

*Shaw Savill & Albion Comp<sup>y</sup> Limited.*

ALL LETTERS TO BE ADDRESSED  
TO "THE MANAGER"

HEAD OFFICE:

TELEPHONE: ROYAL 1288 (6 LINES)

TELEGRAMS: "SAVILL, FEN, LONDON"

DOCK [ROYAL ALBERT] OFFICES:

TELEPHONE: (IMPORT DEPT) ALBERT DOCK 3341.

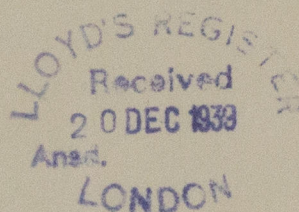
(EXPORT DEPT) ALBERT DOCK 2211.

TELEGRAMS: (EXPORT DEPT) "KIWI, ALDOCK, LONDON"

*New Zealand Chambers,  
34, Leadenhall Street*

RH/CFL. London, E.C.3. 19th December 1939.

TEMPORARY ADDRESS:-  
63, THE CRESCENT,  
HADLEY WOOD, HERTS.



Lloyds Register of Shipping,  
Fenchurch Street,  
LONDON, E.C. 3.

Dear Sirs,

S.S. "TAIROA".

We regret to inform you that the above vessel was sunk by the "Admiral Graf Spee". We have, as yet, no official information of the date, which, however, seems to be about the 2nd or 3rd inst.

Yours faithfully,  
SHAW SAVILL & ALBION COMPANY LTD.

*N. Wilson*  
Chief Accountant.



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*Referred to Mr. Spray.*

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*Mr. Reed*

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