**Schooner Abel**

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| **Vessel Name** | **Official Number** | **Signal letters** | **Rig /Type**  | **Where built** | **Builder** | **Year built** | **Year end** | **reg tons** |
| **ABEL** | 23287 |   | 2 masted schooner | Fowey | Thomas Nickels | 1849 | 1859 | 140 |
|  **OWNERS/ MANAGERS/REGISTRATION DETAILS** | **Notes** | **MASTERS** |
| registered in Fowey 29th September 1849.1855 John Hicks, Hall, Fowey. 1855 Thomas Sobey 1858-60 J.Lamb | Launched on 3rd September with standing bowsprit, square stern and a man figurehead. LOA 79'7" x 20'7" x 13'10"Was at the Cape of good Hope in March 1855 having arrived from Melbourne with a cargo of returned food, was load- ing copper ore and wine, for England. 9th December 1859 became a total wreck at Jersey. Crew saved. She was laden with wheat from the Baltic. She had drifted onto the Hermitage rocks  | John Hicks 1849-1855 J.Lamb 1858-59 |







