

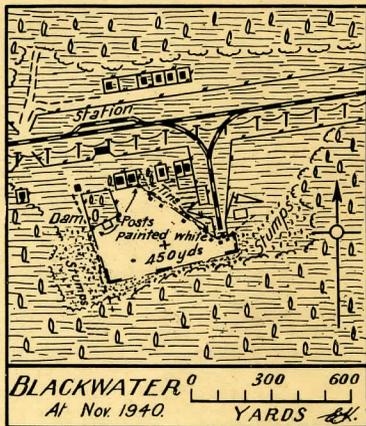
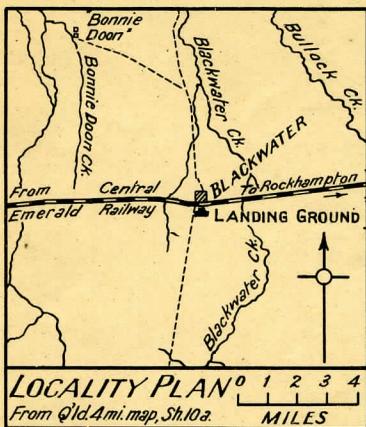
DEPARTMENT OF CIVIL AVIATION

AUSTRALIA

DATA SHEET FOR LANDING GROUND NO. 379  
BLACKWATER, QLD.

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EMERGENCY LANDING GROUND



LATITUDE:  $23^{\circ} 35\frac{1}{2}' S$ . LONGITUDE:  $145^{\circ} 53' E$ . MAG. VAR:  $7^{\circ} E$ . app.

ALTITUDE: 600 feet approx.

POSITION: Immediately south of Blackwater railway station.

RELEVANT AVIATION MAPS: Mercator sheet F.9. Stripmap No. 39.

SURROUNDING COUNTRY: Timbered with small open patches unsuitable for forced landings.

LANDMARKS: Railway station and houses to north, yards and siding on east.

APPROACHES: North - over telephone line and houses. Other directions - stumps and timber to 50 feet.

MARKINGS: White cross and wind indicator and boundary marks.

DIMENSIONS: E-W, 450 yards.

SURFACE: Fair.

TOWN & RAILWAY STATION: Blackwater adjacent.

TELEPHONE: Blackwater.

HANGARS: Nil.

REPAIRS: Nil.

REFUELLING: Blackwater.

WATER: Nearby houses.

PROPRIETORS: Department of Civil Aviation, Melbourne.

CHARGES: Nil.

REMARKS: This ground is only good for an EW run.

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