THE BATTLESHIP ILLINOIS, THE FINISHING WISP AFTOAH

The Battlin' Ship

The war was in full swing when the news of the sinking of the Monitor came. It was a shock, and the whole country was in a state of alarm. The Monitor was the latest in a series of ironclad warships, and it was feared that the Confederates had captured it.

But it was not to be. The Monitor was able to escape, and it was not long before the news of its survival reached the Union. It was a day of rejoicing, and the people rejoiced in the knowledge that the Monitor was still in the hands of the Union.

The Monitor was a remarkable ship. It was armored with iron plates, and it was armed with powerful guns. It was able to withstand the heaviest attack, and it was able to repel the enemy.

The news of the Monitor's survival was a turning point in the war. It gave the Union confidence, and it gave the Confederates a taste of what was to come. The war was far from over, but the Monitor's survival was a sign that the Union was strong and determined.

The Monitor was a symbol of the Union's power, and it was a symbol of the people's determination. It was a symbol of hope, and it was a symbol of victory. It was a symbol of the Union, and it will always be remembered as such.