

Victorian Heritage Database Report

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ELIZABETH

Location

Portland

Victorian Heritage Register (VHR) Number

S222

Date lost

18/11/1844

Construction material

Wood

Propulsion

Sail

Number of masts

2

Length/Breadth/Depth

49.20 Feet / 16.70 Feet / 10.30 Feet

Year of construction

1837

Built port

Hobart, Tasmania

Built country

Australia

Date lost

18/11/1844

Departure

Melbourne

Destination

Adelaide

Cargo

Ballast

Owner

Joseph Smith (1842)

Master

Captain Tipleby

Passenger comments

At least 3 passengers; J. Easthorpe; A. Scott & A.F. Scott

VHR history

While anchored in Portland Bay, the schooner Elizabeth was struck by a south easterly gale. Fearing loss of life, the captain slipped the anchor cables and drove the vessel ashore. All on board were saved, but the Elizabeth was abandoned as a total wreck.