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H.M.S. SHEFFIELD.

For the first time on record, the City of Steel has a ship in the Navy bearing her name. H.M.S. Sheffield the new £3,000,000 <sup>Cruiser</sup> ~~battleship~~, is the latest thing afloat, and has arrived at Immingham Dock from Chatham. Her visit was marked by a pleasing ceremony when the Lord Mayor of Sheffield came on board to present the captain with a novel gift- a stainless steel ship's bell. Other handsome presents included silver cigarette and cigar boxes for the wardroom, and armament and football shields- Incidentally this new man-o'-war has one of the finest forward lines in the Service. Goodluck, H.M.S. Sheffield, and good play.