

Victorian Heritage Database Report

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ARGO

Location

Portland Beach

Victorian Heritage Register (VHR) Number

S40

Date lost

1883

Official number

31901

Construction material

Wood

Hull

No decks, 1 mast, cutter rigged, round stern, clinker built, no galleries, no figurehead, wooden framed.

Propulsion

Sail

Number of masts

1

Length/Breadth/Depth

45.00 Feet / 13.60 Feet / 4.20 Feet

Year of construction

1867

Built port

Port Fairy, Victoria

Built country

Australia

Registration Number

4 of 1875

Registration Port

Port Fairy

Date lost

1883

Owner

Lewis Grant and Alexander Thomas Woods, commission agents,

Cause of loss

Wrecked in south-easterly gale

Statement of significance

<p>It is impossible to assess the significance of the vessel due to the lack of historical data. The site has not been inspected to reveal whether it has any archaeological significance.</p>

VHR history

Few details have been located on the loss of the cutter Argo, other than that it was wrecked on the beach at Portland in a gale in December 1883.