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## THE MEDITERRANEAN SQUADRON AT MALTA.

It is assuredly no Exaggeration to Style our Superb Mediterranean Squadron, a Portion of which is here seen Entering Malta Harbour, as the Finest in the World. Not only is it the Finest but the Largest Fleet Afloat in the World under One Command, for, exclusive of the Port Guard-ships at Gibraltar and Alexandria, Sir John Fisher has in his Splendid Command ten Battle-ships, nine Cruisers, seven Gun-boats, and fifteen Destroyers. Moreover, it is the Finest we Possess in Personnel, for to a certain degree the Channel Squadron is Manned by Men Undergoing Training, whereas all in the Mediterranean Squadron are the Finished Article. To be the Smartest Ship "Up the Straits" is a Thing to be Proud of.