# NAVAL LOSSES IN THE WAR: BRITISH AND GERMAN.

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THE Secretary of the Admiralty, giving the total number of British naval casualties from the outbreak of war to Nov. 11, 1918, the date of the signature of the Armistice, stated that 2466 officers were reported dead (including died from wounds and other causes); 805 were wounded; 15 were missing; and 222 were interned or were prisoners of wara total of 3508. Of men, 30,895 were reported dead (including died from wounds and from other causes); 4378 were wounded; 32 were missing; and 953 were interned or were prisoners of war—a total of 36,258. This makes a grand total of 39,766 officers and men. The figures include a number of officers and men of British merchant ships and fishing vessels serving on board his Majesty's ships and auxiliaries and other commissioned vessels. In addition, while pursuing their ordinary vocations, 14,661 officers and men of the merchant and fishing services lost their lives through enemy action, and 3295 were captured and detained in enemy countries as prisoners of war.

#### SHIPS AND VESSELS.

Showing those destroyed by mine, submarine, collision and marine casualty. Armed auxiliaries are not included, except in a few cases.

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	B	attleships.
AUDACIOUS	-	By mine, North Coast
		Ireland, Oct. 27, 19
BRITANNIA	-	By submarine off Ca

BULWARK - Blown up off Sheerness, Nov. 26, 1914. CORNWALLIS - By submarine off Malta,

FORMIDABLE - By submarine in Channel, Jan. 1, 1915. GOLIATH -- By T.B. off Dardanelles, May 13, 1915.

Jan. 11, 1917.

IRRESISTIBLE - Sunk off Dardanelles, Mar. 18, 1915. KING EDWARD By mine, Jan. 6, 1916.

MAJESTIC - By submarine off Dardanelles, May 27, 1915. OCEAN - Sunk off Dardanelles, Mar. 18, 1915.

RUSSELL -- By mine, Mediterranean, Apr. 27, 1916. - By submarine off Dar-TRIUMPH danelles, May 25, 1915. VANGUARD - Destroyed by internal explosion, July 9, 1917.

#### Battle-Cruisers.

INDEFATIGABLE | Sunk in Jutland Battle, INVINCIBLE May 31, 1916. QUEEN MARY

## Cruisers.

HOGUE

- By submarine, North Sea, ABOUKIR Sept. 22, 1914. - Wrecked, E. coast of Scot-ARGYLL land, Oct. 28, 1915. BLACK PRINCE Sunk in Jutland Battle, May 31, 1916. COCHRANE - Wrecked, Liverpool, Nov.

14, 1918. CRESSY - By submarine, North Sea, Sept. 22, 1914. DEFENCE - Sunk in Jutland Battle,

May 31, 1916. DRAKE - By submarine, North Channel, Oct. 2, 1917. GOOD HOPE - Sunk by Scharnhorst and Gneisenau off Valparaiso, Nov. 1, 1914.

- By mine, off Orkneys, HAMPSHIRE June 5, 1916. HAWKE - By submarine, North Sea, Oct. 16, 1914.

- By submarine, North Sea,

Sept. 22, 1914. MONMOUTH - Sunk by Scharnhorst and Gneisenau off Valparaiso, Nov. 1, 1914.

NATAL -- Blown up, Dec. 31, 1915. WARRIOR - Sunk in Jutland Battle, May 31, 1916.

## Light Cruisers.

AMPHION - By mine, North Sea, Aug. 6, 1914. ARETHUSA - By mine, North Sea, Feb. 11, 1916. BRILLIANT - Sunk as blockship, Ostend, Apr. 23, 1918.

CASSANDRA - By mine, Baltic, Dec. 5, 1918. FALMOUTH - By submarine, North Sea, Aug. 19, 1916. INTREPID - | Sunk as blockships, Zee-

**IPHIGENIA** brugge, Apr. 23, 1918. NOTTINGHAM - By submarine, North Sea, Aug. 19, 1916. PATHFINDER - By submarine, North Sea,

Sept. 5, 1914. PEGASUS -- Sunk by Konigsberg, Zanzibar, Sept. 20, 1914. SIRIUS - Sunk as blockship, Ostend, Apr. 23, 1918. THETIS - Sunk as blockship, Zee-

brugge, April 23, 1918. - Sunk as blockship, Ost-VINDICTIVE end, May 10, 1918.

