

**1874 –**

Ernest Shackleton was born on the 15<sup>th</sup> of February in Kilkea, Ireland.

**1892 –** Shackleton progressed to the rank of first mate.

**1901 –**

Shackleton joined the British National (Discovery) Expedition.

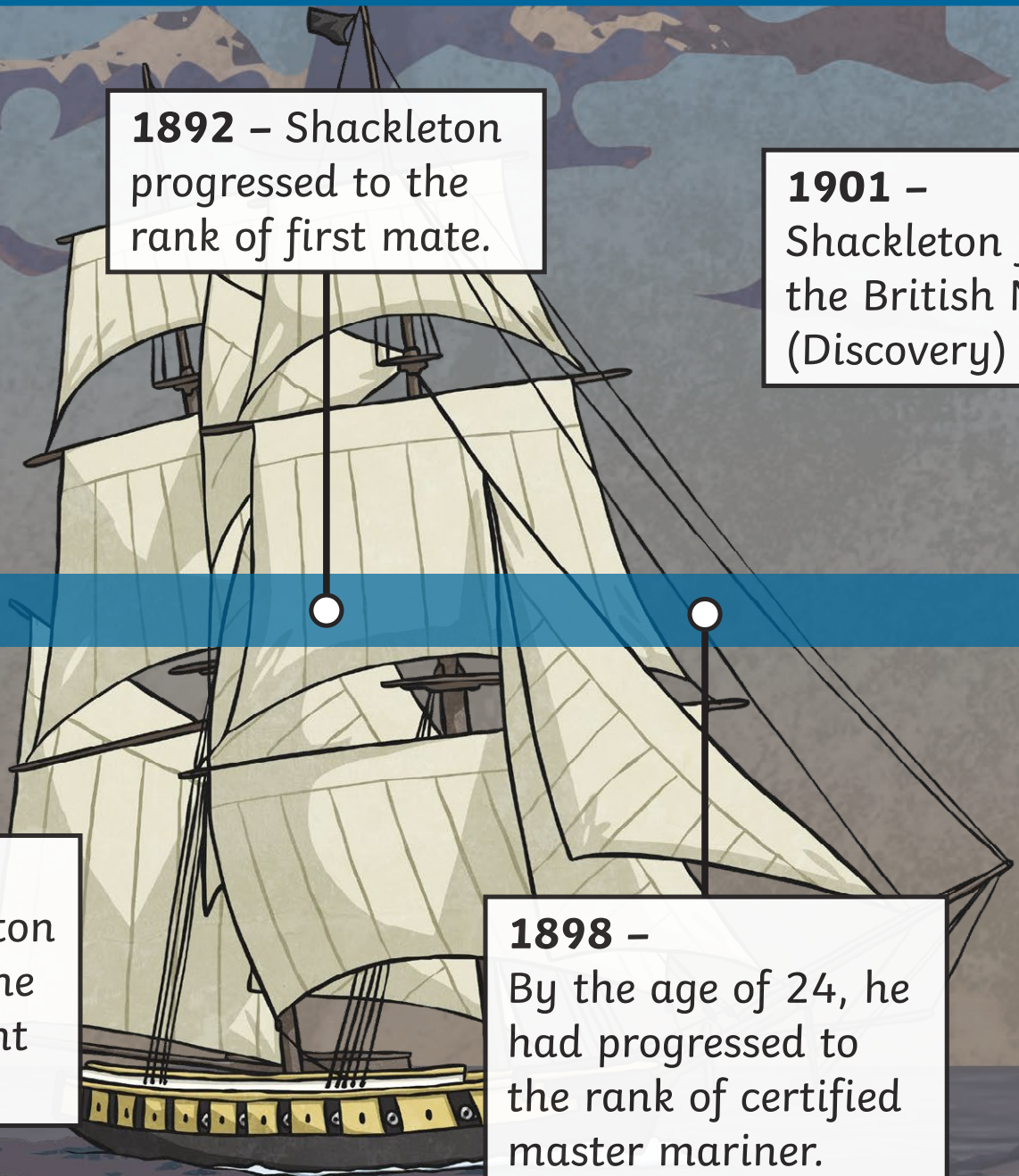
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**1890 –**

Shackleton joined the merchant navy.

**1898 –**

By the age of 24, he had progressed to the rank of certified master mariner.



# Timeline of Sir Ernest Shackleton's Adventures

and Scott on  
their final Antarctic  
expedition.

**1907** – The British  
Antarctic (Nimrod)  
Expedition set sail.

**1911** –  
Roald Amundsen  
reaches South Pole.

**1903** – Shackleton  
returned home on  
the Morning supply  
ship due to illness.

**1909** – Returned to  
England after being  
forced to turn back.

**1914** –  
Endurance  
departs London  
for the South  
Pole.



**1915 –**

Endurance becomes trapped in ice where it drifts for 10 months before sinking.

**1921 –**

The Quest departs England on the Shackleton-Rowett Antarctic Expedition.

**1922**

**1922 –**

Shackleton suffers a fatal heart attack on the 5<sup>th</sup> of January.

**1916 –**

Shackleton returns to reunite with his crew before returning to England.

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