

# Charlton Golden Grains Museum

Recovering from Disaster





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# The East Charlton Tribune

AND LOWER AVOCA REPRESENTATIVE

SATURDAY, MAY 19 1878

**JOHN FALCONER,**  
General Storekeeper,  
Wholesale and Retail Merchant,  
BRANDON STREET, BRANDBURG.  
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**SWAN HILL.**  
**GRANITE CLUB HOTEL,**  
BRANDBURG.  
**KERRANG HOTEL,**  
BRANDBURG.  
**East Charlton Hotel.**

### J. NICHOLSON'S

#### PATENT HORSE WORKS AND REAPER COMBINED.



FOR THE YEAR 1878, the following list of the Patent Works also awarded the Gold Medal, by the London Convention, 1873, for the Best Reaping Machine, and the Gold Medal, London, 1873, for the Best Reaping Machine, and the Gold Medal, London, 1873, for the Best Reaping Machine.

### F. W. WERN,

BRANDBURG.



**D. ALBRIGHT,**  
BRANDBURG.

**Hungluka Hotel**  
AND RESTAURANT,  
BRANDBURG.

**C. KLUG**  
BRANDBURG.

### WEDDERBURN HOTEL,

BRANDBURG.

### F. KLUGGER,

BRANDBURG.

**J. W. STUBBS,**  
BRANDBURG.

**CLARENCE B. & FILIZ**  
BRANDBURG.

### WEDDERBURN HOTEL,

BRANDBURG.

### WHEELS, TYRES, TAYLOR,

BRANDBURG.

**H. LUTH & CO.**  
BRANDBURG.

### ECORT HOTEL,

BRANDBURG.

### THOS. HENDERSON AND CO.,

BRANDBURG.

**A. M. WATSON,**  
BRANDBURG.

### SAW MILLS,

BRANDBURG.

### J. T. CROFT,

BRANDBURG.

**J. H. GLOUCESTER,**  
BRANDBURG.

Our collection

- Artefacts dating back to 1850s
- Photos
- Maps
- Ledgers
- Rate Books
- Family Histories
- Letters
- Local Newspapers 1878 - 1981

Digital Image: The East Charlton Tribune  
18<sup>th</sup> May 1878



Museum Interior - 2006







New floor 2010





January 15<sup>th</sup> 2014





January 15<sup>th</sup> 2014





January 15<sup>th</sup> 2014 – Museum at dawn





January 17<sup>th</sup> 2014 – Research room





January 15<sup>th</sup> 2014 – Main display room



Drying photos







Contents of the freezer





Working bee



Working bee – Rodger Trudgeon (Ballarat Gold Museum)





Working bee – Donald History & Natural History Group



Working bee – Lauren & Justine (PROV)





One of many loads out to the farm at Yeungroon (14km from Charlton)



Temporary storage on the farm





Temporary storage – the barn on the farm







Museum storage & archive room

## What did we learn?

- Photograph & document items before disposal
- Ask for help
- Use volunteers with the right skills



Working bee volunteers





New museum displays at official reopening in March 2013