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CAMERAMAN,.....E.P. Genock
STORY COVERED.....Air scenes bombing
PLACE OF EVENT....Italian territory
STOCK USED......Plus X
LENGTH EXPOSED....400 feet

B96/A2

These scenes are for the story that I tried to make on the bombing raid over Massawa but in which the vertical shot went all haywire. Actually it's more difficult to get than it seems. I'm having a crack at another one but meanwhile I thought I'd send this. Unfortunately none of the A.A. butsts came under the machine.

- Roll 1 Attempt over land target couldn't get camera afar enough back.
- Roll 2 Over sea target to cut in on Massawa raid.

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Cameraman......E.P. Genock
Story Covered.....R.A.F. advanced striking base on Eritrea
carries out raid on Massawa

Place of Event.....Somewhere in Sudan Stock Used......Plus X and XX

A reconnaissance photographic place returning from a flight over Massawa and Eritrea brings back photographs of a previous raid - amongst these is found one which reveals the presence of enemy submarines in the harbour. A bombing flight is immediately sent on a raid - the Wing Commander examining photographs plans the execution of the raid.

Machines are fuelled, bombed-up, engines started and the flight is off over mountainous country with no possible landing ground for hundreds of miles the machines fly on to their objective and their swoop down in surprise attack on the submarines.

- Roll 1

 Machine taxies up to stop after 'recco'

 Sv Sergeant up collecting photographs

 Sv photograph carrier coming right up to lens.
- Away from lens to gv Wing/Commander with photographs brought to him.

 Sv inspecting
 Cu bombing raid pictures
 Sv inspecting one through spy glass
 Cu one revealing submarines.
 Cu submarine
 Sv Wing/Commander giving orders for raid
 Cu Sg/L phoning instructions
 Sv Telephone wires to radio van
- Roll 3 Cu engine starting
 Sv fitter taking away sand filter to pilot ready
 Sv taxi-ing away.
- Roll 4
 Sv machines taking off
 Sv approach on dive attack
 Sv landing
- Roll 5 Gv desert hidden aerodrome machine landing
- Roll 6 Scenes inside cockpit on actual raid on Massawa harbour.
- Roll 7 Vertical shot over Massawa
- Roll 8 Haddendowa natives watching from edge of airport
- Roll 9 Sv and Cu types watching planes arriving and landing.

B96/A1

CAMERAMAN......E.P. Genock
STORY COVERED.....Largest convoy ever, arrives in Egypt
PLACE OF EVENT.....Canal Zone and Port Said
STOCK USED......Plus X.

With a very large number of troops from Australia, New Zealand, India and drafts from Britain, the greatest convoy ever brought up the Red Sea, arrives safely at its destination after an uneventful voyage. No Italian plane or ship was seen at any time. The troops disembarked and dispersed immediately to their stations somewhere in Egypt.

Roll 1

Air scenes ships up Red Sea.

Note This must not be used if Admiralty have any objection.

All arrangements went haywire anyway, but as I believe the stuff shows nothing for which security is needed, am sending it back. But essential Admiralty see the whole negative of air scenes and release it. It's very poor stuff but on principle didn't like the idea of destroying it here - after having had permission to get the stuff.

Roll 2

Gv Troops ships coming down Canal

Sv same

Gv coming into Port Said docks

Sv same

Roll 3

Angles coming into docks

Roll 4

Angles troops disembarking

Rolls 5, 6, 7, and 8

Angles and scenes, men disembarking, entraining or marching into camp.

Roll 9 (Newman)

Sv and Cus troops on board coming down canal.