



TITANIC

April 14th 1912.

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TITANIC PROPORTIONS

EMPIRE STATE BUILDING
1,453 FEET, 9"

TITANIC
882 FEET, 7.5"

STATUE OF LIBERTY
305 FEET, 1"

BOEING 747
231 FEET, 10"

THE DEPTH OF THE WRECKAGE

974 FT
DEEPEST SCUBA DIVE

6,000 FT
GRAND CANYON DEPTH

12,460 FT
TITANIC WRECKAGE

18,904 FT
GUINNESS WORLD RECORD FOR DEEPEST WRECKAGE WWII GERMAN BLOCKADE RUNNER



CAPTAIN SMITH

Little is known about the last 2 hours of Captain Edward John Smith, 62 years old at the time of the Titanic tragedy. He was last seen on the bridge, where he gave the order to abandon ship. It is generally believed that he made no effort to save himself and that he waited for his death in the ship's wheelhouse.

CAPACITY
3,547 PEOPLE

2,222 PEOPLE ON BOARD ON APRIL 14 1912



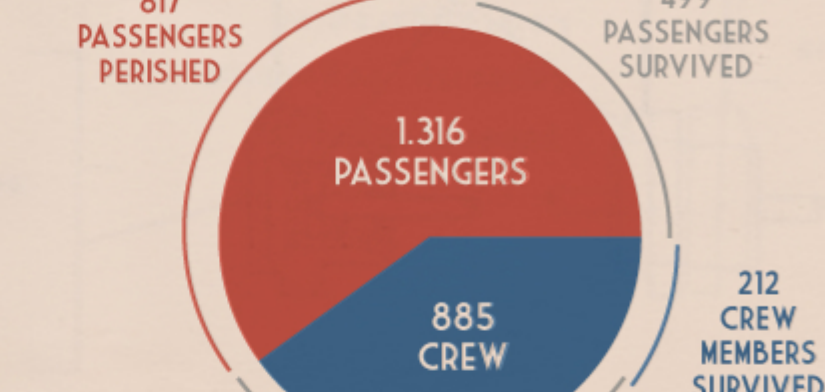
LIFEBOATS 16+4 COLLAPSIBLE
LIFEBOAT CAPACITY 1,178 PEOPLE

