
Station & Goods Shed



B5319 Goods Shed, Riddell's Creek station

Location

Station Street,, RIDDELLS CREEK VIC 3431 - Property No B5319

Municipality

MACEDON RANGES SHIRE

Level of significance

State

Heritage Listing

National Trust

Statement of Significance

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The Riddell's Creek Goods shed and platforms are architecturally significant at the State and National levels as key contributors to the cultural significance of the Melbourne to Echuca Railway line. The goods shed is of bluestone construction and in this respect representative of construction standards applied to the Grand Trunk lines from Geelong to Ballarat and Melbourne to Bendigo and Echuca. It is the most intact surviving example of a small group of similar goods sheds remaining at Little River and Kyneton and existing formerly at Bannockburn. The combination of goods shed and platform verandah was once representative of design standards for the Grand Trunk lines but survives today only at Riddell's Creek. The Grecian temple form, though characteristic of the Grand Trunk lines era, is distinctive, whilst the run through design of the shed recalls earlier English practices and became obsolete in Victoria during the 1870s.

Classified: 28/05/1990

Hermes Number 68801

Property Number

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