## Torpedo Gunboats.

HAZARD -- By collision, English Channel, Jan. 28, 1918. JASON By mine, Apr. 7, 1917. NIGER - By submarine, off Deal, Nov. 11, 1914.

SEAGULL -- By collision, Firth of Clyde, Sept. 30, 1918. SPEEDY - By mine, Sept. 3, 1914.

Monitors. RAGLAN -

- Sunk in action, Mediterranean, Jan. 20 1918. M 15 By submarine, Mediterranean, Nov. 11, 1917.

- By mine, off Ostend, Oct. 20, 1918. M 28 - - In action, Mediterranean, Jan. 20, 1918. - Sunk in Mediterranean, May 13, 1916.

#### Coast Defence Ships.

The following Coast Defence Ships were also lost: Glatton, Alyssum, Anchusa, Arabis, Arbutus, Aster, Begonia, Bergamot, Candytuft, Cowslip, Gaillardia, Genista, Lavender, Mignonette, Nasturtium, Primula, Rhododendron, Salvia, and Tulip.

#### River Gunboats.

COMET and Sunk in River Tigris, 1 Nov., 1915. SHAITAN

#### Flotilla Leaders.

- - By collision, North Sea, HOSTE Dec. 21, 1916. SCOTT - By submarine, North Sea, Aug. 15, 1916. TIPPERARY - In action, North Sea, May 31, 1916.

#### Destroyers.

ARDENT -- In Jutland Battle, May 31, 1916. ARIEL - By mine, North Sea, Aug. 2, 1918. ARNO - By collision, Mediterranean, Mar. 23 1918. ATTACK -- By mine off Alexandria, Dec. 30, 1917. BITTERN -- By collision, English Channel, Apr. 4, 1918. BOXER -- By collision, English Channel, Feb. 8, 1918. CHEERFUL - By mine off Shetland Islands, June 30, 1917. COMET -- By mine, Mediterranean,

Aug. 6, 1918. CONTEST -- By submarine, English Channel, Sept. 18, 1917. COQUETTE - By mine, North Sea, Mar. 7, 1916.

DERWENT - By mine, English Channel, May 2, 1917. EDEN - By collision, English Channel, June 18, 1916. FAIRY - Sunk after ramming enemy submarine, North

Sea, May 31, 1918. FALCON -- By collision, North Sea, Apr. 1, 1918. FLIRT - In action, Straits of Dover, Oct. 27, 1916. FORTUNE - In Jutland Battle, May

31, 1916. FOYLE - By mine, Dover Straits, Mar. 15, 1917. GHURKA -- Bymine, English Channel, Feb. 8, 1917.

GOLDFINCH - Wrecked. ITCHEN -- By submarine, North Sea, July 6, 1917. KALE - By mine, North Sea, Mar. 27, 1918.

LAFOREY - Lost, English Channel, Mar. 23, 1917. LASSOO - By mine, North Sea, Aug. 13, 1916. LIGHTNING - By mine, North Sea June 30, 1916.

LOUIS - Wrecked off Gallipoli, Nov. 1915. LYNX - By mine off Moray Firth, Aug. 9, 1915. MAORI - By mine, North Sea,

May 7, 1915. MARMION - By collision, North Sea, Oct. 21, 1917. MARY ROSE - In action, North Sea, Oct. 17, 1917. MEDUSA -By collision, North Sea,

Mar. 25, 1916. MYRMIDON Bymine, English Channel, Mar. 26, 1917. NARBOROUGH -Wrecked off Orkneys, Jan. 12, 1918.

NEGRO

Dec. 21, 1916. NESSUS - By collision, North Sea, Sept. 8, 1918. NESTOR - In Jutland Battle, May 31, 1916.

- By collision, North Sea.

NOMAD - In Jutland Battle, May 31, 1916. NORTH STAR -In action, Zeebrugge, Apr. 23, 1918. OPAL Wrecked off Orkneys,

Jan. 12, 1918. PARAGON - In action, Dover Straits, Mar. 18, 1917.

PARTRIDGE Dec. 12, 1917. PHEASANT - Lost off Orkneys, Mar. 1. 1917. PHŒNIX -- By submarine, Mediterranean, May 14, 1918. PINCHER -- Wrecked on Seven Stones,

July 24, 1918. RACOON - - Wrecked on Irish Coast, Jan. 9, 1918. RECRUIT (old) - By submarine off Gal-

loper, May 1, 1915. RECRUIT - - By mine, North Sea, Aug. 9, 1917. - By collision, North Sea, May 17, 1917. - In Jutland Battle, May

31, 1916. SIMOON -- In action, North Sea, Jan. 23, 1917. SPARROWHAWK In Jutland Battle, May 31, 1916.

