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MEDITERRANEAN. LANDING CRAFT GOES THROUGH HELL.

These pictures of an exciting incident near PANTELLERIA have only just arrived here. Although rather late, they are so thrilling that we feel we should be failing in our duty if we withheld them. Nazi bombers were letting loose loads of destruction in a desperate last throw - but mostly they were hitting water.

A near miss! Too near for comfort! Any one of these H.E.'S would blow a craft clean out of the water.

She's still afloat - and that's official. Contrast that with the evidence of Allied marksmanship against Nazi planes, and the ruins of Pantelleria.