

# Beyond the Antipodes

Threats and fear in the psyche of  
nineteenth century Tasmania.







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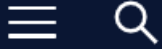
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## We demand an apology for snub after Tasmania is left off the map again

FOR too long Tasmania has been overlooked and left off the map.





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# Omission of Tasmania from maps of Australia

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The Australian island state of [Tasmania](#) is sometimes omitted from maps of [Australia](#). Such omissions often provoke outrage from Tasmanians, or amusement on [mainland Australia](#).

## Early omissions [\[edit\]](#)

In 1909, the *Daily Post* of [Hobart](#) reported that "very often maps of the Commonwealth... are not graced with the fair island of Tasmania depicted on them."<sup>[1]</sup>

## 1982 Commonwealth Games [\[edit\]](#)

During the [1982 Commonwealth Games opening ceremony](#), performers created a map of Australia that omitted Tasmania.<sup>[2]</sup> English-born Australian poet [Andrew Sant](#) wrote "Off the Map" in response:



Map of Australia with Tasmania highlighted in red.

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GOVERNOR PHILIP GIDLEY KING.



CAPTAIN NICOLAS BAUDIN  
FROM AN ENGRAVING

# HOBART TOWN.

*Sitting Magistrate—Rev. Robert Knopwood, M. A.*



**SHIP NEWS.**—On Tuesday last arrived from England direct, the transport ship *Medway*, Captain *Wight*, with 156 male prisoners, the complement she took on board, under the superintendance and care of *Doctor Davies*, of the Royal Navy. She sailed from Portsmouth the 15th of November. The Officer of the Guard, which consists of 30 non-commissioned officers and privates of the 53d Regiment, is Lieutenant *Gordon*, of the 82d Regiment.—Passengers, *W. Wemys*, Esq. Deputy Commissary General, and *Lady, Michael Moodie*, Esq. Assistant Commissary General, Mr. and Mrs. *Thompson* and family, and Mr. *Halden*.

Same day arrived also from England, the ship *Emerald*, Captain *Elliott*, with a valuable cargo of merchandize. This vessel left London the 8th of November, and on her passage touched at Teneriffe and the Cape of Good Hope.—Passengers, *George Meredith*, Esq. Lady and family, Mr. and Mrs. *Thornton*, Mr. and Mrs. *Gregson*, Mr. and Mrs. *Peavor* and family, Mr. and Mrs. *Baker* and family, Mr. *Archer*, Mr. *Kerr*, Mr. *Compton*, Mr. *Decelly*, Mr. and Mrs. *Watson* and family, Mr. and Mrs. *Thompson*, Mr. and Mrs. *Amos* and family, Mr. *Charlton*, Mr. *Gim*, Mr. *Dryden*, Mr. *Christy*, Mr. *Cooper*, Mr. *Faruely*, Mr. *Banks*, and Mr. *Charles Nockels*.

The ship *Jessie* will sail for Port Jackson in the course of the ensuing week.



**SHIP NEWS.**—Arrived on Wednesday last from England, the ship *Lady Ridley*, Captain *Went*, with 137 male prisoners, none having died on the passage.—This vessel left Portsmouth in company with the *Marshal Wellington* (which arrived here several weeks ago) and on her passage touched at Rio, where she remained three weeks for refreshment. The Surgeon Superintendent is *Dr. Wilson*, of the Royal Navy; and the Officer of the Guard, Lieutenant *Marshall*, of the 48th Regiment.

This afternoon sailed for Port Jackson, the ship *Caroline*, Captain *Taylor*; having on board His Excellency the Governor-in-Chief, Mr. *Macquarie*, and Master *Macquarie*; with the Honorable the Judge Advocate of the Territory, *John Wyld*, Esquire, Major *Taylor*, of the 48th Regiment, Lieutenant *Macquarie*, Aide-de-Camp, and *William Redfern*, Esq.

Sailed on Saturday last for Port Jackson, His Majesty's colonial brig *Elizabeth Henrietta*, Captain *Grey*.

