

NON-EXISTENT ISLANDS AND ROCKS AROUND THE ANTARCTIC

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The following 19 Antarctic, and other far southern, islands and rocks are non-existent. All have appeared on maritime charts and in pilots at various times, sometimes with indications of doubt thus 'P.D.' or 'E.D.'. Following the island's name is the purported position, the names of the 'discoverer' and his vessel (where known), the nature of voyage, and year of the occurrence. The list is in geographical order from the prime meridian. It includes only the non-existent islands reported well offshore, mainly in the Southern Ocean.

<i>Thompson Island</i> : 54·25°S, 3·37°E	George Norris, <i>Lively</i> , British sealer	1825
<i>The Chimneys</i> : 54·25°S, 3·37°E	George Norris, <i>Lively</i> , British sealer	1825
<i>Pagoda Rock</i> : 60·18°S, 4·72°E	Thomas Moore, <i>Pagoda</i> , British naval exploration	1845
<i>Trulsklippen</i> : 56·25°S, 23·75°E	S. Henriksen, <i>Truls</i> , Norwegian whaler	1929
<i>Royal Company Island</i> : 49°S, 142°E	Miguel de Sierra, <i>San Raphael</i> , Spanish merchant	1803
<i>Emerald Island</i> : 57·50°S, 162·20°E	William Elliott, <i>Emerald</i> , British sealer	1821
<i>Nimrod Island</i> : 56·50°S, 158·50°W	Henry Eilbech, <i>Nimrod</i> , British merchant	1828
<i>Dougherty's Island</i> : 59·03°S, 120·03°W	D. Dougherty, <i>James Stewart</i> , British whaler	1841
<i>Macy's Island</i> : 59°S, 91°W	Richard Macy, <i>Mars</i> , United States whaler	1824
<i>Swain's Island</i> : 59°S, 90°W	Abraham Swain, <i>Charles</i> , United States whaler	1800
<i>Elizabethides</i> : 55·50°S, 75°W	Francis Drake, <i>Golden Hind</i> , British exploration	1578
<i>Burdwood's Island</i> : 54·15°S, 59·60°W	Thomas Burdwood, <i>Kains</i> , British merchant	1828
<i>Middle Island</i> : 62·80°S, 59·40°W	George Powell, <i>Dove</i> , British sealer	1821
<i>Isla Grande</i> : 46·67°S, 48·58°W	Antoine de la Roche, British merchant	1675
<i>New South Greenland</i> : 62°- 69°S, 48°W	Robert Johnson, <i>Wasp</i> , United States sealer	1821
<i>Aurora Islands</i> : 54°S, 45°W	Joseph de la Llana, <i>Aurora</i> , Spanish exploration	1762
<i>Strathfillan Rocks</i> : 54·68°S, 42·37°W	Thomas D. Scorer, <i>Strathfillan</i> , Norwegian whaler	1927
<i>Undine Rock</i> : 58·52°S, 41·80°W	C. J. Rasmussen, <i>Undine</i> , Argentine supply	1916
<i>Sevilla Rocks</i> : 62·47°S, 23·68°W	Hans Halvorsen, <i>Sevilla</i> , Norwegian whaler	1928

