

CAMERAMAN: Tozer.

LOCATION: IRAQ.

1. Supply column of Iraqi reinforcements bombed by the RAF on the Fellujah road outside Habbaniyah. These were on their way to supply the attacking forces round Habbaniyah.
Various shots of burnt out vehicles with Arab Legion soldiers looking on and dead bodies alongside.
2. A village outside Habbaniyah which had been used by the Iraqi - the natives being turned out - for gun positions against Habbaniyah. Guns successfully bombed by the RAF. Graves of the Iraqi dead with bottles containing identification slips.
3. Iraqi prisoners repairing a breach in the dyke (Bund) across the flood waters of the Euphrates River; Captain Roosevelt, and Major General Clark, M.C.G.O.C., Iraq looking on. CU or Iraqi prisoners.
4. Messerschmitt machine gunning Habbaniyah (appears it was hit or driver off by our machine gun posts.)
5. Bomb bursts on Habbaniyah during German raid. Took this to prove that German Air Force must be operating from Syria.
6. Regent of Iraq returns to Iraq and meets his Ministers and Loyal members of his Army.
7. Result of Habbaniyah by the Iraqi - shell holes in the screen of open air cinema and churches.
8. Cut-in transport at Baghdad - London signpost.
9. Levies take cover in shade of trees during riad.
10. Two German planes over Habbaniyah.
11. British machine gun posts, artillery and armoured cars firing to cover the advance of a company of infantry advancing across the gap in the blown up bridge over the Euphrates outside Ramadi. One of the portable boats being launched under fire. Shell bursts on enemy positions outside Ramadi. Mortar in action. Wounded coming in. Smoke in distance over Ramadi, the result of RAF bombing and RA shelling

REMARKS: Have had strict orders that the Regent of Iraq must only be mentioned as Somewhere-In- Iraq. He must not be mentioned as being in Havvaniyah.

It was not possible to get artillery guns in action. Suggest that as artillery scenes, etc. were similar to those taken in the Western Desert library shots may be used.

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