Remain in the harbour, His Majesty's colonial brig *Prince Leopold*, the ships *Lady Ridley*, *Duchess of York*, *Marshal Wellington*, and *Emerald*; and the schooner *Victorine*; and whaling in the river and bays, the ship *Ann*, and the brigs *Sophia* and *Active*.



Amasa Delano



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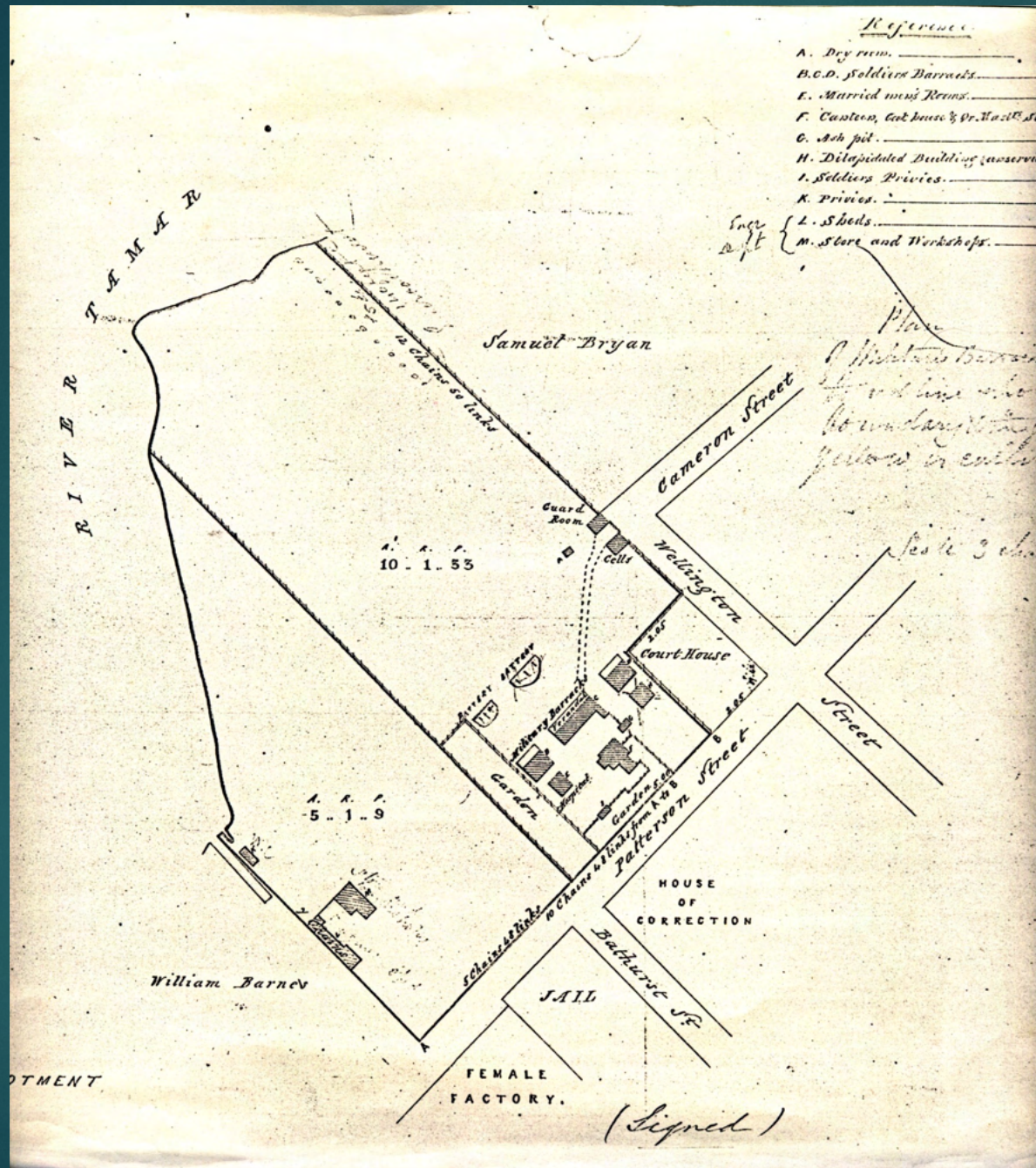
By Mr. Frankland