COST TO BUILD \$7.5 MILLION - WORTH \$400 MILLION IN 2012

THE PASSENGERS & CREW

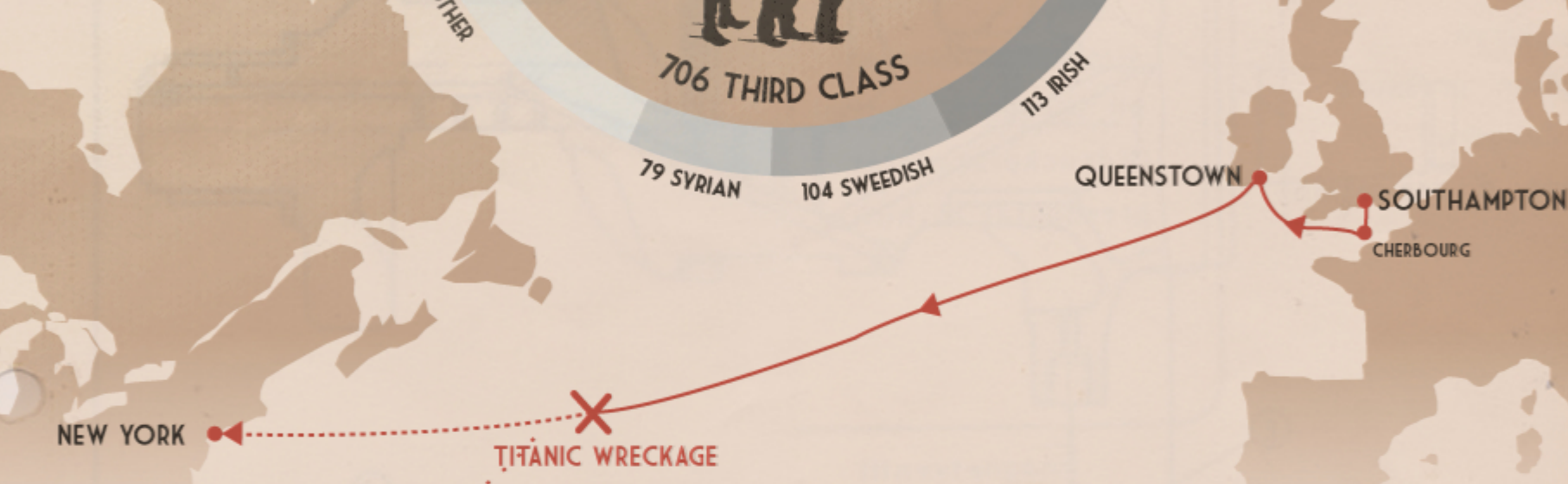
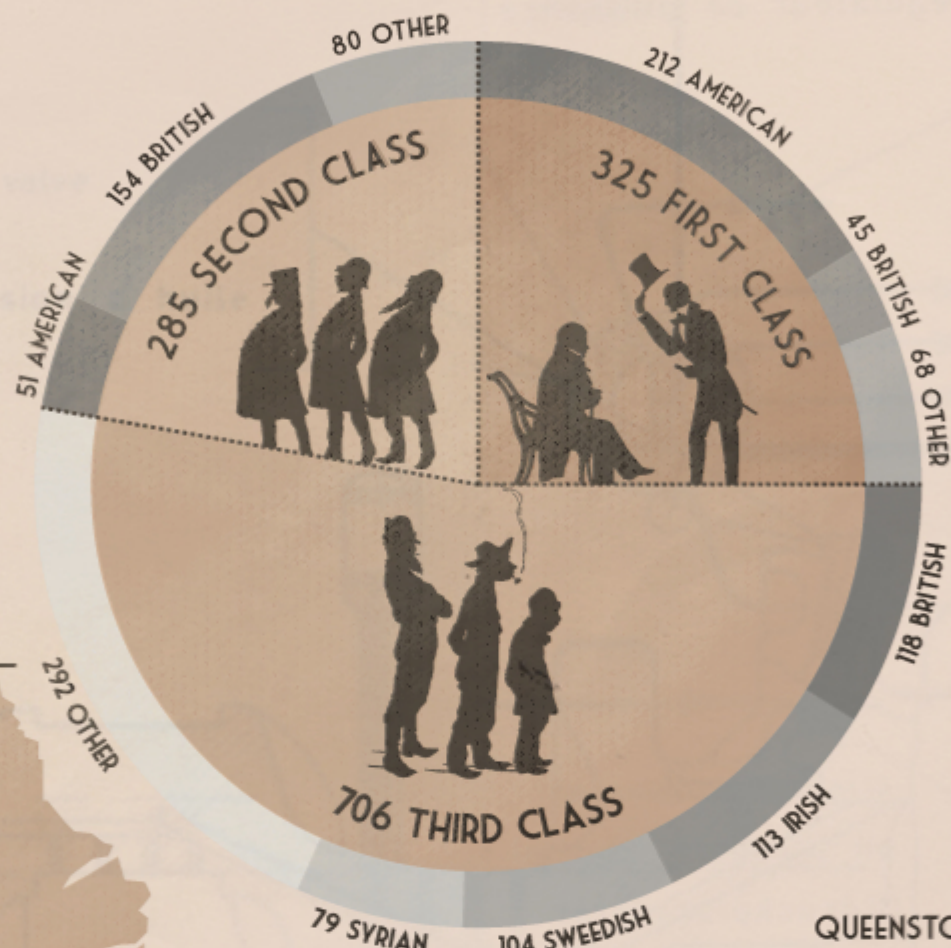


2,222 TOTAL PEOPLE ON BOARD



DIED	122 FIRST CLASS PASSENGERS DIED	167 SECOND CLASS PASSENGERS DIED	528 THIRD CLASS PASSENGERS DIED
SURVIVED	203 FIRST CLASS	118 SECOND CLASS	178 THIRD CLASS

