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I accidentally did something to fstab, and now I can't get in to my Debian computer

I've pressed enter and it doesn't solve the problem, and I've tried rebooting, but that just brings me back to this

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/dev/nvme0n1p5: recovering journal
/dev/nvme0n1p5: clean, 739103/12435456 files, 24180651/49719552 blocks
[FAILED] Failed to mount mnt-nvme0n1p2.mount - /mnt/nvme0n1p2.
[DEPEND] Dependency failed for local-fs.target - Local File Systems.
[ OK ] Finished plymouth-read-write.service - Tell Plymouth To Write Out Runtime Data.
[ OK ] Finished systemd-binfmt.service - Set Up Additional Binary Formats.
Starting binfmt-support.service - Enable support for additional executable binary formats...
[ OK ] Finished binfmt-support.service - Enable support for additional executable binary formats.
[ OK ] Finished systemd-tmpfiles-setup.service - Create Volatile Files and Directories.
Starting systemd-timesyncd.service - Network Time Synchronization...
Starting systemd-update-utmp.service - Record System Boot/Shutdown in UTMP...
[ OK ] Mounted mnt-sda2.mount - /mnt/sda2.
[ OK ] Finished systemd-update-utmp.service - Record System Boot/Shutdown in UTMP.
Starting systemd-update-utmp-runlevel.service - Record Runlevel Change in UTMP...
[ OK ] Finished systemd-update-utmp-runlevel.service - Record Runlevel Change in UTMP.
[ OK ] Started systemd-timesyncd.service - Network Time Synchronization.
[ OK ] Reached target time-set.target - System Time Set.
[ OK ] Finished apparmor.service - Load AppArmor profiles.
Starting networking.service - Raise network interfaces...
[ OK ] Finished networking.service - Raise network interfaces.
[ OK ] Reached target network.target - Network.
[ OK ] Reached target network-online.target - Network is Online.
You are in emergency mode. After logging in, type "journalctl -xb" to view
system logs, "systemctl reboot" to reboot, "systemctl default" or "exit"
to boot into default mode.

Cannot open access to console, the root account is locked.
See sulogin(8) man page for more details.

Press Enter to continue.
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