

## Olympic Find at Pity Me

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### Northeast England's Connection with Olympic and Titanic

The cocktail bar at Pity Me is only one of Northeast England's links to Olympic and Titanic. Olympic was initially dismantled at Tyneside's Palmers shipyard in Jarrow in 1935 before final scrapping two years later at Inverkeithing in Scotland. There was an auction of items from Olympic on 6 November 1935 and this was when the hotel and Crown Berger acquired their fittings. A prime article for a pub to purchase at that time would obviously have been a cocktail bar.

The Smoking Room walls are panelled with the finest mahogany, carved in the taste of our Georgian

forefathers, and relieved everywhere with inlaid work in mother-o'pearl.

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