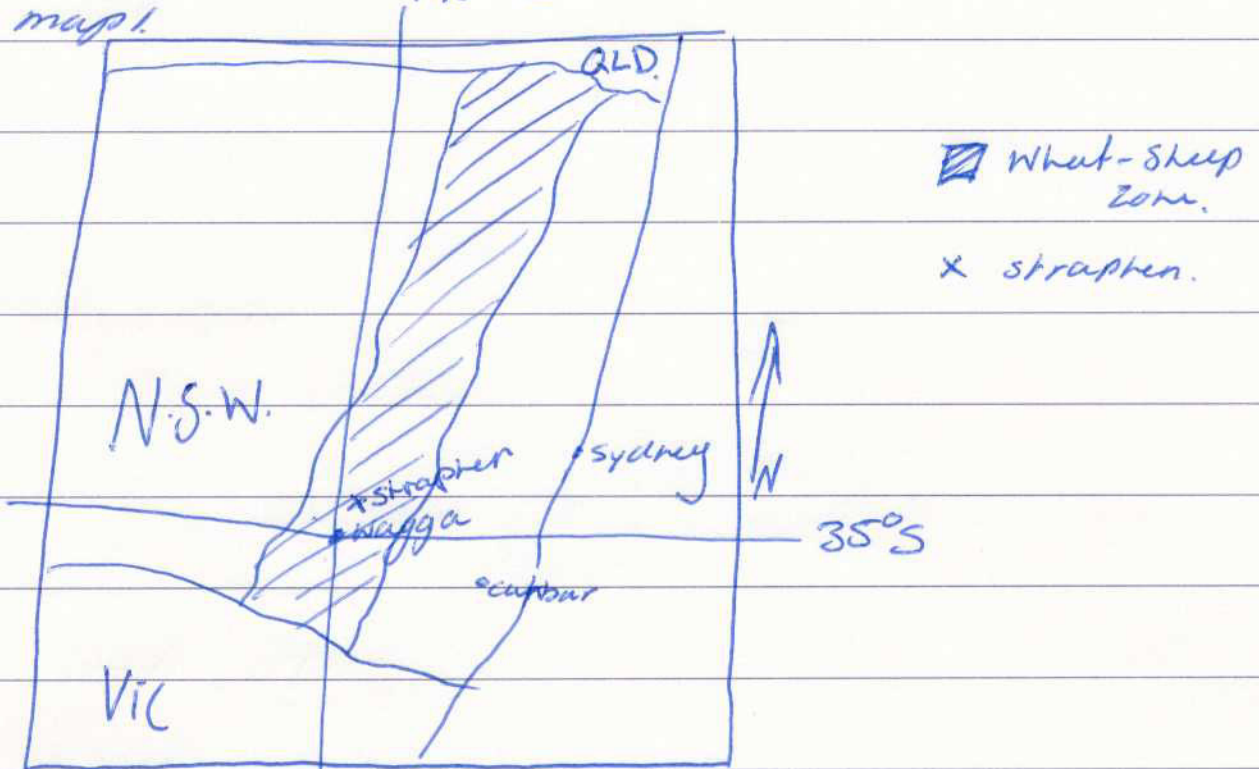


Strapten.

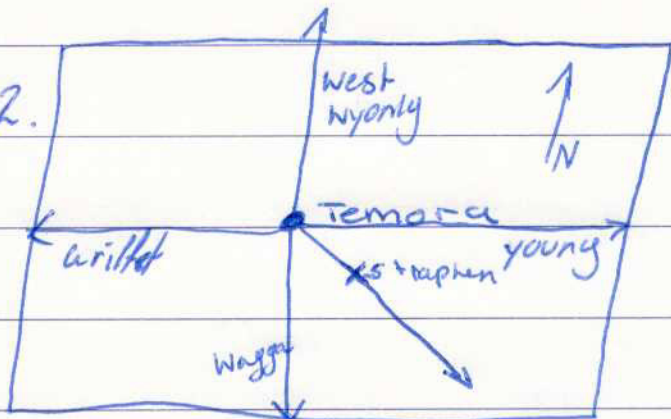
located. - 13km out of Temara N.S.W.

148° E

map 1.

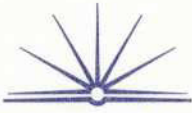


Map 2.



1cm = 13km.

Strapten is a Wheat-Sheep farm, owned by The [redacted].



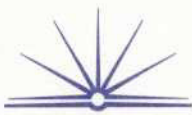
global changes - Satelright Technology.

- mobile phones.
- computerised Taster and Headers
- computer software.
- Australian Wheat board.
- World marketing
- Telecommunications
- local wheat buyers.
- inter net

Technology

Mr [redacted] and other local farms where ~~that~~ brought up when computers ~~did~~ ^{where} not a big thing on a farm, now he finds that he can find out many thing by using his mobile phone, inter net, and computer programs.

Technology has changed the enterprise by now a farmer can find out

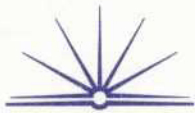


What prices, what the weather is going to be like in the next couple of days, what the ~~world~~ ^{world} market is doing with wheat prices, what import and export rates are doing use satellite transmissions and computerised ~~data~~ ^{Header} to work out yields and what price will get.

The internet (world wide web).

Mr ~~...~~ uses the net each night to see the weather report, this helps him decide when to ~~plant~~ plant his crop, so that frost or too much rain or not another rain will affect it.

The web also provides information on the Australian wheat market and the overseas wheat market, so when harvest comes around he will



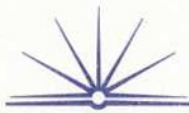
be able to get the right price
for his wheat.

This never used to happen a farmer
would sell his wheat to the Australian
wheat board, and then it would
be sold over seas, now Mr [redacted]
can sell his ~~wheat~~ wheat at the
price he wants and he can sell
it over seas.

Storage.

Wheat today also does not have to
be sold right away Mr [redacted] can
store his wheat until the Australia
Market or World market prices
rise, and he can also find
this out by using a local grain
buyer.

Mr [redacted] will sell his wheat to
BFB, Ted and Horan etc and when



The price is right They will sell.

not only do farmers grow wheat.
To day as wheat prices are
not always ~~constant~~ constant and
some times your crop may not
go so well you need some thing
to back you up, so most farmers
like Mr have live stock.

Consumation and technology are two global
changes which have affected the way
Mr farmer today as now
the information he needs is right
there at his finger tips.