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031	Aeroplane	041	Louis Scheid
032	Bay of Panama	042	Lucy
033	Betty Hindley	043	Minehaha
034	Brittania	044	Missouri
035	Canada	045	Mulberry Harbour
036	H.M.S. Drake	046	Placidas Farroult
037	John Tayleur	047	H.M.S. Port Napier
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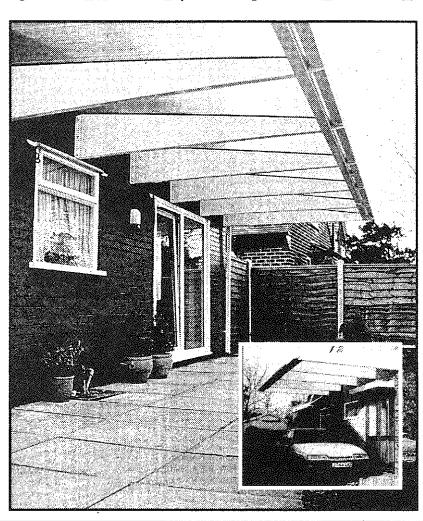
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091	Active	106	Ebenezer
092	Alexanders	107	Empire Harry
093	Alex Van Opstal	108	Enterprise
094	Amberley	109	Hartlepool
095	Angloman	110	Hathor
096	Anna Bhan	111	Ilston
097	Arran III	112	Kul
098	Benvenue	113	Louis
099	Bermuda	114	Mosel
100	Blazer	115	Oregon
101	Brodfield	116	Serica
102	Carmathen	117	St Andre
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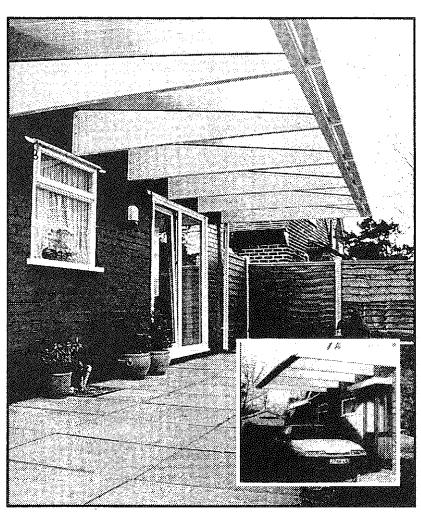
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154	Butter Wreck	169	KRONPRINZ WILHELM
155	CAIRNGLEN	170	MARKGRAF
156	Camel Wreck	171	MARS
157	CHINGFORD	172	MONTAUBAN
158	DIMITRIS	173	OSLOFJORD
159	DORIS	174	Peanut Boat
160	F.2	175	SARA
161	FAIRPLAY II	176	STASSA
162	GENERAL CONSUL	177	Trawler (Petersport)
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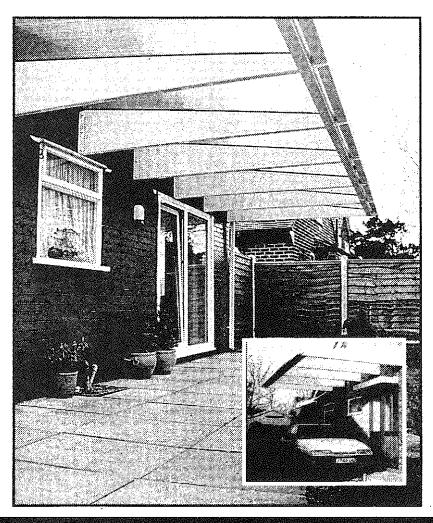
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187	CROMPTON	202	MAIPU
188	DE BOOT	203	MOLESEY
189	H.M.S. E.39	204	NICOLAU VIRGINIA
190	EARL ELDRINGTON	· 205	POLEIRE
191	GANNET	206	TREVEAL
192	GARONNE	207	Unknown (Berry Hd.)
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194	HALCYON	209	Unknown (Skokholm)
195	HAROLD	210	WAR KNIGHT

211	AKSAI	231	ILALA
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213	BALLISTA	233	LANDING CRAFT (A)
214	BARRON ARDROSSAN	234	MAYFIELD
215	BELLUCIA	235	MEKONG
216	BRETTON HALL	236	NEPAUL
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222	DERWENT	242	'Two Sausages'
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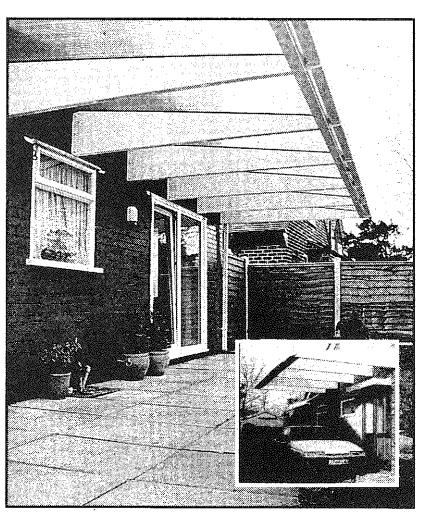
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WHY SHOULD YOU DO IT?

Because by giving this information to us, you are providing the marks to other divers who have not got them and, vice versa, they will supply you with the transits that you are lacking. This might apply to wrecks in your area or to a new site. If you give us this information, you will be entitled to similar data elsewhere on a reciprocal basis. But even if you have no wreck for us, you will still be able to obtain information from us for a small fee (to cover administration cost and postage).

HOW SHOULD YOU DO IT?

By filling in the attached enquiry form with a small map and transit marks on the revers and returning it to our Records Officer:

ALAN BAX: Fort Bovisand, Plymouth, Devon. Telephone: Plymouth (0752) 42570.

If you have information on more than one wreck, then you can either obtain from us additional forms, or simply supply the data under the same headings. Even if your information is scant, somebody else might be able to add to it.

If you have a general enquiry, or comments to make, why not contact our Secretary:

CHRIS 64, Aberdare Gardens, London N.W.6. HOLCOMBE: Telephone: 01 624 2897.

If, on the other hand, you wish to help us or are 2nd Class with some experience in wreck diving and wish to be on our Register of Wreck Divers, then write to our Area Representative:

ROGER 22A, Long Lane, Charlesworth, Hyde, Cheshire. LIVESEY: Telephone: Glossop (04574) 61680.

Jan Siedlecki Chairman

26/27 November 1977

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WHO ARE WE?

In November 1975, Kendall McDonald in his "Chairman's Say" asked .. "Who is interested in undertaking a national wreck survey," A year later, those of us who vonunteered have been officially adopted by the BSAC National Council as a B.S.A.C. WRECK REGISTER SUB-COMMITTEE.

WHAT DO WE DO?

We do not carry out a survey. That is the responsibility of the Wreck Section of the Hydrographic Department. We simply compile a register of wrecks which are accessible and suitable for recreational diving. As a back-up, we will assemble a bibliography of reference books and sources of further information. In addition, we provide a liaison between divers and those bodies whose interest is in wrecks. Furthermore, we shall form a register of divers interested and capable of carrying out work in connection with wrecks.

WHY DO WE DO IT?

Because we recognise a real use for it. There are masses of information concerning wrecks: books, articles, museums, libraries, Lift Boat records, Hydrographic Department printouts, Trinity House, Lloyds etc. The list is too long, but none of these sources will provide the average diver on his weekend dive, with marks that will put him down on a wreck.

HOW DO WE DO IT?

By appealing directly to you, fellow divers, to send us transit marks on common wrecks that you know, because only you can supply such information. We are not after historic wrecks, virgin wrecks or wrecks which are of special 'interest' to you. We will then translate this into a standard register card (and possibly add more information) with an acknowledgement of its source, which will form the central register available and accessible to any diver.

PURPOSE

The purpose of the Register is to supply readily usable details of wrecks off the coasts of the United Kingdom which provide interesting locations for sport divers. Initially, the Register will only be concerned with modern iron or steel wrecks, but later, older sites, or perhaps areas containing wildlife of particular interest, will be added.

The main information provided for each wreck is the best available description of the navigational marks 'transits' which permit its accurate location without the need for special equipment. Additionally, each wreck sheet contains a description of diving conditions and other useful local data. It is hoped that this unique information, which is not available from any other source, will save frustrating searches and add to the enjoyment of the underwater world.

CONSERVATION

In promulgating this knowledge, we are opening wreck sites to greater number of divers. If each takes a 'souvenir' they will not last in a coherent and interesting form for many years. Remember that our coasts abound with wrecks, only as a result of two world wars, and we do not want a third as means of replenishment.

Let us apply 'conservation' to wrecks also and preserve them for our own recreation and successors.

PLEASE, if you are using our information, LOOK but do not TAKE anything way.

LAW

We must point out that the law concerning wrecks (Merchant Shipping Act 1894 and 1906 sections) is concerned that all of it belongs to someone. If the actual owner cannot be traced, then it belongs to the Crown. You are not forbidden to dive on these sites but anything recovered must be handed over or at least notified, as soon as possible, to the nearest Receiver of Wrecks (Custom Official). The aim of the law is to protect the owner.

In addition, we now have the Protection of Wrecks Act, 1973, whose purpose is to preserve sites of archaeological, cultural or historical interest for the benefit of the nation. The Act not only forbids you to remove any part of the wreck, but even to dive on the designated site, except as a member of a team authorised to investigate the site by the Department of Trade.

There is also the possibility that the finder of a wreck which is perhaps not eligible for designation under the Wreck Protection Act, may claim to be the 'salvor in possession'. In this way, the finder may be able to provide himself with a measure of legal protection. Information on this point may be obtained from the Records Officer of the Wreck Register.

CONCLUSION

Finally, the Register is only as good as the information it receives. We are particularly interested in feedback concerning accuracy of given transit marks (photographs would be most welcome), depth to seabed and to the highest point of the wreck, nature of seabed and diving information such as currents, slack water, visibility, present state of the wreck, etc. It would also be helpful if you were to provide us with the date and the time at which any diving information was gathered.

If you would like to provide information on a wreck not published in the Register, we will be only too pleased to let you have a blank Wreck Register Form.

JAN SIEDLECKI - Chairman

21 West Oak, The Avenue, Beckenham. Kent BR3 2EZ

ALAN BAX - Records Officer

Fort Bovisand, Plymouth. Devon PL9 OAB

SECTION I: LIST OF WRECK ARCHIVES

Admiralty Records Public Records Office Chancery Lane London WC2

The Shipping Editor Corporation of Lloyds Lime Street London EC3M 7EW

The Librarian
Head Office
H.M. Customs & Excise
King's Beam House
Mark Lane
London EC3

The Wreck Section
Hydrographic Department
Ministry of Defence
Beadon Road
Taunton
Somerset

Imperial War Museum Lambeth Road London SE1

India Office Library
Foreign & Commonwealth Office
197 Blackfriars Road
London SE1

The Principal Clerk Statistics Department Lloyds Register of Shipping 71 Fenchurch Street London EC3M 4BS

Department of Industry Marine Library Sunley House 90 High Holborn London. WC1V The Director National Maritime Museum Greenwich London SEIO

The Naval Library Empress State Building Fulham London

The Officer in Charge
R.N.L.I.
Operations & Coast Personnel
Department
Lifeboat House
42 Grosvenor Gardens
London SW1

The Secretary Trinity House Tower Hill London EC3N 4DM

War Risk Insurance Office Parliament Square House 34/36 Parliament Street London SW1A 2ND

The Salvage Association Bankside House 107/112 Leadenhall Street London EC3A 4AP

Maritime Institute of Ireland Mariner's Church Adelaide Street Dun Laoghaire Co. Dublin. Eire

National Library of Scotland Department of Printed Books George IV Building Edinburgh EHl

SECTION II: LIST OF RELEVANT GOVERNMENT PUBLICATIONS

TITLE

OBTAINABLE FROM

 Notes for the Guidance of Intending Salvors - January, 1975

Department of Trade Marine Division Branch 18 Sunley House 80/93 High Holborn London WClV 6LP

- Notes for the Guidance of Finders of Historic Wreck - July 75
- as above -
- Crashed Military Aircraft of Historical Interest - October 1974

Ministry of Defence S4 (Air) Metropole Building Northumberland Avenue London WC2N 5BL

4. Department of Trade & Industry Press Notice - December 1973

Department of Trade 1 Victoria Street London SW1H OET

5. Merchant Shipping Act, 1894

H.M.Stationery Office

6. Protection of Wreck Act 1973 Ref. No: SBN 10 543373X

- as above -

SECTION III: PROTECTION OF WRECKS ACT, 1973 A LIST OF DESIGNATED SITES

WRECK	LOCATION	POSITION	AREA
Cattewater Wreck	Cattewater Plymouth	Lat: 50°21'41.4"N Long 04°07'37.5"W	Radius of 50m.
Richard Montgomery (dangerous wreck)	Thames Estuary	Lat: 51°27'57"N Long 00°47'12"E 51°28'04"N; 51°27'57"N; 51°27'50"N; 51°27'58"N;	Area enclsd by points. 00°47'12"E 00°47'22"E 00°47'11"E 00°47'01"E
Mary Rose	Spithead Anchorage	Lat: 50°45'48"N	Radius of 300m
	Portsmouth	Long Ol ^O O6'10"W	000m
Grace Dieu	Hamble River Hants.	Grid ref: 501105 O.S. Sheet 180	Radius of 75m
Amsterdam	Hastings Sussex	Grid ref: 778083 O.S. Sheet 184	Radius of 100m
Mary	The Skerries	Lat: 53 ⁰ 25'16"N Long 04 ⁰ 36'40"W	Radius of 100m
HMS Assurance	Needles Isle of Wight	Lat: 50°39'42"N Long 01°35'27"W	Radius of 75m
HMS Dartmouth	Sound of Mull	Lat: 56°30'12"N Long 05°41'55"W	Radius of 50m
HMS Anne	Rye	Lat: 50°53'22"N Long 00°41'46"W	Radius of 75m
HMS Romney	Tearing Ledge Isles of Scilly	Lat: 49 ⁰ 52'12"N y Lng 06 ⁰ 26'29"W	Radius of 200m
HMS Colussus	Southward Well Rock Scilly Isles	Lat: 49 ⁰ 55'15"N Long 06 ⁰ 21'02"W	Radius of 300m
Rill Cove Wreck	Rill Cove Kynance Cliff Cornwall	Grid ref: 67751345 O.S. SW 61SE	Radius of 100m
Frenchman's Rocks	Rhinns of Islay Isle of Islay Argyll & Bute	Lat: 55°41'45"N Long 06°31'50"W	Radius of 100m

WRECK	LOCATION	POSITION	EXTENT OF AREA
South Edinburgh Channel Wreck	South Edinburgh Channel, Thames Estuary	Lat: 51 ⁰ 31'44"N Long: 01 ⁰ 14'53"W	Radius of 100m
Church Rocks Site	Church Rocks Teignmouth Foreshore	9465 7330,9480 73 9465 7312,9480 73 NG PlanSX 9473 95	12 4 points
Welsh Slate Wreck	Pwll Fanog Menai Straits	Lat: 53°12'46"N Long: 04°11'43"W	Radius of 150m
Bronze Age Wreck	Moor Sands	Lat : 50 ⁰ 12'44"N	Radius of 150m
HMS Coronation	Rame Head Plymouth	Lat: 50°18'57"N Long: 04°11'98"W	Radius of 150m
Kennemerland	South Mouth, Out Skerries	Lat: 60°25'12"N Long: 00°45'00"W	Radius of 250m

NOTE:

Divers are reminded that diving on these sites is forbidden unless you are a member of the team authorised by the Department of Trade.

SECTION IV: BOOKS ON SHIPS AND SHIPWRECKS

GREAT BRITAIN

Anderson, J.	Coastwise Sail	Percival Marshall 1934
Body, G.	British Paddle Steamers	David & Charles 1971
n.a.	British Coaster 1939 - 1945	HMSO 1947
n.a.	British Vessels Lost at Sea 1914 - 1918	Patrick Stevens
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Colledge, J. J.	Ships of the Royal Navy Vols. 1 and 2	David & Charles 1969
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Gilly, W. O. S.	Ships of the Royal Navy	
Hill, J. C. G.	Shipshape and Bristol Fashion	Jnl. Commerce and Shipping Telegraph
Hocking, C.	Dictionary of Disasters at Sea During the Age of Steam. Vols. 1 and 2 1824 - 1862	Lloyds Register of Shipping
Jeffries, R. & McDonald, K.	The Wreck Hunters	Harrap 1966
Le Fleming, H. M.	British Warship Losses of World War One	Ian Allan
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McDonald, K.	The Wreck Detectives	Harrap 1972
Martin, C.	Full Fathom Five: Wrecks of the Spanish Armada	Chatto 1975
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EAST COAST		
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Cotton, G. E.	Fifty Years of Yarmouth	I.W. Lifeboats
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Godfrey, A.	Scarborough Lifeboats	Hendon 1975
Godfrey, A. & Jassey, P.	Shipwrecks of the Yorkshire Coast	Dalesman Books 1974
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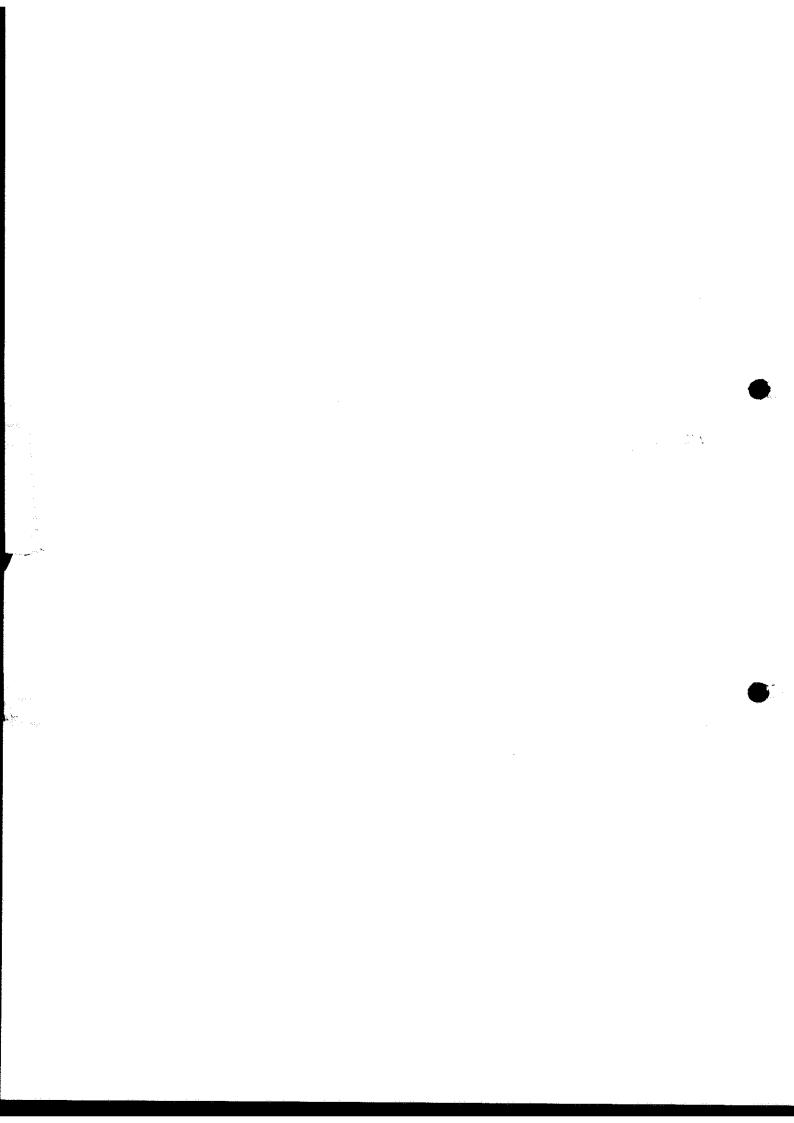
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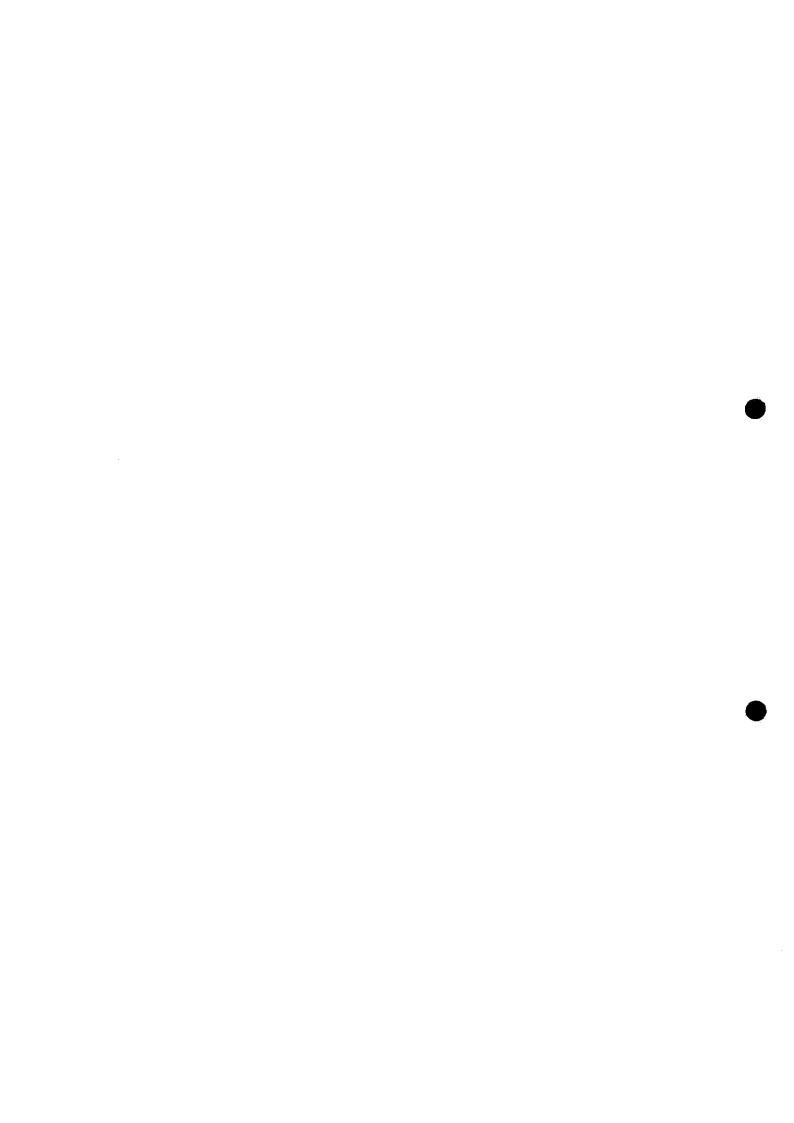
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A COMPUTERISED INDEX OF UNITED KINGDOM SHIPWRECKS (ADVERTISEMENT)

