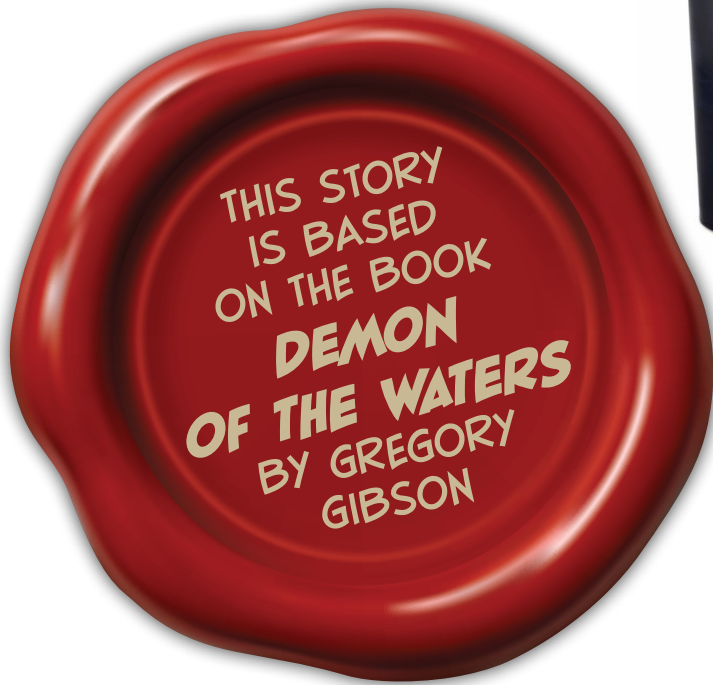
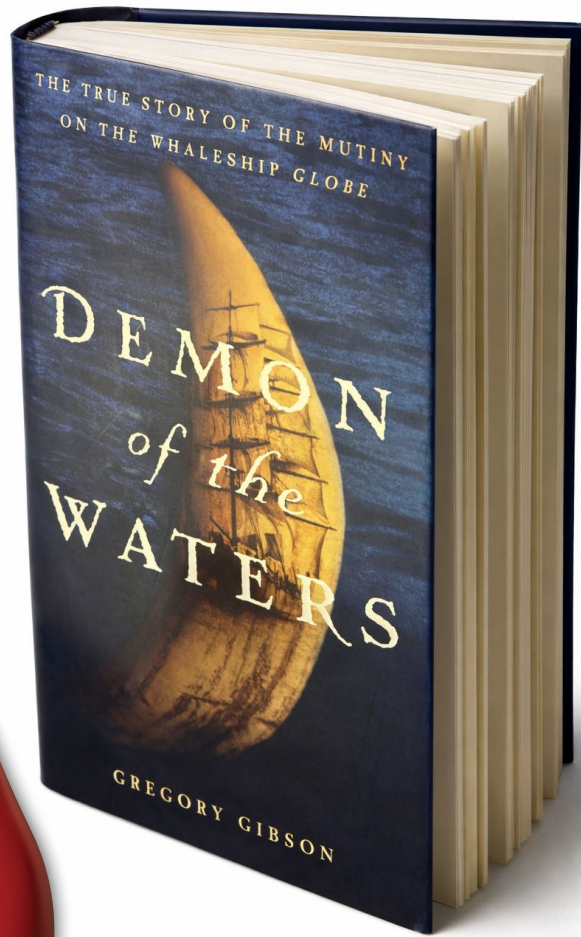




A SORDID  
TALE OF INSANITY  
+ ADVENTURE  
IN THE  
PACIFIC!

