

CAPTIVE U-BOATS GIVE RAF SITTING TARGET

Sunderland Flying Boats armed with light depth charges
took Coastal Command crews out for a ^{practice-}~~managan~~ shoot
against 36 German submarines.

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(Float) As well as the flying boats Warwicks, Mosquitoes
and Liberatoes took part in this peacetime Battle of
the Atlantic. The Mosquitoes fired rockets and armour-
piercing cannon shells.

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The Warwicks carried light bombs. The taxpayer may
complain that it was an expensive way to sink the U-Boats
but he is seldom consulted. [Anyway, it gave the RAF
some much needed practice.