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FIRE AND BOMBS IN PALESTINE

Further exclusive stem-centre reports from Palestine where men of the British Army and the Palestine Police watch the arrival of a shipload of illegal Jewish immigrants at Haifa. Crowded decks and a packed hold as the newcomers look joyfully towards the land they claim as a National Home. So far it looks peaceful and they're welcomed with food and milk. When they get ashore they'll see what damage has been done to the Jewish cause by the fanaticism of the Irgun and Stern terrorist gangs. Already, at the other side of the harbour, they can see the burning wreckage of the British tanker "Empire Cross." Twenty three of the tankers' crew are missing after her cargo of high octane petrol exploded. Stringent security measures are the rule among our Palestine troops today. Nobody gets by without a check and double check. After taking these exclusive pictures, Pathé cameraman, Ken Gordon, was detained for 7 hours for a thorough going-over.

And ashore, in gush, super-modern Tel Aviv, Britain's hardest worked ambassadors - the ordinary Tommies and Policemen - uncover yet another haul of illegal weapons. These were hidden in the Lillienblum School. Bringing in the dragon's teeth are men of the 3rd Paratroop Regiment of the 6th Airborne Division. Another dirty job well done.

Star items found were 2 Bangalore torpedoes, painted to look like surveyor's poles. Wanted in connection with this haul is a young Jewish terrorist. He was last seen on the morning of the King David Hotel was blown up at a cost of so many British lives. Meantime, we still keep the uneasy peace between Arab and Jew in Palestine.