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# The Flows to the Future Project

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### The Royal Naval Train "Jellicoe Express"

**THE JELICOE EXPRESS** was the only railway line in the world to be built and operated by the Royal Navy. It was built in 1917 to transport munitions from the coast to the inland depots at Blandford and Salisbury. The line was named after Admiral Jellicoe, the Commander-in-Chief of the Royal Navy, who was the driving force behind its construction.

The line was built in a matter of months and was completed in August 1917. It was a single-track line, 10.5 miles long, connecting the coastal town of Blandford to the inland town of Salisbury. The line was built on a temporary embankment and was the only railway line in the world to be built and operated by the Royal Navy.

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