SAMUEL COMSTOCK  
AND THE MUTINY ABOARD  
**THE WHALESHIP GLOBE**



**CREATED BY  
THE NORWELL HISTORICAL SOCIETY  
FOR THE NORTH RIVER  
HISTORY + HERITAGE POP-UP MUSEUM**

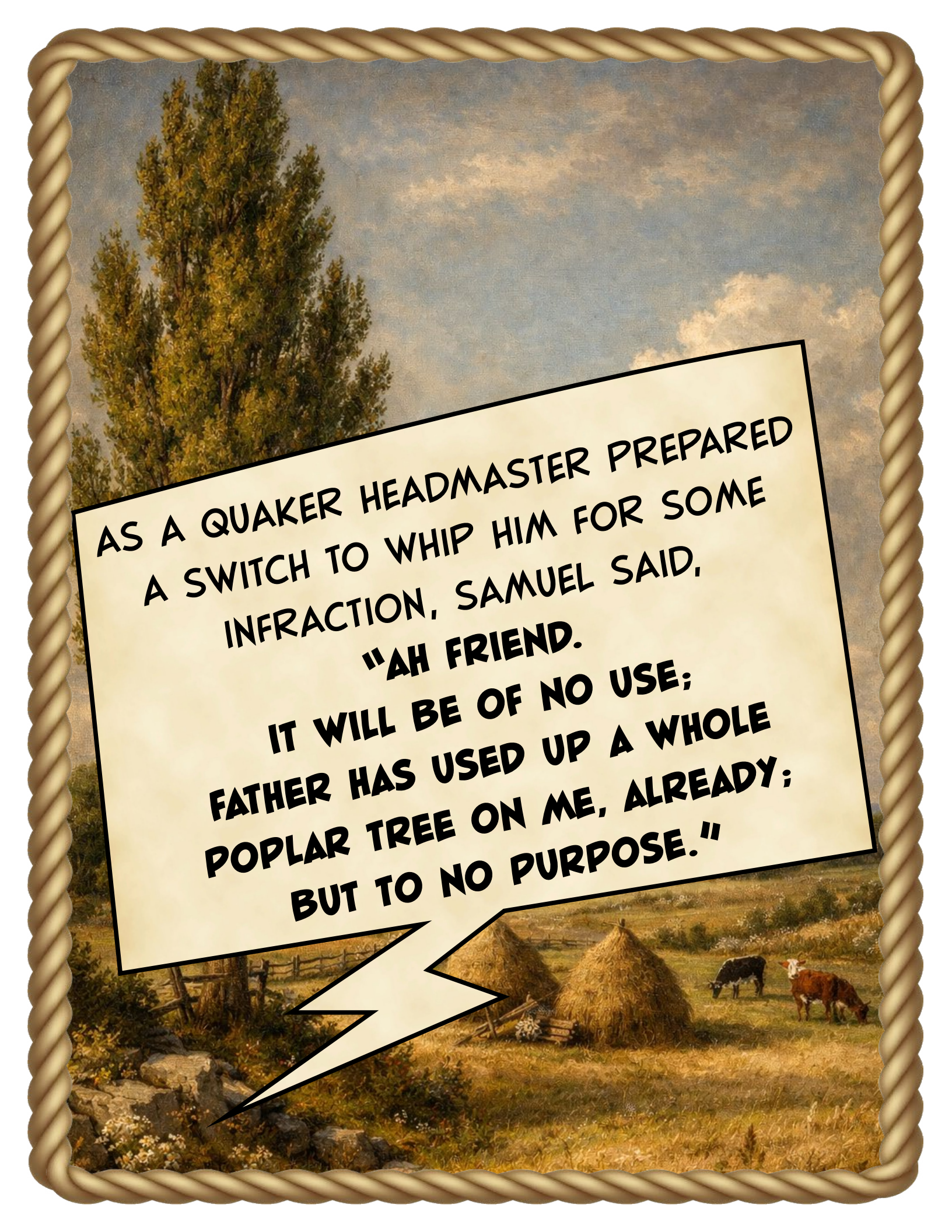


## **SAMUEL COMSTOCK**

**WAS BORN ON NANTUCKET IN 1802,  
DESCENDED FROM RESPECTABLE  
RHODE ISLAND QUAKER STOCK.**

HE WAS CONSIDERED UNGOVERNABLE  
AT AN EARLY AGE.