At a conservative estimate, there have been something like a quarter million shipwrecks around the United Kingdom and Eire. Despite the enormous value of their hull and machinery materials, no one, at least until now, has attempted to index them. The value of such a project cannot be fully appreciated until it is sufficiently advanced to be put to good use, but it is now anticipated that by the sping of 1982, the index will be complete for the South Coast, from the Isles of Scilly to the North Foreland inclusive. Other areas will then follow, working north up both the East and West Coasts, finishing with Ireland, but a full coverage of the UK will take a number of years. In reality, such an index will in fact never be finished, since wrecks will continue to occur, and the details of old ones appears almost inexhaustable. Nevertheless, the result will be an historic record, unique in the world, since nothing like it exists anywhere.

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A unique code number
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Cause of loss
Number of lives lost in incident

The United Kingdom has been broken down into 43 areas, based on Longitude and Latitude rather than counties and in most cases they extend at least 25 miles offshore, and some as much as 100 miles. Any individual record can be amended or deleted, as other material becomes available, or it proves subsequently that a wreck is salvaged an hence no longer exists. The time scale will be 1100 AD to the present day, and will include all known vessels regardless of type, in excess of 10 tons, with a continuous updating programme.

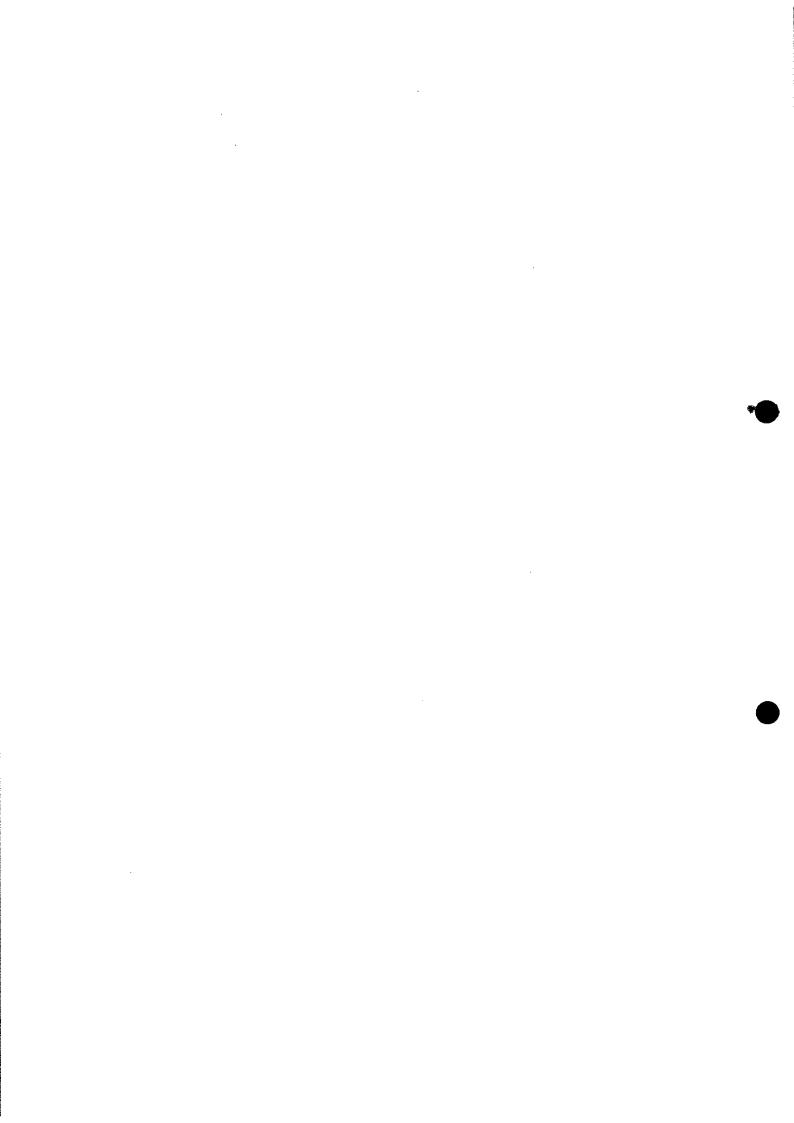
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BLACK HAWK

LOCATION:

DORSET

Type:

Liberty Ship - 7191 tons

Place:

Worbarrow Bay

Date of Loss:

29th December 1944

Boat Launch Site:

Lulworth Cove

Cause of Loss:

Torpedoed

O.S. Map Reference:

Chart Reference No.:

2610

194

Charted Depth:

Height of Wreck:

12 metres

2 metres

Lat. 50°36.70'N

Long. 02⁰12.30'W

Hull Material:

Steel

441 'x57 'x35 '

Nature of Seabed: Rock/Shingle

Present State:

· Badly broken up and dispersed by explosives. Large pieces, including machinery, still present. Very large chains run away from main wreck towards a second part of the wreck.

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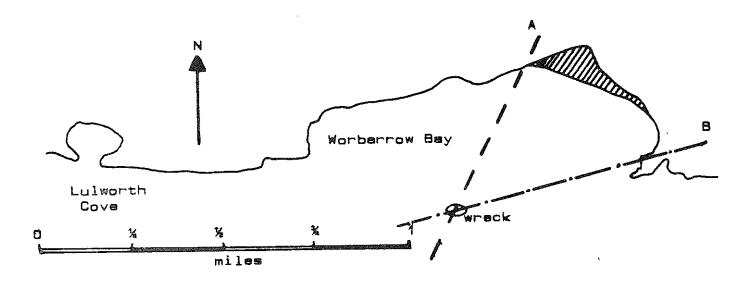
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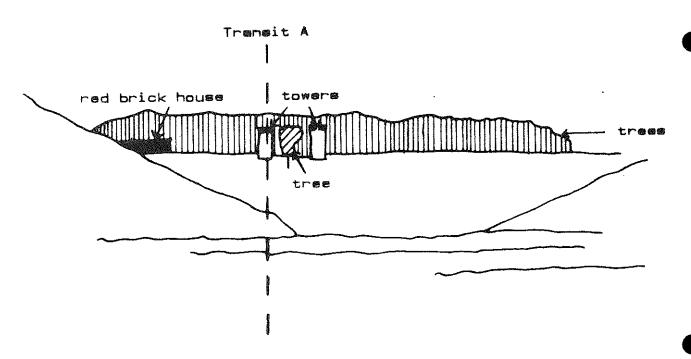
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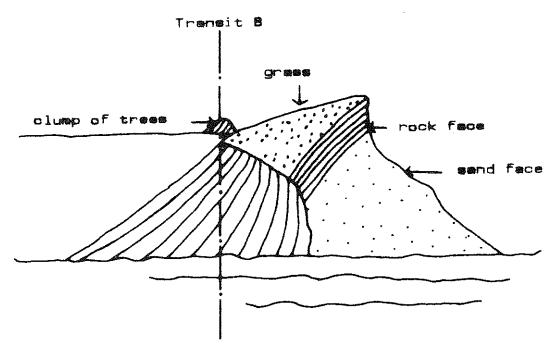
Built by Delta Shipbuilding Company, New Orleans, USA. En route from Cherbourg to Fowey when attacked by German submarine U772 in the Channel. Stern was blown off; forepart was beached in Worbarrow Bay the next day. In 1967, her remains were moved 300 yards along the seabed by explosives to enable a pipeline to be laid across the bay.

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GLEN STRATHALLAN

LOCATION:

SOUTH DEVON

Type:

Trawler - 150 tons

Place:

Plymouth

Date of Loss:

27th April 1970

Boat Launch Site:

Fort Bovisand

Cause of Loss:

Scuttled

O.S. Map Reference:

201

Charted Depth:

14 metres

Chart Reference No.:

1900

Height of Wreck:

Lat. 50⁰18.84'N

Long. 04⁰07.81'W

Hull Material:

Steel

Nature of Seabed: Rock and kelp

Present State:

Much broken up. Stern, bow sections and boiler can still be made out.

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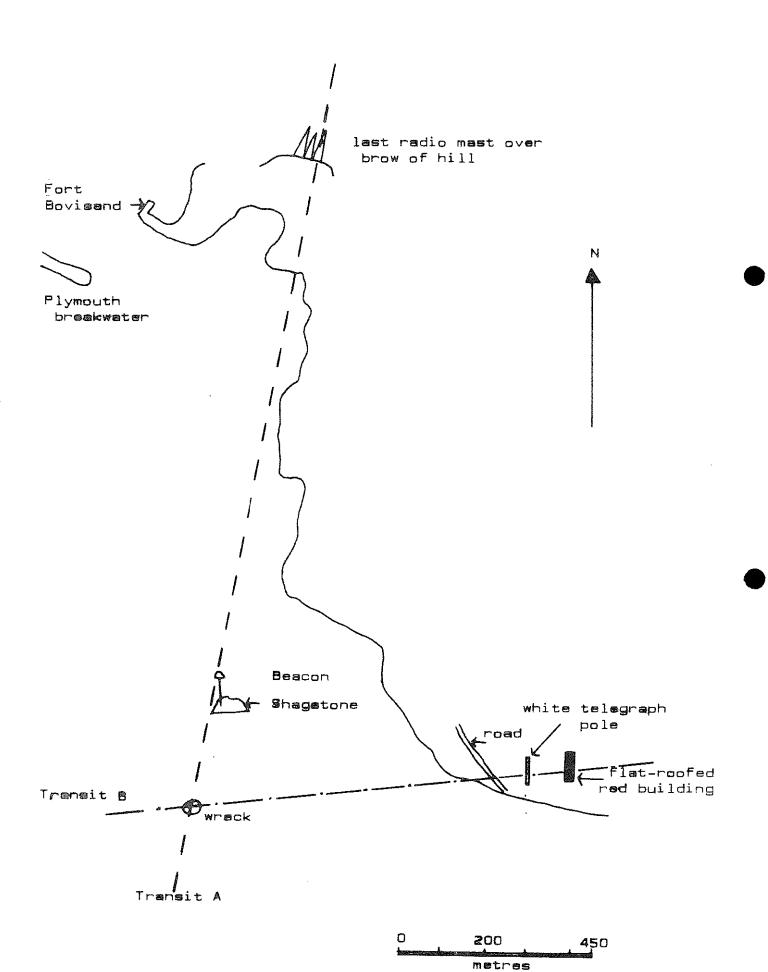
Best visibility is found after two or three days of either calm weather or Northerly winds at neap tides. Much of the wreckage is heavily overgrown with kelp. Diving is unrestricted, but let Fort Bovisand know your intentions to avoid too many groups on the wreck at any one time.

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Owned by Plymouth Ocean Projects Ltd., Fort Bovisand

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HERA

LOCATION:

SOUTH CORNWALL

Type:

4 masted barque - 2084 tons

Place:

Nare Head

Date of Loss:

31st January 1914

Boat Launch Site: Carne/Hemmick/

Port Holland

Cause of Loss:

Ran aground

O.S. Map Reference: 204

Charted Depth:

17 metres

Chart Reference No.: 1267

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Height of Wreck:

5 metres

Lat. 50⁰11.8'N

Long. 04^o54.1'W

Hull Material: Steel

el 276'x41'x23.9'

Nature of Seabed: SI

Shale

Present State:

Very broken up; it was blown up with explosives by Trinity House as it was a hazard to navigation.

DIVING INFORMATION:

The best way to find this wreck is to line up Gerrans Church tower with Nare Head when level with Gull Rock. Lower the anchor to the bottom, then slowly motor on.

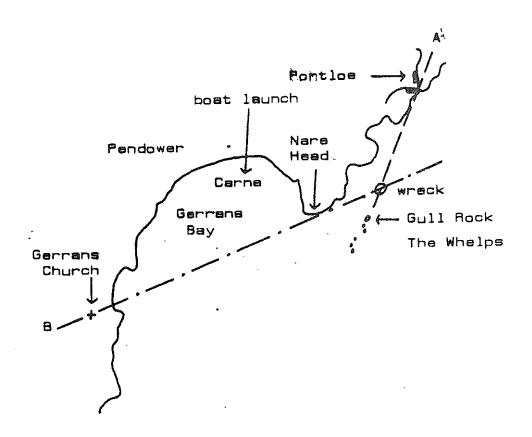
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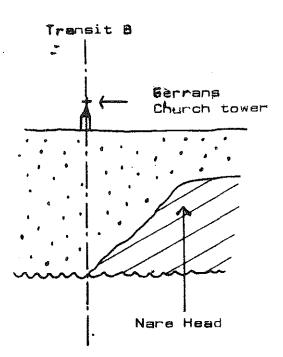
German barque bound from Pisagua, Chile to Falmouth with a cargo of nitrate.

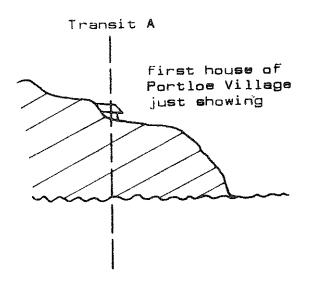
REFERENCES - BIBLIOGRAPHY:

DICTIONARY OF DISASTERS AT SEA DURING THE AGE OF STEAM - Charles Hocking.

CORNISH SHIPWRECKS (Vol. 1), Larne & Carter (David & Charles) FAMOUS LIFEBOAT RESCUES, L. Ortzen. WRECK and RESCUE ROUND the CORNISH COAST (Vol III), Noall & Farr









JAMES EGAN LAYNE

LOCATION:

SOUTH CORNWALL

Type:

Liberty Ship - American

Place:

Whitsand Bay

Date of Loss:

21st March 1945

O.S. Map Reference:

Chart Reference No.:

Boat Launch Site: Fort Bovisand

Cause of Loss:

Torpedoed

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Charted Depth:

24 metres

6 metres

Lat. 50⁰19.32'N

Long. 04⁰04.42'W

Hull Material:

Height of Wreck:

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Nature of Seabed:

Sand

Present State:

· Upright. Some salvage. Breaking up.

DIVING INFORMATION:

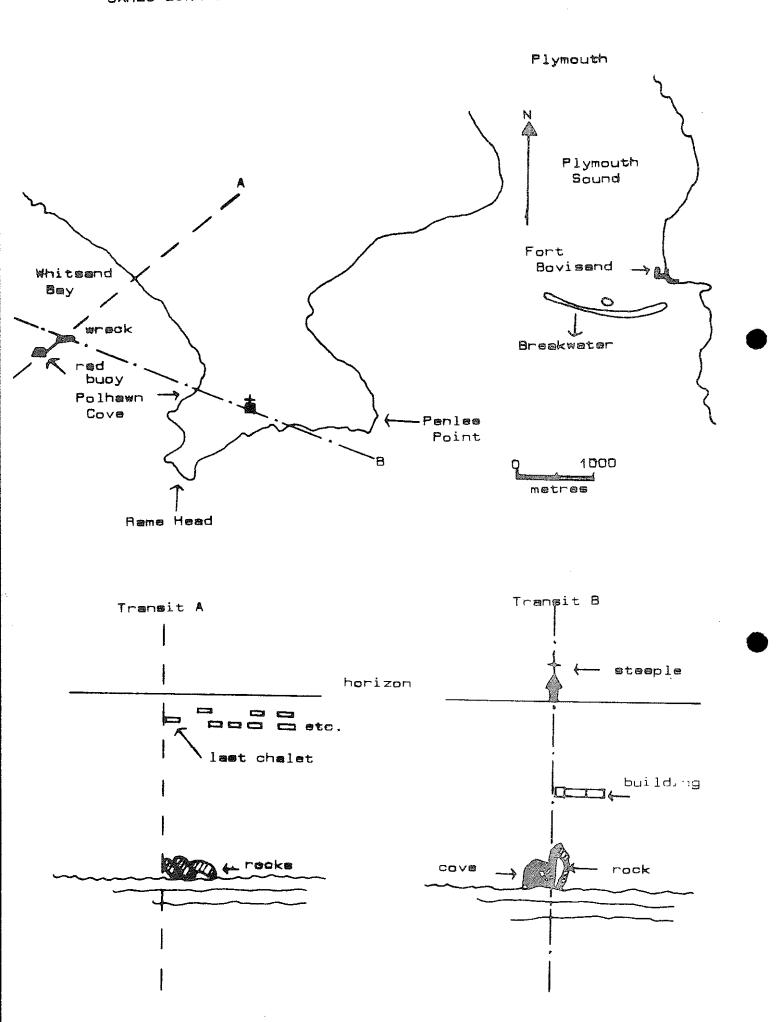
Covered in sea anemones and plenty of whiting and wrasse to be seen. The stern and bow sections lie a short distance apart and stand upright. Good visibility except following a storm.

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Cargo of tank parts, jeeps, lorries etc., was salvaged in post-war years, but her holds are still stacked with railway rolling stock and pick axes. $1\frac{1}{2}$ " - 2" diameter discs are radio-active - leave well alone. Owned by the Department of Commerce, Washington DC, USA

REFERENCES - BIBLIOGRAPHY:

CORNISH SHIPWRECKS, R. Larn.
WRECK & RESCUE ON THE SOUTH COAST OF DEVON, G. Farr.
LIBERTY SHIPS, Sawyer & Mitchell.
TRITON, March/April 1972, September 1976





MAINE

LOCATION:

SOUTH DEVON

Type:

Steamship - 3500 tons

Place:

Bolt Head/Bolt Tail

Date of Loss:

23rd March 1917

Boat Launch Site: Salcombe

Cause of Loss:

·Torpedoed

O.S. Map Reference:

Charted Depth:

36 metres

Chart Reference No.: 1613

Height of Wreck: 21 metres

Lat. 50⁰12'45''N

Long. 03^o50'53"W

Hull Material:

Steel 360'x 45'

Nature of Seabed:

Shingle

Present State:

On an even keel. Hull is still intact generally. Bronze propeller recovered in 1961.

