

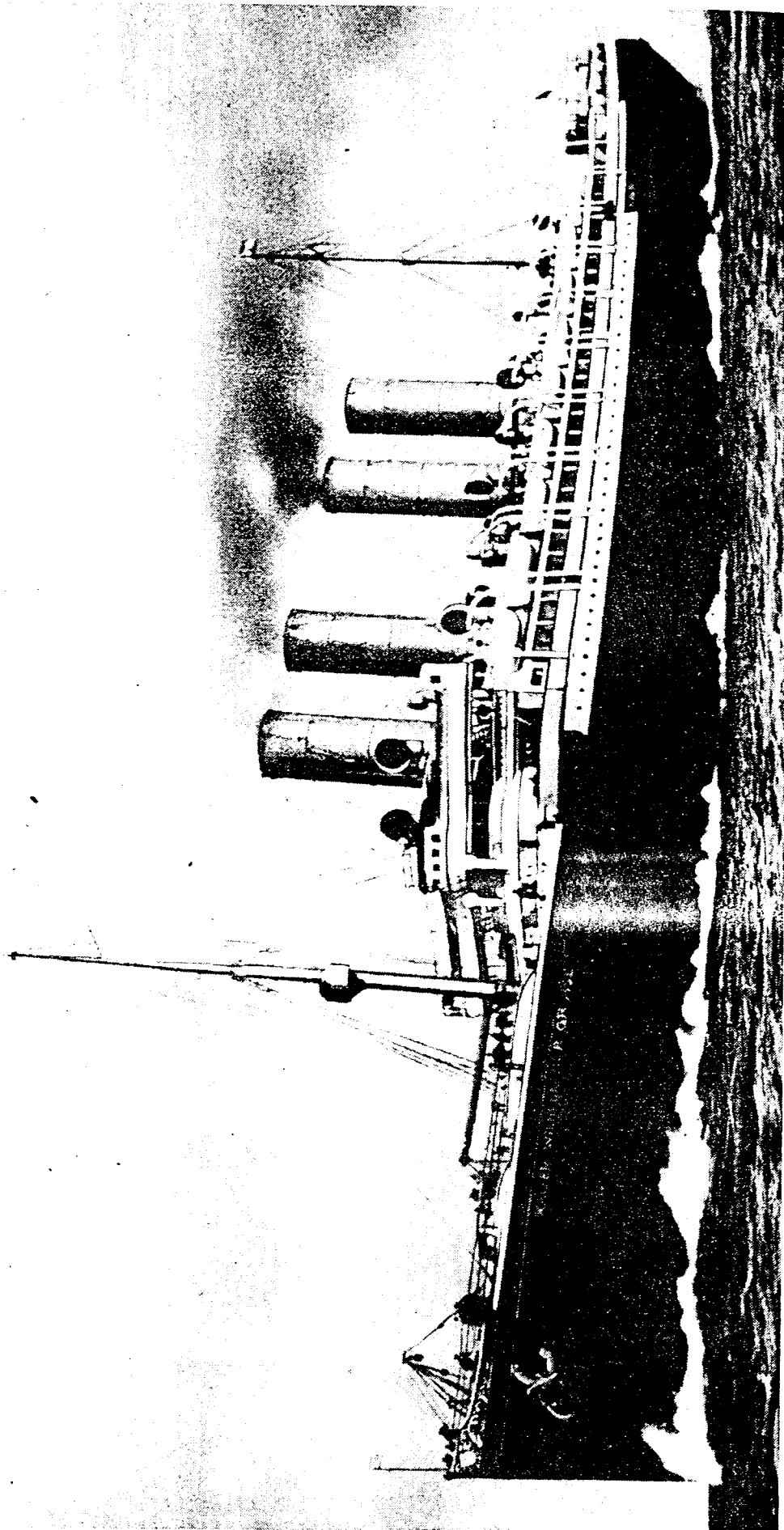
The Ellis Island Experience

When they landed, the immigrants had numbered tags pinned to their clothing that corresponded to the manifest page and line number on which their names appeared. Immigration inspectors used this system to verify the immigrants right to land.

Undoubtedly confused by instructions in a “foreign” language and overwhelmed by the sheer numbers awaiting the same processing, the new arrivals joined the line starting at the dock and continuing up the steep flight of stairs to the Registry Room. There Public Health doctors had a few seconds to examine each immigrant for a variety of disease including cholera, tuberculosis and epilepsy. Immigrants who appeared to be sick or who were determined to have a contagious disease were marked with blue chalk and detained for further medical examination. Immigrants with incurable or disabling ailments were returned to their point of departure.