*To the Hon. the Secretary of State  
 in the Admiralty  
 10th July 1832  
 Frankland*

*It is to be observed that the plan  
 enclosed has been examined by the  
 Hon. the Secretary of the Admiralty  
 and approved of the 10th July 1832  
 Frankland*

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 survey of  
 Battery Point  
 and Sullivan's  
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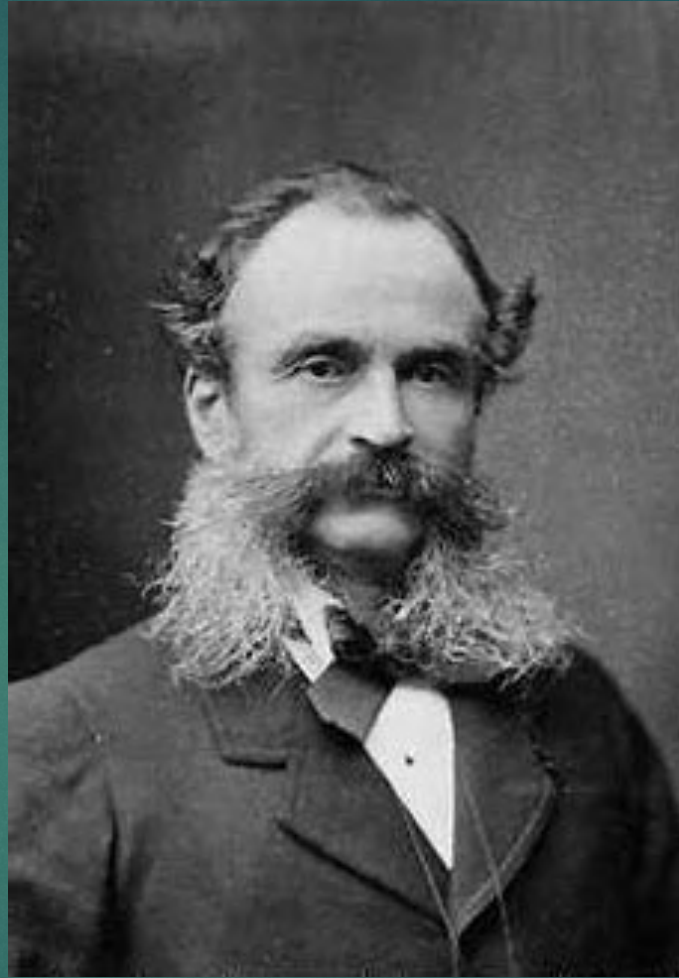


Hythe, UK.





