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DOCK STRIKE ENDS:

Back into the Port of London stream dockers and stevedores who have been on strike for 26 days. As they do so, dockers in seven other ports who struck in sympathy, are also returning. During the stoppage, our cameraman flew over London's dockland. Below were some of the 340 ships kept idle by the strike of more than 43,000 dock-workers. Exports and imports - about two million pounds worth - were held up.

Even as work begins, comes a new threat. More than 2,000 men stage a strike almost immediately. The dispute arises when many dockers refuse to handle loads for lorries driven by non-union men or those who worked during the original strike. Quickly more dockers come out in sympathy and soon work has ceased on eleven ships in the Pool of London. Two more in the Surrey and Commercial and London Docks are affected. Meanwhile the vast majority of the dockers continue to work the loaded freighters. The earlier strike, which was over the question of voluntary overtime, is estimated to have cost the nation about fifty million pounds. Now an even higher bill seems likely, unless this new strike is halted at once.