DIVING INFORMATION:

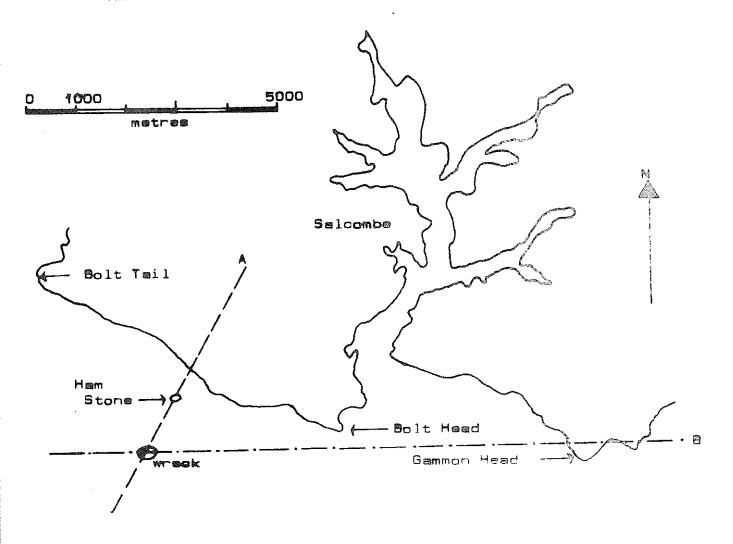
Although the wreck is whole, hull plating is thin and deteriorating slowly - look out for jagged edges. stream can run up to several knots at springs. Therefore, it is essential to dive 2 - 3 hours after high or low water (local). Abundant fish, deadman's fingers and sea squirts. It is reported that detonators have been left on the wreck - do not touch any wires.

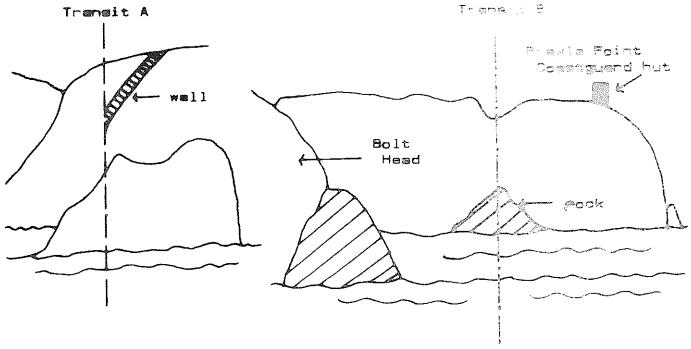
GENERAL INFORMATION:

Cargo included 500 tons of chalk and 50 tons of cowhair, horsehair, goatskins and fenugreek seeds. Owned by Torbay Branch BSAC, who found the wreck in 1961.

REFERENCES - BIBLIOGRAPHY:

SHIPWRECKS AROUND BRITAIN, Leo Zanelli. DEVON SHIPWRECKS, R. Larn (David & Charles) TRITON, September/October, November/December 1963 DIVER, March 1978, Kendall McDonald







NAME: P.S. COUNTESS OF ERNE

1936

LOCATION:

DORSET

Type:

Paddle Steamer (hulked)

Place:

Portland Harbour

Ferrybridge/

Castletown/

2255

Boat Launch Site:

Sandsfoot (HW)

Went adrift

O.S. Map Reference:

: 194

Charted Depth: 1

15 metres

Chart Reference No.:

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Height of Wreck:

5 metres

Lat. 50°35.11'N

Long. 02⁰25.09'W

Hull Material: Iron

Date of Loss:

Cause of Loss:

on 241'x29'x14'

Nature of Seabed:

Silt

Present State:

Upright and intact. No superstructure left. Highest point is davit at stern, with large growth of plumose anemones.

DIVING INFORMATION:

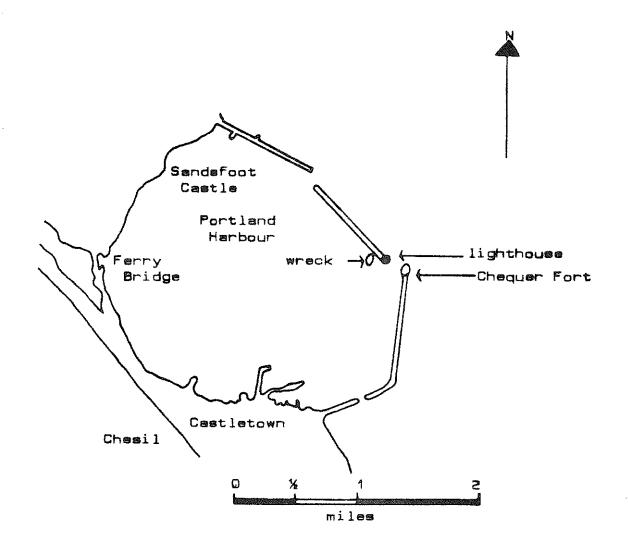
Good novice dive. Wreck is badly silted up and care should be taken when anchoring not to drag anchor over wreck. Can swim from bow to stern through bulkheads. Features include starboard bow, water tank and winch bows, stump mast midships, skeleton of deckhouse, and davit and rudder stern. Best dived when wind is easterly. Never any appreciable current. Free permit to dive must be obtained from QHM, HM Naval Base, Portland.

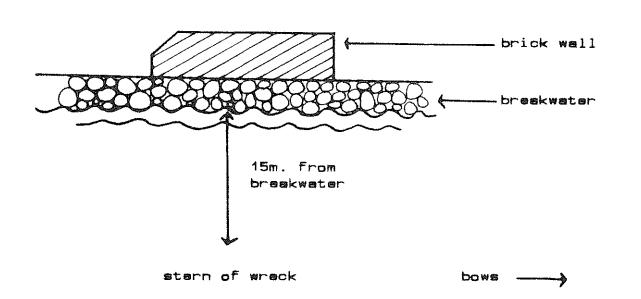
GENERAL INFORMATION:

This wreck has been thought in the past to be the HIMALAYA, but this has been disproved. It went adrift in a gale and struck the breakwater. 825 tons.

REFERENCES - BIBLIOGRAPHY:

SUB-AQUA MAGAZINE, September 1976







HELLOPES

Type:

Steamship - 2774 tons

Date of Loss:

December 1911

Cause of Loss:

Foundered

Charted Depth:

34 metres

Height of Wreck: 7 metres

Hull Material: Steel 320'x40'x17'

LOCATION:

SOUTH CORNWALL

Place:

Mounts Bay

Boat Launch Site:

Penzance

O.S. Map Reference: 203

Chart Reference No.: 777

Lat. 50⁰5.45'N

Long. 05^o31.4'W

Nature of Seabed:

Sand/shale

Present State:

Wreck is lying on her side.

DIVING INFORMATION:

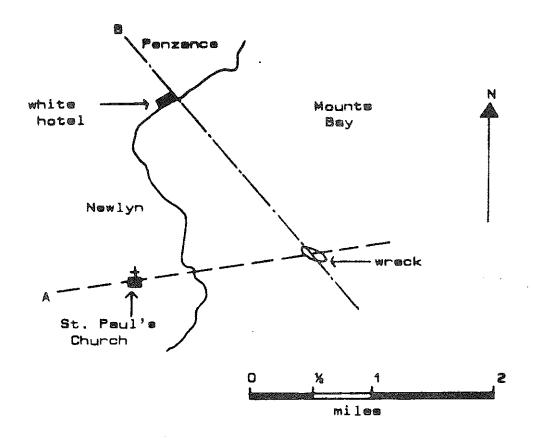
A deep dive, but there are no problems with currents.

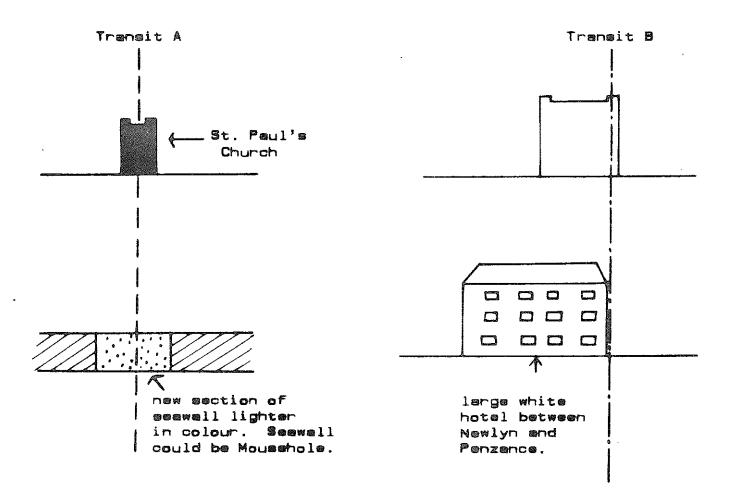
GENERAL INFORMATION:

Built by Harris Brothers. Triple expansion engines. This British cargo ship took a heavy list when her cargo shifted, and foundered in Mounts Bay while on a voyage from Garston to Falmouth with a cargo of coal.

REFERENCES - BIBLIOGRAPHY:

DICTIONARY OF DISASTERS AT SEA DURING THE AGE OF STEAM 1824 - 1962, Charles Hocking. CORNISH SHIPWRECKS, Larn and Carter (David & Charles).







HMS HOOD

Place:

DORSET

Type:

Battleship - 14,150 tons

LOCATION:

Portland Harbour

Ferrybridge/

194

Date of Loss: 1914

Scuttled

Boat Launch Site: Castletown/

O.S. Map Reference:

Sandsfoot (HW)

Cause of Loss: Charted Depth:

18 metres

Chart Reference No.: 2255

Height of Wreck: Awash at low water springs.

Lat. 50^o34.7'N

Long. 02⁰25.12'W

Hull Material:

380'x75' Iron

Nature of Seabed: Rock/silt/mussels

Present State:

Upside down. Intact, but some plates are missing. in seabed up to gunwales.

DIVING INFORMATION:

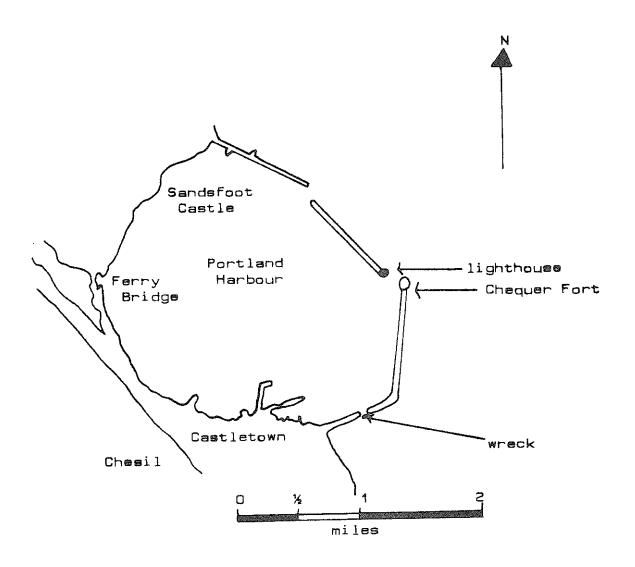
Very important to plan dive in relation to tides. Flood tide runs from 5 hours before HW to HW; ebb tide runs from HW to 7 hours after HW. Occasionally a $1\frac{1}{2}$ m. standing wave develops over the wreck on the ebb tide only. Current flows strongly across wreck. It is essential that dives take place on downstream side. Deepest water for crossing over wreck is on East side (bows).

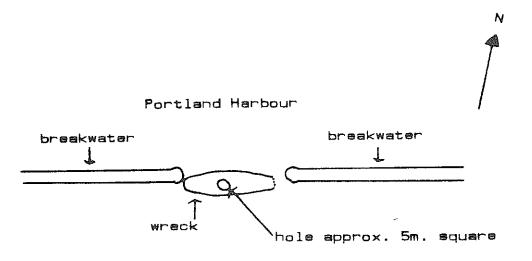
GENERAL INFORMATION:

Built at Chatham, she was launched on 30th July 1891. Royal Sovereign class. There is now a hole in the centre of the hull about midships, which gives access to the engine room - for experienced divers only.

REFERENCES - BIBLIOGRAPHY:

JANES WARSHIPS SHIPS OF THE ROYAL NAVY, Vol I. J. Colledge LONDON DIVER July - August 1959





Front of bows has broken away. Stern is buried under the stones of the breakwater. Best diving on south side of wreck - no silt and more light.



JAMES FENNELL

LOCATION:

DORSET

Type:

Steam trawler

Place:

Portland

Date of Loss:

15th January 1920

Boat Launch Site: Chesil Beach

Cause of Loss:

Ran aground

O.S. Map Reference:

194

Charted Depth: 18 metres

Chart Reference No.:

2255

Height of Wreck: 5 metres

Lat. 49^o32.75'N Long. 02^o27.43'W

Hull Material:

Iron

Nature of Seabed: Rocky

Present State:

Very broken up and scattered over a large area. much in evidence and large plates lying flat. Mast pointing to shore.

DIVING INFORMATION:

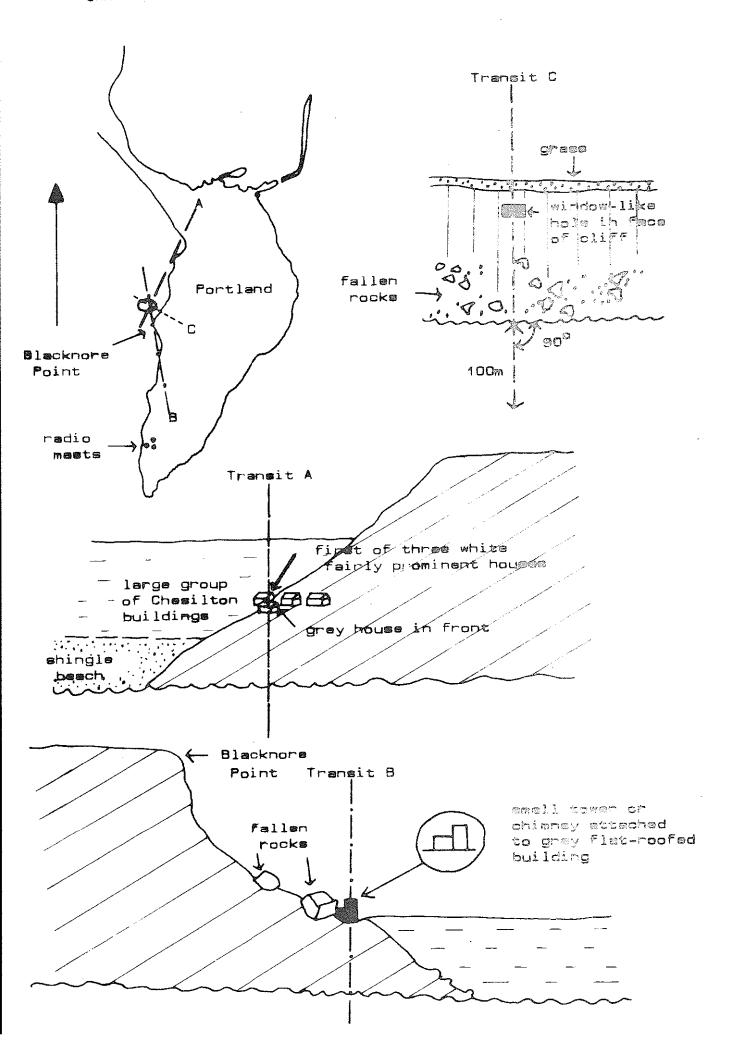
Lies E - W direction. Normally sheltered from prevailing NE winds. Visibility can be very good. Large crabs, pollock and bib, also plenty of wrasse. Fairly strong currents running N - S. Best to drop divers slightly north of wreck.

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Ex Admiralty steam trawler on its way from Gibralter to Portsmouth, ran onto rocks in fog, towed off but sank at once. Some 80 yards further south, bows and plates can be found of 'MADELINE'.

REFERENCES - BIBLIOGRAPHY:

WRECK AND RESCUE ON THE SOUTH COAST OF DORSET. TRITON, Diving Sites of British Isles, Part 9, 1977





KYARRA

Place:

LOCATION:

DORSET

Type:

Steamship - 6953 tons

Anvil Point

Date of Loss:

26th May 1918

Boat Launch Site: Swanage

Cause of Loss:

Torpedoed

O.S. Map Reference:

195

2172

Charted Depth: 25 metres

Chart Reference No.:

Height of Wreck: 10 metres

Lat. 50 034.53'N Long. 01 056.33'W

Hull Material: Steel 415'x52'x28'

Nature of Seabed: Sand/shell/rocks

Present State:

Some salvage work is being carried out.

DIVING INFORMATION:

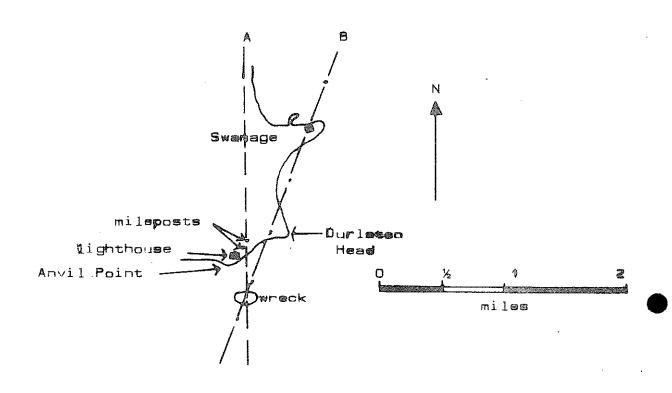
Very strong tides. Do not anchor when tide is running.

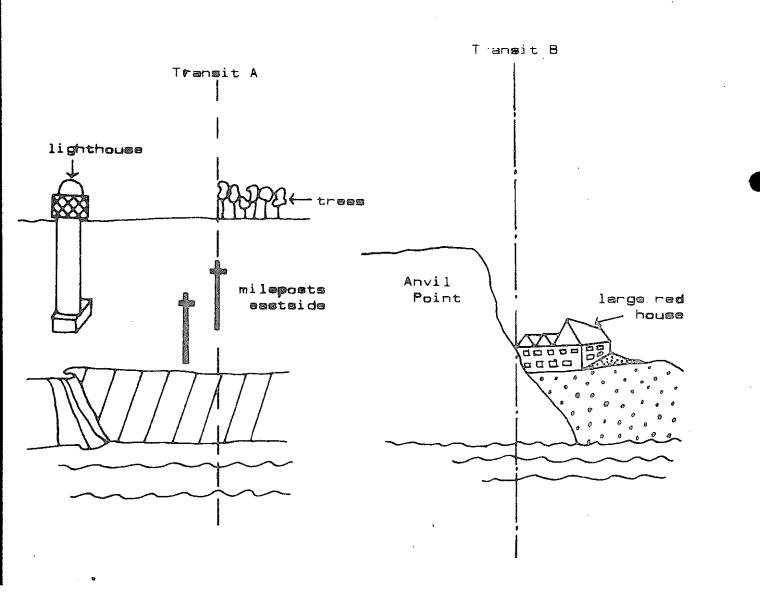
GENERAL INFORMATION:

Armed British merchant steamship built in 1903. Triple expansion engines. She was taken over for service as a hospital ship during the First World War, and was torpedoed by a German submarine and sunk two miles SSE of Anvil Point. Six persons were killed. The captain was among the survivors.

REFERENCES - BIBLIOGRAPHY:

DICTIONARY OF DISASTERS DURING THE AGE OF STEAM (Vol. I) Charles Hocking. SHIPWRECKS AROUND BRITAIN, Leo Zanelli. BRITISH MERCHANT SHIPPING LOSSES - WW1. WRECK DETECTIVES, Kendall McDonald







Type:

MOHEGAN

Steamship - 6889 tons

Date of Loss:

14th October 1898

Cause of Loss:

Struck rocks

Charted Depth:

24 metres

Height of Wreck: Hull Material:

482'x52'x31'

Present State:

LOCATION:

SOUTH CORNWALL

Place: Carn du Rock, Manacles

Boat Launch Site:

Porthoustock

O.S. Map Reference:

204

Chart Reference No.:

154

Lat. 50°3.2'N

Long. 05°2.4'W

Nature of Seabed:

Rocky

DIVING INFORMATION:

The ship lies on the seaward side of Carn du Rock and any dive planned for this area should be on slack water, preferably at low water springs. Slack water occurs $4\frac{1}{2}$ hours prior to high water at Falmouth and the tide really begins to move after this, reaching roughly 1.5 knots about an hour before a high spring tide. The water is also fairly slack two hours after high water on a neap tide. At high water, Carn du Rock is the only rock of the Manacles that remains dry.

