

Artefacts from Titanic's sister ship recovered

Deep-sea divers have retrieved a first batch of objects from the wreck of *HMHS Britannic*, more than a century after the *Titanic*'s sister ship was sunk in wartime in the Aegean Sea

HMHS BRITANNIC

■ Third of White Star Line company's Olympic class of steamships, along with *RMS Titanic* and *RMS Olympic*

■ Requisitioned by British Admiralty to be converted into floating hospital during World War I

■ Sinks off coast of Greek island of Kea on Nov 16, 1916 after striking German mine, killing 30 of 1,065 people on board

GREECE

Ship's wreck

Kea

AEGEAN
SEA

100km
60 miles

HMHS BRITANNIC

RMS TITANIC

Artefacts recovered by 11-member team of professional deep-sea divers include observatory bell (1); signal lamp (2); and pair of binoculars (3)

