

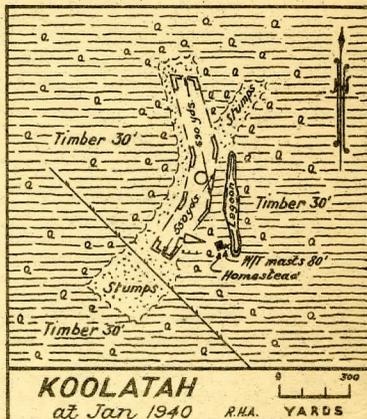
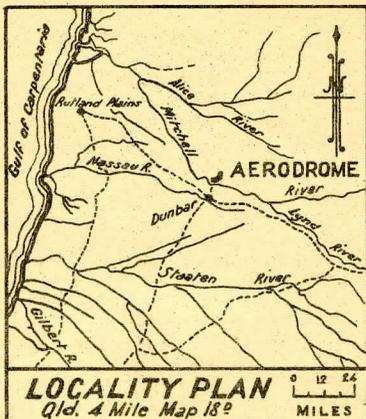
DEPARTMENT OF CIVIL AVIATION

AUSTRALIA

DATA SHEET FOR LANDING GROUND NO.521
KOOLATAH, QLD.

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LICENSED AERODROME, "C" CLASS



LATITUDE: $15^{\circ} 53\frac{1}{2}'$ S; LONGITUDE: $142^{\circ} 22'$ E; MAG. VAR: 5° E app.
ALTITUDE: 50 feet approx.

POSITION: Adjacent to homestead. About 6 miles north of Mitchell River.

RELEVANT AVIATION MAP: Mercator Sheet E.8.

SURROUNDING COUNTRY: Flat timbered country, with open spaces suitable for forced landings.

LANDMARKS: Homestead buildings and lagoon.

APPROACHES: South - over homestead building, wireless masts 80' and timber to 30' high; north, east and west - over timber to 30' high with felled approaches at ends of runways.

MARKINGS: White circle, boundary markings and wind indicator.
Name - "Koolatah" painted on roof of homestead.

DIMENSIONS: N-S, 690 yds; SSW-NNE, 550 yds.

SURFACE: Smooth level surface, suitable in all weathers.

TOWN & RAILWAY STATION: Mungarra, 190 miles SE.

TELEPHONE: Wireless transmitting set (pedal set) at homestead.

HANGAR: Nil.

REPAIRS: At homestead.

REFUELLING: Limited supplies at homestead.

WATER: Homestead.

PROPRIETOR: Mr. H.C.L. Hughes, Koolatah, via Normanton, Qld.

CHARGES: Nil at present.

REMARKS: "C" Class for favourable winds only.

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