A scenic landscape painting of a rural farm scene. In the foreground, there are two large haystacks made of straw. To the right, two cows are grazing in a field. In the background, a large, tall poplar tree stands on the left, and a wooden fence runs across the middle ground. The sky is filled with soft, white clouds. The entire scene is framed by a thick, braided rope border.

AS A QUAKER HEADMASTER PREPARED  
A SWITCH TO WHIP HIM FOR SOME  
INFRACTION, SAMUEL SAID,  
"AH FRIEND.

IT WILL BE OF NO USE;  
FATHER HAS USED UP A WHOLE  
POPLAR TREE ON ME, ALREADY;  
BUT TO NO PURPOSE."

**AT THE AGE OF 13, SAMUEL  
RAN AWAY, FOUND HIS WAY  
ONTO A SHIP...**



**...AND GOT AS FAR  
AS NEW JERSEY  
BEFORE HE WAS RETURNED HOME.**

AT AGE  
15...

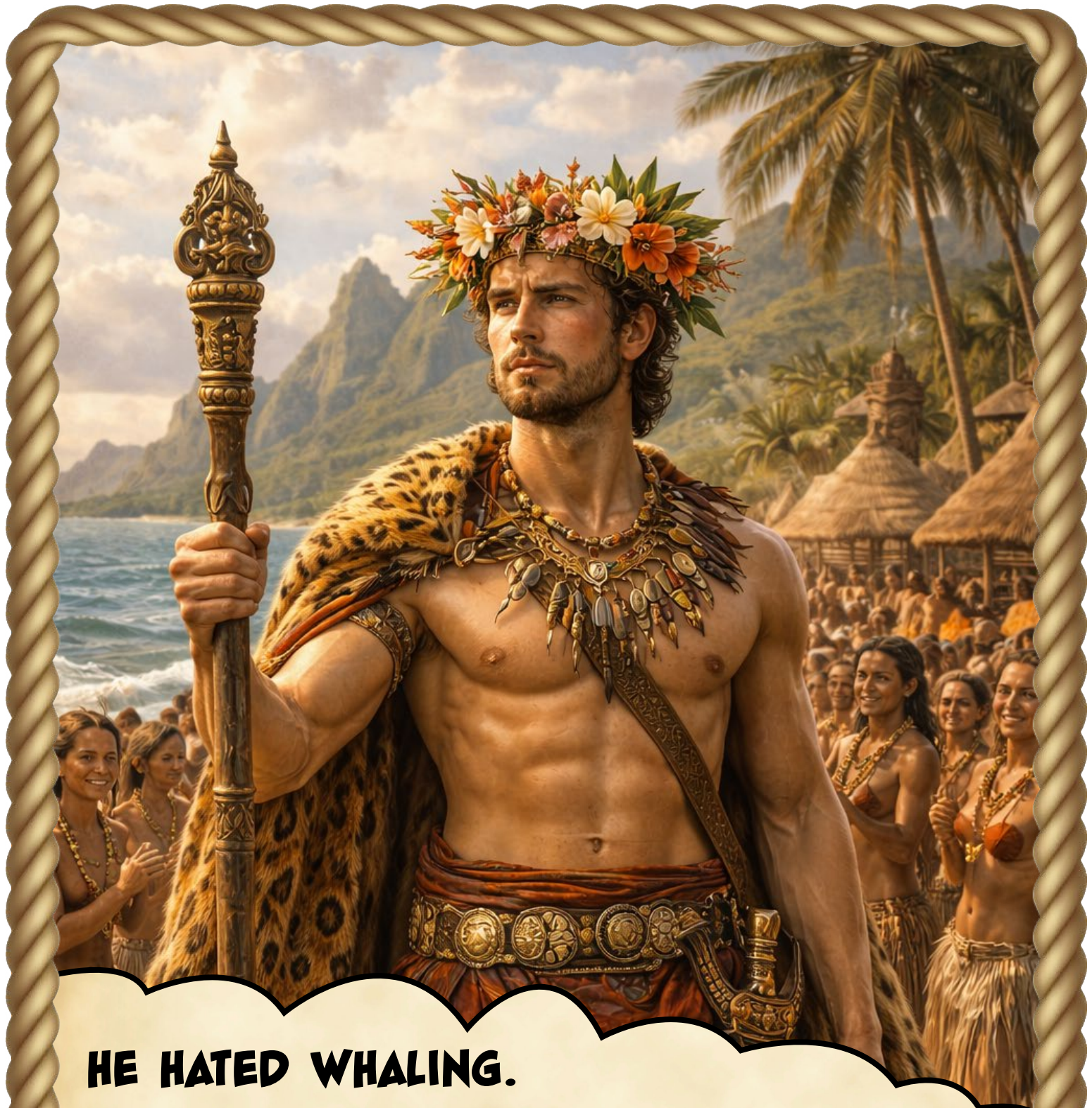


...SAMUEL SHIPPED ABOARD  
A **GUNRUNNER**, DELIVERING MUNITIONS TO  
CHILEAN REVOLUTIONARIES. HE ENDED UP  
IN A CHILEAN JAIL FOR SOME MONTHS.

A young man with curly brown hair and blue eyes stands on the deck of a wooden sailing ship. He is wearing a white long-sleeved shirt, a brown leather vest, and a red neckerchief. He is holding a large coil of thick, light-brown rope. The ship's deck is cluttered with wooden barrels and more rope. In the background, other crew members are visible working on the ship. The sea is choppy with white-capped waves under a cloudy sky. The entire scene is framed by a thick, braided rope border.

AT AGE  
17...

...HE SHIPPED ABOARD  
THE WHALESHIP **FOSTER**  
FOR A 3-YEAR VOYAGE.



**HE HATED WHALING.**

**BUT SAMUEL OFTEN FANTASIZED  
ABOUT SEIZING COMMAND OF A SHIP,  
SCUTTLING IT ON A REMOTE ISLAND, AND  
RULING AS A KING AMONG THE NATIVES.**

AT AGE  
20...



