## Public Place Names (Tharwa) Determination 2005 (No 1)

Disallowable instrument DI2005 - 252

made under the

Public Place Names Act 1989— section 3 (Minister to determine names)

I DETERMINE the name of the public place that is Territory land as specified in the attached schedule and as indicated on the attached plan.

Neil Savery Delegate of the Minister 21 November 2005

## **SCHEDULE**

Public Place Names (Tharwa) Determination 2005 (No 1)

Division of Tharwa: No particular theme

NAME ORIGIN	<b>SIGNIFICANCE</b>
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Clary Lane Clarence Charles Jeffery

(1897-1948)

Clarence (Clary) Charles Jeffery was born in Wingello, NSW on 8/12/1897. It was from there that he enlisted in the light horse in World War I and for several years following his discharge was a timber-getter and sleeper-cutter in that district and also the north coast of NSW. At that time he was regarded one of the countries finest axemen.

In 1924 he married Miss Ruby Luton of Shannon's Flat and in the same year came to Tharwa as a road ganger. In 1927 he purchased the local store and carrying business from his sister and her husband, George Read Jr, a business he continued until his death in 1948. The store to this date is still in the family.

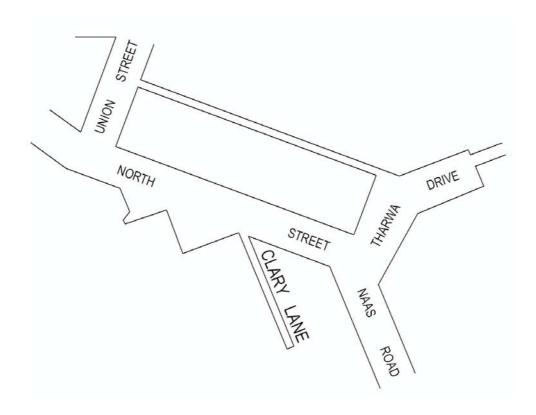
During his 24 years residence in Tharwa, Clarence Jeffery took a most active part in the development of the village. He was a foundation member of the Parents and Citizens Association and later President and Vice President, a competent President of the local Progress Association and a Warden of the local Church of England Church.

In the field of sport he had few superiors especially at cricket and tennis.

Though not able to take an active part in the Second World War, he was a member of the local Volunteer Defence Corp.

During the hard economic times of the 1930s and 1940s, as the local storekeeper, Clarence Jeffery provided help and assistance to many families in the district. Some of his descendants still live in the area and are involved in social and service organisations in the district.





## **DIVISION OF THARWA**