GENERAL INFORMATION:

The liner left London for New York on 13th October with 149 persons on board, including 53 passengers. By the time she reached Porthoustock near Falmouth, she was well off her course. She struck the rocks so hard that her electrics failed immediately; the lack of lights hampered rescue operations. She sank in 15 minutes taking with her 105 people, including her captain, Griffiths.

REFERENCES - BIBLIOGRAPHY:

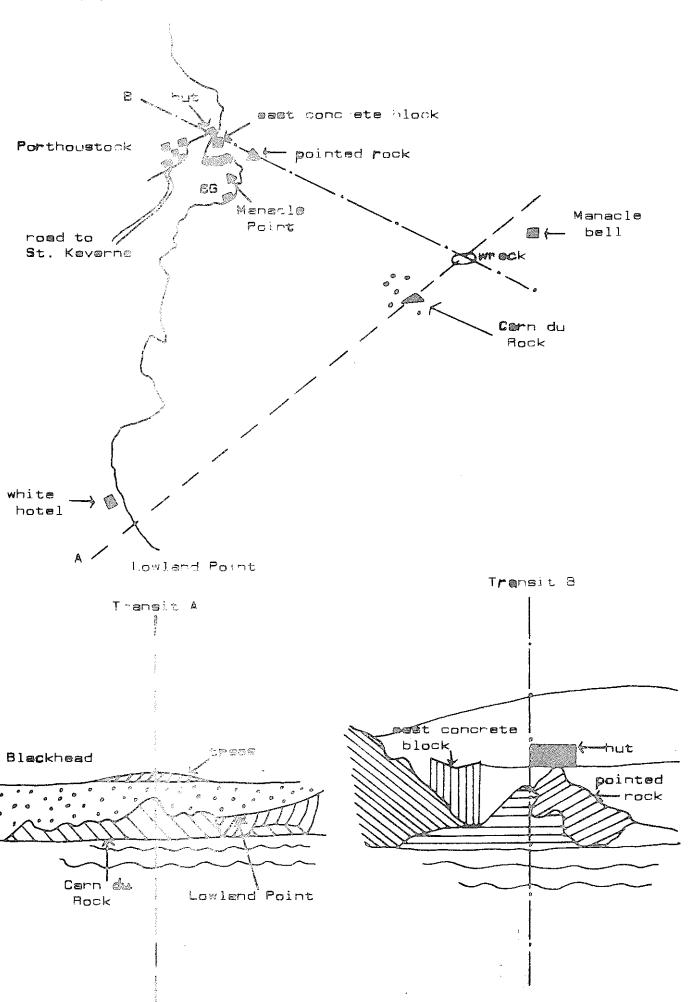
DICTIONARY OF DISASTERS DURING THE AGE OF STEAM (Vol. II) Charles Hocking.

SHIPWRECK, J. Fowles (Jonathon Cape)

CORNISH SHIPWRECKS, Larn and Carter (David & Charles)

WRECK HUNTERS, Jefferies and McDonald.

PASSENGER LINERS OF THE WESTERN OCEAN, C. R. Vernon Gibbs CORNISH SHIPWRECKS, F. Strike



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VOLNAY

LOCATION:

SOUTH CORNWALL

Type:

Steamship - 4610 tons

Place:

Porthallow

Date of Loss:

14th December 1917

Boat Launch Site:

Porthoustock

Cause of Loss:

Explosion

O.S. Map Reference: 204

Charted Depth:

17 metres

Chart Reference No.: 154

Height of Wreck:

Lat. 50⁰04'15"N

Long. 05⁰04'03"W

Hull Material:

Nature of Seabed:

Present State:

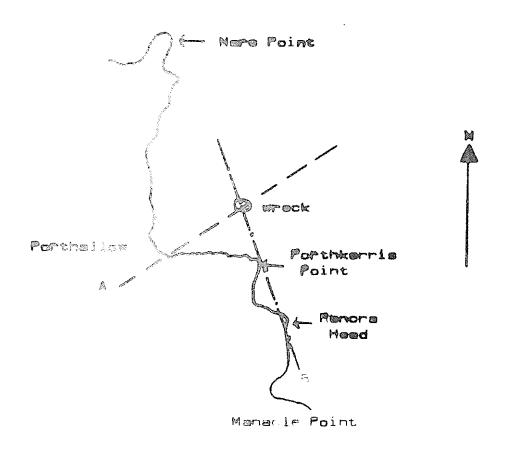
A diver's report in 1967 stated cargo of ammunition partly salvaged. Two large boilers intact. Bows intact. About one sixth of the cargo retained; some strewn about the seabed.

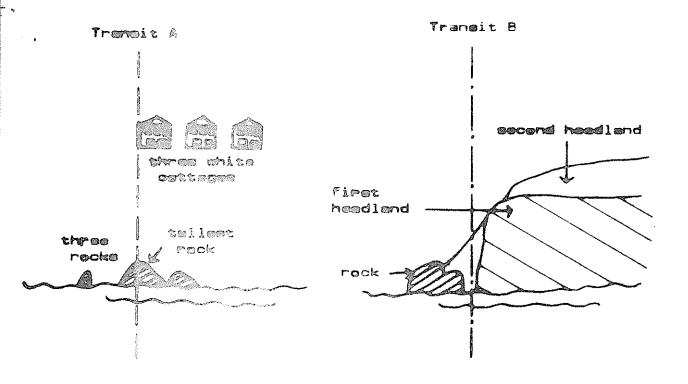
DIVING INFORMATION:

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Armed British merchant steamship homeward bound from Canada with luxury goods and ammunition, damaged by explosion under bows off the Manacles, towed in, but sank before beaching.

REFERENCES - BIBLIOGRAPHY:







ROYALO

LOCATION:

SOUTH CORNWALL

Type:

Minesweeper - 248 tons

Place:

Penzance Harbour

203

2345

Date of Loss:

1st September 1940

Boat Launch Site:

Penzance

Cause of Loss:

Mined

O.S. Map Reference:

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Charted Depth:

15 metres

Chart Reference No.:

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Height of Wreck:

3 metres

Lat. 50⁰06'54"N

Long. 05⁰30'57"W

Hull Material:

Steel

Nature of Seabed:

Sand

Present State:

Has been blown up and therefore very broken up. Some non-ferrous metal exposed when sand moves from parts of wreck.

DIVING INFORMATION:

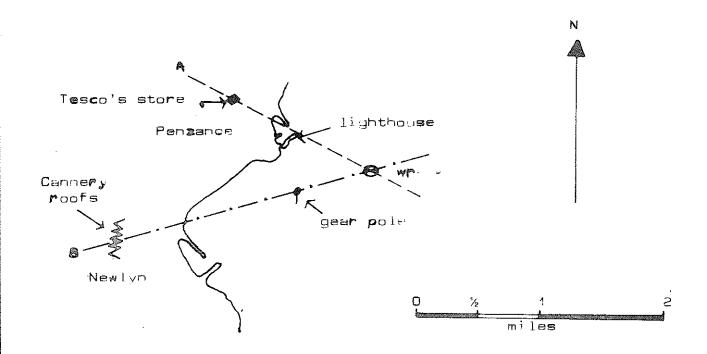
Little current in any state of tide, but extent of wreck is very limited. Jewel, plumose and dahlia anemones, dead man's fingers, wrasse and pollock, sea squirts. Some ammunition still aboard - watch out for it.

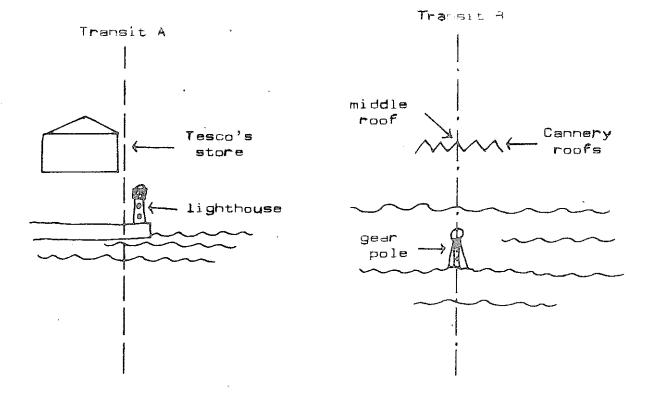
GENERAL INFORMATION:

Trawler converted to minesweeper, originally fairly well intact until dispersed by Royal Navy in mid-1960's.

REFERENCES - BIBLIOGRAPHY:

CORNISH SHIPWRECKS, Larn and Carter.
BRITISH VESSELS LOST AT SEA 1939 - 1945, Patrick Stephens Ltd.
SHIPWRECKS AROUND BRITAIN, Leo Zanelli.
SHIPS OF THE ROYAL NAVY (Vol II). J. Colledge







THE SPANIARD

LOCATION:

DORSET

Type:

Freighter

Place:

Portland Harbour

Date of Loss:

Boat Launch Site:

Castletown/ Ferrybridge

Cause of Loss:

O.S. Map Reference:

194

Charted Depth:

15 metres

Chart Reference No.:

2255

Height of Wreck:

5 metres

Lat. 00 04 00

50°34'50"N Long. 02°24'50"W

Hull Material:

Iron

Nature of Seabed:

Silt

Present State:

Badly silted up. Wreck is upright but lists to starboard. Broken up midships, but bow and stern are distinguishable. Iron prop still present. Wreck of a pontoon lies along the port side.

DIVING INFORMATION:

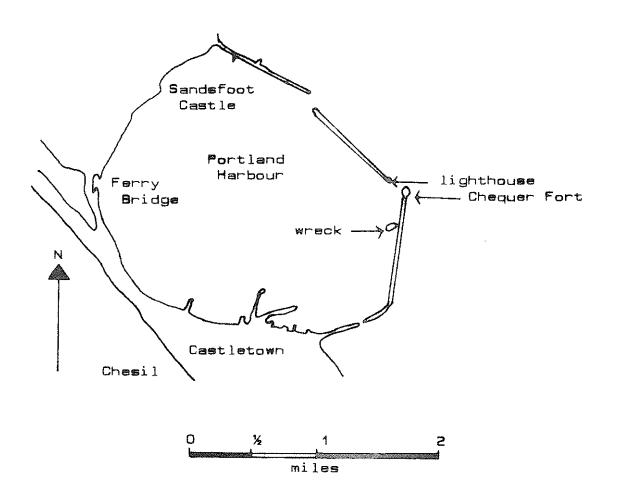
Often very bad visibility and not very good for large parties of divers. In good vis. can be interesting. Keep to port side and avoid finning as much as possible. Best dived when wind is easterly. Necessary to get free permit from QHM before diving in harbour. Write to QHM and Commander of the Base, HM Naval Base, Portland.

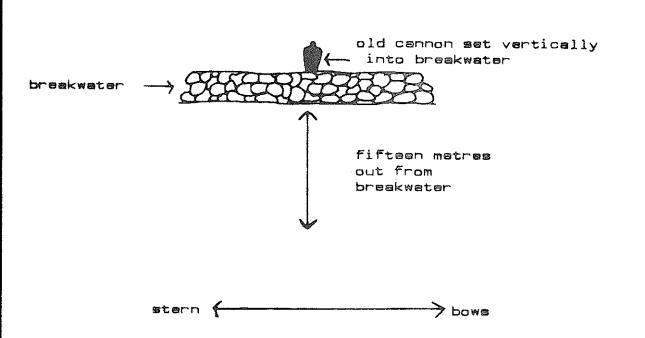
GENERAL INFORMATION:

Very little known about the wreck. The Spaniard is a nickname - it could be ENECURI.

REFERENCES - BIBLIOGRAPHY:

Some information in BIOGRAPHY OF CAPTAIN GARY REED (copy in Weymouth Reference Library).







PERSIER

LOCATION:

SOUTH DEVON

Type:

Steamer - 5030 tons

Place:

Bigbury Bay

Date of Loss:

11th February 1945

Boat Launch Site:

Challaborough

Cause of Loss:

Torpedoed

O.S. Map Reference:

202

Charted Depth:

22 metres

Chart Reference No.:

1613

Height of Wreck: 15 metres

50⁰17'00"N

Long. 03⁰58'03"W

Hull Material: Steel 400'x52'x28'

Nature of Seabed:

Sand

Present State:

Bulkheads forward and aft are intact, but holds are caved in and the engine room is broken up. Wreck lies on its port side N - S. Bows lie towards the south.

DIVING INFORMATION:

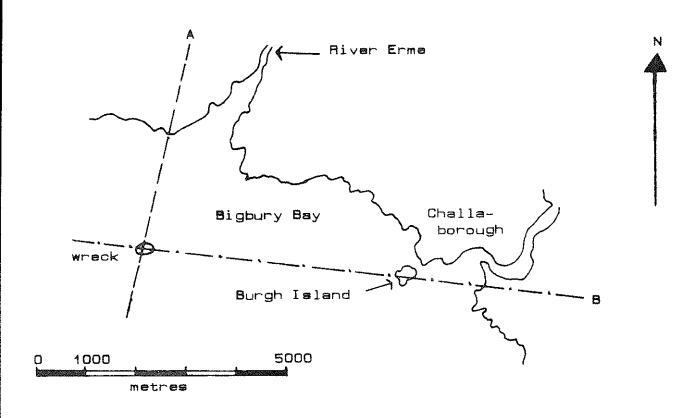
No problems about tides. Best to approach from east and drag anchor until hooked in wreckage. A good wreck dive.

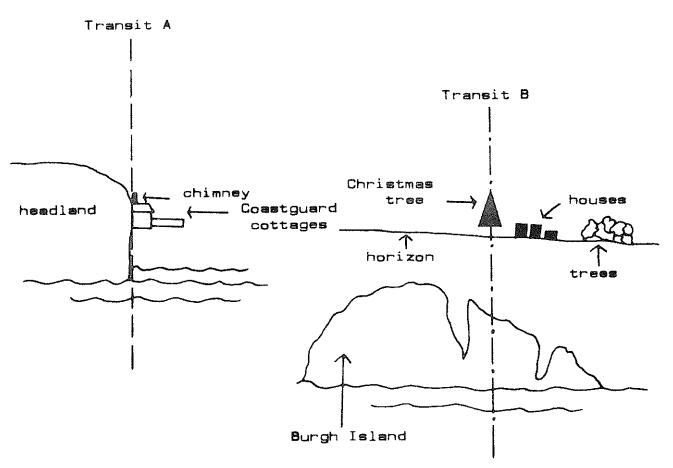
GENERAL INFORMATION:

Built in 1919 as THE WAR BUFFALO. Bound from Cardiff to Antwerp with foodstuffs when torpedoed off the Eddystone. Towing attempted but she sank. Ownership with Colin Hopkins, who found the wreck in 1969.

REFERENCES - BIBLIOGRAPHY:

DEVON SHIPWRECKS, R. Larn WRECK DETECTIVES, K. McDonald BRITISH STANDARD SHIPS OF WORLD WAR ONE, Mitchell and Sawyer DIVER, September 1978, K. McDonald.







ARDANGORM

Type:

Cargoship - 5200 tons

Date of Loss:

4th January 1940

Cause of Loss:

Ran onto rocks

Charted Depth:

17 metres

Height of Wreck:

2 metres

Hull Material:

Steel

Present State:

Very broken up.

LOCATION:

SOUTH CORNWALL

Place:

Gorran Haven

Charlestown/

Boat Launch Site:

Pentewan/ Portmellon

O.S. Map Reference:

204

Chart Reference No.:

1267

Lat. 50⁰14'42''N

Long. 04⁰45'36"W

Nature of Seabed: Shell

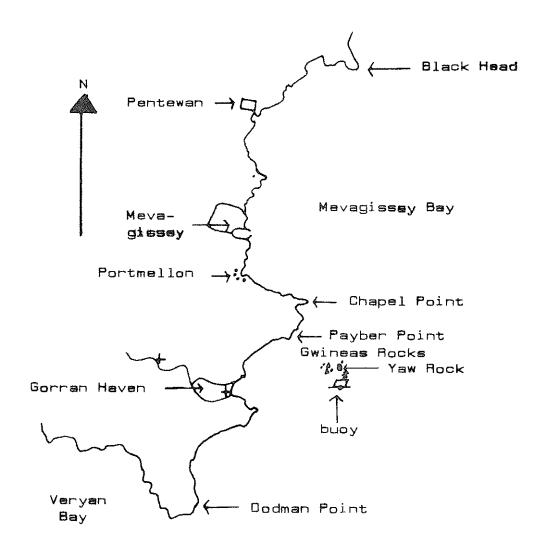
DIVING INFORMATION:

Good diving for more experienced. Wreck is on NE side of Gwineas Rocks. Further out, between rocks and bell buoy, good dive down to 27 metres. Current stronger here, arrives two hours later than on shore. Please pay Harbourmaster launch fees which are very small.

GENERAL INFORMATION:

REFERENCES - BIBLIOGRAPHY:

CORNISH SHIPWRECKS (Vol. I), Larn and Carter.







Type:

Date of Loss:

Cause of Loss:

Charted Depth:

Height of Wreck:

BREDA

Bombed

15 metres

Steamship - 6941 tons

WEST SCOTLAND

Place:

Ardmucknish Bay

Boat Launch Site: 24th December 1942

LOCATION:

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O.S. Map Reference:

49

Chart Reference No.:

2378

Lat. 50°28'34"N Long. 05°24'00"W

Hull Material:

402'x58'x34'

Nature of Seabed: Silt

Present State:

Very much broken up and covered in fine silt.

DIVING INFORMATION:

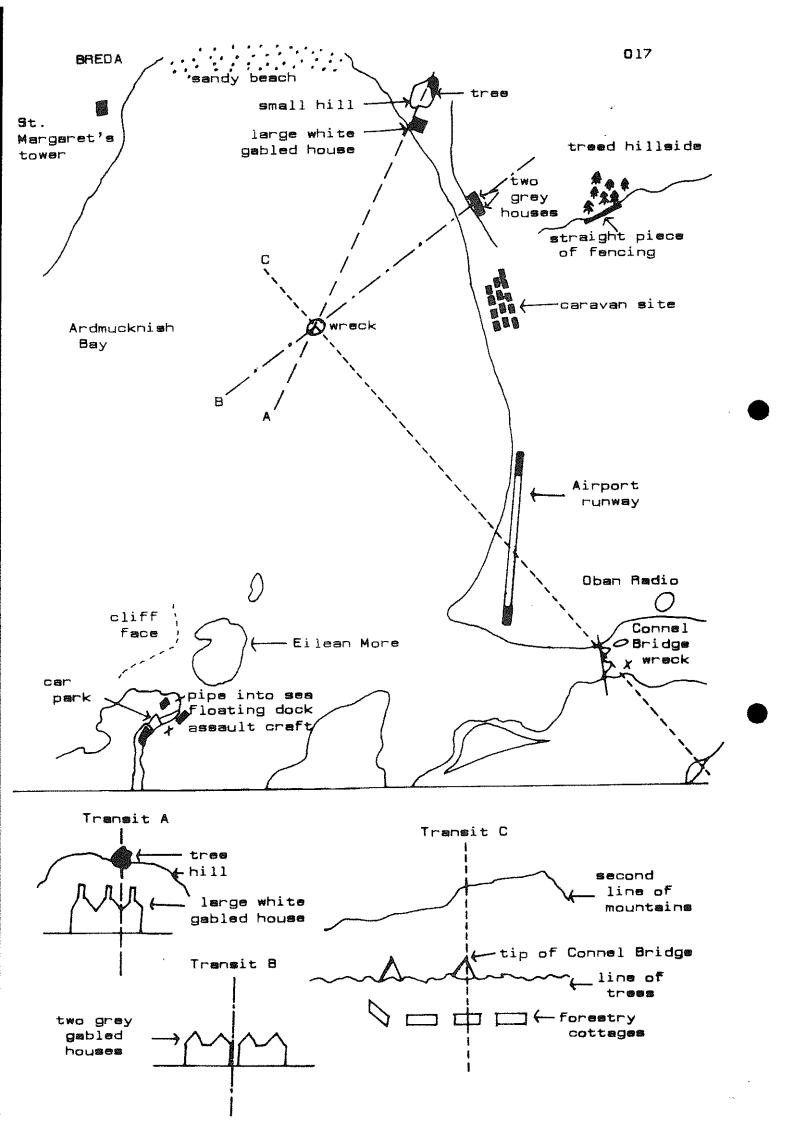
Poor visibility. Little life except shoals of whiting.

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Dutch liberty ship. Cargo of shoes, magnesium, half track vehicles, NAAFI goods, tobacco, horses, planes.

REFERENCES - BIBLIOGRAPHY:

SHIPWRECKS AROUND BRITAIN, Leo Zanelli. SUB-AQUA MAGAZINE, September/October 1971.





