Victorian Heritage Database Report

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Unidentified: South Point

Location

South Point, Wilsons Promontory

Victorian Heritage Register (VHR) Number

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VHR history

The discovery in the 1960s of large ship's timbers at South Point on Wilsons Promontory caused considerable interest. It was thought that they may have been from an early whaler or from an exploration vessel before Cook. However, as the timber is kauri, it is most likely from the New Zealand-built schooner Curlew wrecked nearby in 1915.