

Victorian Heritage Database Report

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MEROPE

Location

Lawrence rocks, Portland

Victorian Heritage Register (VHR) Number

S465

Date lost

08/1839

Construction material

Wood

Propulsion

Sail

Length/Breadth/Depth

96.50 Feet / 27.00 Feet / 0.00 Feet

Builder

James Scott & Co.

Year of construction

1818

Built port

Port Glooter, Bengal

Built country

India

Date lost

08/1839

Cargo

90 head of cattle

Cause of loss

Struck a reef near Lawrence Rocks

VHR history

The cutter Merope was wrecked at Portland VIC in August 1839. Her details have not been obtained.