CARMINE FILOMENA

Type:

Collier - 6000 tons

Date of Loss:

2nd July 1937

Cause of Loss:

Stranded

Charted Depth:

10 metres

Height of Wreck:

4 metres

Hull Material: Iron

LOCATION:

NORTH DEVON

Place:

Lundy Island

Boat Launch Site: Lundy Dive Hut

O.S. Map Reference:

180

Chart Reference No.:

1164

Lat. 51⁰09'45''N

Long. 04^O39'15"W

Sand Nature of Seabed:

Present State:

Much broken up, but large chunks preserved.

DIVING INFORMATION:

Wreck lies where tidal races form and CAN ONLY be dived at slack water; then very good dive even for beginners. Plenty of kelp on wreck.

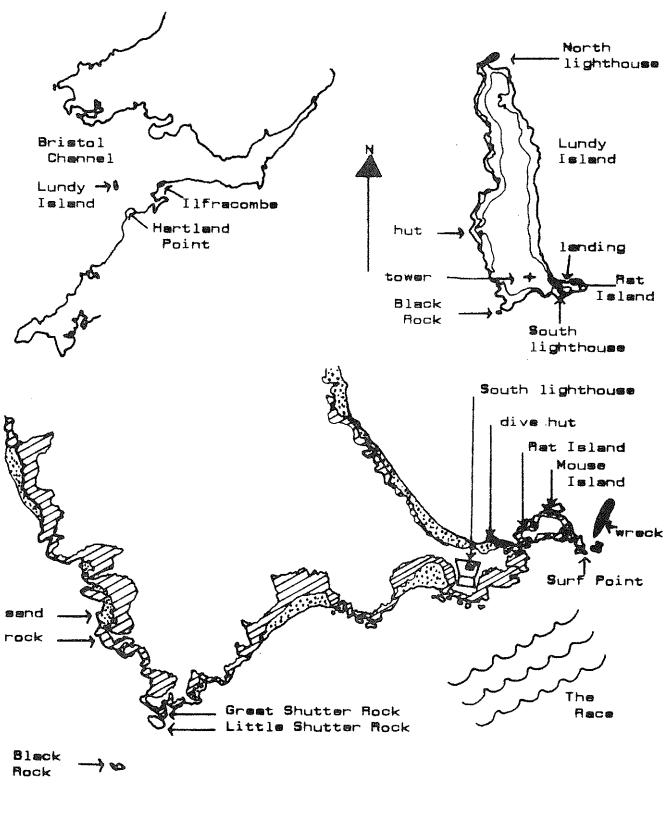
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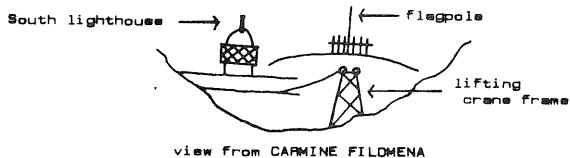
Stranded on rocks. British yacht FRECKLES stranded on CARMINE FILOMENA on 13th August 1939; later dislodged and sank alongside her.

All diving rights on Lundy Island belong to Bristol Channel Divers Ltd, 21 Millers Lane, Stanstead Abbotts, Ware, Hertfordshire. tel: 0920-871151, who also own salvage rights for this wreck.

REFERENCES - BIBLIOGRAPHY:

DEVON SHIPWRECKS, R. Larn







COUNTESS OF ABERDEEN

LOCATION:

NORTH EAST SCOTLAND

Type:

Steamship - 575 tons

Place:

Cove Bay, Kincardineshire

Date of Loss:

15th April 1894

Boat Launch Site:

Cove Bay Harbour

Cause of Loss:

Ran aground

O.S. Map Reference: 45

Charted Depth:

12 metres

Chart Reference No.: 210

Long. 02⁰04'30"W

Height of Wreck:

6 metres

Nature of Seabed: Rocky/kelp

Lat. 57^o05'42"N

Hull Material:

Iron

Present State:

Very broken up. Keel and few iron plates wedged in gulley From keel seawards, bed shelves into about 9 metres, opens out into a fairly large area littered with wreckage mostly plates. Further seawards in about 12 metres, some massive iron pieces.

DIVING INFORMATION:

Good easy dive from shore. Wreck is about 50 metres out from a point slightly north of centre of bay. Gap in kelp blanket is gulley about 1 metre wide, .75 to 1.5 metres deep, running approximately east to west. Beware: risk of entanglement in fixed salmon net March/August very near wreck. Diving around net may upset locals who are generally friendly. No noticeable current until further out from wreck. Visibility about 7.5 metres. Crabs, lobsters, congers, saithe and rock fish, urchins and anemones.

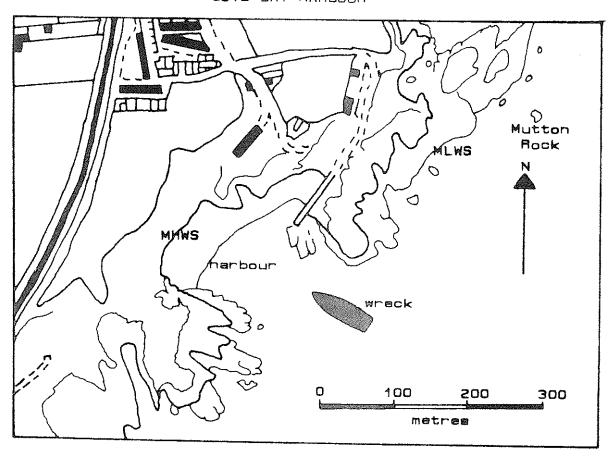
GENERAL INFORMATION:

Cargo/passenger steamship built in 1978, en route from Hull to Aberdeen when ran aground in fog. Owners at time of loss: Hull and Newcastle Steamship Company.

REFERENCES - BIBLIOGRAPHY:

ABERDEEN BRANCH NEWSLETTER

COVE BAY HARBOUR





CZAR

Type:

Steamship - 937 tons

Date of Loss:

22nd January 1859

Cause of Loss:

Struck rocks

Charted Depth:

12 - 18 metres

Height of Wreck:

Hull Material:

Iron

Present State:

Well broken up.

LOCATION: SOUTH CORNWALL

Place: Vrogue Rock - E. of Lizard

Point

Boat Launch Site:

Cadgwith Bay

O.S. Map Reference: 204

Chart Reference No.: 154

Lat. 49^o57.7'N

Long. 05°10.4'W

Nature of Seabed:

DIVING INFORMATION:

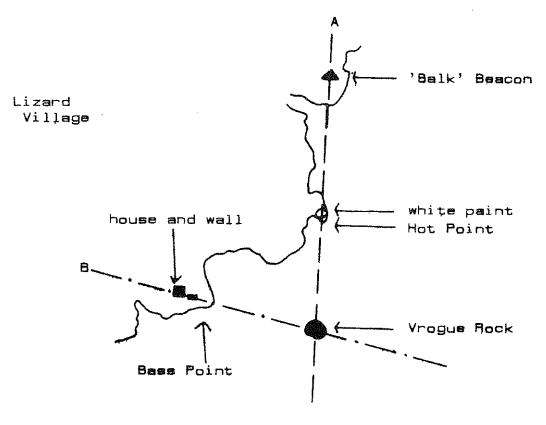
Wreckage lies mainly on the north-east side of Vrogue Rock

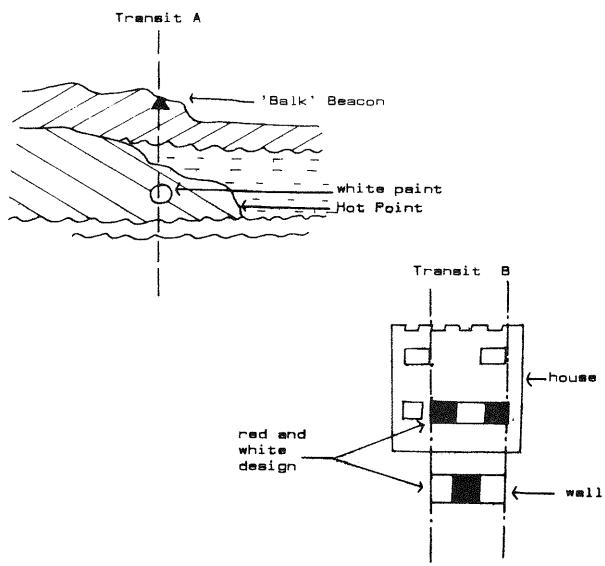
GENERAL INFORMATION:

Struck Vrogue Rock, broke in half and sank. Cargo of ammunition.

REFERENCES - BIBLIOGRAPHY:

CORNISH SHIPWRECKS, Larn and Carter. Vol I.
DICTIONARY OF DISASTERS AT SEA DURING THE AGE OF STEAM,
Charles Hocking. Vol I.







DAKOTA

LOCATION: NORTH WALES

Type:

Steamship - 4332 tons

Place:

Amlwch, Anglesey

Date of Loss:

9th May 1877

Boat Launch Site:

Bull Bay Village

Cause of Loss:

Stranded on rocks

O.S. Map Reference: 114

Charted Depth:

20 metres

Chart Reference No.: 1977

Height of Wreck: 5 metres

Lat. 53⁰25'12"N Long. 04⁰20'24"W

Hull Material: Steel 400'x43'x32'

Nature of Seabed:

Present State:

Broken into three sections. Plates etc. over considerable area. Winch gear and two boilers intact and clear of bottom. Boilers in 20 metres.

DIVING INFORMATION:

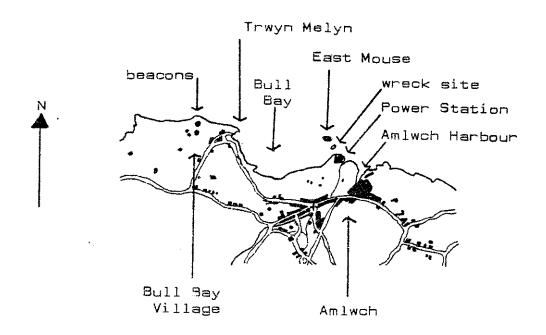
Not for inexperienced divers. Dive at or near slack water as there is considerable current which can run up to 4 knots. Wreck site slopes evenly almost from shoreline. Look out for jagged edges and overhanging steelwork.

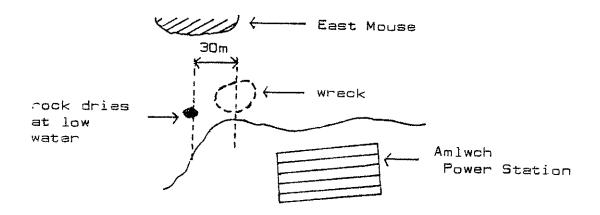
GENERAL INFORMATION:

Stranded at East Mouse Rock. Bottles of wine (full), plates and cups are still being found, but most of the cargo has been salvaged.

REFERENCES - BIBLIOGRAPHY:

SHIPWRECKS AROUND BRITAIN, Leo Zanelli. SHIPWRECKS OF NORTH WALES, Ivor Wynne-Jones.
DICTIONARY OF DISASTERS AT SEA DURING THE AGE OF STEAM, (Vol I.), Charles Hocking.







EMELIA

LOCATION:

SOUTH DEVON

Type:

Tug

Place:

Plymouth Sound

Date of Loss:

1933

Boat Launch Site: Fort Bovisand

Cause of Loss: Driven onto breakwater O.S. Map Reference: 201

Charted Depth:

6 - 9 metres

Chart Reference No.: 1967

Height of Wreck:

Lat. 50⁰19'52"N

Long. 04⁰08'27"W

Hull Material:

Nature of Seabed:

Present State:

Fairly broken up, but boiler prominent amongst kelp.

DIVING INFORMATION:

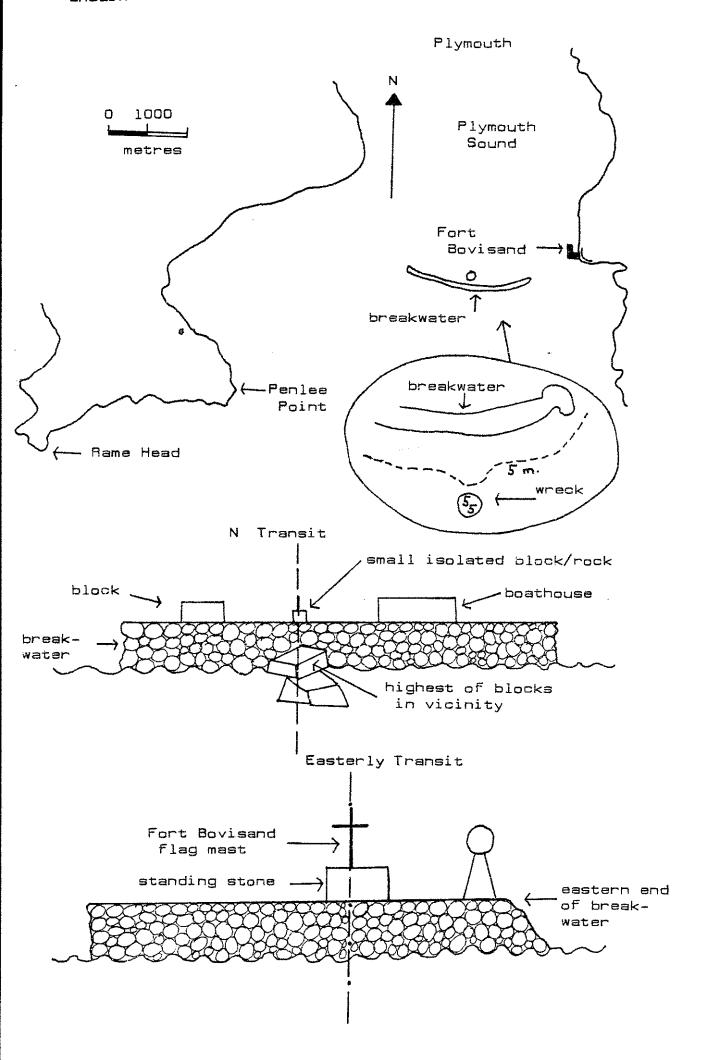
Wreck south of eastern end of breakwater.

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Driven onto breakwater in gale when bound for Malta.

REFERENCES - BIBLIOGRAPHY:

WRECK AND RESCUE ON THE COAST OF DEVON, G. Farr





GALACIA

Type:

Steamship - 5992 tons

Date of Loss:

12th April 1917

Cause of Loss:

Struck mine

Charted Depth:

14 metres

Height of Wreck:

3 metres

Hull Material:

Steel

Present State:

Dispersed but recognisable

LOCATION: SOUTH DEVON

Place:

off Clerk Rocks, Dawlish

Shaldon/

Boat Launch Site:

Teignmouth/

Dawlish

O.S. Map Reference:

Chart Reference No.:

1613

192

Lat. 50°33'20''N

Long. 0326 ' 18" W

Nature of Seabed:

Sand/gravel/mud

DIVING INFORMATION:

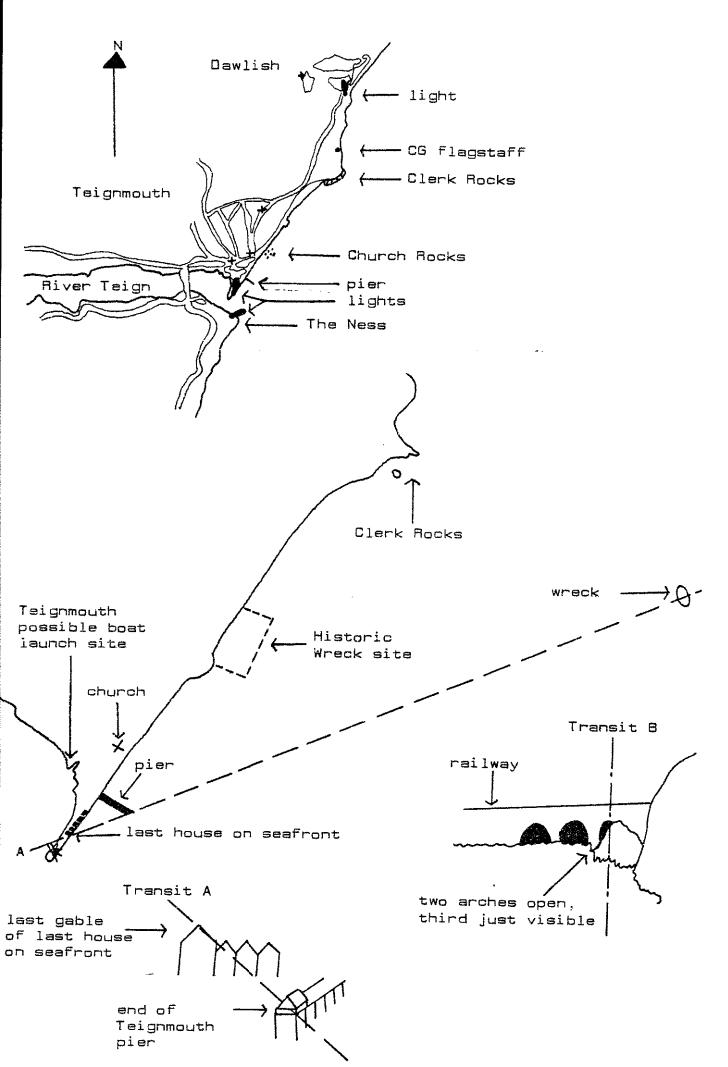
Wreck often buoyed by dan buoys attached by steel cable to wreck in summer. Only feature of interest in large area of flat sand. Little current. Visibility usually 3 - 4.5 metres. Heavily fished by local Angling Club so watch out for lines and dark surface near fishing boats. Prolific fish life including pouting, large bass and pollock. Many resident congers and anglers, so watch holes. Air available in Teignmouth from Roy Stoyle.

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Twin screw steamer built by Swan Hunter (Newcastle) 1901. Owned by Pacific Steam Navigational Company at time of loss. Was blasted by clearance divers.

REFERENCES - BIBLIOGRAPHY:

DEVON SHIPWRECKS, R. Larn





HANSY

LOCATION:

SOUTH CORNWALL

Type:

Sailing vessel - 1597 tons

Place:

Housel Bay

Date of Loss:

3rd October 1911

Boat Launch Site:

Cadgwith Cove

Cause of Loss:

Missed stays

O.S. Map Reference:

204

Charted Depth:

3 - 12 metres

Chart Reference No.:

154

Height of Wreck:

Lat. 49⁰57'40"N

Long. 05⁰11'28"W

Hull Material:

Steel

Nature of Seabed:

Present State:

Well broken up in gulleys at foot of cliff. Characterised by iron blocks or 'pigs'.

DIVING INFORMATION:

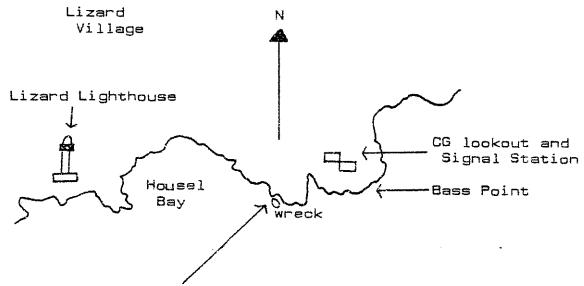
Wreckage lies scattered right into the point right under the cliff.

GENERAL INFORMATION:

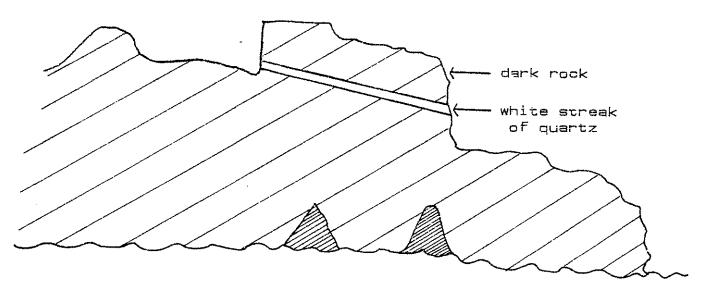
Square-rigged sailing vessel, launched in Dumbarton as the ABERFOYLE in 1885. Cargo: timber and pig iron.