The immigrants who passed through the medical inspection slowly made their way to the end of the Registry Room to confront the legal inspectors. Amid the chaos of many languages being spoken at once, the immigrants were asked their age, occupation, marital status, and destination. The inspectors determined the social, economic and moral fitness of the immigrant by his answers.

Although each immigrant spent only a few moments being examined and questioned, the inspection process at Ellis Island averaged five hours.



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Name	Lorenz, Peter
Ethnicity	Austria Galicia, German
Place of Residence	Rachin, Galicia
Date of Arrival	December 20, 1905
Age on Arrival	35y
Gender	M
Marital Status	M
Ship of Travel	Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse
Port of Departure	Bremen, Germany

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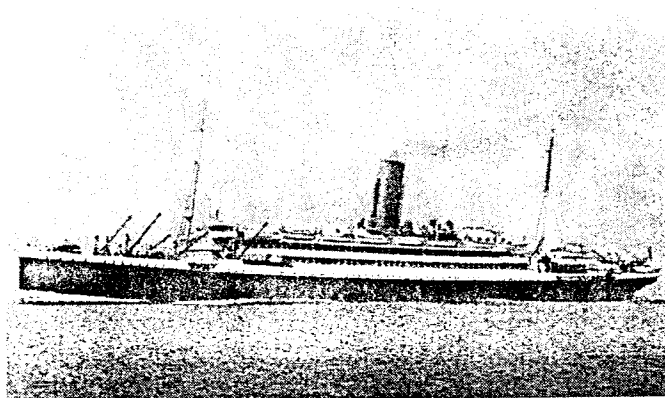
The Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse

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Associated Passenger
Lorenz, Peter

Date of Arrival
December 20, 1905

Port of Departure
Bremen



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1		Martin	1	25	"	"	"	
2	Lorenz	Josef	1	40	W.			
3		Maria	1	30	M.			
4		Rosa.	1	11 1/2				
5		Karoline	1	8				
6		Ferdinand	1	6	Kinder			
7		Mila	1	2				
8		Käthe	1	7 1/2				
9	Drechsler	Rosa.	1	26	M.			
10		Maria	1	1 1/2	T.			
11		Wilhelm	1	5 1/2	L.			
12	Schulz	Florian	1	36	V.			
13		Johanna	1	24	M.			
14		Carlson	1	6	L.	Pascionka		
15		Johann	1	33 1/4	"			
16		Jacob	1	2 1/2	"			
17		Anna	1	6 1/2	T.			
18		Maria	1	30	V.			
19	Jaworski	Michel	1	28	L.	Kawie		
20	Bozek	Lucya	1	26	"	"		
21	Frost	Franz	1	17	"	Kaspenan	Böhm.	Spie
22	Bartz	Lina	1	30	M.			
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-	Mama		F	Mar.	Wife	4	4
-	Rupold		M	Mar.	Wife	4	4
-	Emilia		F	Mar.	Wife	4	4
-	Joseph		M	Mar.	Wife	4	4
25	Wilhelm	25	M	Mar.	Wife	4	4
-	Mama	19	F	Mar.	Wife	4	4
107	Elisabeth, Karonig	20	F	Mar.	Wife	4	4
-	Mama	25	F	Mar.	Wife	4	4
90	Joseph, Karonig	40	M	Mar.	Wife	4	4
-	Mama	30	F	Mar.	Wife	4	4
-	Kataryne		F	Mar.	Wife	4	4
-	Karoline		F	Mar.	Wife	4	4
-	Ferdinand		M	Mar.	Wife	4	4
-	Mila		F	Mar.	Wife	4	4
-	Mama		F	Mar.	Wife	4	4
400	Ferdinand, Karonig	36	M	Mar.	Wife	4	4
-	Kataryne		F	Mar.	Wife	4	4

No.	Name	Age	Sex	Color	Height	Weight	Build	Complexion	Education	Occupation	Religion	Marital Status	Notes
1	Edward	4	M	W	5' 0"	120	Medium	Fair	High School	Farmer	Protestant	Married	
2	Mila	15	F	W	5' 0"	100	Medium	Fair	High School	Farmer	Protestant	Married	
3	Maria	16	F	W	5' 0"	100	Medium	Fair	High School	Farmer	Protestant	Married	
4	Maria	17	F	W	5' 0"	100	Medium	Fair	High School	Farmer	Protestant	Married	
5	Thomas	36	M	W	5' 0"	100	Medium	Fair	High School	Farmer	Protestant	Married	
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