STAUNCH - - By submarine, Mediterranean, Nov. 11, 1917. STRONGBOW - In action, North Sea, Oct. 17, 1917. SURPRISE

Dec. 23, 1917. SUCCESS -- Wrecked off Fifeness, Dec. 27, 1914. TORNADO - By mine, North Sea, Dec. 23, 1917.

TORRENT - By mine, North Sea, Dec. 23, 1917. TURBULENT - In Jutland Battle, May 31, 1916.

ULLESWATER - By submarine, North Sea, Aug. 15, 1918. ULYSSES -- By collision, Firth of Clyde, Oct. 29, 1918. VEHEMENT - By mine, North Sea, Aug. 2, 1918.

VELOX - By mine, off Nab Light, Oct. 25, 1915. WOLVERINE - By collision off Irish Coast, Dec. 12, 1917.

### Torpedo Boats.

046 - Sunk, Dec. 27, 1915. 9 - By collision, North Sea, July 26, 1916. 10 - By submarine, North Sea, June 10,

11 - By mine, North Sea, Mar. 7, 1916. 12 - By submarine, North Sea, June 10, 13 - By collision, North Sea, Jan. 26, 1916.

24 - Wrecked off Dover, Jan. 28, 1917. ,o -- Capsized and sank, Straits of Gibraltar, Apr. 25, 1918. 96 - In collision off Gibraltar, Nov. 1,1915.

117 - In collision, English Channel, June 10, 1917.

## Submarines.

A.E. I Sunk by accident, Sept., 1914. A.E. 2 Sunk, Dardanelles, May, 1915. Blown up at Zeebrugge Mole, Apr. 23,

1918. C 26 - Destroyed at Helsingfors, Apr. 8 1918. C 27 - Destroyed at Helsingfors, Apr. 8

1918. C 29 - By mine, Aug. 29, 1915. Lost off Belgian Coast about Jan. 5,

1915. C 32 - Lost in Baltic, Oct., 1917.

C 33 - Lost in North Sea about Aug.7, 1915, C 34 - By submarine, North Sea, about July 19, 1917.

- In action, North Sea | C 35 - Destroyed at Helsingfors, Apr. 8, 1018.

D 2 - Lost, North Sea, Dec. 1, 1914. D 3 - Sunk, English Channel, Mar. 12, 1918. D 5 - By mine, North Sea, Nov. 3, 1914.

D 6 - Lost in July, 1918. EI - Destroyed at Helsingfors, Apr. 8,

E 3 - Sunk, North Sea, Oct. 18, 1914.

E 5 - Lost.

E 6 - By mine, Dec. 26, 1915. E 7 - Lost in Dardanelles, Sept., 1915. E8 - Destroyed at Helsingfors, Apr. 8, 1918.

E 9 - Destroyed at Helsingfors, Apr. 8, 1918. E 10 - Lost, North Sea, about Jan. 21, 1915.

E 13 - Wrecked off Saltholm, Aug. 18, 1915. Interned. E 14 - Sunk, Dardanelles, Jan. 28, 1918.

E 15 - Wrecked, Dardanelles, Apr., 1915. E 16 - Lost, North Sea, Aug. 22, 1916. E 17 - Wrecked, Jan., 1916.

E 18 - Lost in Baltic, May, 1916. E 19 - Destroyed at Helsingfors, Apr. 8, 1918.

- By mine, North Sea, | E 20 - Sunk, Dardanelles, Nov., 1915. E 22 - Sunk, North Sea, Apr. 25, 1916. E 24 - Lost.

> E 26 - Lost, North Sea, July 6, 1916. E 30 - Lost, North Sea, Nov., 1916. E 34 - Lost, North Sea, July, 1918.

E 36 - Lost, North Sea, Jan. 13, 1917. E 37 - Lost, North Sea, Dec., 1916. E 47 - Lost, North Sea, Aug., 1917.

E 49 - Lost off Shetlands, Mar., 1917. E 50 - Lost, North Sea, Feb., 1918. G7 - Lost, North Sea, Nov., 1918. G8 - Lost, North Sea, Jan., 1918.

G9 - By accident, North Sea, Sept. 18, GII - Wrecked off Howick, Nov. 22, 1918.