REFERENCES - BIBLIOGRAPHY:

CORNISH SHIPWRECKS, Larn and Carter. Vol. 1



The HANSY lies scattered here tight into the point on the east side of Housel Bay right under the cliff.



cliff at eastern end of the bay



KANTEONG

LOCATION:

SOUTH CORNWALL

Type:

Pontoon dredger

Place:

Fowev Harbour

Date of Loss:

1936 or 1939

Boat Launch Site: Caffa Mill Car Park

Cause of Loss:

Storm

O.S. Map Reference:

Chart Reference No.:

204

1267

Charted Depth:

15 metres

3 metres

lat. 50⁰18'55"N

Long. 04^O39'40''W

Height of Wreck:

Iron

Nature of Seabed: Sand/rocks

Present State:

Hull Material:

Very broken up except for buckets on conveyor. The other half is almost on Polridmouth Beach.

DIVING INFORMATION:

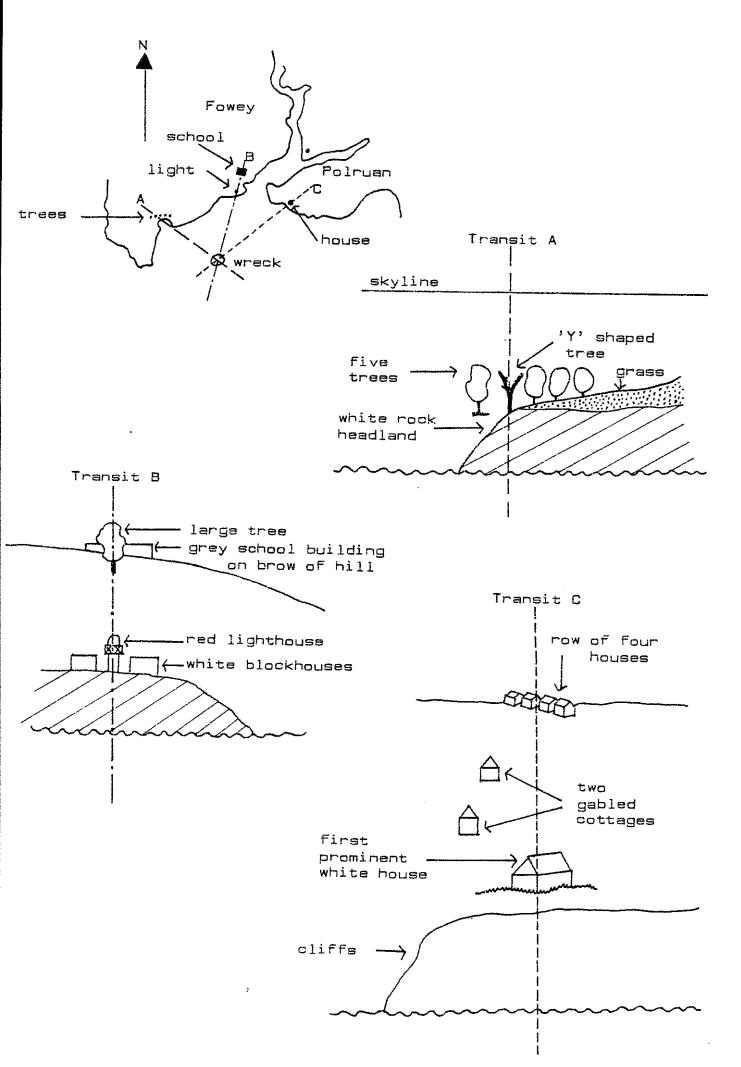
Easy dive for beginners. No strong currents. Main bulk of wreck is the row of jointed buckets - 1 metre diameter. Abundance of fish. Salvage rights R. Larn and R. Davies. Take care as 'Prodive' use the wreck for explosive practice.

GENERAL INFORMATION:

During storm on maiden voyage under tow from Amsterdam to River Plate, broke loose and turned turtle near Eddystone Light House. Superstructure eventually grounded near Fowey, came ashore Combe Hawne. Dismantled for scrap.

REFERENCES - BIBLIOGRAPHY:

SHIPWRECKS AROUND BRITAIN, Leo Zanelli





MAGAZAN

LOCATION:

JERSEY

Type:

Lighter - 500 tons

Place:

Demi de Pas Light House

Date of Loss:

29th August 1943

Boat Launch Site:

St. Helier

Cause of Loss:

Marine casualty

O.S. Map Reference:

Chart Reference No.: 3

Charted Depth:

10.5 metres

Lat. 49⁰09'24"N

Long. 02 006 '46"W

Height of Wreck:

3 metres

Nature of Seabed:

Sand/rocky

Hull Material:

Steel

Present State:

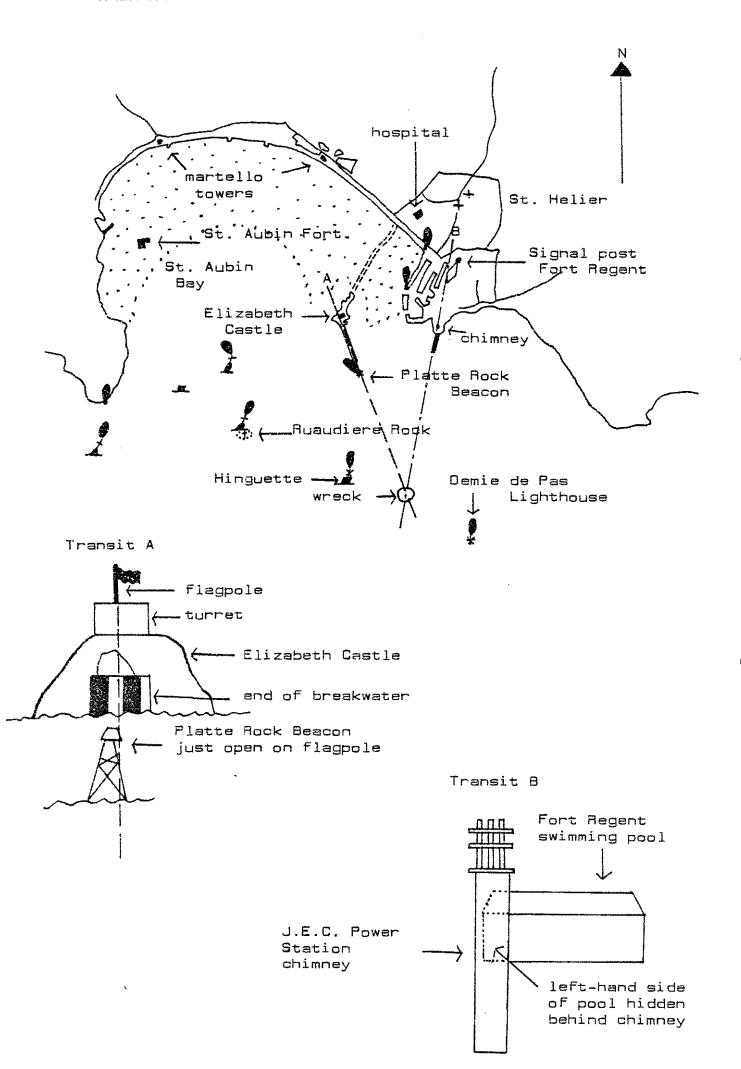
Bow and stern still intact, but centre section is lying flat on seabed.

DIVING INFORMATION:

Usually good dive, plenty of marine life. Dive <u>MUST</u> be at slack water as current runs up to 4 knots. Slack water approximately 1 hour before High or Low Water St. Helier. Slack varies from 10 minutes Springs to 45 minutes Neaps. Beware wreck is close to shipping lanes; hydrofoils pass every hour in Summer (contact St. Helier Port Control). Two power cables run over top of wreck.

GENERAL INFORMATION:

REFERENCES - BIBLIOGRAPHY:





METROPOLIS

LOCATION:

JERSEY

Type:

Tug

Place:

St. Aubins Bay

Date of Loss:

18th February 1961

Boat Launch Site: St. Helier

Cause of Loss:

O.S. Map Reference:

3655

Charted Depth:

6 metres

Chart Reference No.: **Lat.** 49⁰09'46"N

Long. 02⁰08'29"W

Height of Wreck: 1.5 metres

Steel

Nature of Seabed:

Rocky/sand

Present State:

Hull Material:

Very broken up. Engine and steel propeller still in place.

DIVING INFORMATION:

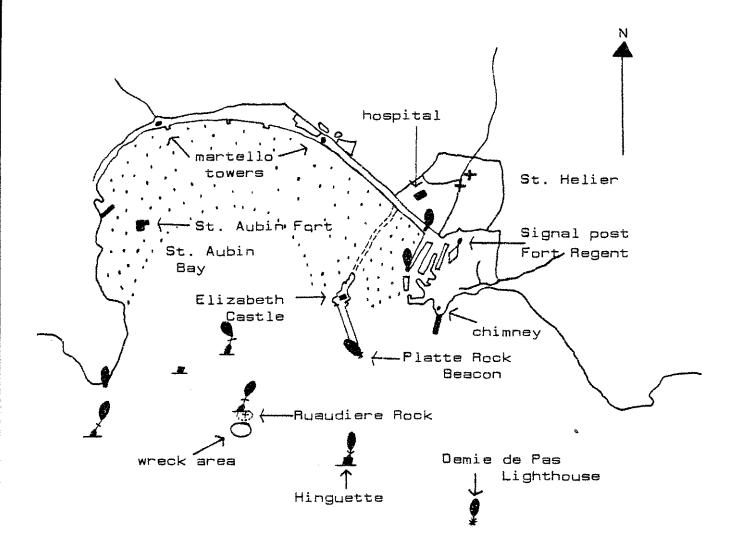
Fair dive for marine life. Wreck lies down south side of Ru au diere Rock and starts approximately 6 metres from drying head which is usually 12 - 15 metres south of the Ru au diere Bell Buoy. Slack water approximately 1 hour before High or Low Water.

GENERAL INFORMATION:

REFERENCES - BIBLIOGRAPHY:

UNKNOWN SHIPWRECKS AROUND BRITAIN, Leo Zanelli

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HMS MONTAGU

Type:

Battleship - 14,000 tons

Date of Loss:

29th May 1906

Cause of Loss:

Fog

Charted Depth:

10 metres

Height of Wreck:

2 metres

Hull Material: Steel 405'x75'x27'

LOCATION:

NORTH DEVON

Place:

Lundy Island

Boat Launch Site: Lundy Dive Hut!

180

O.S. Map Reference:

Chart Reference No.: 1164

Lat. 51009'34"N

Long. 04⁰40'24"W

Nature of Seabed:

Sandy/rocky

Present State:

Much scattered and broken up, but armour plates still there.

DIVING INFORMATION:

Nice shallow dive, provided sea not too rough. Live ammunition still to be found. Abundance of kelp in clusters.

GENERAL INFORMATION:

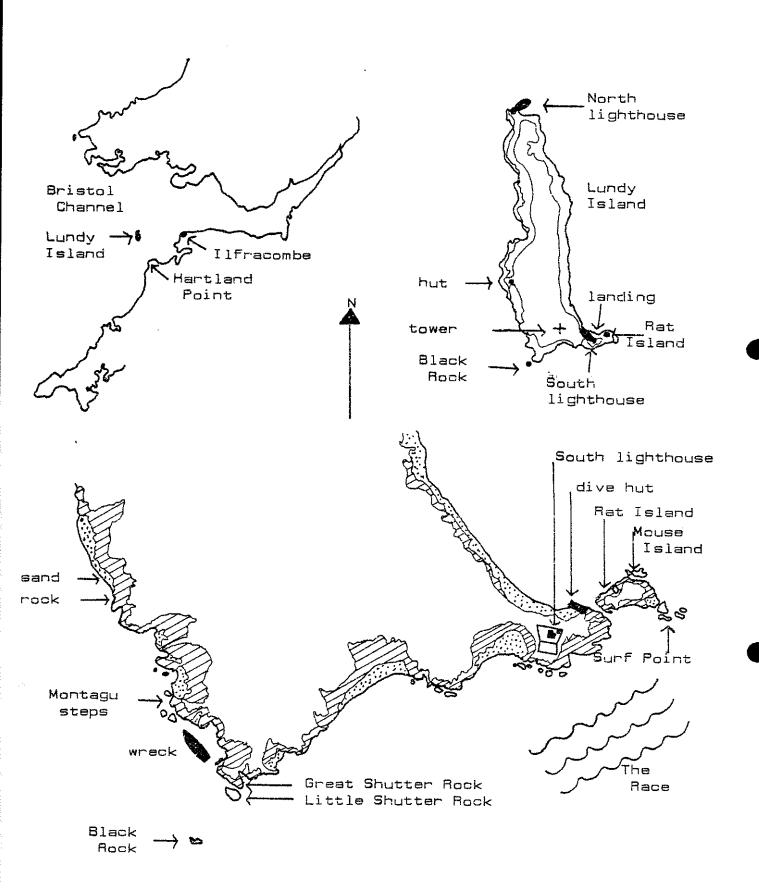
This First Class Battleship sank due to a navigational error in fog.

All diving rights on Lundy belong to Bristol Channel Divers Ltd., 21 Millers Lane, Stanstead Abbotts, Ware, Hertfordshire, 0920-871151. They also own the salvage rights to this tel: wreck.

REFERENCES - BIBLIOGRAPHY:

DEVON SHIPWRECKS, R. Larn. ILLUSTRATED LUNDY NEWS Issue No. 15, Vol 3, No. 3, 1975

H.M.S. MONTAGU





RONDO

LOCATION:

WEST SCOTLAND

Type:

2363 tons

Place:

Sound of Mull

Date of Loss:

1st January 1935

Boat Launch Site:

Tobermory/Oban

Cause of Loss:

O.S. Map Reference:

49

Charted Depth: 48 metres

Chart Reference No.:

2390

Height of Wreck: 9 metres

Lat. 56⁰32'30''N

Long. 05^O55'30"W

Hull Material:

262'x42'x24'

Nature of Seabed: Rock/sand/kelp

Present State:

Upright in sound condition but lying at very steep angle on rocks.

DIVING INFORMATION:

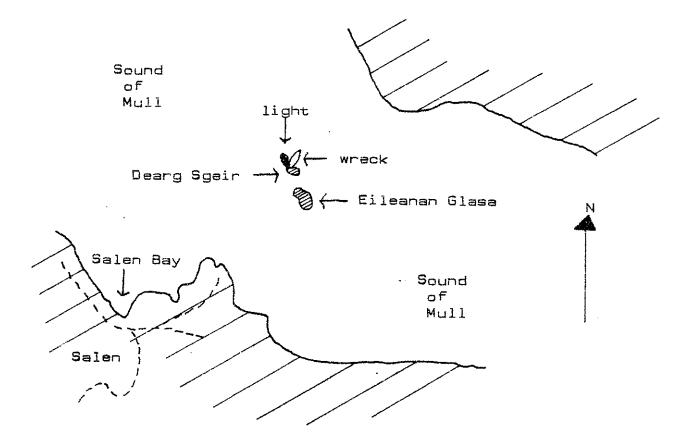
Best dived at slack water as there is a strong current. Visibility 3 - 15 metres. Side of ship covered in sponges and heavy encrustation of anemones. Abundant marine life.

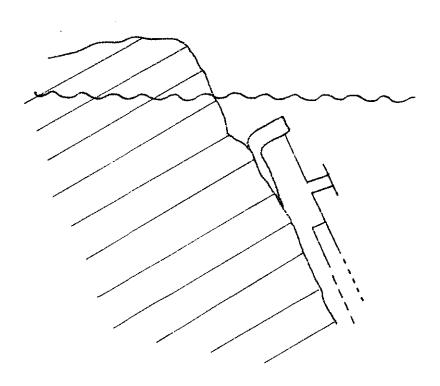
GENERAL INFORMATION:

First found 1935. Ex "LAURIE", ex "LITHOPOLIS". ex "WAR WONDER". While on her way from Glasgow to Dunstan in ballast, she struck Green Island and demolished the original lighthouse. Might be marked by small dark-coloured bucy.

REFERENCES - BIBLIOGRAPHY:

BRITISH STANDARD SHIPS OF WORLD WAR 1, Mitchell and Sawyer. TRITON, September 1973.







ROYAL ADELAIDE

LOCATION:

DORSET

Type:

Sailing vessel

Place:

Portland

Date of Loss:

25th November 1872

Boat Launch Site:

Chesil Beach

Cause of Loss:

Storm

O.S. Map Reference: 194

oncorr beach

Charted Depth:

11 metres

Chart Reference No.: 2615

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Height of Wreck:

2 metres

Lat. 50^O34'36"N

Long. 02⁰28'42''W

Hull Material:

Iron

Nature of Seabed:

Pebble

Present State:

Only foremost part of hull survives; mainly chain locker, chain, anchor and main winch which is balanced on top of wreck and forms highest part.

DIVING INFORMATION:

Wreck (about 120 yards offshore) is directly opposite metal pipe marked ADELAIDE showing about 3" above ground approximately 50 yards south-east of old shooting butts. Between wreck and shore much wreckage buried, including live ammunition. Current fairly strong at times and flows parallel to shore. DO NOT attempt to enter water if strong ground swell is breaking on beach.

GENERAL INFORMATION:

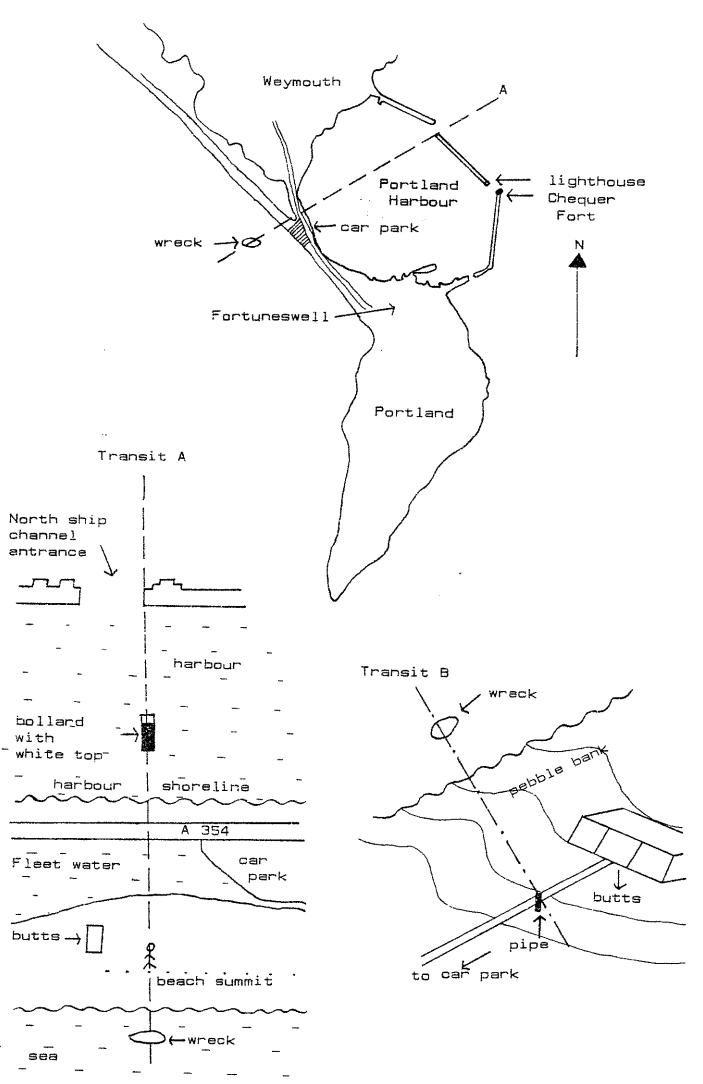
Built at Bristol to smaller but similar design to GREAT BRITAIN. During a storm this vessel was embayed and driven onto a lee shore. Anchor on seabed known at Troutman type, same as displayed GREAT BRITAIN Exhibition, Bristol. Local museums interested in receiving artifacts.

REFERENCES - BIBLIOGRAPHY:

WRECK AND RESCUE ON DORSET COAST, G. Farr. TRITON, October 1977

Reference material and artifacts, Weymouth Museum.

Photographs of original wreck scene paintings, Weymouth Library Artifacts, Dorchester County Museum.





AEROPLANE

LOCATION:

SOUTH DEVON

Type:

Lancaster Bomber

Place:

Plymouth Sound

Date of Loss:

Boat Launch Site:

Fort Bovisand

Cause of Loss:

O.S. Map Reference: 201

Charted Depth:

15 metres

Chart Reference No.: 1900

Height of Wreck:

Lat.

Long.

