

SICILIAN SNAPSHOTS.

We've seen some strange contraptions in this war, and probably the strangest are these amphibious vehicles, known as DUCKS. They are as much at home on water as on land. Pity they don't lay eggs. Having collected supplies from ships off the Sicilian Coast, they return to the shore, drive straight on to the land, and without stopping to shake themselves, roll away to unload their cargoes at the dump.

Another snapshot from the Sicilian war zone shows enemy ammunition dumps going up.

The Germans destroyed everything they possibly could as they retreated from Misterbianco. Civilians told our men how the Nazis blew up the roads without regard to the safety of the people. They pointed out the position of mines which the R.N.'s soon removed.

Folk who had dared only to shout Viva DUCE for many years now switched to Viva ENGLAND, Viva U.S.A. Viva Russia, in fact Viva anything not Fascist or Nazi.

Our men were welcome wherever they went. They were grateful for ~~many~~ many little attentions on the part of the Sicilians, although some might have been just a little embarrassing.