

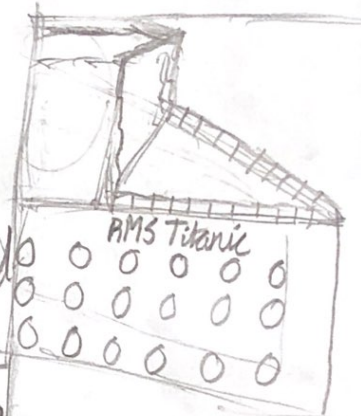
THE BELFAST TELEGRAPH

TITANIC LOST

1500 DEAD

Over the past half-week, we have received unmistakable evidence that the RMS Titanic has sunk and two-thirds of the passengers have gone with it. The ship survivors are due to arrive this morning on the RMS Carpathia at New York. Rumours say that the ship's starboard side was hit by an iceberg and the ship sank intact. Many prominent people such as John Jacob Astar IV, Benjamin Guggenheim, Francis Davis Millet and many others perished in the catastrophe (for all names go to page 7). According to our sources, an iceberg was spotted at arou-

nd 11:30 p.m. (14 April) by Frederick Fleet. First Officer William Murdoch reportedly ordered the RMS Titanic to be steered around the obstacle, but they sailed. The ship sank after 3 hours in which Captain Edward Smith, and over 1500 passengers and crew, all perished (for full details go to page 8). The US Senate and the British Board of Trade are now preparing for investigations into the catastrophe. The Titanic was built here by Harland and Wolff. Word has



RMS Titanic before voyage spread that the SS Californian was only a few miles away but didn't arrive for several hours. In contrast, the RMS Carpathia was tens of miles away but arrived over an hour before. Some citizens are protesting against people and companies that described the Titanic as unsinkable and even more the UK government's lack of required lifeboats.
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