Hull Material:

Nature of Seabed: Large boulders

Present State:

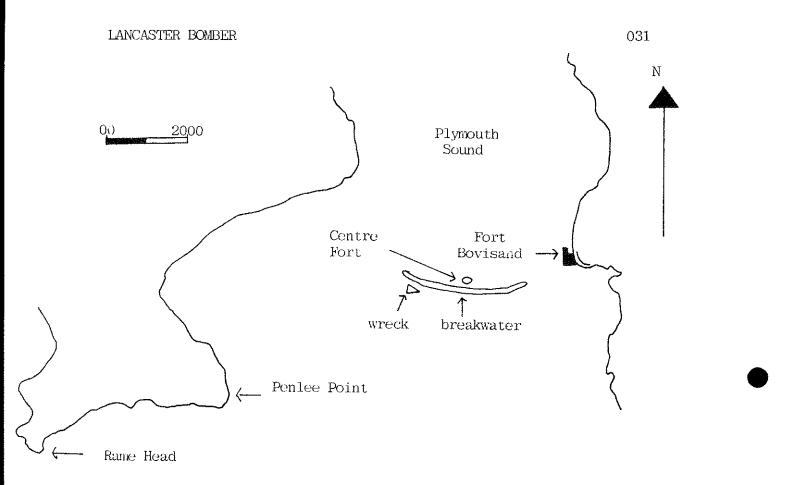
Found two engines and a bit of wing with other wreckage.

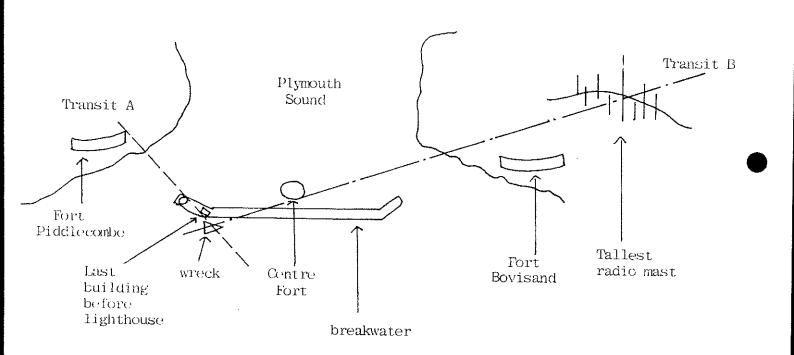
DIVING INFORMATION:

Line upright edge of Piddlecombe Fort on west, with right edge of lighthouse and west edge of building on breakwater, with tallest radio mast above Fort Bovisand

GENERAL INFORMATION:

REFERENCES - BIBLIOGRAPHY:







BAY OF PANAMA

LOCATION:

SOUTH CORNWALL

Type:

4 masted ship - 2365 tons

Place:

Nare Point

Date of Loss:

10th March 1891

Boat Launch Site: Porthkerris Point

Cause of Loss: Driven ashore in squall O.S. Map Reference:

204

Charted Depth:

7 metres

Chart Reference No.:

154

Height of Wreck: ½ metre

Lat. 50⁰4.5'N

Long. 05⁰4.63'W

Hull Material: Steel 294'x42.3'x24.3' Nature of Seabed:

Sand

Present State:

Completely broken up, only large steel plates and ribs to be seen. Position of ribs show wreck to be parallel to shore

DIVING INFORMATION:

Best time to dive on her is in the Spring before kelp covers the keel and ribs.

Wreck 25 metres from rocky coastline.

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Model, photographs and brass objects are on display at Five Pilchards Inn in Porthallow.

REFERENCES - BIBLIOGRAPHY:

DICTIONARY OF DISASTERS - Charles Hocking CORNISH SHIPWRECKS (South Coast), Larne & Carter UNDERWATER WORLD (March '79), Larne

Concrete Building



BETTY HINDLEY

LOCATION:

YORKSHIRE

Type: Cargo steam ship - 1771 tons

Place:

Scarborough Bay

Date of Loss:

7th October 1947

Boat Launch Site: Scarborough Harbour

Cause of Loss:

Hit floating mine

O.S. Map Reference: 94

Charted Depth:

16.5 metres

Chart Reference No.: 1612

Long. 00⁰21'58''W

Height of Wreck: 4.5 metres

Lat. 54^O16'32"N

Hull Material: Steel 258'x38.3'x16.6' Nature of Seabed:

Sand

Present State:

Dispersed by salvage contractors. Very broken up but with sections

4.5m - 6m high.

DIVING INFORMATION:

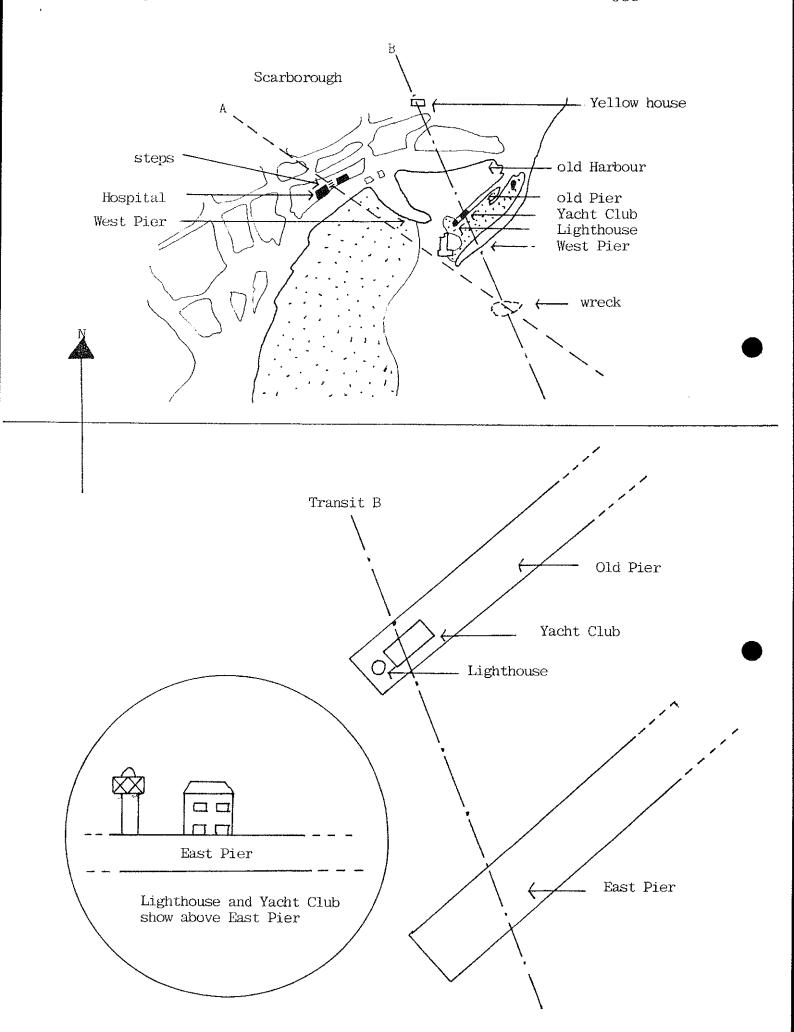
Interesting dive for beginners. Wreck lies on sandy bottom with deep scour in seabed through to mud/silt, giving low visibility after first few dives. Avoid stirring up remains of cargo of coal. Sheltered conditions in bay with very little current. Wreck is covered in plant life.

Line up steps on right hand edge of hospital with end of east pier. Travel out until second pair of windows on yellow house just show over centre of YC building.

GENERAL INFORMATION:

REFERENCES - BIBLIOGRAPHY:

SHIPWRECKS OF THE YORKSHIRE COAST, Godfrey & Lassey DICTIONARY OF DISASTERS, Vol 1. SCARBOROUGH LIFE BOATS.





BRITANNIA

LOCATION:

NORTH EAST ENGLAND

Type:

Steamship - 726 tons

Place:

Farne Islands

Date of Loss:

25th September 1915

Boat Launch Site:

Seahouses Harbour

Cause of Loss:

Struck reef in fog

O.S. Map Reference:

Charted Depth:

6 - 30 metres

Chart Reference No.: 160/111

Height of Wreck:

Lat. 55 O 37 ' 42 '' N

Long. 01⁰36'10"W

Hull Material:

210'x27'x14'

Nature of Seabed:

Present State:

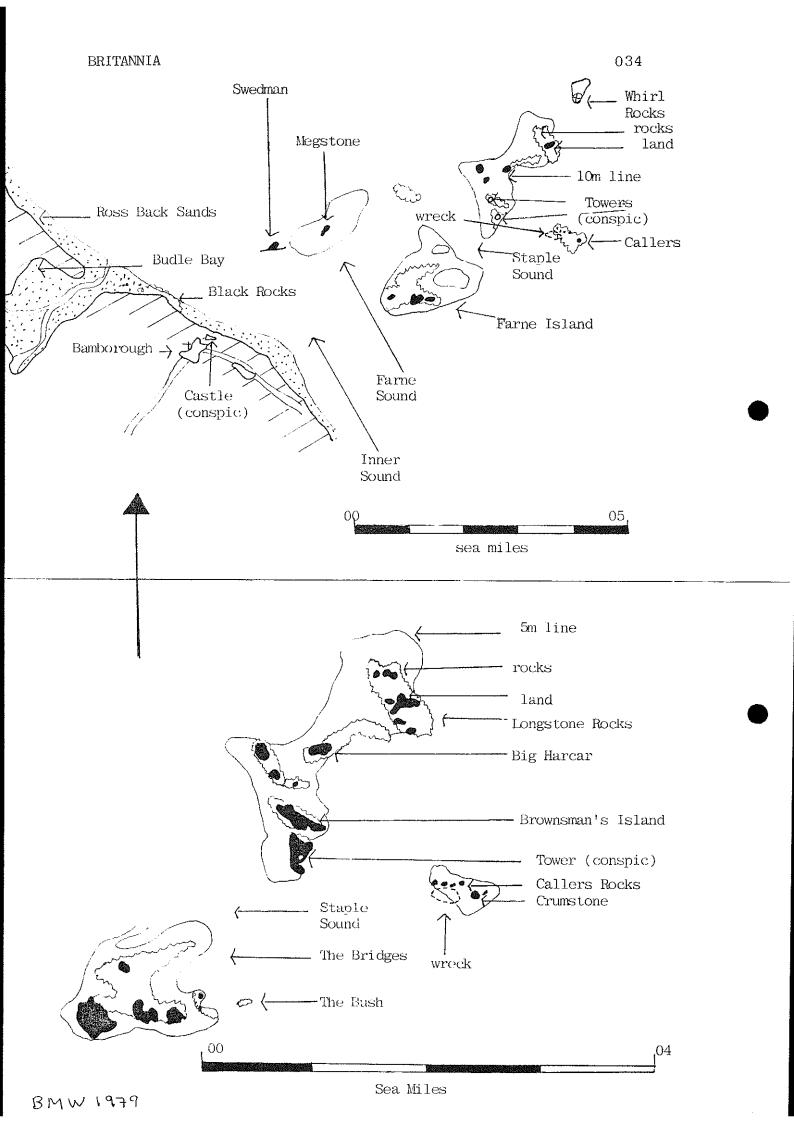
Well broken up; engine partly sunk in sand; boiler/condenser stands free; all in gulley approximately 6 - 10 metres. Winch 23 metres, bows 30 metres. Propeller shaft/iron propeller in adjacent shallow gulley.

DIVING INFORMATION:

Strong currents especially around bow section. Often heavy swell over 'Callers', through the gulleys, usually affecting cover boats more than divers. Pay launch fees to Harbour Master. Now owned by Mansfield BSAC

GENERAL INFORMATION:

REFERENCES - BIBLIOGRAPHY:





CANADA

LOCATION:

NORTH HUMBERSIDE

Type: Cargo steam ship - 11,108 tons Place:

Withernsea Bay

Date of Loss:

3rd November 1939

Boat Launch Site:

Withernsea

Cause of Loss:

Struck mine

O.S. Map Reference:

113

Charted Depth:

18 metres

Chart Reference No.:

109

Height of Wreck: 1.5 metres

Lat. 53^o42'24''N

Long. 00⁰07'06"W

Hull Material:

468.8'x64.3'x36.3'

Nature of Seabed:

Shingle, sand

Present State:

Well dispersed

DIVING INFORMATION:

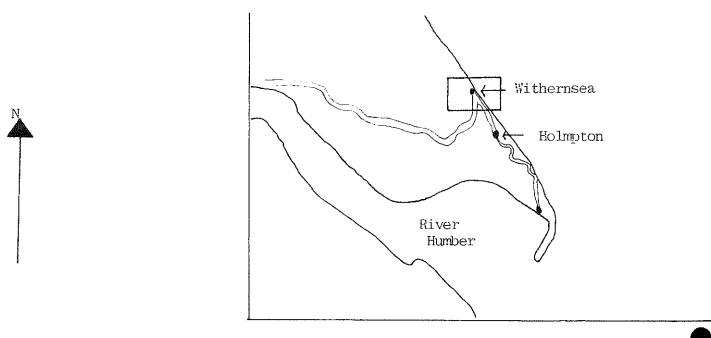
Wreck is buoyed. The wreck of the GEORGIOS (040) is nearby to starboard at the stern. Strong current. Heavy disturbance on surface when current is running. MUST be calm sea before wreck can be seen. Cod, pollack, lobster, crab.

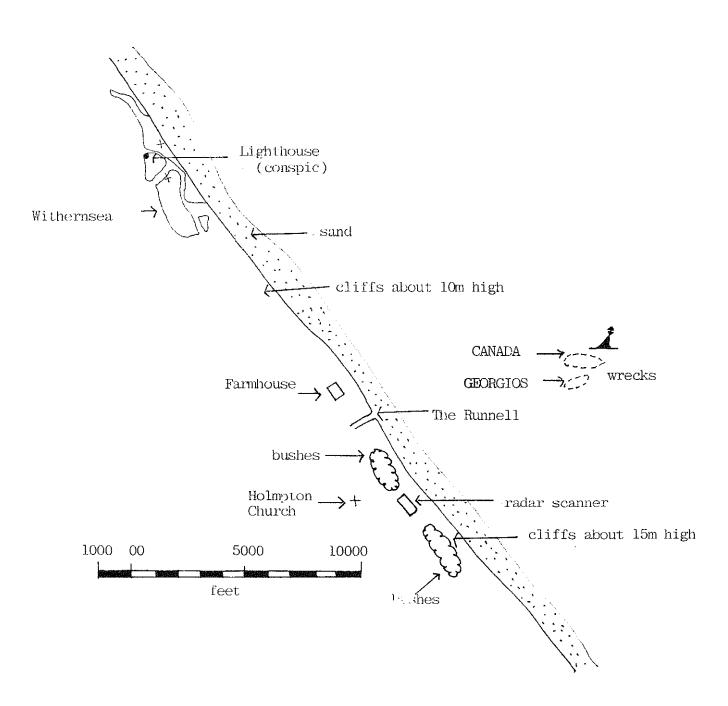
GENERAL INFORMATION:

Danish ship. Wreck dispersed by Naval divers in 1945. Ships bell and propeller recovered.

REFERENCES - BIBLIOGRAPHY:

SHIPWRECKS OF THE YORKSHIRE COAST, Godfrey & Lassey. DICTIONARY OF DISASTERS AT SEA DURING THE AGE OF STEAM, Hocking







HMS DRAKE

LOCATION: NORTH COAST OF IRELAND

Type: WW1 Cruiser - 14,000 displ. Place: Church Bay, Rathlin Is., Antrim

Date of Loss:

2nd October 1917

Boat Launch Site:

Cause of Loss: Torpedoed by U79

O.S. Map Reference:

Charted Depth: 15 metres

Chart Reference No.: 2798

Height of Wreck: 12 metres

Lat. 55⁰17'08''N

Long. 06⁰12'30"W

Hull Material:

500'x71'x26'

Nature of Seabed:

Sand overlying

green clay.

Present State:

Entire hull interior is accessible through hole blown by Navy

DIVING INFORMATION:

Wreck divable all states of tide. Current either slack or flowing easterly. Optimum visibility 20 - 25 metres. Pollack, plaice, conger eels, ling, crabs, lobsters, seals, hermit crabs.

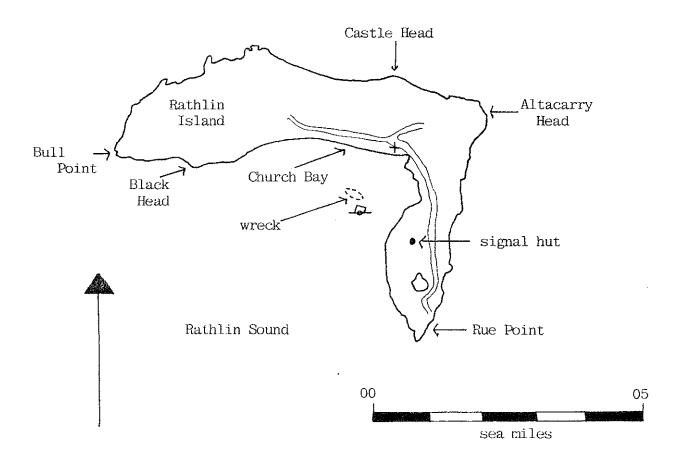
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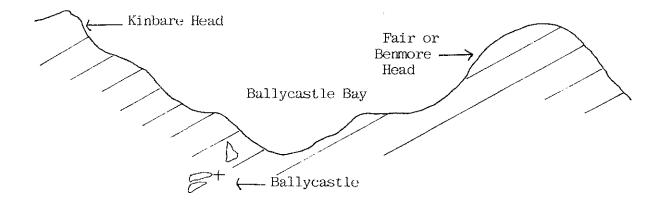
In 1962 deep-sea trawler ELLA HEWITT holed and foundered close alongside. Until 1974 salvage rights held by Italian company commercial work by small subcontractors. Royal Navy recovered rights in November 1976 and removed most of cordite. Some demolition. Naval Report: forward part of hull collapsing and whole liable to roll.

REFERENCES - BIBLIOGRAPHY:

DICTIONARY OF DISASTERS AT SEA DURING THE AGE OF STEAM, Vol 1.

H.M.S. DRAKE 036







JOHN TAYLEUR

LOCATION: EAST COAST OF IRELAND

Type: Sailing vessel - 1977 tons

Place: Lambay Island, North of

Dublin Bay

Date of Loss:

21st January 1854

Boat Launch Site:

Cause of Loss:

Howth

Driven ashore in gale O.S. Map Reference:

Charted Depth: 15 metres

Chart Reference No.: 1468

Height of Wreck: 3 metres

Lat. 53^o29'00"N Long. 06^o00'30"W

Hull Material: Iron - 250'x40'x21' Nature of Seabed: Mixed rock and sand

Present State:

Not broken up, but flattened and dismasted.

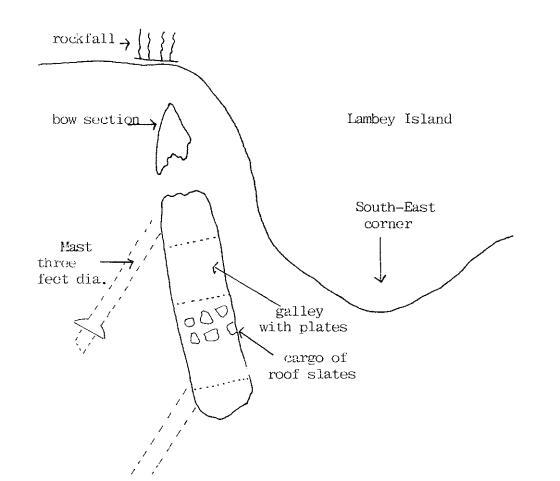
DIVING INFORMATION:

Wreck is located 30 yards out in small indentation just off the south-east corner of Lambay Island. It is still possible to get into the galley and see plates and cups, mostly broken. Hold is full if roof slates, still in neat rows.

GENERAL INFORMATION:

REFERENCES - BIBLIOGRAPHY:

SCUBA DIVER, Matkin and Brooks WHITE STAR, R. Anderson DICTIONARY OF DISASTERS AT SEA DURING THE AGE OF STEAM, Hocking, Vol 2. FAMOUS SHIPWRECKS, Shaw SUB AQUA MAGAZINE, June 1975





GEORGIOS

LOCATION:

NORTH HUMBERSIDE

Type:

Greek steamship

Place:

Withernsea Bay

Date of Loss:

14th November 1939

Boat Launch Site:

Withernsea

Cause of Loss: Struck wreck of CANADA O.S. Map Reference:

Charted Depth: 18 metres

Chart Reference No.: 109

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Height of Wreck:

Lat. 53⁰42'24''N

Long. 00⁰07'11''W

Hull Material:

Nature of Seabed: Shingle/sand

Present State:

Aft dispersed.

