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"SIDON RAISED"

Working night and day for a week, ever since an explosion sent her to the bottom of Portland Harbour with the loss of 13 lives, salvage teams at last bring the submarine "Sidon" to the surface. From the depot ship "Maidstone", by whose side she sank, the Sidon's conning tower and bows can be seen breaking through.

To raise her from the bottom, big "camel" tanks are lashed to her sides and air is pumped into them until she floats.

Dawn breaks on the tragic task. Once the Sidon is afloat, she must be beached. The Sidon's skipper, Lieutenant-Commander Verry, watches operations. He was the last survivor to leave before she sank. Civilian salvage experts watch too.

In that hull are the bodies of thirteen men. All of them were volunteers @ a fact which we, the people they protect, should never allow ourselves to forget.