Sir William Jervois

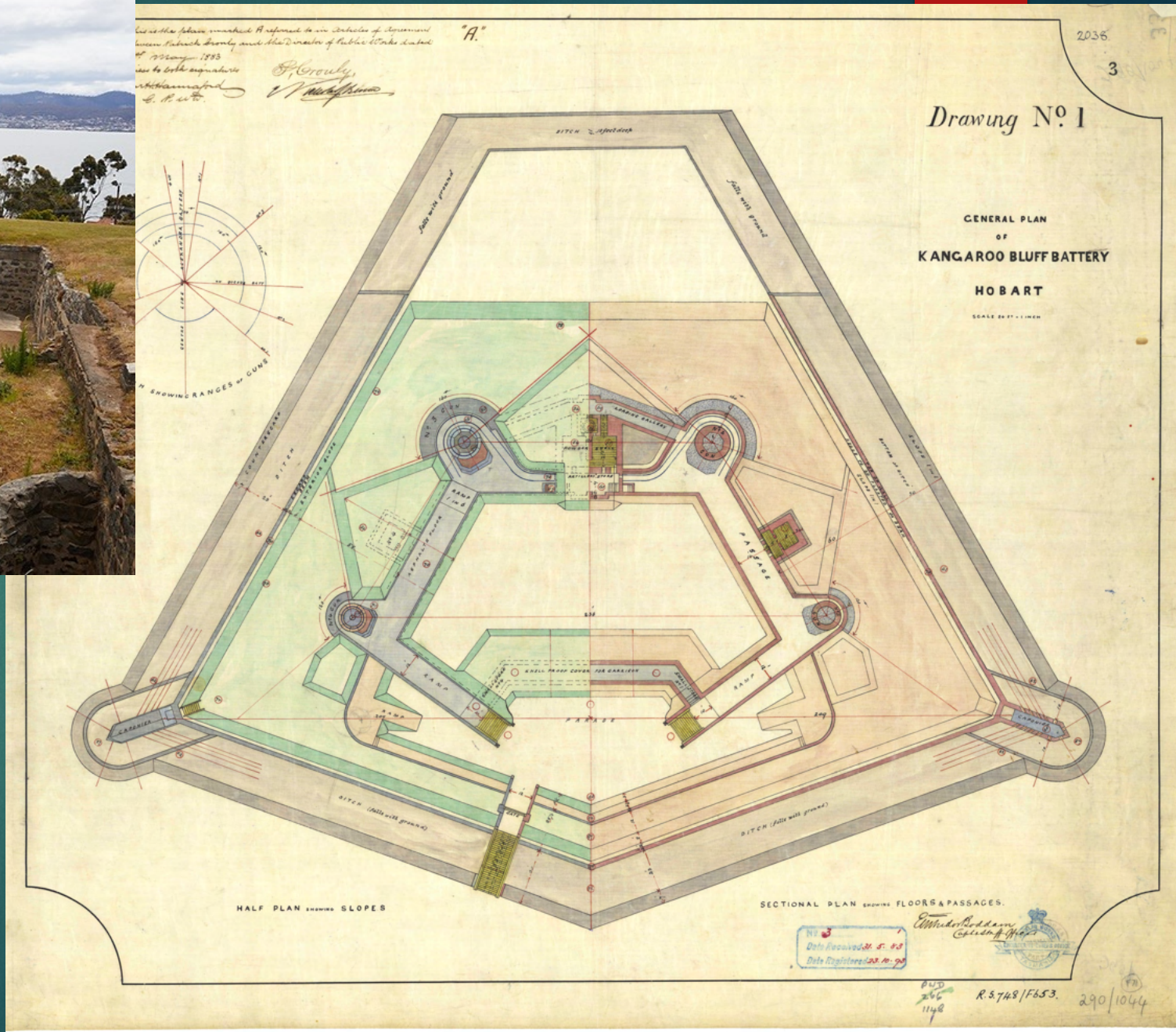


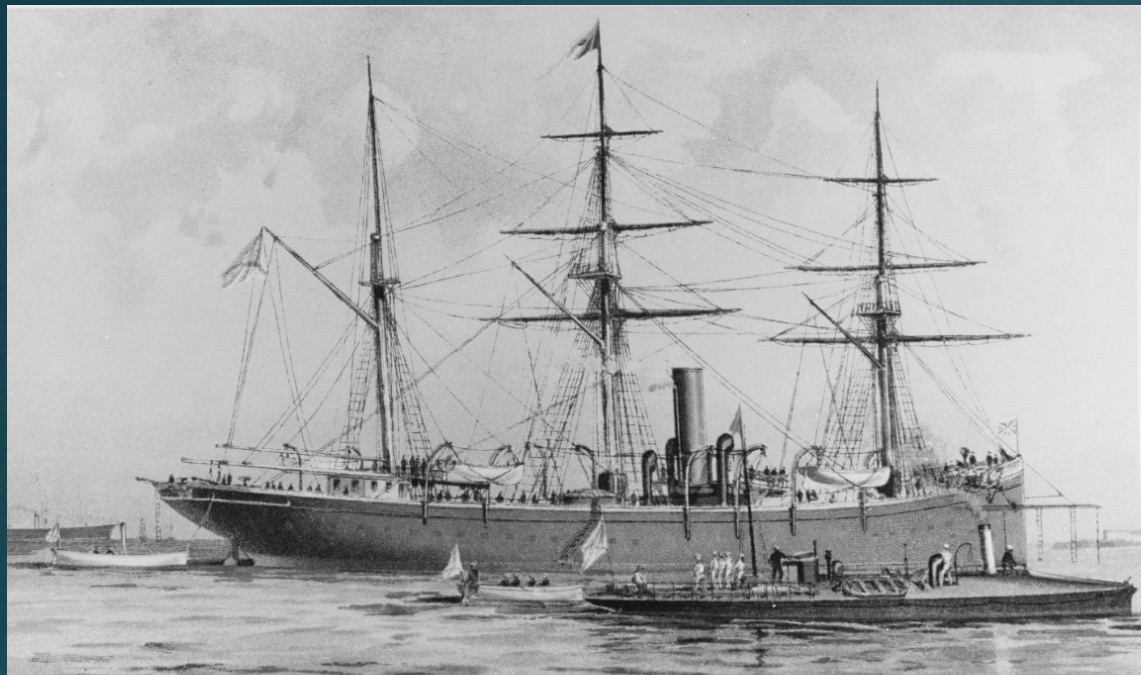
Colonel Peter Scratchley