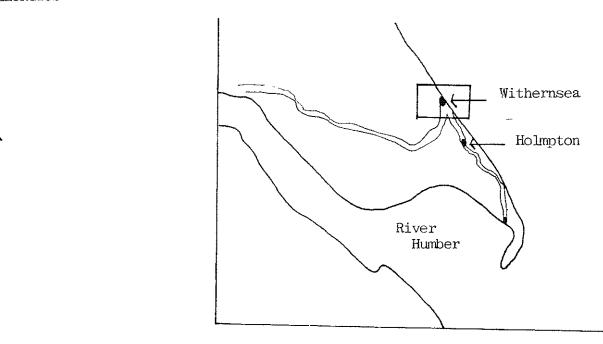
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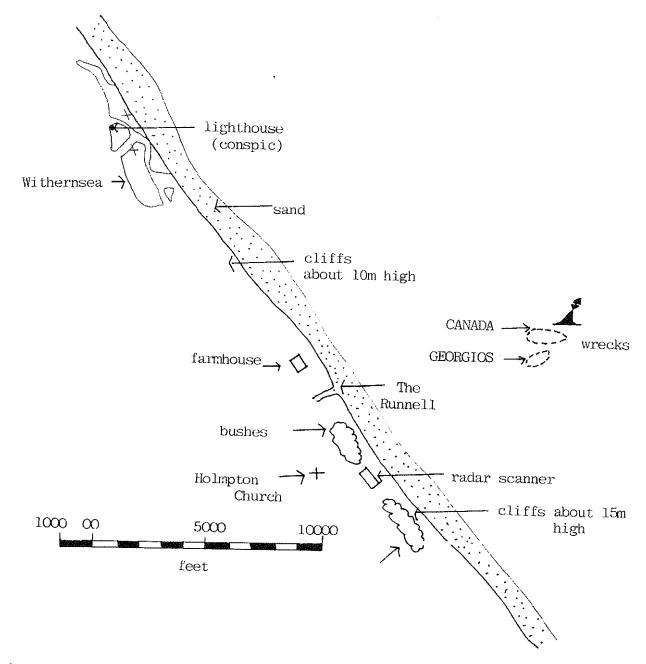
Wreck is buoyed. The wreck of the GEORGIOS is lying close to starboard at stern of wreck of CANADA (035). Strong current. Heavy disturbance on surface when current is running. MUST be calm sea before wreck can be seen. Cod, pollack. lobster, crab.

GENERAL INFORMATION:

REFERENCES - BIBLIOGRAPHY:

SHIPWRECKS OF THE YORKSHIRE COAST, A. Godfrey and P. Lassey







HISPANIA

LOCATION:

WEST COAST OF SCOTLAND

Type: Cargo steamship - 1337 tons

Place:

Sound of Mull

Date of Loss:

18th December 1954

Boat Launch Site:

Salen or Fiunary

Cause of Loss:

Struck reef

O.S. Map Reference: 49

Chart Reference No.: 2390

Charted Depth: 22 - 30 metres

Lat. 56^O34'47''N

Long. 05^o59'13''W

Height of Wreck: 12 - 14 metres

Hull Material: Steel 266'x37'x15'

Nature of Seabed: Sand

Present State:

Splendid sight, upright, very intact, at right angles to channel, bows inshore. Stern 30 metres, deck 25 metres, top of bridge superstructure and bows approximately 18 metres.

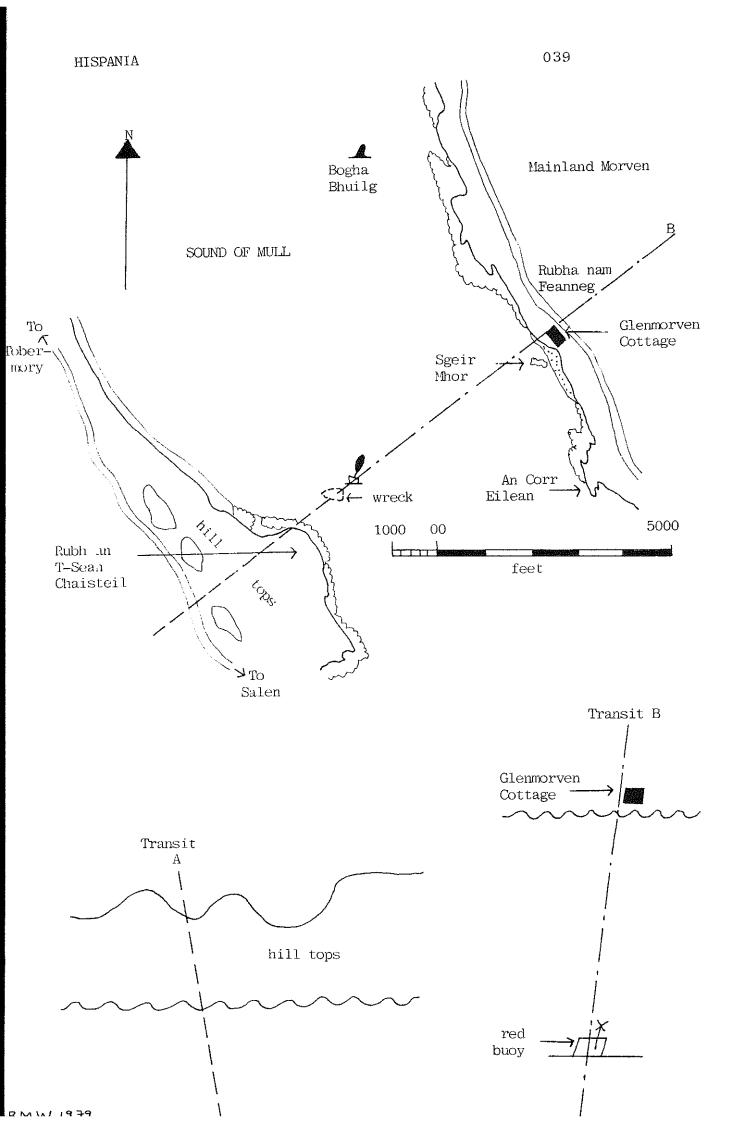
DIVING INFORMATION:

Excellent dive. Site marked by red buoy 20 metres distant on west side. Dive at slack water as strong current. Drag anchore 100 metres Mull side of buoy. Covered in anemones (plumrose, beadlet, snakelocks etc.)

GENERAL INFORMATION:

REFERENCES - BIBLIOGRAPHY:

DICTIONARY OF DISASTERS AT SEA DURING THE AGE OF STEAM, Hocking, Vol 1. SHIPWRECKS AROUND BRITAIN, Zanelli.





NAME: LADY CHARLOTTE (ex APHRODITE)LOCATION: ST. MARY'S - ISLES OF

SCILLY.

Type:

Collier - 3593 tons

Place:

Newfoundland Rocks.

Date of Loss:

11th May 1917

Boat Launch Site:

Cause of Loss:

Ran ashore in fog.

O.S. Map Reference: 203

Charted Depth:

19 - 30 metres

Chart Reference No.: 34

Height of Wreck:

348.7'x50,1'x23.1'

Nature of Seabed: Rocks and kelp

Lat. 49⁰55'00"N

Long. 06⁰18'00"W

Present State:

Hull Material:

Fairly intact but flattened.

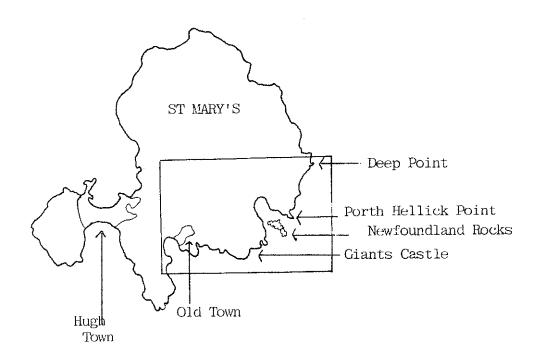
DIVING INFORMATION:

To find wreck, dive from rocks on north side of Porth Hellick Bay, just before Port Hellick Point and follow gulley which runs out between Porth Hellick Point and Newfoundland Rocks. Sea urchins and sea cucumbers.

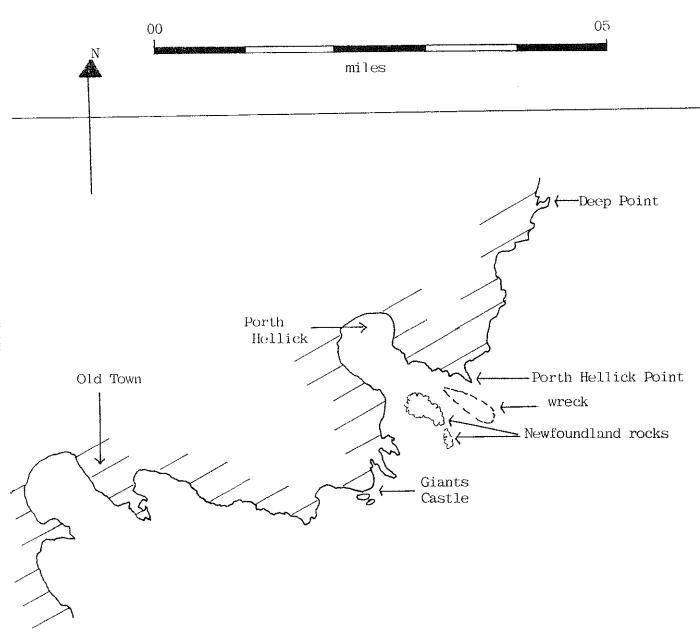
GENERAL INFORMATION:

REFERENCES - BIBLIOGRAPHY:

DICTIONARY OF DISASTERS AT SEA DURING THE AGE OF STEAM, Hocking, Vol 1 CORNISH SHIPWRECKS, Larn, Vol 3.



LADY CHARLOTTE





LOUIS SCHEID

LOCATION:

SOUTH DEVON

Type:

Steamship - 5945 tons

Place: Beacon Cove near Salcombe

Date of Loss:

7th December 1939

Boat Launch Site:

Leasefoot Beach

Cause of Loss: Stranded then beached O.S. Map Reference: 202

Chart Reference No.: 1613

Charted Depth: 10 metres

Lat. 50^o15 '48''N Long. 03^o52 '12''W

Hull Material:

Steel, double skinned Nature of Seabed: Sand and rock

Height of Wreck: 6 metres

418'x56'x29'

Present State:

Partly salvaged. Broken up and very jumbled although some large sections remain. The boilers show above the surface two hours either side of low water.

DIVING INFORMATION:

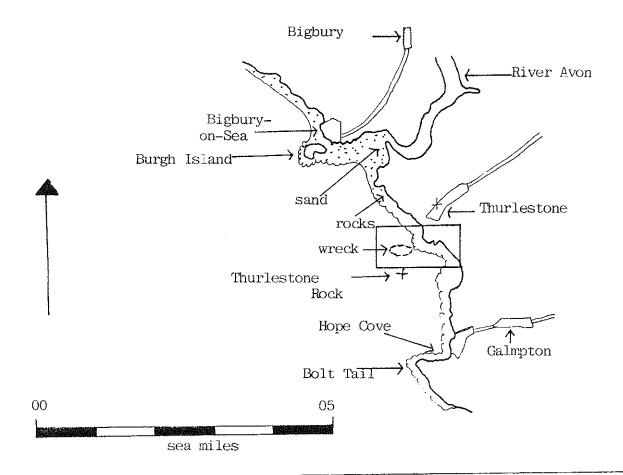
A good novice dive and family beach day site. Must use Golf Club car park: road crosses the golf course, so beware! Boat launch not on except for very light inflatables. Snorkel out 150 metres from rock outcrop to left of Thurlestone Beach. Safe at all states of the tide, but visibility can be variable.

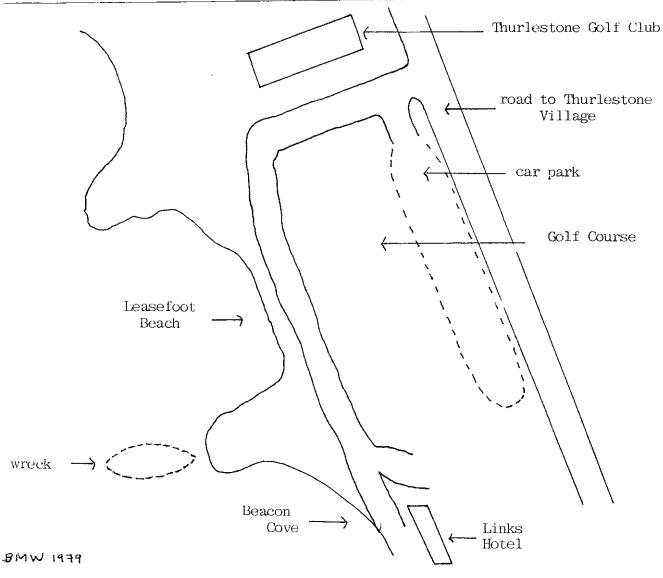
GENERAL INFORMATION:

Belgian ship, ex KENDAL CASTLE, ex ULTOR

REFERENCES - BIBLIOGRAPHY:

WRECK AND RESCUE ON THE SOUTH COAST OF DEVON, Farr WRECK HUNTERS, Jefferies & McDonald DEVON SHIPWRECKS, R. Larn







THE LUCY

LOCATION:

WEST WALES

Type:

Coaster

Place: North Haven, Skomer Island

Date of Loss:

14th February 1967

Boat Launch Site:

Martins Haven

Cause of Loss:

Grounded

O.S. Map Reference:

Charted Depth:

38 metres

Chart Reference No.: 2878

Height of Wreck:

30 metres

Lat.

Long.

Hull Material:

130'x40'

Nature of Seabed: Sand

Present State:

Very good condition with fully rigged mast.

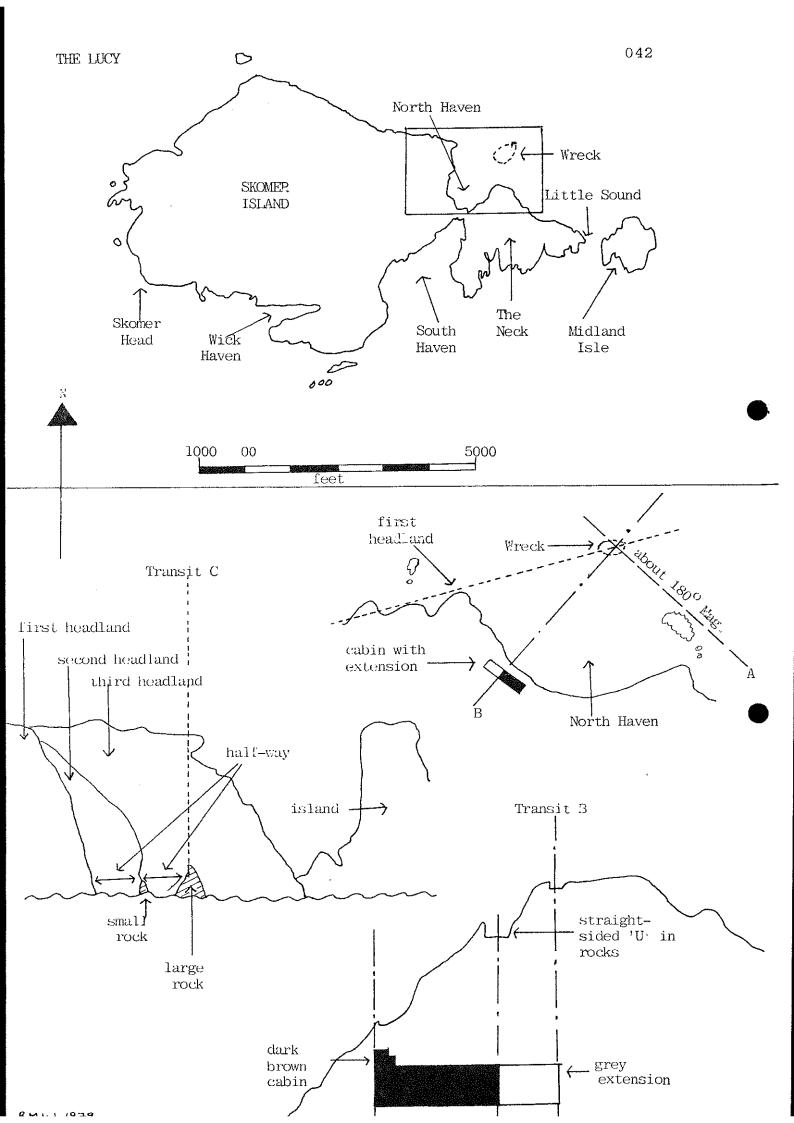
DIVING INFORMATION:

Beware of strong current through Jack Sound after launching. transits are established, drag anchor with about 25 metres of line on a bearing 120 to snag rigging. Visibility not usually very good. Current at site never appreciable.

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Dutch or German coaster grounded on Midland Rock. Was carrying carbide so may be dangerous as it produces acetylene in contact with water, and so can be spontaneously combustible.

REFERENCES - BIBLIOGRAPHY:





MINEHAHA

LOCATION: ST. MARY'S, ISLES OF

SCILLY

Type:

Sailing vessel - 845 tons

Place: Big Jolly Rock, off Pendennis

Head.

Date of Loss:

18th January 1874

Boat Launch Site:

Cause of Loss: Nav. error in fog.

O.S. Map Reference: 203

Chart Reference No.: 34

Charted Depth: 18 metres

Lat.

Long.

Height of Wreck:

Wood 158'x33'x22'

Nature of Seabed:

Present State:

Hull Material:

Large anchor and winch inshore, and great lengths of chain.

DIVING INFORMATION:

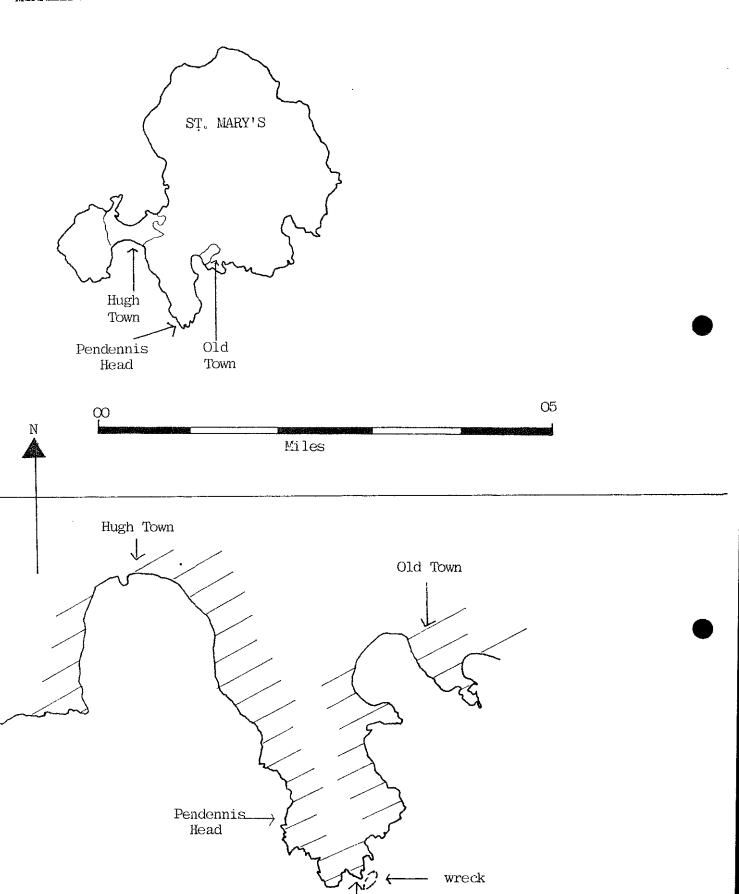
Not a shore dive. Some wreckage in gullies between rocks up to 20 yards off Big Jolly Rock. Wreckage strewn from immediately under rocks to depth of 18 metres. Kelp thinned with depth. Sea urchins.

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Four-masted barque

REFERENCES - BIBLIOGRAPHY:

CORNISH SHIPWRECKS, Larn, Vol 3. DICTIONARY OF DISASTERS AT SEA DURING THE AGE OF STEAM, Hocking, Vol 2 WRECK AND RESCUE ON THE COAST OF CORNWALL, Vol 3. CORNISH LIGHTS AND SHIPWRECKS.



Big Jolly Rock