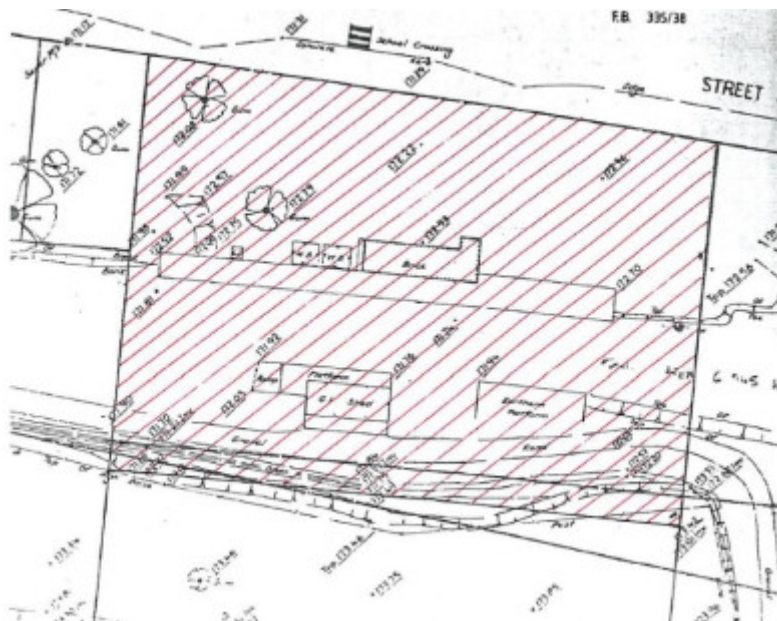# FORMER YEA RAILWAY STATION

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1 former yea railway station
station street yea front view

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Location

14 STATION STREET YEA, MURRINDINDI SHIRE

Municipality

MURRINDINDI SHIRE

Level of significance

Registered

Victorian Heritage Register (VHR) Number

H0771

Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO2

VHR Registration

August 20, 1982

Amendment to Registration

October 12, 1988

Heritage Listing

Victorian Heritage Register

Statement of Significance

Last updated on - June 28, 1999

What is significant?

The former Railway Station at Yea is the most intact example of a small group of standard Gothic-styled Railway Station buildings. The complex includes a station building and platform, refreshment rooms, parcel/storage shed and goods shed. The main station building was constructed in 1889 by contractor N Erwin, following the opening of the north eastern line branch from Tallarook in 1883.

The station represents the most picturesque design of railway buildings prepared by the Railways Department. it features polychromatic brickwork, decorative barge-work and a jerkinhead slate roof. The entrance porch includes detailing consistent with the Tudor style featuring shallow and angular pointed openings to the windows. The walls are pierced with blind slit windows, and the verandah columns are finished with foliated capitals.

How is it significant?

The former Yea Railway Station is of architectural and historical significance to the State of Victoria.

Why is it significant?

The station complex represents the most intact example of a small group of Gothic styled Railway Station buildings built in the late nineteenth century.

The main station building is the most picturesque design of railway buildings prepared by the Railways Department.

Permit Exemptions

General Exemptions:

General exemptions apply to all places and objects included in the Victorian Heritage Register (VHR). General exemptions have been designed to allow everyday activities, maintenance and changes to your property, which

don't harm its cultural heritage significance, to proceed without the need to obtain approvals under the Heritage Act 2017.

Places of worship: In some circumstances, you can alter a place of worship to accommodate religious practices without a permit, but you must notify the Executive Director of Heritage Victoria before you start the works or activities at least 20 business days before the works or activities are to commence.

Subdivision/consolidation: Permit exemptions exist for some subdivisions and consolidations. If the subdivision or consolidation is in accordance with a planning permit granted under Part 4 of the *Planning and Environment Act 1987* and the application for the planning permit was referred to the Executive Director of Heritage Victoria as a determining referral authority, a permit is not required.

Specific exemptions may also apply to your registered place or object. If applicable, these are listed below. Specific exemptions are tailored to the conservation and management needs of an individual registered place or object and set out works and activities that are exempt from the requirements of a permit. Specific exemptions prevail if they conflict with general exemptions.

Find out more about heritage permit exemptions here.

Construction dates	1889,
Heritage Act Categories	Registered place,
Hermes Number	1262
Property Number	

Extent of Registration

AMENDMENT OF REGISTER OF HISTORIC BUILDINGS
Historic Building No. 771, former Yea Railway Station, Station Street, Yea.
(All of the buildings and land hatched as shown in the plan hereunder).
[*Victoria Government Gazette* No. G13 28 March 1990 p.932]

This place/object may be included in the Victorian Heritage Register pursuant to the Heritage Act 2017. Check the Victorian Heritage Database, selecting 'Heritage Victoria' as the place source.

For further details about Heritage Overlay places, contact the relevant local council or go to Planning Schemes Online http://planningschemes.dpcd.vic.gov.au/