

Victorian Heritage Database Report

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LADY MARY PELHAM



S405 LadyMaryPalham
PortFairy WoodDetail



S405 LadyMaryPalham
PortFairy EndView



S405 LadyMaryPalham
PortFairy SideDetail



S405 LadyMaryPalham
PortFairy SideView

Location

Port Fairy

Victorian Heritage Register (VHR) Number

S405

Date lost

31/08/1849

Official number

None

Hull

Felt sheathed and coppered 1836 rig-sources. Some sources state barque
 pre 1844 became 2 masted brig after 1844 repaired in Launceston 1844
 581.0 pre 1844 381.16 post 1844

Number of masts

2

Length/Breadth/Depth

81.00 Feet / 22.00 Feet / 14.20 Feet

Year of construction

1816

Built port

Rotherhithe

Built country

England

Registration Port

Portland

Date lost

31/08/1849

Departure

Port Fairy

Destination

Sydney

Cargo

Wheat, wool and tallow

Owner

S.G. Henty

Master

Captain Wing

Weather conditions

SSe force 10

Cause of loss

Blown ashore after taking on cargo for Sydney

VHR history

The Lady Mary Pelham owned by Stephen Henty was about to ail for Sydney on the morning of 31 August when a gale sent her drifting shorewards. The captain set all sail and ran her as high as possible up the beach just level with Manifold St and all hands were saved, but she was pounded to pieces before the gale abated.