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# FORMER LOCKSLEY STATION

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## Location

AVENEL-LONGWOOD ROAD LOCKSLEY, STRATHBOGIE SHIRE

## Municipality

STRATHBOGIE SHIRE

## Level of significance

Heritage Inventory Site

## Heritage Inventory (HI) Number

H7924-0091

## Heritage Listing

Victorian Heritage Inventory

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## Statement of Significance

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The station's historical significance relates to the early construction and development of stations along the Melbourne-Sydney Railway.

Interpretation of Site	The area of the former Locksley Station may also feature foundation and artefacts associated with the station, that whilst not visible on the surface may be located with sub-surface investigations.
Hermes Number	14244
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## History

This station was opened on 18th October 1882 and Burnt Creek Wood Siding. A passenger platform was later

added to the up side of the railway line (Turton 1973:36), with a goods shed and sheep yards located on down side. The name was changed to Burnt Creek on 3rd January 1883 before becoming Locksley on 5th December 1904. In 1898 the railway station was destroyed by fire and a new platform and buildings were built within a year (Houston 1988:7). Track alterations were made in 1916 to change wide S-curves to the current layout. The station closed to passengers 1st April 1973. In 1977 the station was closed to all traffic and both the up and down end connections were removed. (Waught 1989:13).

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