Alexander Battery

Kangaroo Bluff Battery





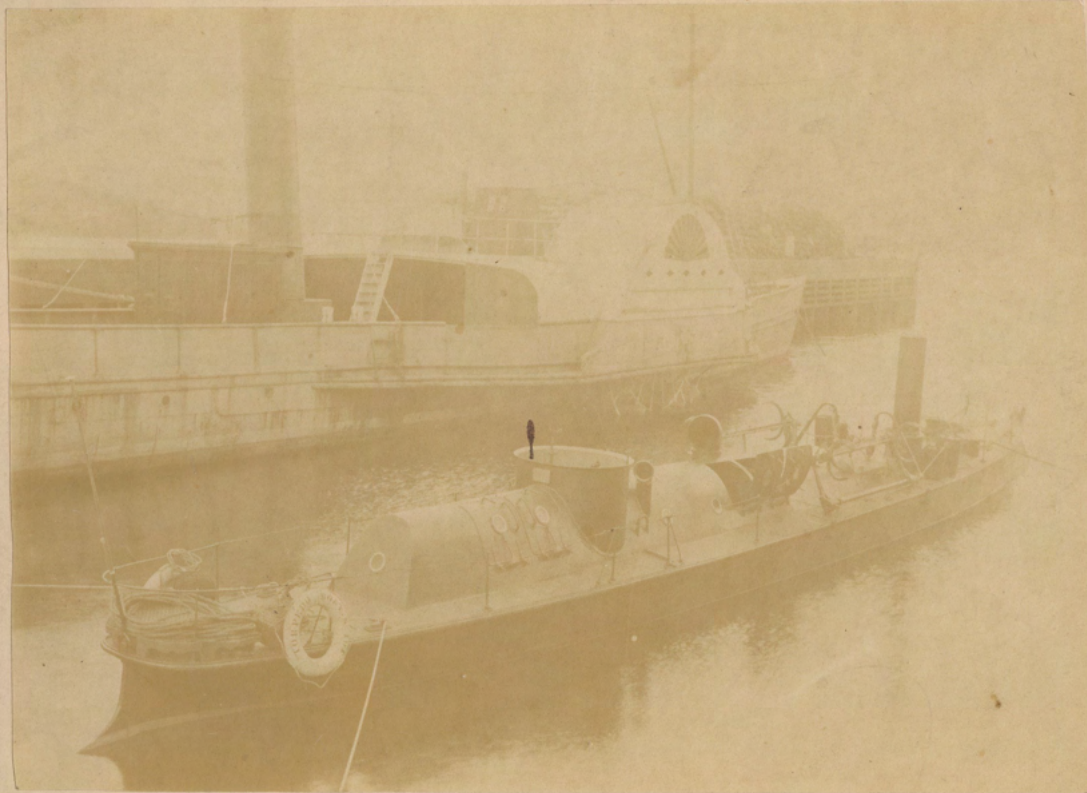
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