on a hill south of the township, with the picturesque route clearly identified.



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Heritage Walks

Welcome to Adelong, a unique heritage town boasting tree-lined streets and a country village lifestyle originating from its colourful gold mining past.



# ADELONG FALLS **RESERVE**

TO GUNDAGAI 1. Storefront. c1860 Gasse's Store then Budd, Rudd & Co. with Anthony Graham's store next door. Powder magazine at back in stone building.

2. Royal Hotel. The oldest of Adelong's existing hotels. Originally (in 1858) The Pride of Galway. Rebuilt in 1882 as the Royal Hotel. The adjacent building Galatea Hall was used for entertainment

#### 3. The Bank of NSW.

First used a cottage on this site in 1857. This building dates from 1882. The adjacent garden block site of the Oriental Bank, 1859.

4. Cafe. Ah Nam's Store in 1886. AE Merryful & Sons rebuilt as a general store in 1880s, Later Perkins & Welch.

#### 5. Craft Shop.

Butchery owned in 1870 by CD Bardwell (a prominent local squatter) and later becoming Benson's Butchery.

6. Shop front. A bakery in 1867 and continuing till 1980. Dart Taylor's Boot Shop in garden. WJ Taylor, his father, was a boot-maker in Camp Street.

# ADELONG

Adelong Falls Walk

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**TUMUT ST** 

HAVELOCK ST

LYNCH ST

TO CEMETERY

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**TUMUT ST** 

WYNDHAM

**GUNDAGAI ST** 

**LOCKHART ST** 

LYNCH ST

**GILMORE ST** 

16. Unit block. Site of Prowse's blacksmith & farrier and then Jack Young's garage.

#### 17. The Lodge.

SELWYN ST

BATLOW

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shop c1872.

18. Residence. Butcher's

19. Old Pharmacy. Built

c.1908 using local brick.

Used continuously as a

chemist's shop until 1975.

St. Clair (later Gadara) Masonic Lodge built in 1911 although the brotherhood was formed in 1875. Now a private residence.

20. Museum. The CWA began in Adelong in 1932 and the foundation stone laid in 1938.

#### 21. Adelonia Theatre.

Hodgson's Hall was built as an entertainment venue for the Commercial Hotel c1873. A two story building with balcony until rebuilt and renamed in 1930.

- 22. Post Office and residence built in 1886.
- 23. Shop front. Once the Commercial Bank of Sydney (1882). In 1902 FB Witt's Pharmacy had been taken over by HC Aiken.
- 24. 3 Shop fronts. The site of Annetts' Restaurant c1870. This was the first building on this side of Tumut Street, an area previously reserved for mining.

## 25. Shop front alongside entrance to Swinging Bridge.

Built by Tom Fotiou as the Capitol Cafe in 1939. Site earlier owned by Edwards Bros and once the Telegraph Office (1860/85).

26. Residence. Site of Woodward's, then Passlow & Elphick, blacksmith & wheelwright.

### 27. Bendigo Bank.

Pallet's General Store c1890

28. Car Park, Site of Barbour's Garage and JD Isaac's Stock & Station Agency.

29. Adelong S&C Club. Literary Institute 1883. Site originally a library and the design is attributed to David Wilson.

7. Newsagent. Oldest original building in Tumut Street. In 1860 Apothecary & Stationer - Andrew Smith.

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8. Shop front. Site contained a general store c1890 later a butcher's shop, a cafe and SP bookmaker on the first floor.

TO WAGGA WAGGA SNOWY MTS HWY

> 8. Supermarket. Opened as store in 1874 Eyles & Channon - present building dates from 1878.

#### 9. Hotel Adelong.

(The Middle) Post Office Hotel - opened in 1878 by Charles Harris - rebuilt in 1936 and renamed Hotel Adelong.

- 10. Shop front. Red Store -Pearce & Long, then Prowse. The facade was replaced by PD Boston in 1932.
- 11. Community Op Shop. Originally Beegling's Butchery in 1878.

### 12. Adjacent Site.

Record Office and later Barakat's Store

- 14. Beaufort House. Site of Mandelson's Commercial Store and residence then Commercial Hotel in 1863 – first licensee JR Paul. Rebuilt (as Commercial Hotel) in 1925.
- 15. Residence. Site of William Murphy's Adelong Hotel opened in 1859 and burnt down in 1916
- 13. Shop front. (Elders) Allen's Store mid 1800s, rebuilt 1915.