THE CLASSES



THU, APR 11, 1912, 1:30PM
TITANIC LEFT QUEENSTOWN

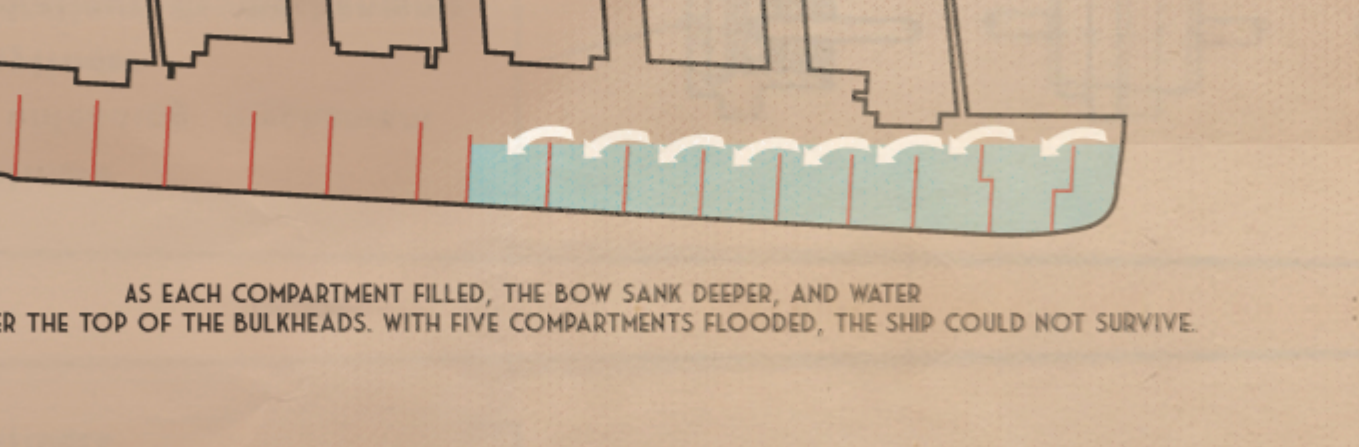
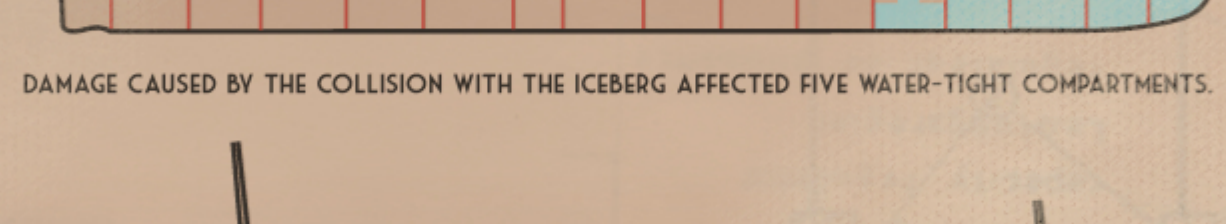
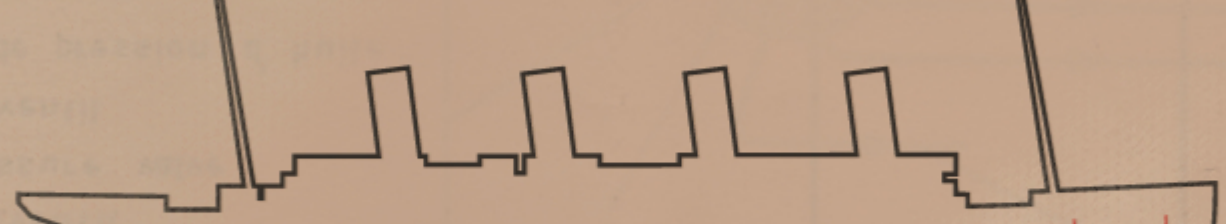
APR 12 - 13, 1912
TITANIC SAILED 21 KNOTS IN FINE, CALM WEATHER

SUN, APR 14, 1912
8:40 PM TEMPERATURE DROPPED TO 33°F AS SECOND OFFICER LIGHTOLLER ORDERED THE LOOK OUTS TO MAINTAIN SHARP OBSERVATIONS FOR ICEBERGS
9:30 PM CAPTAIN SMITH RETIRED
11:40 PM FREDERICK FLEET SPOTTED AN ICEBERG & INFORMED THE BRIDGE AS THE **TITANIC STRUCK THE ICEBERG**
11:45 PM CAPTAIN SMITH ORDERED BOXHALL TO INSPECT THE DAMAGE TO THE HULL, WHO DISCOVERED THAT THE ORLOP DECK WAS FLOODED FORWARD OF THE 4TH WATERTIGHT BULKHEAD
11:55 PM THE POST OFFICE ON "G" DECK FORWARD STARTED TO FLOOD & IT WAS CLEAR THAT THE TITANIC WAS SINKING

