Victorian Heritage Database Report

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EMILY

Location

Off Mallacoota, Bass Strait

Victorian Heritage Register (VHR) Number

S235

Date lost

31/07/1898

Official number

95996

Construction material

Wood

Hull

One deck, pointed stern, carvel built.

Propulsion

Sail

Number of masts

1

Length/Breadth/Depth

42.00 Feet / 13.20 Feet / 4.90 Feet

Builder

H.S. Ericksen

Year of construction

Built	port
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Paynesville, Victoria

Built country

Australia

Registration Number

7 of 1892

Registration Port

Melbourne

Date lost

31/07/1898

Departure

Eden

Destination

Mallacoota

Cargo

Ballast.

Owner

F.W. Wilson J.A. Dorran, Mallacoota.

Cause of loss

Foundered in heavy weather

Number of crew

2

VHR history

The cutter Emily left Eden for Mallacoota but disappeared during rough weather, taking the lives of the two crew members.

The vessel's dingy and a man's cap were washed up at Tullaberga Island near Cape Howe. "It is supposed that this vessel foundered during the recent heavy weather. Nothing has been seen of crew or wreckage, excepting that a boat belonging to the cutter was picked up between Mallacoota and Gabo Island."

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