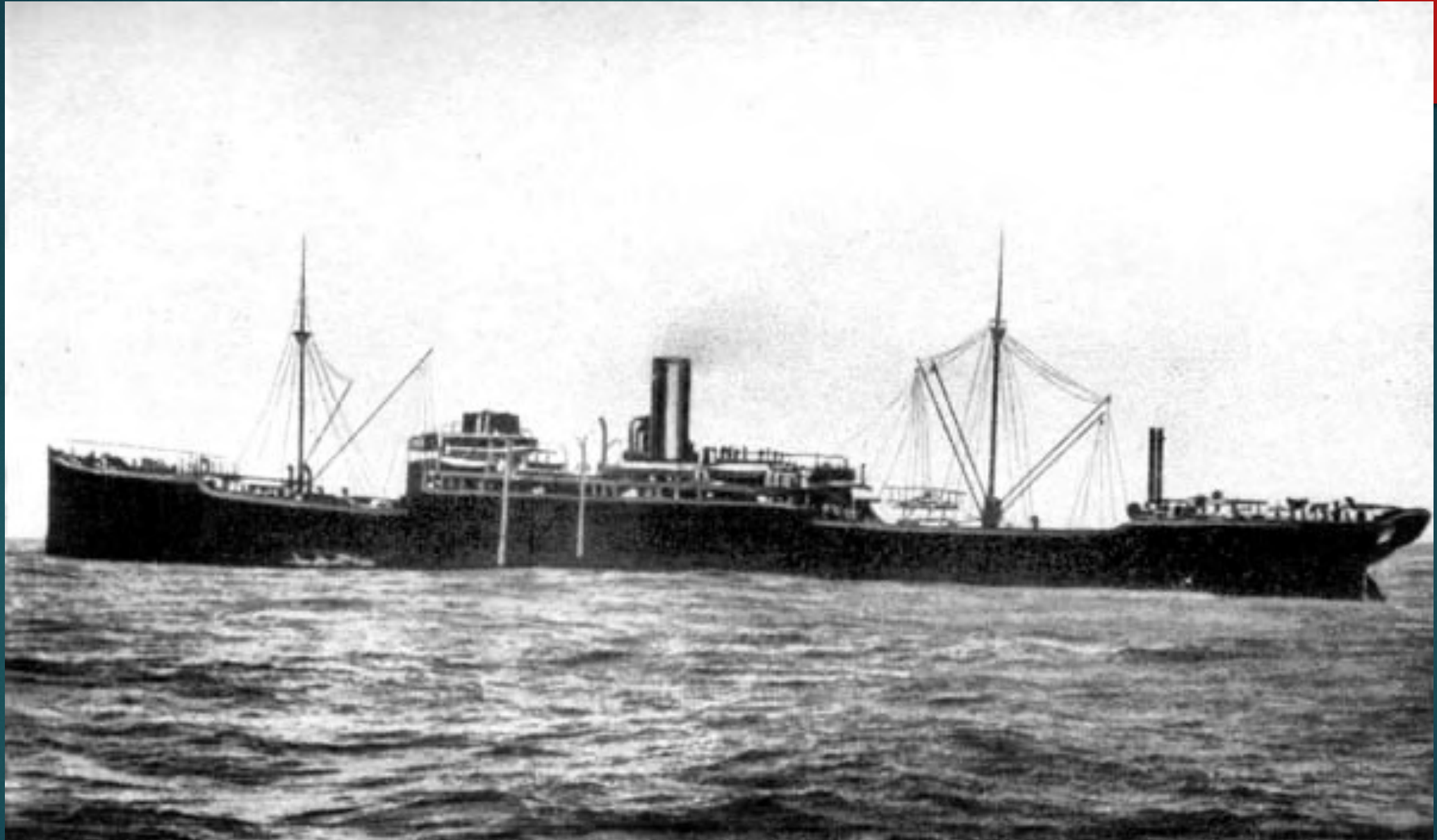
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*German raider SMS Wolf*