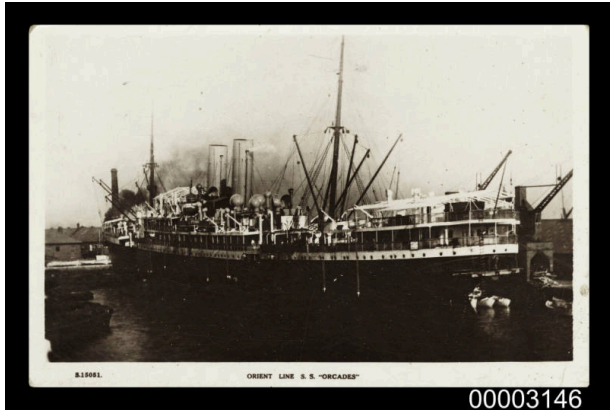


Basic Detail Report



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Title

Orient Line SS ORCADES

Date

1921 - 1924

Primary Maker

Orient Line

Medium

Photographic image on paper

Dimensions

Overall: 88 x 139 mm

Name

Postcard

History

Built in Germany and launched as PRINZ LUDWIG. Served on routes to Asia until laid up in Germany during WWI. As part of war reparations PRINZ LUDWIG came under control of the British Shipping Controller in 1919 and was used return troops to Australia. Purchased by purchased by the Orient Steam Navigation Company (Orient Line) in 1921 it underwent a refit and was renamed ORCADES. The vessel then served on the UK - Australia route until 1924.