MON, APR 15, 1912
12:00 AM CAPTAIN SMITH ORDERED A RADIO CALL FOR ASSISTANCE, THE CARPATHIA RECEIVED THE MESSAGE, IMMEDIATELY HEADING TO THE TITANIC'S RESCUE
12:25 AM CAPTAIN SMITH ORDERED LIGHTOLLER TO **START THE EVACUATION** INTO THE LIFEBOATS, WOMEN & CHILDREN FIRST
12:45 AM 1ST LIFEBOAT NUMBER 7 WAS LAUNCHED AS THE 1ST DISTRESS ROCKET WAS ALSO LAUNCHED. THE LAST LIFEBOAT LAUNCHED AT 2:05 AM
2:10 AM FINAL WIRELESS TRANSMISSIONS MADE
2:17 AM BRIDE & PHILLIPS EXITED THEIR POST BEFORE COLLAPSIBLE LIFEBOAT NUMBERS A & B FLOATED OFF & THE TITANIC'S BOW FULLY SUNK FURTHER INTO THE SEA & THE STERN ROSE STRAIGHT UP IN THE AIR
2:18 AM THE LIGHTS BLINKED & THEN FINALLY WENT OUT FOREVER BEFORE THE FORWARD FUNNEL SNAPPED OFF, KILLING MANY PEOPLE
2:19 AM THE TITANIC BROKE INTO TWO PIECES AS THE BOW SECTION SUNK, THE STERN SECTION REMAINED AFLOAT FOR A MOMENT BEFORE SINKING
2:20 AM **THE TITANIC SUNK**
4:10 AM THE CARPATHIA RESCUED LIFEBOAT NUMBER 2 AND CONTINUED PICKING UP SURVIVORS UNTIL 8:30 AM
8:50 AM THE CARPATHIA SET SAIL TO NY WITH A HEADCOUNT OF 705 SURVIVORS, THOUGH WHITE STAR LINE PUBLISHED 757 & THE BRITISH COURT OF INQUIRY TOTALED 711

WED, APRIL 18, 1912
9:25 AM THE CARPATHIA DOCKED IN NY WITH THE SURVIVORS & THE SURVIVING CREW MEMBERS WERE DETAINED FOR QUESTIONING

THE SINKING OF THE UNSINKABLE



10 FACTS ABOUT THE TITANIC

- THE SHIP WAS LOADED WITH ONLY ENOUGH LIFEBOATS TO HOLD HALF OF THE PASSENGERS AND SOME OF THE LIFEBOATS WERE LOWERED TO THE WATERS ONLY HALF-FULL.
- PRICE FOR ONE-WAY TICKET
FIRST CLASS PARLOR SUITE \$4,350 (\$50,000 TODAY)
FIRST CLASS BERTH \$150 (\$1,724 TODAY)
SECOND CLASS \$60 (\$690 TODAY)
THIRD CLASS \$15 - \$40 (\$172 - \$460 TODAY)
- THE SHIP CONTAINED A HEATED SWIMMING POOL, A FIRST FOR ANY SAILING VESSEL.
- THE SHIP WAS STILL SO BRAND NEW WHEN PASSENGERS BOARDED IT ON APRIL 10, 1912, THAT THE PAINT WAS STILL WET IN SOME SPOTS.
- OF THE 1517 PEOPLE WHO PERISHED IN THE SINKING OF THE TITANIC, ONLY 306 BODIES WERE RECOVERED.
- IT TOOK THREE YEARS TO FULLY CONSTRUCT THE SHIP.
- AMONG THE PROVISIONS WHEN THE TITANIC SET SAIL IN SOUTHAMPTON (ENGLAND) WERE 40,000 EGGS, 75,000 POUNDS OF FRESH MEAT AND 1,000 BOTTLES OF WINE.
- THE TITANIC'S WEIGHT FULLY LOADED WAS 46,328 TONS. THE SHIP CONSUMED 825 TONS OF COAL IN ONE DAY AND ITS TOP SPEED WAS 23 KNOTS.
- THIRD CLASS HAD ONLY 2 BATHTUBS FOR MORE THAN 700 PEOPLE...
- AMONG THE SURVIVORS OF THE TITANIC DISASTER WERE 2 DOGS: A POMERANIAN AND A PEKINESE. A TOTAL OF 9 DOGS WERE ON BOARD OF THE SHIP.

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