Victorian Heritage Database Report

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TIME

Location

Western Port, between San Remo and Cowes

Victorian Heritage Register (VHR) Number

S674

Date lost

1890

Length/Breadth/Depth

0.00 Feet / 0.00 Feet / 0.00 Feet

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1890

Cargo

Coal

Cause of loss

Possibly wrecked after striking a sand bar

VHR history

Gliddon, Loney and Woodley all state that a small steamer called TIME was wrecked about 3 miles east of Cowes in 1890. These reports indicate that the vessel was carrying coal from Griffith Point (San Remo) to Cowes when it struck a sand bar and sank. However, there is no mention of any vessel being wrecked in any of the local or Melbourne papers. The Australasian Shipping Record does mention that a small steamer (TIME) was involved in a collision with the S.S.WASTWATER in August 1890. The TIME was repaired and in November and was back on duty towing at the Heads. No other vessels called TIME have been identified as operating in Victorian waters in 1890.