FROM THE MARTHA'S VINEYARD  
HISTORICAL SOCIETY



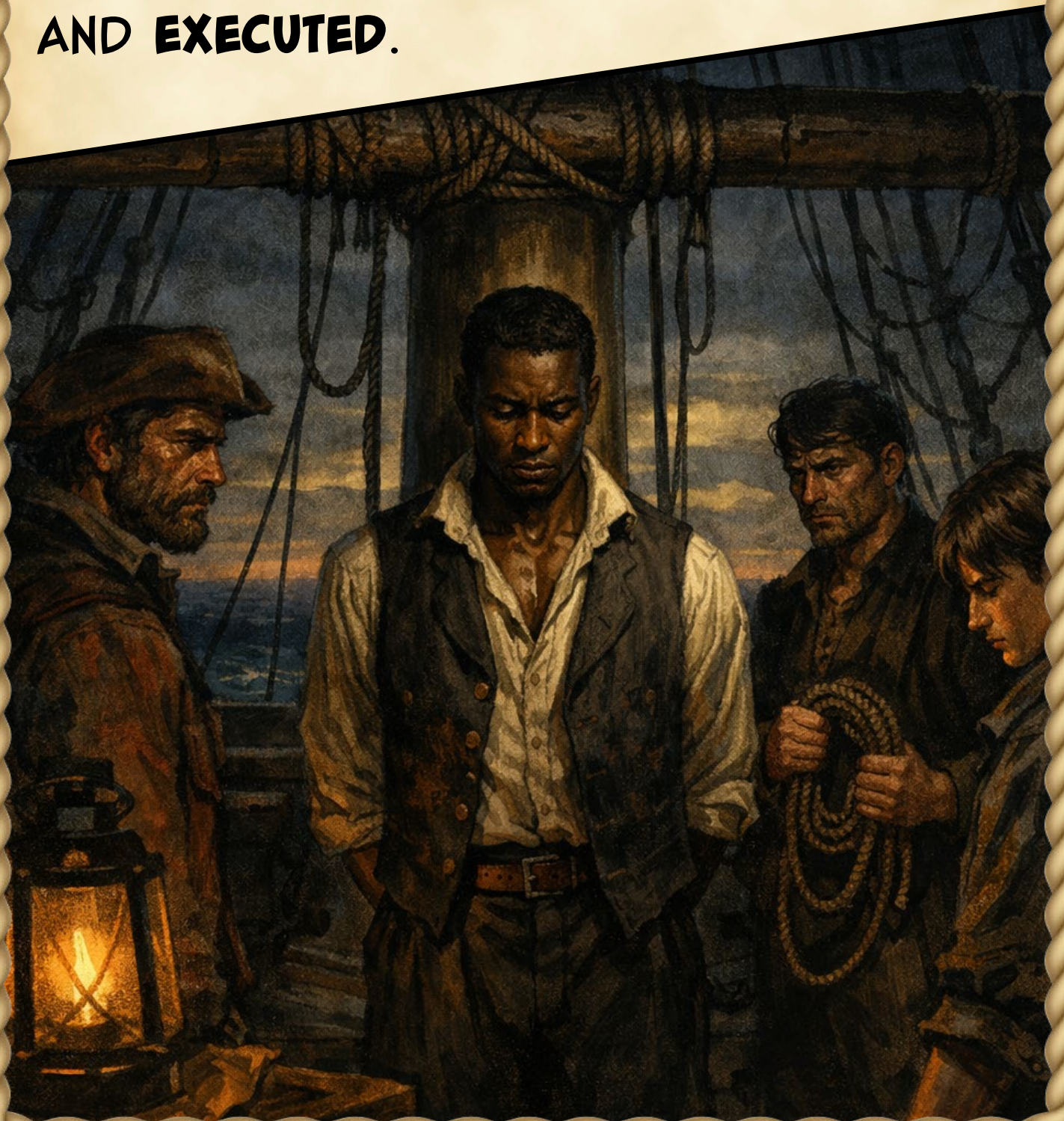
...COMSTOCK BOARDED  
THE **WHALESHIP GLOBE**  
(BUILT AT THE WANTON  
SHIPYARD IN SCITUATE).  
IT WAS COMMANDED BY  
**THOMAS WORTH** OF MARTHA'S VINEYARD.



