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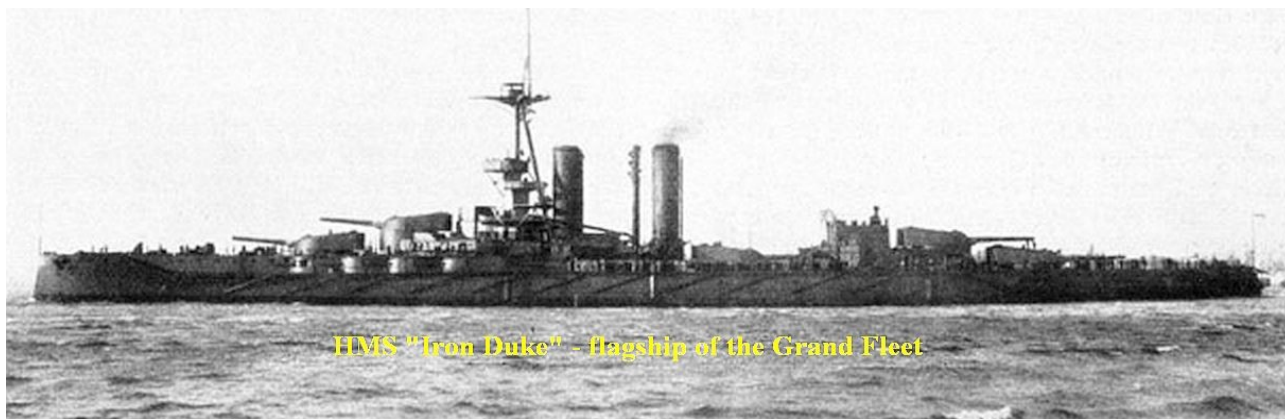


Lecture Meeting

Date: Wednesday 1st May 2019 Time: 19:00 hours
Venue: Aston Court Hotel, Midland Road, **DERBY DE1 2SL.**

“Armour for the Grand Fleet” The technical development of armour plate, 1890 - 1918

Presented by
Mr. David Bournsell



By the late 1880's advances in gun and shell development had made existing compound armour technology out of date.

All-steel armour did not yet provide the required combination of hardness and toughness and new solutions were needed.

This talk explores the development of cemented armour plates in the 1890's, the sharing and control of this new technology and the manufacture of the armour for the Dreadnoughts of the Great War.

REQUEST NOTICE

If you are attending this meeting it is requested that you contact Mr. A. Myatt on Tel. No. 0152 783 2058 or preferably by eMail :- myatt72@btinternet.com giving your name [& guest(s)]

This is essential to arrange refreshment @ £1.50 p/p
by no later than **Monday 29th April** Please

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