H 3 - Lost, Adriatic, July 15, 1916. H 5 - By collision, Irish Sea, Mar. 2, 1918. H 6 - Wrecked, Jan., 1916.

H 10 - Lost, North Sea, Jan., 1918. 6 - By accident, North Sea, Oct. 15, 1918. KI - By collision, North Sea, Nov. 18, 1917.

K 4 - By collision, North Sea, Jan. 31, 1918. K 17 - By collision, North Sea, Jan. 31, 1918. L 10 - Lost, North Sea, Oct., 1918.

Aircraft Carriers. BEN-MY-CHREE By gunfire off Asia Minor, Jan. 11, 1917. CAMPANIA - By collision, Firth of Forth, Nov., 1918. HERMES -

- By submarine, Oct. 31, 1914.

Patrol Boats. P 12 - - By collision, English Channel, Nov. 4, 1918 P 26 -- By mine, English Chan-

nel, Apr. 10, 1917. Mine-layers. ARIADNE -- By submarine, English

Channel, July 26, 1917. PRINCESS IRENE Blown up, Sheerness, May 27, 1915. 17 Armed Merchant Cruisers.

Hospital Ships.

REWA - By submarine, Bristol Channel, Jan. 4, 1918. ROHILLA -- Wrecked off Whitby Oct. 30, 1914.

13 Armed Boarding Steamers. 2 Mine-sweepers.

#### LOSSES OF

Battleship. POMMERN - Sunk in Jutland Battle May 31—June 1, 1916. Battle Cruiser.

LUTZOW -- Sunk in Jutland Battle, May 31—June 1, 1916.

Cruisers. YORCK -- By mine off the Jade, Nov. 4, 1914. FRIEDRICH KARL Reported sunk by mine,

Baltic, Nov. 25, 1914. SCHARNHORST I In action, Falkland Is-GNEISENAU lands, Dec. 8, 1914. BLUCHER - In Dogger Bank Battle, Jan. 24, 1915. PRINZ ADAL - In Baltic by British sub-

BERT. marine, Oct. 23, 1915. Light Cruisers.

MAGDEBURG - Destroyed, Gulf of Finland, Aug. 20, 1914. MAINZ In Heligoland Bight KOLN action, Aug. 28, 1914. ARIADNE -HELA By submarine, off Heligoland, Sept. 13, 1914.

**EMDEN** Destroyed, Cocos Island. Nov. 9, 1914. KARLSRUHE By explosion on board; sank in lat. 10° 71 N.,

long. 55° 251 W., Nov. 4, 1914. LEIPZIG -In action near Falkland NURNBERG Islands, Dec. 8, 1914. DRESDEN Sunk near Juan Fernan-

1915.

dez Island, Mar. 14,

GERMANY. KONIGSBERG - Destroyed in Rufigi River, July 11, 1915.

UNDINE -- By British submarine, Baltic, Nov. 7, 1915. BREMEN -- Sunk in Eastern Baltic, Dec. 17, 1915.

WIESBADEN ROSTOCK -- Sunk in Jutland Battle, FRAUENLOB - May 31—June 1, 1916. ELBING

## 32 Mining Vessels.

Gunboats. ILTIS, JAGUAR, LUCHS, TIGER, COR-MORAN, Tsingtau, Nov. 7, 1914. All these had been sunk.

- Interned. Bahia, Sept. 5, EBER 1914. Burnt and sunk by Germans, Oct. 26, 1917.

GEIER Interned, Honolulu, Nov. 9, 1914. - Blown up, Wilhelms-SEEADLER haven, Apr., 1917.

Destroyers. 10 Destroyers were sunk in 1914; 10 in 1915; 16 in 1916; 11 in 1917; 22 in 1918.

53 Torpedo Boats, 1915 to 1918. 5 Submarines destroyed in 1914; 19 in 1915; 25 in 1916; 66 in 1917; 82 in 1918.

Losses after Armistice. - Interned, Norway, Nov. U 157 -11, 1918. - Interned, Barcelona, Nov. U C 74

21, 1918. U 97 -- Sunk, North Sea, on way over to surrender, Nov. 21, 1918.

On June 21 the Admiralty announced that all the interned German battle-ships and battle-cruisers at Scapa, except the Baden, had been sunk and abandoned by the skeleton German crews acting as caretakers in them; and that 5 light cruisers and a number of destroyers had been sunk. Three light cruisers and 18 destroyers were beached. Four destroyers are still afloat.