

# Victorian Heritage Database Report

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### Location

Snake Island, near Port Albert Entrance.

### Victorian Heritage Register (VHR) Number

S617

### Date lost

05/08/1898

### Length/Breadth/Depth

42.80 Feet / 11.60 Feet / 7.00 Feet

### Year of construction

1865

### Built port

Auckland

### Built country

New Zealand

### Date lost

05/08/1898

### Departure

Flinders Island Tasmania

### Destination

Stoney Point VIC?

### Master

Navigator Fred Lund

### **Cause of loss**

Foundered in about 8 fathoms near Port Albert VIC

### **Number of crew**

2

### **Crew comments**

Navigator and one other

### **VHR history**

The fishing ketch Secret called at Port Albert on its way to Flinders Island but then went missing. The wreck of the vessel was later found near the Port Albert entrance in twelve feet of water. The master and the one crewman were never found.