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BRITISH NAVY RESCUES HELL SHIP PRISONERS.

Here she comes. One of the Grandest little ships of the King's Navy...
H.M.S. COSSACK... She brings over three hundred British seamen, rescued ~~gt~~
from the Nazi Hell Ship ALTMARK.....and are they glad to be home?

The story of this epic of the sea will go down in history, as a Naval exploit
"with the true Nelson touch"....Over three hundred British sailors (crews of
six merchant ships, sunk by the inglorious Nazi raider (GRAF SEE) were herded
in appalling conditions, in the bowels of the ALTMARK, a German Tanker,
commanded by Captain Dahl who, by all accounts is one of the nastiest Nazis
who ever sailed the seas.

After discovery of the ALTMARK by the R.A.F., British Warships pursued her
until she took refuge in a Norwegian Fjord. (In passing let me mention that
during the pursuit the German Tanker, BALDUR was hailed by the British, but she
of course, scuttled herself).

Where were we - - Oh yes, we left the ALTMARK in the Fjord with the British
outside. When night had fallen, came a-straight-from-the-shoulder order,
from the Admiralty - - "Go in, and get our men"... H.M.S. COSSACK went in.
In the glare of her searchlights her crew boarded the ALTMARK, under fire from
the Nazis, and brought to the three hundred odd starved and ill treated
Britishers imprisoned below deck, the release they had hardly dared hope for.
Some had been in the Altmark for months, One man we met had had eleven weeks
of it ... Listen to John Quigley of the S.S. TAIROA.....

What do you think of it all, Mr. Quigley?

We appear to have upset Germany pretty badly over this affair and, in a lesser
degree, Norway. But we'll leave that to the competent authorities to deal with...
Meantime... Britannia still rules!