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TITLE.:- AERIAL TORPEDOES.

Picture.:- The Lexington is Uncle Sam's big floating aerodrome. ...  
She "houses" a --

--fleet of aircraft which are stored away in safety when out of action. .... They are brought up to the "aerodrome-deck" by means of hydraulic lifts. .... We're going to see this,--

--and other, bombing planes, carry out practice with aerial torpedoes.

Away she goes with a valuable and deadly projectile slung below her fuselage. ....

Each torpedo is worth about fifteen hundred pounds, so --

--you'll understand that they can't afford to lose them, particularly when only practising. .... Splash it goes, speeding on a straight course, and woe--

--betide anything in its way. .... Our cameraman was accorded the special and exclusive privilege of a 'flip' in one of the Lexington "Babies", and here's what he saw as the machine "took off" from the broad deck of the aircraft carrier. ... We're going to take a very much closer look at one of the aerial destroyers at work.

BRING UP "PLANE" EFFECT  
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Another torpedo is released -- and off it goes on its errand --

--of destruction. .... If one of those things hit your ship you'd hardly have time to say --

--AND SO, FOR THE PRESENT, WE LEAVE YOU !