

Victorian Heritage Database Report

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Location

Bass Strait, 40 miles west of Cape Otway

Victorian Heritage Register (VHR) Number

S469

Date lost

27/03/1849

Construction material

Wood

Hull

Square stern, carvel built, no galleries, one deck, woman's bust figurehead

Number of masts

2

Length/Breadth/Depth

60.20 Feet / 18.40 Feet / 8.70 Feet

Year of construction

1847

Built port

Bellinger River, New South Wales

Built country

Australia

Registration Number

73 of 1847

Registration Port

Sydney

Date lost

27/03/1849

Departure

Sydney

Destination

Portland

Cargo

Gunpowder

Owner

Thomas Hovenden (32 shares)
 John Sergeant Turner (16 shares)
 James Heather Atkinson (32 shares)

Master

Thomas Hovenden

Weather conditions

Gale in Portland Bay