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## GREAT BRITAIN A MATCH FOR ANY THREE POWERS

#### Figures Prepared by American Naval Official Shows That Her Navy Grows So Fast That the French Give Up the Race in Disgust, and Russia's Fleet Is Much Behind That of France.

WASHINGTON, D. C. Feb. 20.—The fighting strength of the big navies of the world, together with details of the building program of each for the coming year, has been compiled by Chairman Foss, of the house naval affairs committee and made an appendix to the report on the naval bill. The relative order of warship strength is given in tonnage, in this order:—

	Present tonnage	Eventual tonnage
Great Britain.....	1,516,040	1,867,250
France.....	570,108	755,757
Russia.....	416,108	616,275
Germany.....	387,874	558,432
United States.....	294,485	384,019
Italy.....	258,888	329,277
Japan.....	243,586	253,681
Austria.....	98,913	140,883

As to personnel, Great Britain leads with nearly 5,000 officers and more than 100,000 men. Russia comes next in this list with 2,300 officers and 49,000 men; France has 2,830 officers and 46,303 men; Germany has 1,786 officers and 51,014 men; the United States has 1,337 officers and 27,245 men; Italy has 1,537 officers and 25,000 men; Japan has 1,378 officers and 27,880 men; Austria has 803 officers and 9,124 men.

The report says: "England is said to have a total effective reserve of 72,000 men. France has 468 reserve officers. If her reserves were used to fill up the complements of all her ships, there would still be left 19,000 blue-jackets as reserve. Germany has 378 reserve officers and 75,000 reserve blue-jackets. No figures for Russia are obtainable. The blue-jackets in Italy's first and second reserves number 33,128. Japan has 2,480 line and engineer officers in her reserves, and in 1902 she had 7,885 reserve blue-jackets. Austria has 69 reserve officers of the line and engineers. One authority estimates her reserve of blue-jackets at 20,000."

The building program of each country is outlined in this way:— "Great Britain—From year to year the policy of keeping the British navy superior to the navies of any two possible enemies is adhered to. The building program for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1904, is well under way; many of the vessels are begun, and it is probable all will be before the fiscal year has elapsed. In addition to the vessels included in the program, two battleships completed in England for Chile have been purchased. "The building program was as follows: Three battleships (since announced to be of 16,350 tons each), four armored cruisers (since announced to be of 13,550 tons each), three protected cruisers, third class (probably 3,000 tons each), four scouts (of 2,000 tons each), 15 torpedo boat destroyers (of about 500 tons each), 10 submarines.

"France—From the report of the French naval budget for 1904—"It is impossible to keep up the budgetary struggle with her (England). Considering all other nations, France spends more on her navy per capita than any of the others. France reached the limit of her expenditures, but there can be no reduction for the present. In fact, the expenditures, for various reasons, must continue to increase. "The new construction authorized is one armored cruiser of 13,644 tons, two destroyers of 335 tons each, 51 torpedo boats, 16 submarines. The building program under previous programs, including among other vessels, six battleships.

"Germany—New construction continues under the famous ship building program of 1900, the estimates submitted in December, 1903, for the year 1904, providing for the following: Two battleships of 13,000 tons each, one armored cruiser of 9,500 tons, three cruisers of 3,000 tons, one gunboat, six high sea torpedo boats, 340 tons each. "According to the same program, in addition to the new construction, old ships will be replaced gradually by new ones, the total amount of such replacement aggregating, in 1917, 17 battleships; seven armored cruisers, 27 small cruisers. "The budget for 1904 provides for 40,000 officers and men, which is more than double the number of 19 years ago.

"Russia—The new construction authorized by the naval program of 1903 comprises two battleships of 16,500 tons each, two battleships of 12,500 tons each, two armored cruisers of 6,750 tons each and a large number of torpedo boats—number not stated. "The battleships and cruisers have been begun. "Italy—The new vessels authorized under the budget of 1903—4 are three battleships of 12,825 tons each, eight first class torpedo boats, two submarines. "Japan—A novel program was laid down by the Japanese parliament in July 1903 for completion in 1913. The vessels to be begun this year under the program are, one battleship of 16,800 tons, one river gunboat of 150 tons, one repair ship of 4,000 tons. It is reported that the contract for the battleship has been placed in England, Japan has secured by purchase the two armored cruisers just completed in Italy for Argentina.

"Austria—A program for 10 years FOR STOMACH TROUBLES. "I have taken a great many different medicines for stomach trouble and constipation," says Mrs. S. Gelzer, of Dunkerton, Iowa, "but never had as good results from any as from Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets." For sale by all druggists.

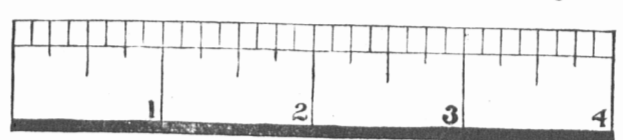
BRITISH SCHOONER LOST. LONDON, February 18.—The British schooner Robert, Captain Road, from St. John's Nfld, January 17, for Gibraltar, has been wrecked at Flores, Azore Islands.

MISSIONARIES FAVOR JAPAN. NEW YORK, February 18.—"All the Protestant missionaries in the East are on the Japanese side," said the Rev. D. C. Spencer, who has just returned to New York from Japan. He has spent twenty-eight years in that country in missionary work.

TENDENCY OF THE TIMES. The tendency of medical science is toward preventive measures. The best thought of the world is being given to the subject. It is easier and better to prevent than to cure. It has been fully demonstrated that pneumonia, one of the most dangerous diseases that medical men have to contend with, can be prevented by the use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Pneumonia always results from a cold or from an attack of influenza (grip), and it has been observed that this remedy counteracts any tendency of these diseases toward pneumonia. This has been fully proven in many thousands of cases in which this remedy has been used during the great prevalence of colds and grip in recent years, and can be relied upon with implicit confidence. Pneumonia often results from a slight cold when no danger is apprehended until it is suddenly discovered that there is fever and difficulty in breathing and pains in the chest, then it is announced that the patient has pneumonia. Be on the safe side and take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as soon as the cold is contracted. It always cures. For sale by all druggists.

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