Victorian Heritage Database Report

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SS IRON PRINCE

Location

Cape Howe

Victorian Heritage Register (VHR) Number

S341

Date lost

19 Apr 1923

Official number

12586

Construction material

Iron

Hull

One sheathed deck, 1 awning deck (iron), 3 tiers of beams, Cellular Double Bottom, Water Ballasted, 5 cemented bulkheads, Poop 31', Bridge 99', Forecastle 38'.

Propulsion

Steam - Screw

Length/Breadth/Depth

331.50 Feet / 49.00 Feet / 25.30 Feet

Builder

Russell and Co

Year of construction

1909

Built port

Built country
Scotland
Registration Number
52
Registration Port
Sydney
Date lost
19 Apr 1923
Departure
Davenport
Destination
Newcastle
Cargo
5000 tons of limestone
Owner
Broken Hill Pty
Cause of loss
Ran aground on to reef
VHR history
The steamer Iron Prince, owned by BHP, ran ashore near Cape Howe. The crew reached safety, but the vessel became a total wreck.

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