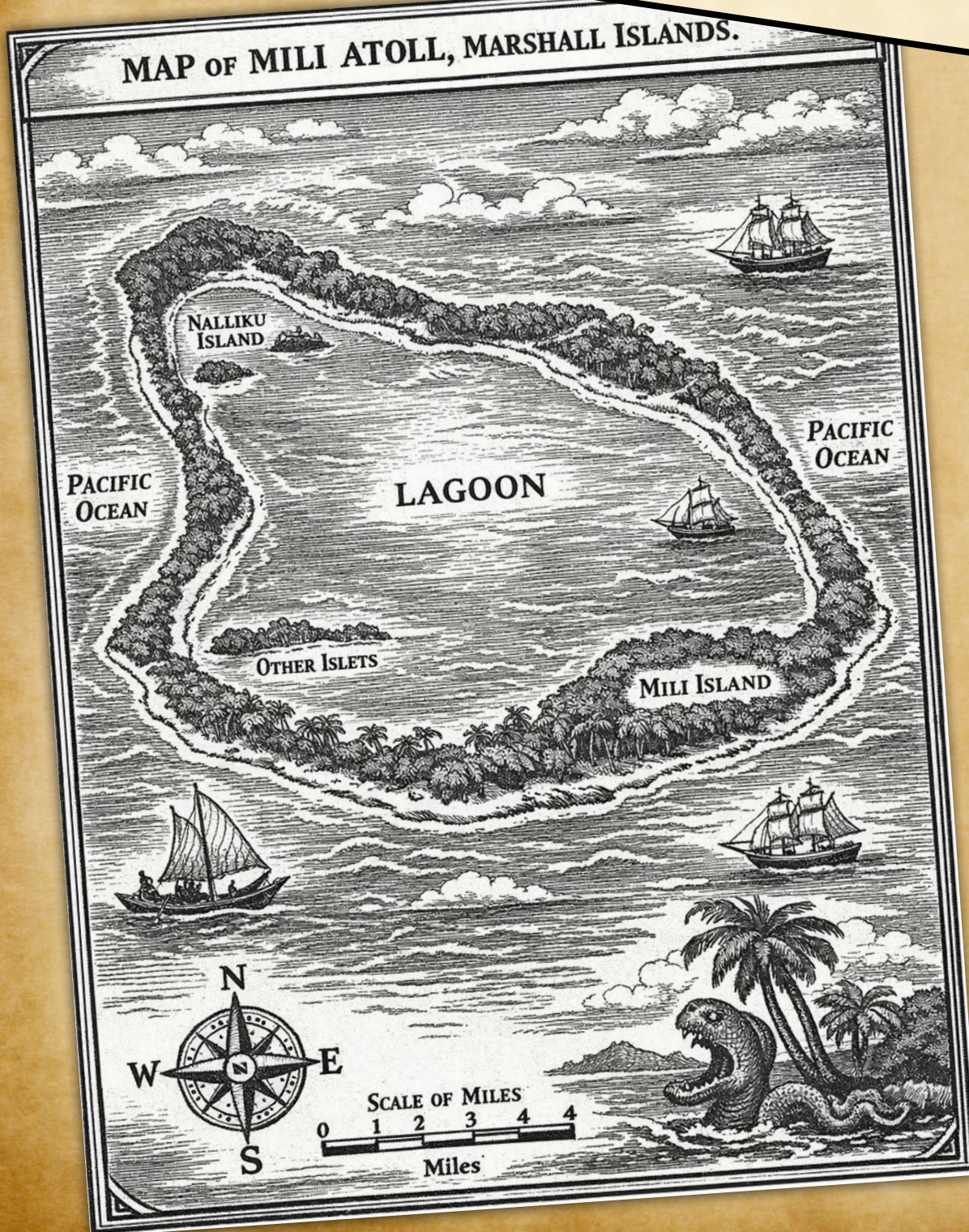
**AFTER 2 YEARS OF WHALING  
IN THE PACIFIC OCEAN,  
THE CREW BECAME UPSET WITH  
CAPT. WORTH'S ROUGH TREATMENT.**

**COMSTOCK  
AND 3 CONSPIRATORS  
MURDERED THE CAPTAIN AND 3 OTHERS.**


INFIGHTING SOON BROKE OUT  
AMONG THE MUTINEERS...  
STEWARD WILLIAM HUMPHRIES WAS  
SUSPECTED OF INSURRECTION  
AND **EXECUTED.**



THE *GLOBE* THEN SAILED FOR MILI ATOLL,  
AT THE SOUTHERN END OF THE MARSHALL  
ISLANDS IN THE PACIFIC OCEAN.

