

Haidee

The only information I have been able to find on the fishing cutter *Haidee* appeared in the Adelaide newspapers the *South Australian Register* and the *Adelaide Advertiser* of 1892.

South Australian Register, Wednesday, 18 June, 1892.

'Two Boats Ashore at Glenelg.'

"The second boat to go ashore was the *Haidee* once a pleasure yacht, now owned by Mr. Maltern, and used by the Kangaroo Island fishermen. She is a fair size well boat, and was anchored off the jetty. She laboured heavily during the first part of the gale. As the gale increased, the cables parted, and the two crew, who were on board at the time, went ashore in the dinghy. She was driven deep into the beach amongst the breakers. When the tide ebbed it was seen that she had lost her keel, but otherwise does not seem to be managed to any considerable extent. The crew are now working at her, and hope to be able to trench round and float her off very soon."

Adelaide Advertiser, Tuesday, 28 June, 1892.

"On Monday afternoon Mr. C. Matterson, the owner of the *Haidee*, succeeded in getting his craft off the Glenelg beach. Monday's evening tide was the highest of the present springs, and special efforts were made, as this morning commenced to take off. Fresh tackles were used, and with great efforts the boat was brought down at low tide sufficiently for the afternoon's tide to float her. This occurred a little after 4 o'clock, and at 10 minutes past eight in the evening she got under way for the Port, where she will be put on the slip and the necessary repairs affected. The two seamen whose carelessness the *Haidee* came ashore disappeared directly the *Haidee* beached and have not since been heard of."