

Victorian Heritage Database Report

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ALBYN S ISLE

Location

Williamstown

Victorian Heritage Register (VHR) Number

S841

Date lost

1918

Official number

47308

Construction material

Wood

Propulsion

Sail

Number of masts

3

Length/Breadth/Depth

128.10 Feet / 26.00 Feet / 6.60 Feet

Builder

Adamson & Co.

Year of construction

1863

Built port

Grangemouth

Built country

England

Registration Port

Melbourne

Date lost

1918

Cargo

Coal

Owner

1863: A. Adamson, London (London 120/ 1863)
 1872: C.M. Hudson & W. Watkins (Melbourne 20/ 1872)
 Jan 1876: Robert Rae
 Aug. 1885: J. Deane, H.R. Reid & J. McIntyre
 Oct. 1885: M.C.S.& E.C.
 Aug. 1893: M.S.S. Co.

Cause of loss

Sank at mooring, raised and broken up

VHR history

In 1893 the Albyn's Isle, the cutter Jessie and ballast lighter Sarah Ann sank off Williamstown and were afterwards raised (MHT Report 1893). The Albyn's Isle was found to have "injuries of serious a character that the company have decided to break her up and remove her name from the Victorian Shipping Registry" (Argus 7/8/1893).

 The Albyn's Isle had been lying in the fairway since being sunk in a collision by the SS Flinders in February 1893 (WC 22/7/1893).