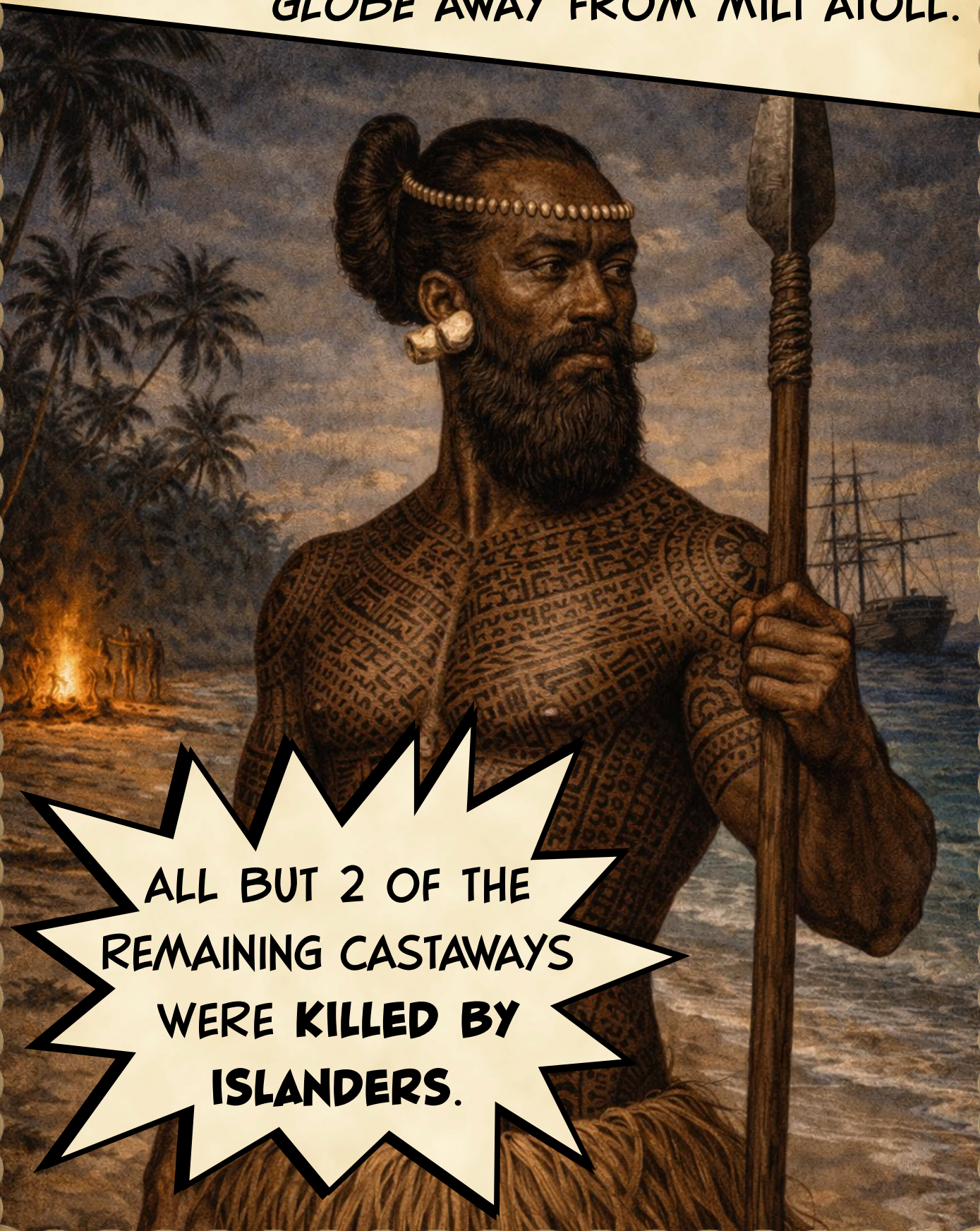


**WHILE ASHORE, SILAS PAYNE  
(1 OF THE 4 MUTINEERS) CHALLENGED  
COMSTOCK'S LEADERSHIP AND  
MURDERED HIM.**

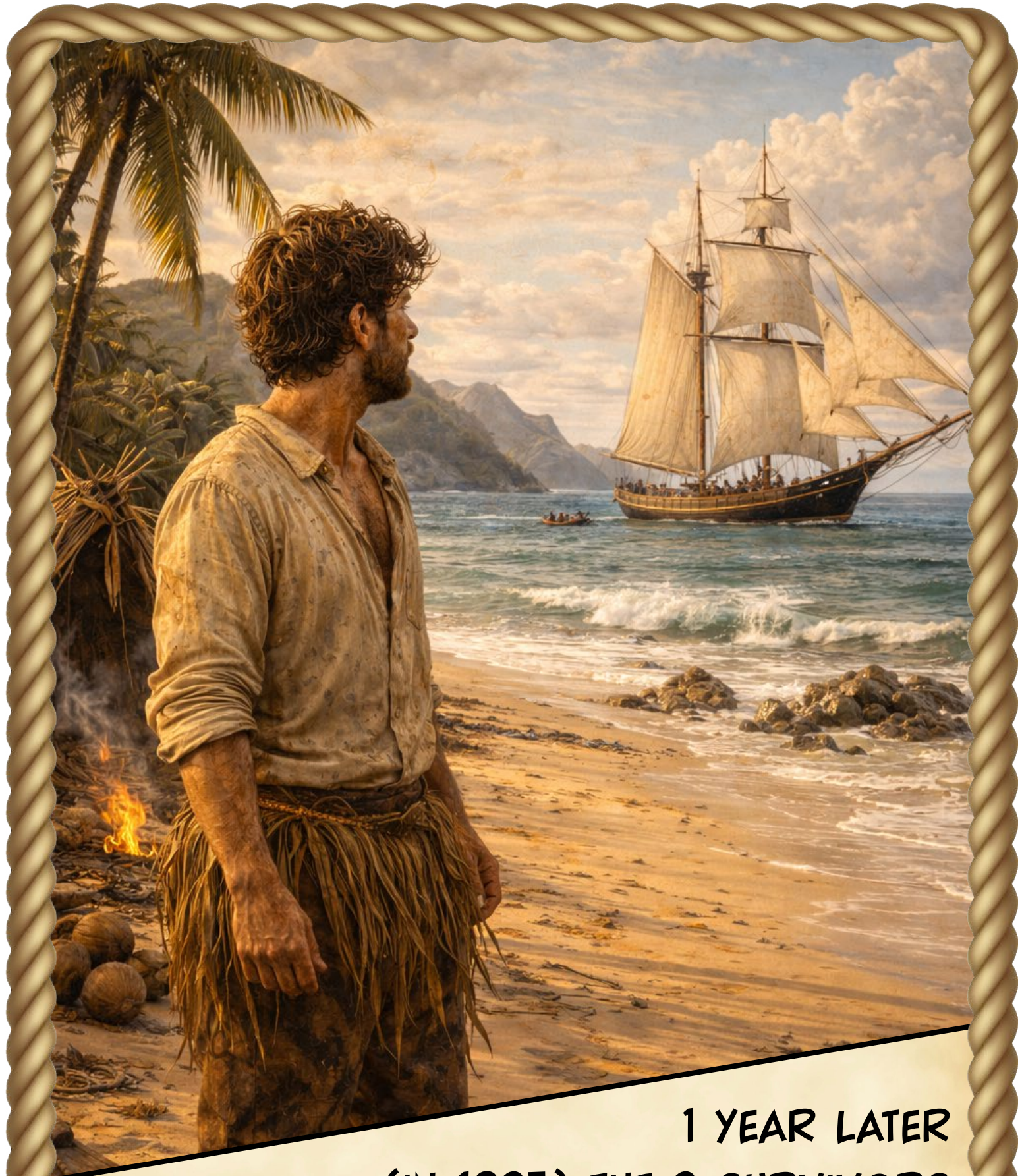


**SAMUEL  
COMSTOCK  
NEVER BECAME  
A KING!**

A PORTION OF THE CREW SAILED THE  
GLOBE AWAY FROM MILI ATOLL.



ALL BUT 2 OF THE  
REMAINING CASTAWAYS  
WERE KILLED BY  
ISLANDERS.



1 YEAR LATER  
(IN 1825) THE 2 SURVIVORS  
AT MILI ATOLL WERE **RESCUED.**

NEWS OF THE MUTINY SPREAD RAPIDLY,  
BECOMING A NATIONAL SENSATION AND  
INSPIRING SEVERAL PUBLISHED ACCOUNTS  
IN THE YEARS THAT FOLLOWED.



**THE GLOBE WAS LATER SOLD  
AND BROKEN UP IN BUENOS  
AIRES, ARGENTINA IN 1828.**



# The End

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